## THE UNIED STATES IN 1783 After the American colonies won the Revolutionary War, they made a whole new country: the United States! The new United States and Great Britain signed a NEW treaty, or agreement, setting the borders HAMPSHIRE of each country. Then, the United States had to decide the borders of each new state. MASSACHUSETTS NEW YORK RHODE ISLAND PENNSYLVANIA CONNECTICUT **NEW JERSEY** DELAWARE MARYLAND VIRGINIA NORTH CAROLINA SOUTH CAROLINA KEY GEORGIA Original 13 states U.S. territory **British territory** Spanish territory Moose

- 1. Compare this map to a modern map of the United States. Which states look like they have the same borders as they do now? Which states are different?
- 2. Look at the United States territory and at a modern map. Can you tell which states came from that territory? Which ones?