

COLOSSAL CANADA: 100 EPIC FACTS AND FEATS by Elizabeth MacLeod and Frieda Wishinsky ISBN 978-1-4431-2820-9 \$8.99 Paperback Ages 8 and up

10 COLOSSAL THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

- 1. What do you think are the ten most colossal facts in this book? Compare your results with the rest of your class and create a graph showing the conclusions of your survey.
- 2. If you could meet any of the famous Canadians mentioned in the book, who would it be and why?
- **3.** What are five facts you discovered in the book that surprised you? Why did they surprise you?
- 4. Which Canadian province or territory would you most like to visit? What would you want to see and do there?
- 5. Craig Kielburger began working to improve children's rights when he was just 12 years old. Brainstorm with your classroom ways that you could work together to make the world better.
- 6. What giant roadside attractions have you seen? Why do you think people build these colossal structures?
- 7. What is your favourite sport? Why?
- 8. How much older than you is Canada? Compare how you celebrate your birthday and how Canada celebrates its birthday.
- 9. Building a railroad across Canada was a huge and difficult job. Have you ever taken a train? What was the experience like for you?
- 10. What is your favourite book by a Canadian author? Give three reasons why you like this book.

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