

## The Tequesta of Biscayne Bay

Answer the following questions after discussing the article in class. You may reread parts of the article as you answer.

- 1 Why didn't the Tequesta become a large and powerful tribe? Use details and information from the article to support your answer.

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- 2 Read this sentence.  
In addition, the Tequesta made flour by grinding up the roots of certain plants. What does *grinding* mean?

- (A) stirring
- (B) crushing
- (C) spinning
- (D) cutting

- 3 In addition to shark, conch, and turtle eggs, the Tequesta also dined on

- (F) manatees.
- (G) chickens.
- (H) corn.
- (I) snakes.

- 4 What event led to the friendship of the Europeans and the Tequesta?

- (A) The Tequesta needed food, and the Europeans provided them with some.
- (B) The Tequesta needed help fighting the Calusa, and the Europeans assisted.
- (C) The Europeans threatened them with slavery.
- (D) The Europeans brought them gifts.