

1. foreign relations	official dealings between one country and other countries
2. diplomatic recognition	the acknowledgment by one government that another government exists and is independent
3. Flagship	the ship that carries the commander of a fleet (the Admiral) and flies his flag
4. The Independence	Texas Navy's flagship
5. Santa Fe Expedition	A large group of more than 300 people sent by The Republic of Texas president Lamar to Santa Fe to claim New Mexico region for Texas.
6. Archives War	Conflict that arose when Austin residents opposed President Houston transferring the government records, or archives, to Washington-on-the-Brazos in 1842
7. Mier Expedition	Texan attack on the Mexican town of Mier after Mexican attacks on Texas during the 1840s; Mexican forces captured many of the Texans
8. Anson Jones	The 4th and final president of the Republic of Texas
9. Annexation	Formal joining of one political region (Texas) to another (United States)