

What shall we do?

This is a set of action cards describing some events that might have happened to the settlers during their stay on Roanoke Island. Mount them on card, cut them out and laminate them so they can be used for group work in class.



<p>The weather has been poor. Heavy rain has washed away most of the crops.</p>	<p>It has been a hot, dry summer. There has been a drought, and water is very scarce.</p>
<p>Conflict has broken out with the local tribe of Amerindians. They are always attacking the settlement.</p>	<p>A raiding party of Spanish sailors has landed near the settlement and are threatening to attack it.</p>
<p>A mysterious illness has broken out in the settlement. Several people have died already.</p>	<p>Most items are running out, including clothing, and basic tools have been damaged. Supplies are not due for months.</p>
<p>A large herd of deer has broken into the fields near the settlement and eaten most of the vegetable crop.</p>	<p>The small sailing ship that was left behind when the others went has been sunk in a heavy storm.</p>

