The Apalachee of Tallahassee “Mission Indians”

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

1. Why were the Apalachee Indians known as the Mission Indians? Use details and information from the article to support your answer.

2. According to the article, the Apalachee are believed to have come from
   A. Georgia.
   B. Louisiana.
   C. Mexico.
   D. Tallahassee.

3. The first expedition of explorers to make contact with the Apalachee were led by
   F. Panfilo de Narveaz.
   G. San luis de Talimali.
   H. the Choctaw.
   I. the British.

4. Why did the Apalachee paint their bodies red with ochre and put feathers in their hair?
   A. for leadership meetings
   B. for missionary meetings
   C. to prepare themselves for a ball game
   D. to prepare themselves for a battle