The New Deal
Fri. 3/10 & Mon. 3/13
Warm-Up - Fri. 3/10 & Mon. 3/13

- Pick up papers at front table and take out notes from last class (Black Tuesday and the Crash)
- Begin working on study guide
Agenda - Fri. 3/10 & Mon. 3/13

- Finish Great Depression Notes & Picture Analysis
- Discuss New Deal Notes
- Great Depression Tweets
Stock Market Crash - 1929

- Prices inflated from overspeculation & buying on margin
- Stock sell-off spins out of control on Black Tuesday
- Billions lost in one day
Bank Failures 1930-1931

- Fear of closings cause many withdrawals
- No insurance against bank closings
- Thousands of banks close
Group Activity - 30 sec per picture
Is this a place that most people would want to shop in?
Why would you want to sell “anything of value” at this place?
Why do you think the sign says “Buy, Sell or Trade”?
- What is this woman wearing?
- What is the boy wearing?
- What might have happened to this family?
What do you think these boys are thinking?
Hollywood and celebrity magazines were very popular in this time. Why would someone spend money on such a magazine if they were hungry?
The sign says, “Rarig’s kid doesn’t starve, why should we?”

Who do you think Rarig is?

Who were many workers angry with?

Why do you think they brought their kids to protest?
The Chamber of Commerce usually welcomes people into a town. Why would a town put up a sign like this?
What do you think the man in the cartoon means in his answer to the squirrel?
People kept a (dark) sense of hope and humor, even in the midst of troubles.

What do you notice about all the men on the next page?
The New Heroes

- Bank robbers
- Bonnie & Clyde
- John Dillinger (a gangster)
- Why do you think these were the heroes of the 30s?
Unemployment

Unemployment in the Great Depression

Graph showing unemployment rates from 01/04 to 01/14.
1932 - President Herbert Hoover

- Does little to stop the Depression
- The Federal Reserve does nothing to help the economy
- **Franklin D. Roosevelt** wins 1932 election (in a landslide)
Franklin D. Roosevelt

- Democrat from New York
- Promises that “Happy Days are Here Again”
Comparing Hoover & Roosevelt - Story Board

http://www.storyboardthat.com/storyboards/richard-cleggett/hover-vs--fdr--the-election-of-1932
What would you do?

- Read the problem in the box at the bottom of your notes page
- Spend 5 minute with your group to answer the question - made a plan to fix things!
- What are the parts of your plan?
- How will you pay for your plan?
Franklin D. Roosevelt

- Starts planning his “first 100 days”
- Calls reforms his “New Deal” for Americans
- Makes a more active government
- Tries new programs

The only thing we have to fear is fear itself!
We need Relief, Recovery, and Reform!
Activity: complete the twitter profile and at least 5 tweets about the Great Depression. Read the directions and make it authentic but also school appropriate.
Warm-Up - Tues. 3/14 & Wed. 3/15

- Pick up papers at front table
- Begin the New Deal Overview Reading + Questions
  - Be thoughtful, this reading will be a good study tool for your test!
Relief

- Immediate help
- Income and support
- Relief programs
WPA: Works Progress Administration
Relief

- CCC: Civilian Conservation Corps
Recovery

- Help bring parts of the economy out of the depression over time
- Restart demand
The Agricultural Adjustment Act (AAA) tried to regulate the supply of food. The Supreme Court later ruled it unconstitutional.
Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) built dams and brought electricity to the rural South.
Reform

- Changes to laws
- Permanent programs to avoid another depression
- Social Security
Reform

- Federal Deposit Insurance Corp (FDIC)
- Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)
The Dust Bowl - 1935

- Drought and over-farming dry up land
- Huge dust storms spread across the US
The Second New Deal

More programs after FDR’s reelection (1935-1937)
Criticisms

- BIG government
- Deficit Spending
  - US is spending way more money than the revenue coming in