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Great Depression Webquest

1. <http://xroads.virginia.edu/~UG03/Jukebox/front.html>

Listen to one song that was popular during the Great Depression. Look up the lyrics. What do you think is the meaning of the song? Why would people relate to this song during the Great Depression?

2. <http://newdeal.feri.org/eleanor/er3a.htm>

Read one of the letters to Mrs. Roosevelt. What did the letter you read say? Why do you think they wrote it? If you were Mrs. Roosevelt, what would you do about these letters?

3. <http://www.history.com/topics/great-depression/pictures>

Look through the photo gallery. Choose one picture and describe what you see.

4. <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/americanexperience/features/interview/rails-tales/>

Read one of the rail rider's testimonies. What advice would you give this person?

5. <http://www.history.com/topics/us-presidents/franklin-d-roosevelt/videos/fdr-a-voice-of-hope>

Watch the video on FDR. What did he do to help people during the Great Depression? Do you agree or disagree with what he did? Why?

6. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GCQfMWAikyU>

Watch the Crash Course video on the Great Depression. What caused the Great Depression? (Hint: there are many answers to this question)

7. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=polnEBTnQ6g>

Watch one of the Great Depression testimonies. What did they share about their experience? What do you think they learned from this time in their life?