

Group Members Names:

1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____

Fireside Chats

Directions: Using the assigned topic create a fireside chat. The radio show needs to be **at least 1 minute to 2 minutes long**. Be creative, use sound effects, different speaking voices or whatever comes to mind.

Each group member needs a speaking role.

Circle the topic assigned:

1. Optimism Sweeps Hoover to Victory (Hoover becomes president) pg. 717
2. Farmers Lose Their Farms (WWI and agriculture) pg. 713
3. Wealth is Distributed Unevenly and Easy Credit Hides Problems (overspending, credit) pg. 705
4. Black Tuesday (stock market crash) pg. 706
5. The Great Depression Begins (causes of the depression) pg. 706-708
6. Misery and Despair Grip America (breadlines, Hooverville's) pg. 712
7. The Great Plains Becomes a Dust Bowl and Desperation Causes Migration (Dust Bowl, Okies) pg. 715-716
8. Voters Elect a New President (New Deal) pg. 732-734
9. First 100 Days (FDIC, CCC, PWA) pg. 734-737
10. Second New Deal (WPA, Social Security Act) pg. 740-741

CHECK LIST OF WHAT TO INCLUDE

1. Introduce show _____ 5 pts.
2. Introduce characters _____ 5 pts.
3. Include facts – who, what, when where, why, outcome _____ 30 pts.
4. Closure to show _____ 5pts.
5. Presentation participation _____ 15 pts.
6. Extra Credit – sound effects, enthusiasm, creative dialogue _____

Total points: _____ 60 pts.

TAKE PICTURE OF SCRIP. 0 points for presentation if absent.

