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CP Freshman English

Steinbeck’s America

We are traveling back in time to 1930s America. Leave all cellphones, ipods, and Nicolas Cage references at the door! We must find a way to fit in with these awesome times!

First, please break into the following groups. Remember, no man, woman, or T-Rex is to be left behind.

**Dust Bowl**

**1930s Migrant Workers**

**1930s Entertainment/clothing**

**1930s News Headlines**

**1930s family life**

In your groups you need to create a slide show tour of your given topic. You should visuals, explanations, and facts. Each person should be responsible for the information for at least 2 slides (please put your name on your slide). You need to divide the research evenly. You will have this class and ½ of next class to prepare for your journey. Your journey will commence at the half-way point of next class.

Use the graphic organizer (provided) to plan out your slides. Make sure to provide an explanation of why the image is important and how it will help you through your travel.

You will be graded on the following

\_\_\_\_Preparedness (10)

\_\_\_\_Clarity (10)

\_\_\_\_Thoroughness (10)

\_\_\_\_Accuracy (10)

\_\_\_\_At least two images per slide/per person

\_\_\_\_\_Info (20)

\_\_\_\_What the viewer should notice

\_\_\_\_\_Story behind image

\_\_\_\_\_Why the image is significant to the time period

\_\_\_\_\_How we will use the information to guide our travel plans

\_\_\_\_\_Slides move in logical progression (5)

\_\_\_\_\_Introduction to slide show (5)

\_\_\_\_\_Visual Quality (5)

\_\_\_\_\_Works Cited/Credits at end (5)