**Great Depression and the New Deal to the New Challenges in the World**

1. Brief background on fascism and communism
* Fascism
	+ 1920s Italy – Mussolini (“Il Duce”) and Black Shirts
	+ 1920s Germany – Hitler (Führer)– Nazi (National Socialist German Workers) – Aryans (Jew, Gypsies, Poles)
	1933 Chancellor
	+ Against communism
* Communism in Russia
	+ 1918 – Lenin
	+ Late 1920s – Stalin
* Capitalists in these nations
1. 1928-1932 – Herbert Hoover, inheritor of the Great Crash
* 1928-1932 – Voluntarism, a Progressive tradition
* 1931 Moratorium on debt/reparations cycle
* 1931 Hawley Smoot Tariff
* 1932 (the election year) – Shift with the Emergency Relief and Construction Act
* 1932 Bonus March
1. The Election of Franklin Delano Roosevelt
[Chronology of Hoover’s Term with Highlights Through March 1933](http://www.cjbibus.com/1928_1933_Hoover_to_FDRoosevelt.htm)
2. The [depression problems compared with the New Deal solutions](1929-1937_GreatDep_Problems_NewDeal_Solutions_WITHANSWERS.htm)
3. Second New Deal – what makes it happen
* Huey Long
* Francis Townsend
* Father Charles E. Coughlin
* Supreme Court itself
1. Second New Deal – what changes
* Unemployed – WPA
* Labor – Wagner Act plus General Motors “sit-down” strike in 1937 (This 1937 strike is by an industrial union—one made up of both skilled and unskilled workers. ***Tip*:** in the index, try the United Automobile Workers.)
* Aged and disabled – Social Security Act
* Taxing the rich
* Court-packing plan

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| ***Caution:***  Not all suffering is the same in the Great DepressionHuman consequences vary:* + By 1932, 25% out of work – homeless, hungry, relief (charity for essential survival) running out of money, people stopping courts from foreclosing on property (think of Shays’s rebellion)
	+ Worse for working women
	+ Worse for minorities - African Americans (layoffs) – racism - E. Roosevelt – some programs- Mexicans (forced deportation of them and their children)- Asians (loss of farm labor jobs)
	+ Worse for regions hit by dust bowl - Okies
	+ Worse for farmers – Farmers Holiday Association
	+ Worse for vets – Bonus March
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