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THE BUZZ FILES
What does **BUZZWORTHY** mean?

**BUZZ**

Adding new teaching styles to your class to increase excitement and engagement:

- Project Based Learning
- Simulations and Investigations
- Competitions and Gamification
- Surveys and Proposals
- HyperDocs and SlideMissions

**WORTHY**

Having a rigorous and relevant content that challenges a diverse groups of students:

- Increased student interest & academic success
- Easier to align to standards
- More student choice
- Real World Situations
- Technology integration
- Ongoing feedback
There has to be a way to create a buzz in our classes
Check Out A SlideMission

https://goo.gl/eChKv3
SlideMissions Are Themed To Build Interest

Political Ideology

BIG IDEA: Informed citizens engage in the political process.

Compelling Questions
- How should we decide what to believe?
- How do personal values and beliefs influence who we vote for?
- How do diversity and varied ideas and beliefs of a community affect the political system?

United Nations
A simulation of world problem solving
Humor

This case just got interesting.

South Dakota v. Dole, 1984
### Manipulatives

**Which event was the president involved with?**

Look up each item and determine which president was most involved with it. Move the event to the correct picture.

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Applying Emojis To Content

Time for a quick review

From 1963 to 1974 the United States went through a series of tumultuous events. These events drastically changed the people and the country. They led to a distrust of government and a new awareness of the role of the US in the world. Coming out of these country changing events, Presidents Ford and Carter sought to bring back a sense of normalcy. They faced major challenges but did their best to move the country forward.

Quick Review

For each event below, find an emoji that reflects the United States’ feelings about the event:

- Kennedy Assassination
- Tet Offensive
- First Man on the moon
- Watergate Scandal
- Nixon Resigns
Hexagonal Connections

Vocabulary Connections

Combine the hexagons to make the best connections possible. Be able to apply your knowledge of each vocab term and ready to share your connections in class.

Rights and Responsibilities
Popular Sovereignty
Civil Rights
Rule of Law
Human Rights
Due Process
Civic Values
Commonwealth
Civic Responsibilities
Inalienable Rights
Now Playing: Project Based Learning & Assessments
Simulations (Model UN)
Middle East Wing Challenge

Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Turkey, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Yemen, Syria, Israel

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Wings Learning Fun!

I completed the Middle East Wing Challenge!
Models & Hands-On Projects

In a theocracy one priest rules the people because of the will of God. In a monarchy there is a king or queen. They are the ruler because of God's word.

“I disagree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it”

Beatrice Hall describing Voltaire’s views
We the People
1960s Themed Fashion Show
Official Fantasy Geography Website

FANTASY GEOGRAPHY

TIMELINE

? - 2014 B.G.C.
(Before Google Classroom)
Weekly Current Events Worksheet.

2015
Fantasy Geography is born with the help of Google Classroom.
The Official Fantasy Geography Draft is added for Student Engagement & creates a BUZZ.

2017
Fantasy Geography Slidemission and website added to enhance the experience.

Welcome to Fantasy Geography!!!
EPIDEMIC: ESCAPE THE VIRUS

PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENTS

FICTIONAL POLITICAL SPECTRUM
Turn your class or a unit into a game.

- **Characters**
- **Missions**
- **Points**
- **Rewards**
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