

Chapter 25 Section 1

1. Explain how each of the following were causes of the great Depression. * You will need to research this topic using sources other than your textbook.
 - A. Stock Market Crash of 1929
 - B. Bank Failures
 - C. Reduction in Purchasing Across the Board
 - D. The Smoot-Hawley Tariff
 - E. Drought Conditions in the Midwest
2. Describe how the Great Depression effected the lives of Americans in the 1930s.
3. What solutions did President Herbert Hoover offer as a solution to the Great Depression?
4. Explain the events surrounding the march on Washington by the Bonus Army. What was Hoover's response and how did his handling of the event effect his popularity with Americans?

Chapter 25 Section 2

1. Describe the people and ideas that made up FDR's Brain Trust. What was their plan for ending the Great Depression?
2. Explain the effect of the Great Depression on banks and peoples savings.
3. Explain the actions taken by FDR to help banks? What effect did his actions have on Americans?
4. How did FDR's New Deal differ from President Hoover's ideas of ending the Great Depression?
5. Describe two programs passed by FDR during the New Deal which gave American's immediate relief from the problems caused by the Great Depression.
6. Describe two programs passed by FDR during the New Deal that helped with economic recovery.
7. Describe two programs passed by FDR during the New Deal that were reforms that looked to prevent future depressions.
8. What was the overall effect on Americans and the U.S. economy of FDR's New Deal?

Chapter 25 Section 3

1. Explain the events of the Dust Bowl. What effect did it have on farmers in America?

Chapter 25 Section 4

1. Who were the opponents of the New Deal and explain the different reasons some people opposed the plan?
2. Explain why some people lobbied for the Social Security Act. What were the effects of the law on Americans during the New Deal and today?
3. Explain how judicial review effected New Deal legislation?
4. Explain what is meant by the term court-packing? Why did FDR try to pack the Supreme Court?
5. Why did FDR's plan to pack the Supreme Court fail? What impact would his plan have had on the separation of powers in government?