

## Monday – April 27 – 20 minutes

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Look closely at the image on the left.

- **SEE:** What do you see in this image?
- **THINK:** What does this image make you think about?
- **WONDER:** What questions do you have about this image?

Resources

paper, pencil



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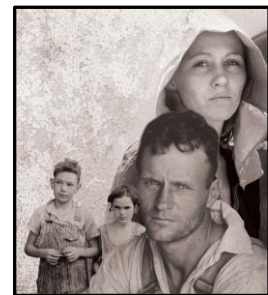
Following a time of great economic success in Texas and the U.S., the stock market crashed, and many businesses shut down, causing people to lose their jobs and homes. This time period (1929-1939) is called The Great Depression.

Adding to problems in the United States was a drought that caused huge dust storms in the Great Plains and brought a halt to what little agricultural activity there was. The affected area came to be called the Dust Bowl.

Complete the graphic organizer to define The Great Depression or the Dust Bowl.

Word	Picture
Definition in my own words	Sentence using the word

*Source: HISD Curriculum*



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Resources



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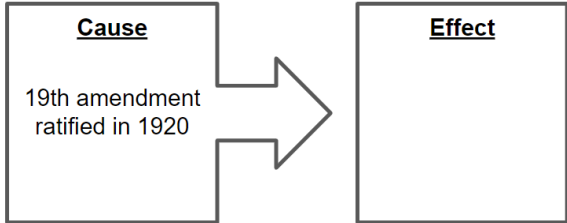

For more information, read “From Boom to Bust” in Week 28 of [Texas Studies Weekly](#).





## Wednesday – April 29 – 20 minutes

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">  <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p> </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <h3 style="text-align: center;">Notable World War II Veterans</h3> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Cleto Rodriguez</b> was born in 1923 in San Marcos, Texas. He was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for service in World War II. Only 14 men from Texas earned this honor!</li> <li><b>Audie Murphy</b> was the most highly decorated soldier in American history. He was born in Texas in 1925. During his service in WWII, Murphy won every medal for valor (bravery) that the United States awards. After his military service, Murphy became an actor and starred in 39 movies, most of them westerns.</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;">Write down 2 facts and 3 questions you have about these historical figures.</p> </div> </div>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 28</p>  <p>For more information, read “Texas Heroes of World War II” in Week 28 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>

## Thursday – April 30 – 20 minutes

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<p>One hundred years ago in 1920, the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the Constitution was ratified (made official), giving women the right to vote.</p> <p>What effect did this amendment have on lives of U.S. citizens? Explain why it was important.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Source: HISD Curriculum</b></p> </div>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 28</p>  <p>For more information, read “A Changing Texas, A Changing World” in Week 28 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>

**Friday – May 1 – 20 minutes**

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<p>Before the World Wars, most women did not have jobs. However, when the men in Texas and the United States went to war, factory jobs needed to be filled so the country would still have resources.</p> <p>The government made ads such as the “Rosie the Riveter” poster (right) to encourage women to take on jobs to support the country.</p> <p>Write a reflection on the ad and what you think is the message or meaning.</p>	 <p><i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 28</p>  <p>For more information, read “<i>Building a Workforce of Women</i>” in Week 28 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>	

## Monday – May 4 – 20 minutes

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<p>Following World War II, there were many opportunities for jobs in Texas. In addition to oil, farming, and factories, space exploration became an important industry in Texas. NASA is located right here in Houston, Texas.</p> <p>List any facts you know about National Aeronautics and Space Administration (<b>NASA</b>).</p> <div data-bbox="950 382 1481 737" data-label="Image"> </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 29</p> <div data-bbox="334 890 490 957" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>For more information, read “Texas Leads the Space Race” in Week 29 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>

## Tuesday – May 5 – 20 minutes

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<div data-bbox="381 1092 873 1381" data-label="Image"> </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p> <p>In 1969, the first astronauts landed on the moon.</p> <p><b>Imagine</b> you were an astronaut landing on the moon for the first time.</p> <p><b>Write</b> a letter to your friends or family about the experience.</p>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 29</p> <div data-bbox="334 1533 490 1600" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>For more information, read “Texas Leads the Space Race” in Week 29 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>

## Wednesday – May 6 – 20 minutes

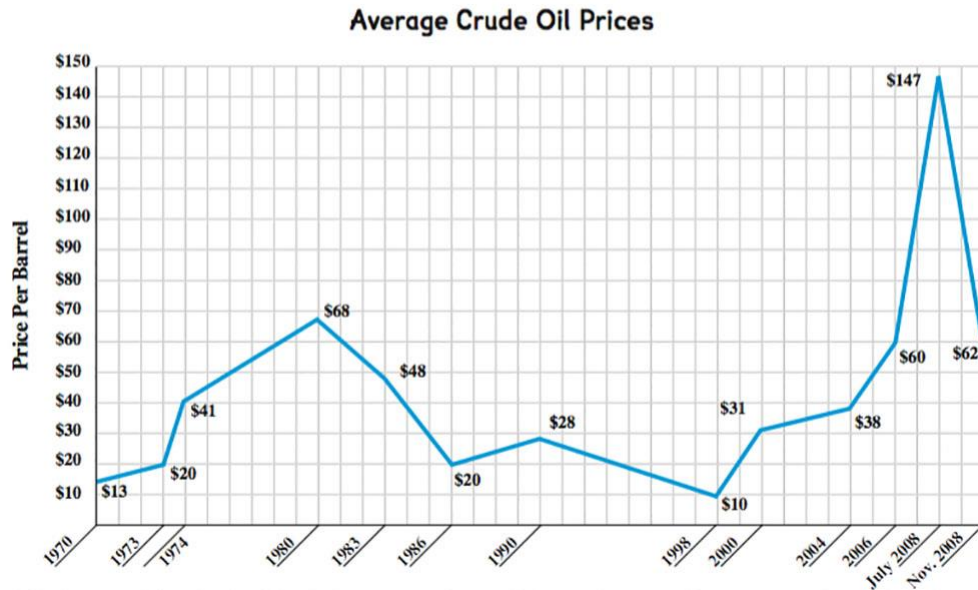
<p>Activity / Task</p>	<p>Think about all the hard work it takes to become an astronaut. Would you like to be an astronaut? Explain your reasons why or why not.</p> <div data-bbox="1117 386 1421 747" data-label="Image"> </div> <p data-bbox="1062 747 1477 806"><i>Dr. Mae C. Jemison</i> <i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p>
<p>Resources</p>	<p>paper, pencil, Texas Studies Weekly: Week 29</p> <div data-bbox="334 898 490 968" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>For more information, read “Texas Leads the Space Race” and “Sally Ride Leaves a Legacy” in Week 29 of <a href="#">Texas Studies Weekly</a>.</p>

## Thursday – May 7 – 20 minutes

<p>Activity / Task</p>	<div data-bbox="349 1129 1078 1625" data-label="Image"> </div> <p data-bbox="506 1625 922 1659"><i>Permission from Studies Weekly</i></p> <p>Look closely at the image on the left.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SEE:</b> What do you see in this image?</li> <li>• <b>THINK:</b> What does this image make you think about?</li> <li>• <b>WONDER:</b> What questions do you have about this image?</li> </ul>
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Friday – May 8 – 20 minutes

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Many large businesses have offices in Houston, bringing people here from all around the world. However, our biggest industry is still oil and gas.

Look at the chart above and note 3 observations and two questions you have.

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