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Social Studies Slogans: Make Your Own Memes

Political cartoons were an important communication tool during Jackson's presidency. Political cartoons are similar to social media today. You will create three memes that communicate important events that occurred in American history between 1828 and 1837.

1. Select three topics. Topics cannot be from the same category (see below).
2. Write a short summary about each topic you will use.
3. Play around with words. Look for funny patterns, puns, etc.
4. Make sure your MEME message is supported by your summary.
5. Select a photograph (Google Images) that represents the time period and event.
6. Use the website <http://www.canva.com> to create each MEME (demonstrated during class)
7. Send the web link(s) to your MEMEs to the class Google Doc.

THE PRESIDENCY

- Campaigning
- Mudslinging
- Replaced most of the staff
- Spoils System
- Electoral vs. Popular Vote
- Veto
- Parlor/Kitchen Cabinet

BANK WARS

- Corporations
- National debt
- State vs. federal control
- 2nd Bank
- "the monster"

NULLIFICATION

- South Carolina
- Order of Nullification
- Succession
- Tariffs
- North/South economy

INDIAN REMOVAL

- Oklahoma / Georgia
- Trail of Tears
- 5 Nations
- Supreme Court rulings
- Adopted native American son

SLAVERY

- Abolitionist
- Post office
- First amendment
- Owned slaves
- Economy – South & North

MEME 1 *(10 Points)*

Topic	
Summary	
Photo Description	
Words to Explore	
MEME Message	

MEME 2 *(10 Points)*

Topic	
Summary	
Photo Description	
Words to Explore	
MEME Message	

MEME 3 *(10 Points)*

Topic	
Summary	
Photo Description	
Words to Explore	
MEME Message	