

USA – Hoover & Roosevelt

Background

The Great Depression crystalized the policy differences between the Republican and Democratic Parties.

The apparent failure of President Hoover brought in a new commander and chief.

Franklin Delano Roosevelt was elected to the presidency in 1932.

What followed the election of 1932 was a radical shift in public policy.

Roosevelt promised a "New Deal," and he fundamentally changed the role of government in North America.

While the policies of the New Deal did not end the Great Depression, Roosevelt brought hope to millions of Americans.

He remains one of the most beloved American presidents.

Assignment

1) Describe the response of President Hoover.

2) Describe the response of President Roosevelt.

3) Describe the TVA . . . Tennessee Valley Authority.

4) Describe the FCA . . . Farm Credit Association.

5) Describe the NRA . . . National Recovery Administration.

6) Assess the impact of Roosevelt's New Deal.
