


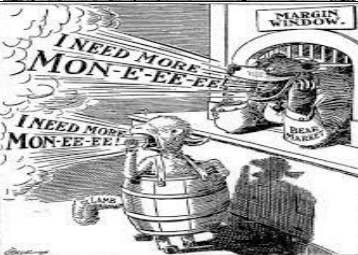


















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The Great Depression Vocabulary

Term or Person	Identification/Definition	Picture
Alphabet Agencies		
		
Bonus Army	Group of veterans who marched in Washington D.C. demanding pay that the government owed them	
Buying on Margin		
Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC)	3 million young men to work camps to build bridges, replant forests; develop job skills and improve environment	
Court-Packing		

	Spending exceeding revenue over time	
Direct Relief	Cash payments for food from the government to the poor	
	Photographer who documented the hardships of the Great Depression through photography	
Dust Bowl	Region in the central U.S. that was hit hard with dust storms for several years, due to overfarming and drought	
Eleanor Roosevelt		
Emergency Banking Relief Act		
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC)	Created federally insured bank deposits to prevent bank failures	

	Lowered mortgage rates and allowed people to refinance their homes and farms	
		
Fireside Chats		
Franklin Delano Roosevelt	2nd Great Depression President, New Deal programs, and had a hands on approach	
	The stock market crash followed by high unemployment, low production, and low investment	
Hawley-Smoot Tariff	Highest protective tariff in U.S. history; world trade slowed down	
	President (31st) during the first part of the Great Depression; laissez-faire approach with the economy	

<p>Hoover Dam (Boulder Dam)</p>		
<p>John Steinbeck</p>	<p>“Grapes of Wrath” author; story of family fleeing the Dust Bowl for a new start in California</p>	
	<p>Deportation of Mexican Americans in order to open up jobs for Americans during the Great Depression</p>	
<p>National Youth Administration (NYA)</p>		
	<p>Roosevelt’s aggressive programs to turn the economy around from the Great Depression</p>	
<p>Overproduction</p>		
<p>Public Works Administration/ Works Progress Administration</p>		
	<p>Little towns of shacks where homeless people were forced to live</p>	

<p>Social Security Act</p>	<p>Provided retirement pensions, unemployment insurance, aid to blind, deaf, disabled, and dependent children</p>	
<p>Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)</p>		
	<p>Buying stocks and bonds for a quick profit and ignoring the risks</p>	
<p>Tariff</p>		
<p>Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)</p>		
<p>Wagner Act</p>	<p>Reaffirmed labor's right to unionize; prohibited unfair labor practices</p>	