85: History Timeline Activity, Part 1

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# Purpose: Summarize the Canadian History we have studied this year.

* **Choose** what you think are the 15 most **significant** happenings in Canada’s history.
  + Positive or negative, but produced a long-term impact
  + Single days or longer eras
  + It will probably work best to start with 20 or 30 and narrow it down
  + Example: the creation of the Yukon Territory (cool as it is☺) did not significantly affect the course of the Canadian story, so unless you have a profound reason, you probably won’t include it.
* **Also** choose the 5 most significant Prime Ministers using the same criteria.
* **Write** 1-3 sentences to explain each event/ leader. What happened? Why was it significant at the time? How did it change Canada? Also find the **date** for the event (eg. 1902/ 1930s/ 1981-1998).
* **Submit** your papers for grading.
* **Looking Ahead.** In Lessons 88-89 you will make a timeline using the list you prepare here. That will be the final form.

# Grading

* 50 points possible for each of the following:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Well Chosen Events, Leaders
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Thorough Explanations