

Topic Selection Worksheet
Courtesy History Day in Arkansas
Leadership and Legacy

How does _____ (your topic) relate to the theme?

What is the legacy of your leader, event, or topic of interest? (What changed because of it?)

Who were the people involved in leaving this legacy?

What in the world/country/community changed because of the leader or event?

The topic represents a change in:

- _____ technology
- _____ political thought or practice
- _____ social beliefs or practices
- _____ economic practices
- _____ scientific practices
- _____ medical practices
- _____ military practices
- _____ religious practices
- _____ transportation
- _____ other: _____

Does your topic fit into one or more of these historical movements or issues?

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| _____ war | _____ political conflict | _____ racial integration |
| _____ women's issues | _____ civil rights | _____ immigration |
| _____ revolution | _____ economic change | _____ labor |
| _____ environmental | _____ human rights | _____ Marxism |
| _____ colonization/settlement | _____ nationalism | _____ agriculture |
| _____ democracy | _____ populism | _____ children's issues |
| _____ urbanization | _____ religion | _____ health issues |
| _____ education | _____ community | _____ socialism |
| _____ native populations | _____ expansionism | _____ leadership |
| _____ communism | _____ cultural change | _____ legacy |
| _____ other: _____ | | |

Has _____ made a difference in the way people view the larger movement/issue?

