

Background: The Great Depression refers to the economic downturn that began in the late 1920s and continued throughout the 1930s. Most of the world was deeply affected by the difficulties of the Great Depression.

Research: Use the documents provided to create claims about the difficulties of the Great Depression.

Prompt: In a five paragraph expository essay, describe the Great Depression and respond to the inquiry question: How did the Great Depression affect different groups of Americans?

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