

QUARTER 3 EXTRA CREDIT OPPORTUNITY

Our theme for this unit has been looking at the ways that Americans in the 1960s worked to create a “Great Society” for all Americans. While some progress was made to address issues such as racial discrimination, gender inequality and the environment, many issues remained unaddressed well beyond the ‘60s-early ‘70s.

While things have changed in many ways since the 1960s, many of these issues are still very much present in our society in 2018, albeit in slightly different forms.

Choose ONE modern activist campaign (such as Black Lives Matter, the Women’s March, the March for Science, conservative resistance, etc.) and in no more than a page typed,

- A) Briefly trace the movement’s connection to the 1960s & 1970s. What was it seeking to achieve in the 1960s-1970s?
- B) What issues does today’s movement seek to address and what strategies/tactics they are using to raise awareness and achieve their objectives?

