

Chapter 21 Key Terms and Dates

Key Terms:

- New Deal
- Emergency Banking Act
- Hundred Days
- National Industrial Recovery Act
- National Recovery Administration
- Civilian Conservation Corps
- Public Works Administration
- Tennessee Valley Authority
- Agricultural Adjustment Act
- Dust bowl
- Federal Housing Administration
- Congress of Industrial Organizations
- Sit-down strike
- Share Our Wealth movement
- Works Progress Administration
- Wagner Act
- Social Security Act
- Welfare state
- Court packing
- Indian New Deal
- Popular Front
- Scottsboro case
- House Un-American Activities Committee

Focus Questions:

1. What were the major policy initiatives of the New Deal in the Hundred Days?
2. Who were the main proponents of economic justice in the 1930s, and what measures did they advocate?
3. What were the major initiatives of the Second New Deal, and how did they differ from the First New Deal?
4. How did the New Deal recast the meaning of American freedom?
5. How did New Deal benefits apply to women and minorities?
6. How did the Popular Front influence American culture in the 1930s?

Key Dates:

- 1931- Scottsboro case
- 1933- Franklin D. Roosevelt inaugurated president
- 1933- Bank holiday
- 1933- The Hundred Days and the First New Deal
- 1933- 21st Amendment ratified
- 1934- Huey Long launches the Share Our Wealth movement
- 1934- American Liberty League is established
- 1934- Herbert Hoover's *The Challenge to Liberty*
- 1934-1940- Height of the Dust Bowl
- 1935- Second New Deal launched
- 1935- Supreme Court rules the National Recovery Association unconstitutional
- 1935- John L. Lewis organized the Congress of Industrial Organizations
- 1936- Supreme Court rules the Agricultural Adjustment Act unconstitutional
- 1936- New Deal coalition leads to Democratic landslide
- 1936- John Maynard Keynes's *The General Theory of Employment, Interest, and Money*
- 1936-1937- United Auto Workers sit-down strike
- 1938- House Un-American Activities Committee established
- 1938- Fair Labor Standards Act passed
- 1939- John Steinbeck's *The Grapes of Wrath*