



When History Rhymes: Culturally Responsive Teaching

History may not repeat itself, but is sure does seem to rhyme from time to time...

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Agenda

- Intro/Norms
- Zen PowerPoint
- Historical Tropes to be Discussed
- Looking for the Rhymes
- How the World is Different
- What Do WE Do Now





Norms

- It's all LOVE.
- Things may get uncomfortable...That's okay.
- Just consider it.
- Chances are we will not solve all the problems here today.
- DO NOT let the work stop here.





Objectives

- EWBAT: Discuss and critique historical problems that continue to impact students, communities and our country in general
- EWBAT: Identify, discuss, and critically think about "historical rhymes" and their impact on society *In particular how they are taught in school*
- EWBAT: Grow their thinking and begin developing solutions to stop "historical rhymes" by using the tools that make our time in history different





National Standards

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.11-12.3

Evaluate various explanations for actions or events and determine which explanation best accords with textual evidence, acknowledging where the text leaves matters uncertain.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.11-12.7

Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.11-12.9

Integrate information from diverse sources, both primary and secondary, into a coherent understanding of an idea or event, noting discrepancies among sources.





Assessment Questions

- 1. How can you identify rhyming historical events?
- 2. What is the identified MAJOR difference between the historical tropes of the past and the present?
- 3. In what ways can Access change how we work to solve problems?
- 4. What roles do schools play in teaching and engaging breaking historical rhymes?
- 5. What can we as individual outside of our profession do to break historical rhymes?





"Zen PowerPoint/Slides Presentations"

- A PowerPoint or slide presentation that has no words following the opening slide
- Pushes the presenter to find an image(s) that can convey entire ideas
- Challenges the presenter to know their content well enough that they can not use the words on a slide as support to their presentation
- Gives the audience a visual to connect with the learning
- Fun





Consider the Ingredients







Considering the Context of the Ingredients







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White Supremist Ideology

Patriarchy

Capitalism

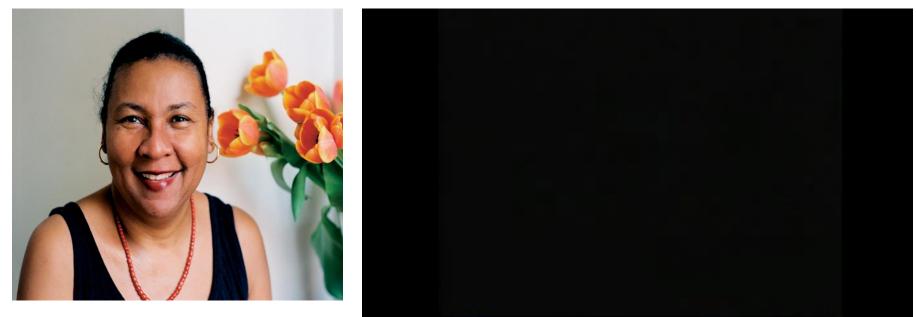
Imperialism







Considering the Context of the Ingredients



bell-hooks



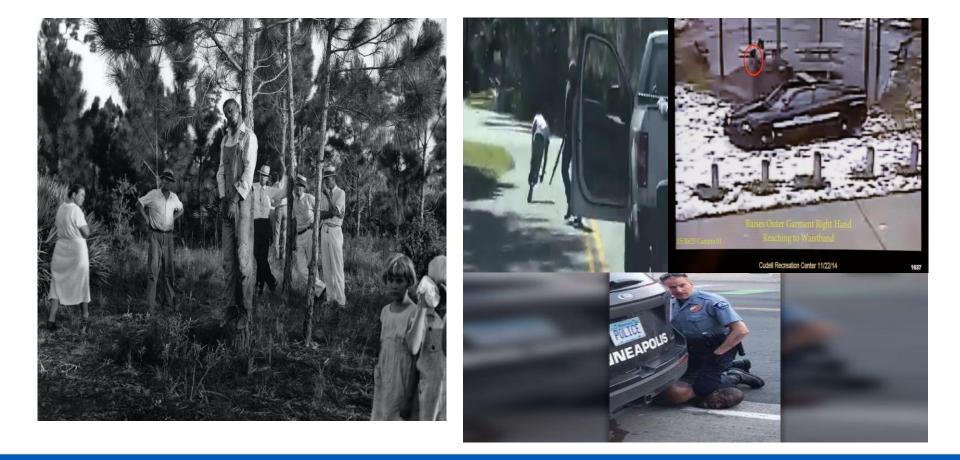


A Pause for the Cause





White Supremacist Rhymes







Patriarchal Rhymes







Capitalist Rhymes







Imperialist Rhymes







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So what's so different????



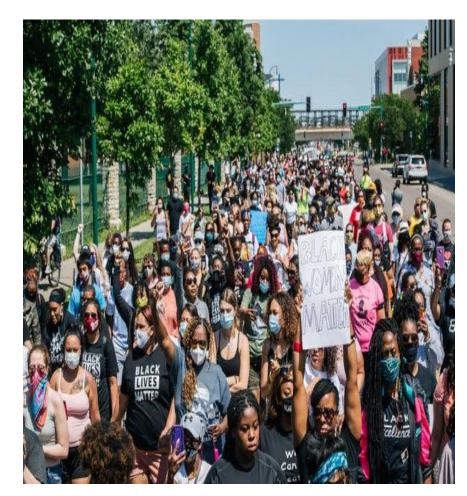






People

Three quarters of whites don't have any nonwhite friends







Information







Experience



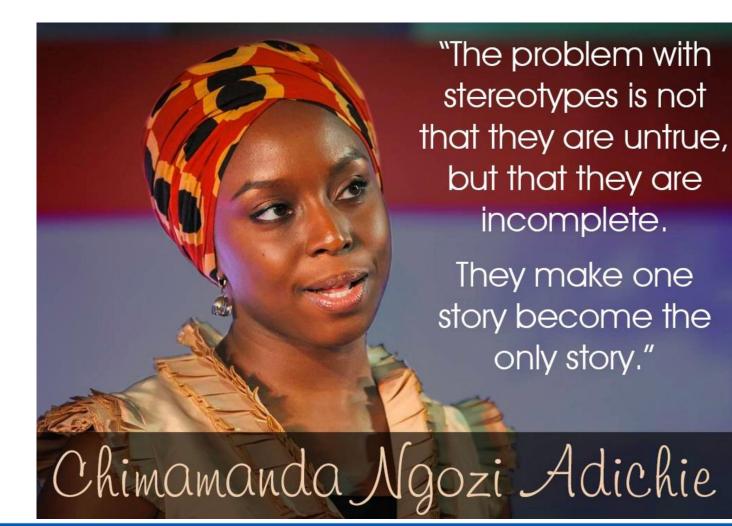








Counter-Narrative







Creation







Stepping Down and Lifting Up







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