

Grade 9 Social Studies

Chapter 3 Project

Please choose and complete one of the following options:

1. After watching the videos shown in class, reflect on Canadian stereotypes and regional identity. How do you feel Canada is portrayed? Is it in a positive or negative light? Write an essay on what “being Canadian” is all “about”. Use **specific** examples in your writing. (Do not simply say that Newfies talk funny, give me examples).
2. With a partner, write a dialogue between an interviewer and a Newfie. The Newfie should use examples of “Newfiness”. The interview should be about Newfoundland identity, including its stereotypes and unique dialect.
3. Create a rap video similar to the one we watched in class on regional identity.
4. Create a video/slideshow OR poster that demystifies some common “Canadian Stereotypes”.
5. Create a Newfie dictionary with a minimum of 10 phrases. Your dictionary should be visually pleasing (i.e. you should not just have the phrase and the “English” equivalent, it should be colourful and interesting).