

The Great Gatsby Digital Scavenger Hunt

Directions: Using the provided links for each topic, answer the questions in complete sentences. Be careful not to plagiarize by paraphrasing your answers and cite in MLA format. For websites with an author, cite the author's last name (Smith). If there is no author listed, cite the title of the article in quotation marks ("A Brief Life of Fitzgerald").

1. F. Scott Fitzgerald

Read [A Brief Life of Fitzgerald](#). What do you find most interesting about Fitzgerald, his life, and his writing?

2. The Roaring Twenties

Read [The Roaring Twenties](#). In a few sentences, give an overview of this time period.

3. 18th Amendment

Read [The 18th Amendment](#). What did this amendment abolish? What was the result?

4. 19th Amendment

Read the 19th [Amendment to the U.S. Constitution](#). What did this amendment do? When was it ratified? Why is it significant?

5. Flappers

Read the first part "[Flapper Jane](#)" up to the image of the 1920s ad for necklaces. What elements make a person a flapper? Look at this image of [Louise Brooks](#). Would she be considered a flapper? Why or why not?

6. 1920's Slang

Read [Twenties Slang](#). Which of these terms do you find most interesting? Why?

7. Prohibition

Read [The Speakeasies of the 1920s](#). What is a Speakeasy? Why do you think they became popular during the 1920s?

8. Automobiles

Read [The Rise of Automobiles](#). Why were automobiles "arguably the most important catalyst for social change in the 1920s"?

9. Reflection

Based on what you have learned about the Roaring Twenties, what are you most excited for as we begin *The Great Gatsby*.