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**Stanford Reading like a Historian New Deal Analysis**

**Document A: Fireside Chat**

1. What is this document and when did it take place?

2. What is the purpose of the address to the nation?

3. What New Deal Organization is Roosevelt referring to when he says “especially young men, to go into forestry and flood prevention work…?”

4. What is the overall point of this document? Do you think this helped the people?

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**Document B: African Americans and the New Deal**

1. How did the following New Deal Programs discriminate against African Americans?

* National Recovery Act-
* Federal Housing Authority-
* Civilian conservation Corps-
* Social Security Act-

2. What effect did the Agricultural Adjustment Administration have on blacks?

3. What was even more “galling” to African American leaders about Roosevelt’s leadership?

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**Document C: Interview with Cotton Mill worker**

1. Who is speaking in the interview? What is the Interview from?

2. Describe how he felt about President Roosevelt.

**Document D: Hot Lunches for a Million School Children**

1. What New Deal Program has helped out these School Children?

2. How has it helped out?

3. What is the impact of these meals?

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**Document E: Unemployment Statistics**

1. What year of President Roosevelt take office?

2. What is the peak of unemployment? Year and % of Labor Force?

3. What year does unemployment get back to a normal rate? (normal is considered between 6 and 7%)

4. What is the trend during FDR’s Frist term in office?

5. What happens too unemployment in 1938? Why do you think that is?