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| **GETTING TO KNOW ANDREW JACKSON**I. INDIVIDUAL WORK. Read the assigned articles about Andrew Jackson. Annotate and make notes in your own words responding to the guided question. Use specific evidence from your assigned article in support. (1) “Andrew Jackson and the Constitution”<http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/age-jackson/essays/andrew-jackson-and-constitution>* "To what extent does Andrew Jackson interpret the Constitution to benefit a more diverse electorate?"

(2) “Female Trouble: Andrew Jackson versus the Ladies of Washington” [http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/jackson-lincoln/essays/female-trouble-andrew-jackson-versus-ladies-washington#](http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/jackson-lincoln/essays/female-trouble-andrew-jackson-versus-ladies-washington)* "To what extent do Andrew Jackson's 'female troubles' reflect a shift in women's political influence in America?”

(3) “The Indian Removal Act”<http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/age-jackson/essays/indian-removal-act>* "To what extent does Andrew Jackson's treatment of Native Americans reflect a response to an increasing commoner’s voice?"

(4) “The Culture of Congress in the Age of Jackson”[http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/jackson-lincoln/essays/culture-congress-age-jackson#](http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/jackson-lincoln/essays/culture-congress-age-jackson)"To what extent does Congress during the Age of Jackson represent an increased voice for the common man in America?"(5) “King Andrew and the Bank”<http://www.neh.gov/humanities/2008/januaryfebruary/feature/king-andrew-and-the-bank>* "To what extent does Andrew Jackson's fight against the Bank reflect an affinity for the common man?”

 “Andrew Jackson’s Shifting Legacy”[http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/age-jackson/essays/andrew-jackson’s-shifting-legacy](http://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-by-era/age-jackson/essays/andrew-jackson%27s-shifting-legacy)* Should Andrew Jackson be viewed as a dictator or a democrat?

Be prepared for Socratic Seminar: To what extent does the Age of Jackson contribute to a more democratic US? How Jeffersonian or Jacksonian was Jackson? |
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