

1932     Franklin Roosevelt     relief     Social Security Act

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New Deal

Magnet Word

help from government     recovery     reform     WPA     FVA

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Summary Statement:

*In 1932, President Roosevelt designed a government program, called the New Deal, to provide relief, recovery, and reform to help the American people get on their feet.*

Summary Paragraph

*During the Roaring Twenties, Americans were enjoying new lifestyles that included spending money on pleasure, such as sports and motion pictures, and on readily available consumer goods. Unfortunately, hard times began in 1929 when the stock market crashed, causing banks to close, businesses to fail, and families to lose their fortunes, and ultimately, widespread hunger and unemployment. To solve this problem, President Roosevelt designed a government program in 1932, called the New Deal, to provide relief, recovery, and reform to help Americans get back on their feet.*