THIS WEEK’S SOCIAL STUDIES JOURNAL
Common Core Anchor Writing Standard 2. Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

Do this independently as an assessment. Do this collaboratively as a learning activity.

TOPIC: __________________________

What are five words that are important to understanding this topic?

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What are the most important facts you learned about it? List them here.

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SUMMARIZE
Use your facts and words to write about this topic. Explain it with examples.

EXTEND TO EXCEED
Extended Response: How is what you learned related to another topic, event, or place?