

WRT 205

Developing a focused explainer topic

As I've been reading through others' suggested additions to our canon, here are some issues that especially interest me:

- diversity in education
- ethnic minority employment
- ethnic minority history



Here are some ways in which these issues connect to other things we've read and/or to prior interests I have:

- Reading articles about discrimination of ethnic/neurodiverse minorities in the workplace
- Reading articles about the lack of diversity in leadership
- Straightforward and linear narrative of history taught in schools
- Lack of diversity in topics and cultures taught in curriculum



Looking at this list of connections, highlight key foundational concepts/ideas/terminology—list those here.

- Racism
- Diversity
- Nationalism
- Culture
- Indigenism



Review your list to the left—which of these issues do you think a person would need to understand in order to understand why this broader topic interests you? Circle them and prioritize—what's really important? What really intrigues you? Why?

History defines what we have experienced and what we have become, but the prevalent view of history is that it is a mandatory subject taught in school and many are indifferent to this subject. However, if people are to tackle the problems that we experience today, and in this coming project specifically about ethnic groups and diversity, a fuller understanding of history is needed. Therefore, I find it important to discuss and write about possible solutions for expanding the history curriculum in schools which will include larger understanding of the world outside of the traditional nationalistic mindset.



Frame your project statement here: I think [X] is a really important topic in organizational culture, so I'm going to explain this foundational idea [Y] to you all. *[In other words, you're going to focus on some very specific component that is essential to our understanding of the larger whole; you're going to articulate both the small bit and the Big Picture here.]*

I think history education diversity is a really important topic in organizational culture, so I'm going to explain this foundational idea of globalized history curriculum to you all.

