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REPORT CARD: FDR AND THE NEW DEAL

What grade would you give the consequences of the New Deal? Do you feel the outcomes of the policies implemented by FDR were positive or negative?

Directions: For each consequence write a (+) or a (-). After each statement give an exact fact or explanation. Finally, on the back, give FDR and the New Deal a final grade A-F and explain why using content (facts) from lesson.

The New Deal reduced unemployment and gave immediate relief to those without food or shelter during the worst years of the Depression.

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The New Deal increased federal taxes.

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The New Deal completed valuable public works.

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The New Deal increased the National Debt.

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The New Deal established a "safety net" to protect ordinary Americans.

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The New Deal introduced new regulatory agencies.

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The New Deal increased the power of organized labor.

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The New Deal established the principle that the federal government should oversee the smooth running of the economy.

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The New Deal showed that increased government spending could be used to fight unemployment.

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The New Deal increased the size of the federal bureaucracy.

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