

# Six Flags Over Texas

## Power Point

### Objective:

The student will create a timeline in Power Point of the six flags of Texas to represent the changing leadership in Texas history.

### Technology Skills:

- Use presentation software to communicate ideas
- Navigate and access information via the Internet

### TEKS:

- 4.17 (A) explain the meaning of selected patriotic symbols and landmarks of Texas, including the *six flags over Texas*, San José Mission, and the San Jacinto Monument

**Duration of Lesson:** 2-3 computer lab sessions

### Prerequisites:

- Microsoft Power Point
- Internet browsing

**Before the Computer-** Teacher: Review the example PowerPoint presentation - "Six Flags Over Texas." Place the "Flags" graphics in the assignment folder so students can access them.

### Procedure:

1. Go to <http://www.lsjunction.com/facts/6flags.htm>. Find two facts about each country/flag, and find the period of time during which it "flew" over Texas. Another website to acquire information about the six flags is [http://www.shsu.edu/~smm\\_www/FunStuff/Flags/F01F.html](http://www.shsu.edu/~smm_www/FunStuff/Flags/F01F.html).
2. Copy and paste the picture of each flag into separate slides in Microsoft Power Point. Copy the pictures from the Flags document or directly from the Lone Star Junction website.
3. Title each slide.
4. Enter the two facts about each flag found during research next to each picture.
5. Present to the class.

### Assessment:

Student has included at least two facts about each flag.	<b>40</b>
Student has correctly titled each slide.	<b>30</b>
Student has pasted a picture of each flag into separate slides.	<b>20</b>
Student presentation is effective.	<b>10</b>

### Adaptation Ideas:

- Create a presentation of wildlife in Texas. Find two facts and a picture of each animal on the Internet.

### Extension Ideas:

- Research one flag more extensively.
- Add animation to each slide.

### Modification Ideas:

- Students find and enter one fact about each flag.