Day 1 Bell Work

"A picture is worth 1000 words"

Analyze and respond to this quote.

(After students complete the bell work, do a whole group share to discuss the bell work.)

Day 2 Bell Work

word: context

part of speech: noun

definition 1. The circumstances that form the setting for an event, statement, or idea, and in terms of which it can be fully understood.

example sentence

When reading historical fiction, it is important to study the context in which the story was told.

synonyms: circumstances, conditions, surroundings, factors, state of affairs, frame of reference, contextual relationship

in layman's terms: context is the background or situation for something or surrounding something.

What other definition of context have you heard and how does it help you understand something?

Day 3 Bell Work

phrase: out of context

meaning: Without the surrounding words or circumstances and so not fully understandable. If a statement, image, or event is given out of context, the circumstances surrounding them are not given correctly or understood, which may communicate something different from what was intended or what was actually occurring.

Think about the gallery walk that we took at the beginning of this lesson. Pick one picture that could be taken "out of context" if someone was shown it without a caption or background information and then explain how someone could take that particular picture "out of context."

Day 4 Bell Work

Now it is time to give speech to a photograph. We are all familiar with the common saying, "A picture is worth 1000 words." Now we are going to put this saying literally to the test. Get a Chromebook. After you log in type in the following website: https://allthatsinteresting.com/civil-rights-movement-photos#1 From this website pick just one picture to "speak" 1000 words for.