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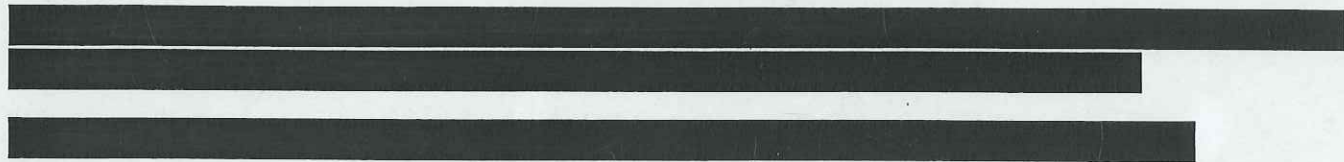
Dark Room and Dungeon picture on the smart board.

The Dungeon of Economic Depression

Escape Room

This activity is based on your Creating America Textbook, Chapter 12, Section 4 Prosperity and Panic. The only way you can accomplish your tasks to the end is to work together on ideas. I hope that you are not stuck in the Dungeon of Economic Depression at the end of the hour. Best of Luck.

Room 1. Place the cards in the correct order. Please verify with your teacher when you think you have solved this first room. You must solve this first room to advance to room 2.



Room 2. Unlock the box. Well, I guess you need a key. If you seek you will find your key in this room. You must open the box to advance to room 3.

Room 3. In the box you will find some objects... silly, you may not keep them!

Each person in the group EXCEPT ONE will receive and control their own money from an envelope (these that represents Jackson's PET BANKS).

ONE Person must be an auctioneer.

Sell the items from the box. Remember, you do not get to keep them as I need them for all classes! All items must sell.

Auctioneer should record on the tally sheet what each item sold for and the total.

Collect ALL money and items. You will use a new set of money.

Report the end of the round to your teacher.

Do it all over again, however, this time, each person except the auctioneer will receive a new bundle of money.

Have an auction and sell each item. You should notice you have more money to spend.

Fill in your tally sheet again and then figure inflation.

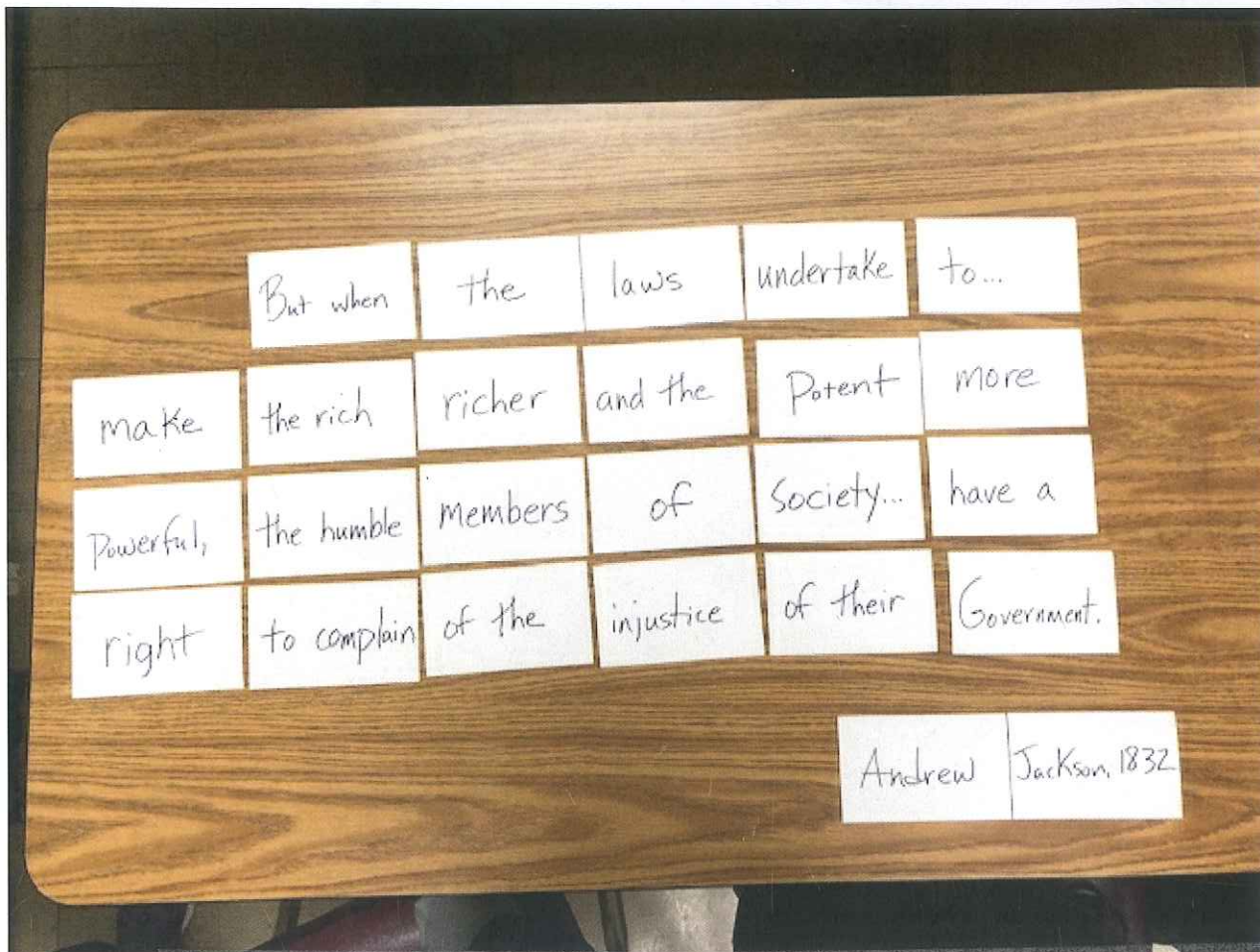
Item	Round 1	Round 2
Chattering teeth	_____	_____
Stuffed animal	_____	_____
Finger puppet	_____	_____
Car	_____	_____
Dinosaur	_____	_____
Total:	_____	_____

$$\frac{\text{Second Auction} - \text{First Auction}}{\text{Second Auction}} \times 100 = \text{_____} \%$$

This is the percentage of inflation on the items in your box. **Show your teacher your results to advance to room 4.**

Room 4: Now that you can demonstrate inflation. Finish the puzzle on the state of the 8th President of the United States. Show your teacher the correct route to advance to Room 5.

Room 5: Celebrate! Take a group picture with the signs announcing your survival in the Dungeon of Economic Depression.



Room 1

Andrew Jackson quote.



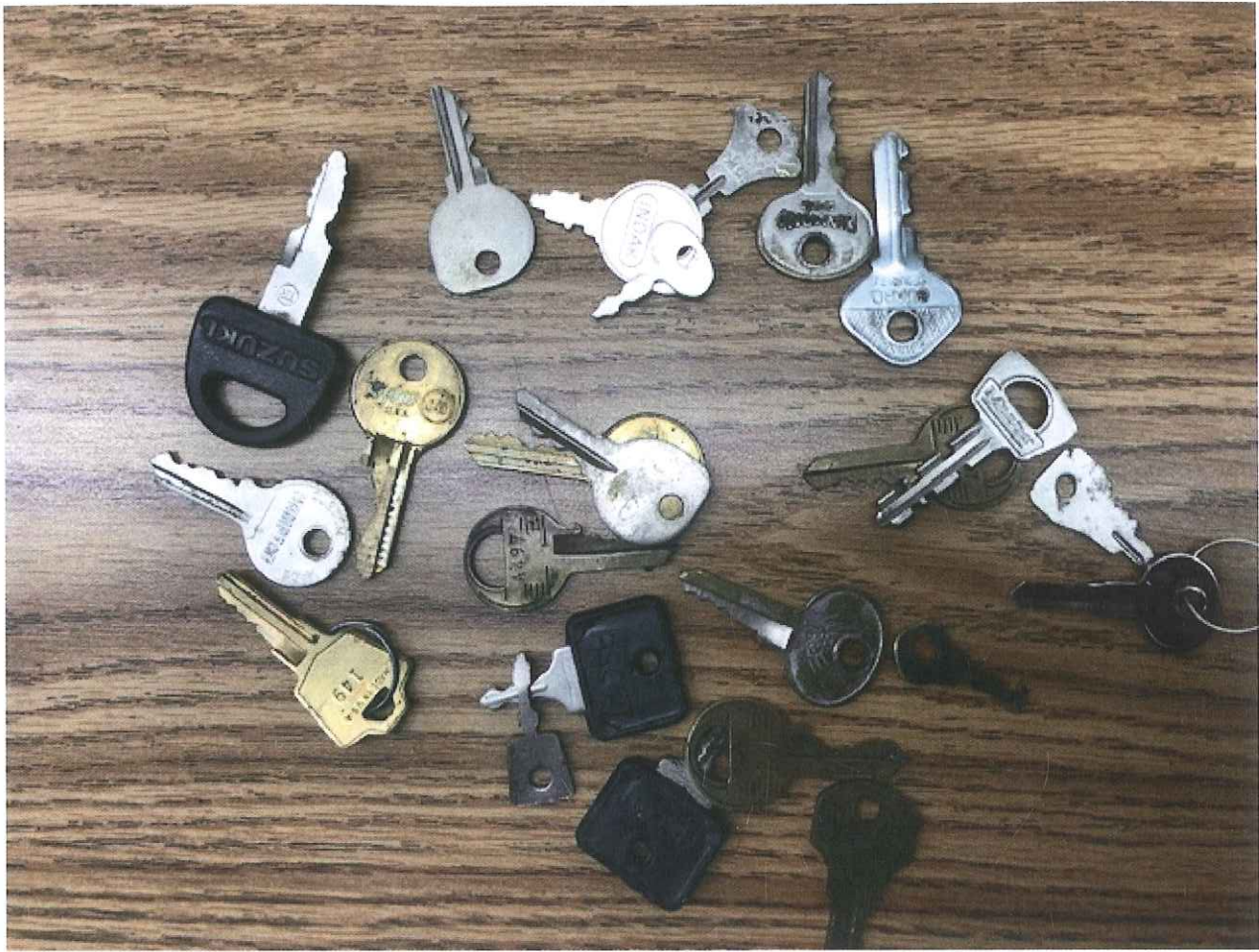
Room 2

Old keys scattered around my room.

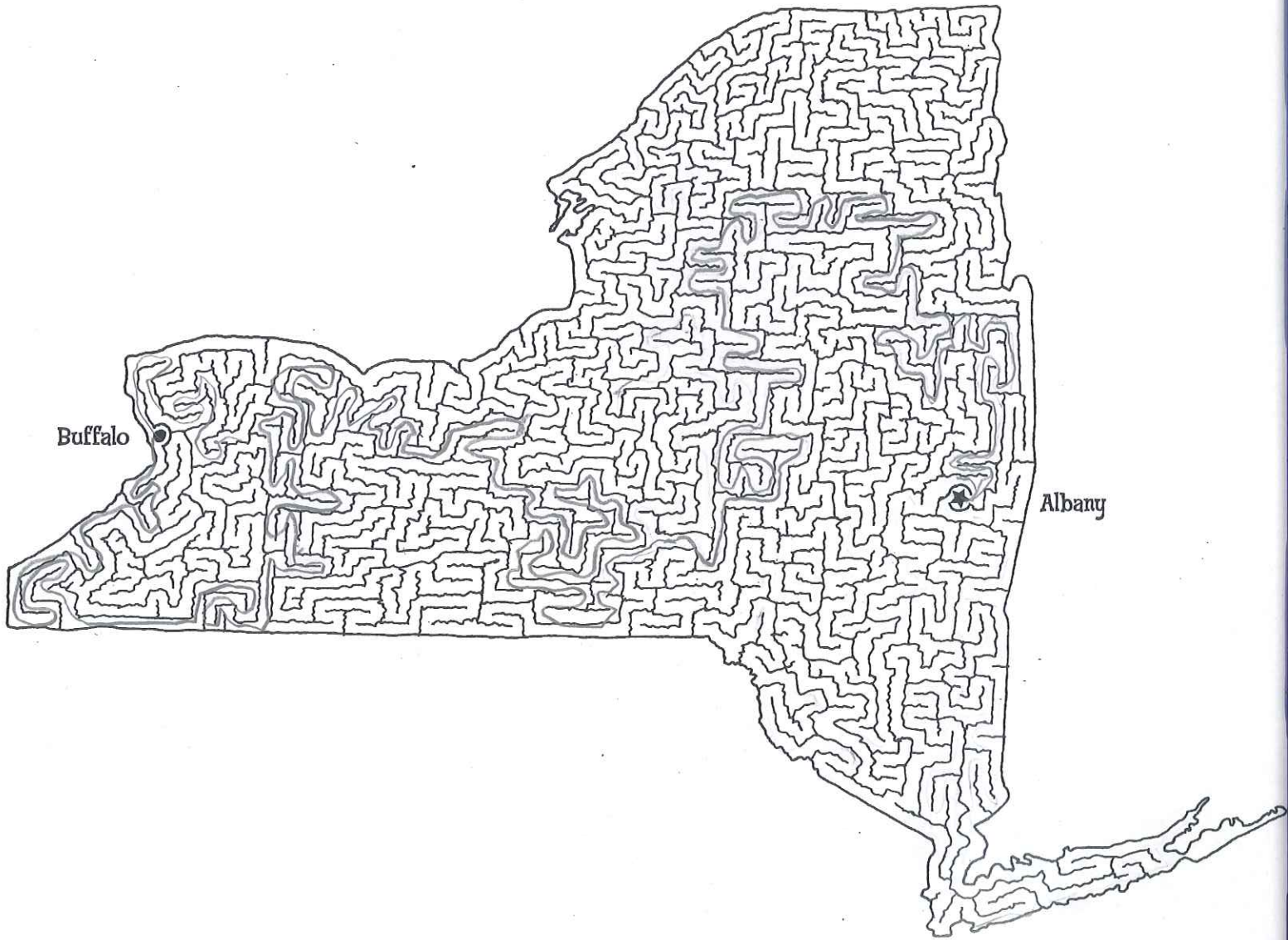
Fake \$\$

Locked box with items to auction.

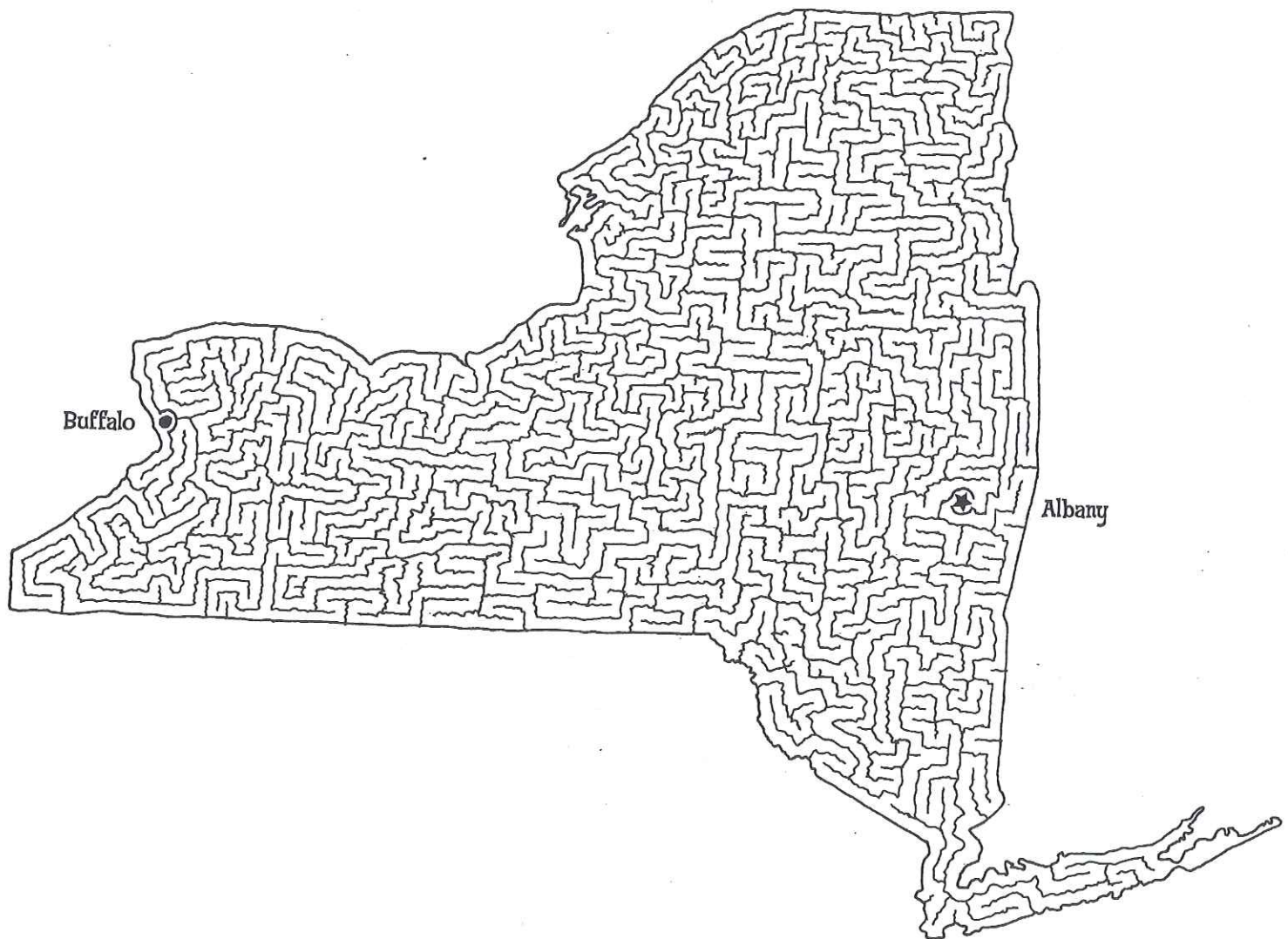
2nd Auction- Students get bigger bills, more \$\$ to work with.... Causing inflation.



New York



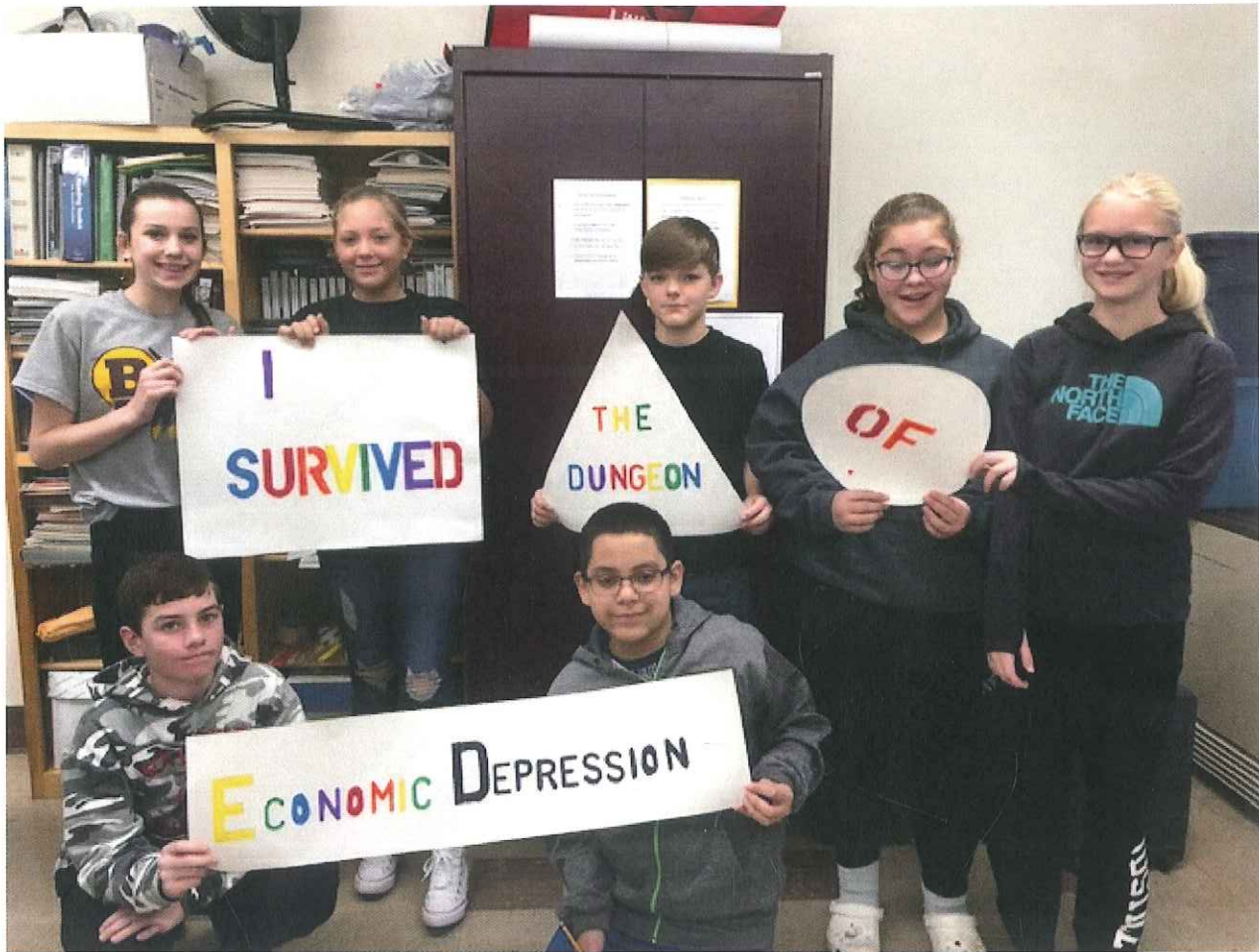
New York

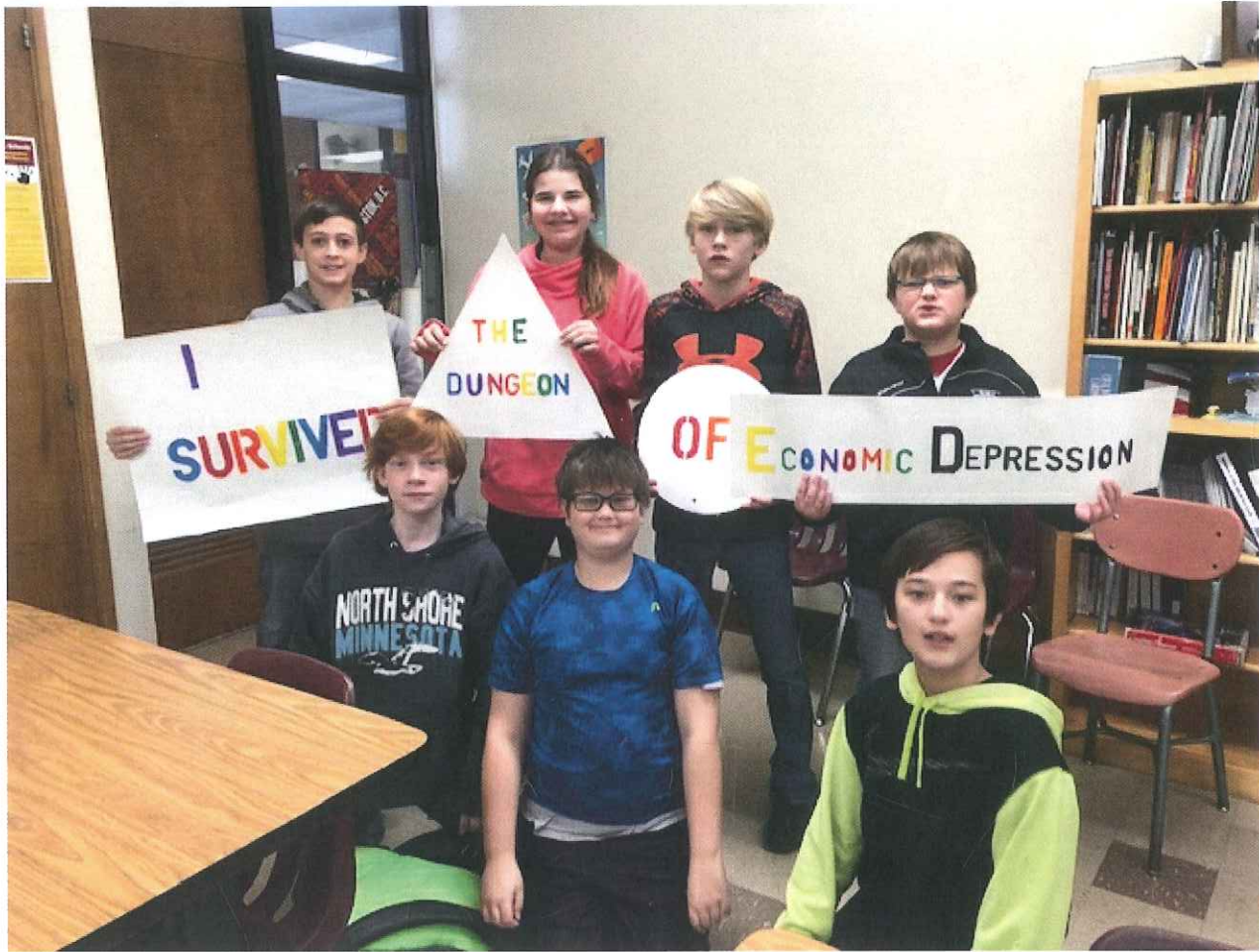


Room 4

Source: The Amazing 50 States Maze Book

by Scott Sullivan, 2001







Room 5

I survived the Dungeon of Economic Depression.



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Group Members: _____

CATEGORY	20-18	17-16	15-14	13-12
Time Management	Uses time efficiently to accomplish tasks. Beats the deadline.	Usually uses time well and makes the deadline.	Tends to procrastinate and/or needs prompting to make the deadline.	Misses the deadline.
Problem Solving	Actively looks for and suggests solution to problems.	Refines solutions suggested by others within the group.	Does not suggest or refine solutions, but is willing to try out solutions suggested by others within the group.	Does not try to solve problems or help others solve problems. Can't get along as a group.
Focus on the Task	Consistently stays focused on the task and what needs to be done. Very self-directed while working together.	Focuses on the task and what needs to be done most of the time. Group members can count on each other.	Focuses on the task and what needs to be done some of the time.	Rarely focuses on the task and what needs to be done.
Attitude	Is not critical of each other. Has positive attitude and support through verbal language, and body language.	Rarely is critical of each other. Mostly maintains positive attitude and support through verbal language and body language.	Occasionally is critical to each other which hinder progress. Cannot maintain positive attitude and support through verbal language and body language.	Simply cannot get along!