

# Welcome to L1 Labo Anglais!



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**Week Nine**

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# Warm Up



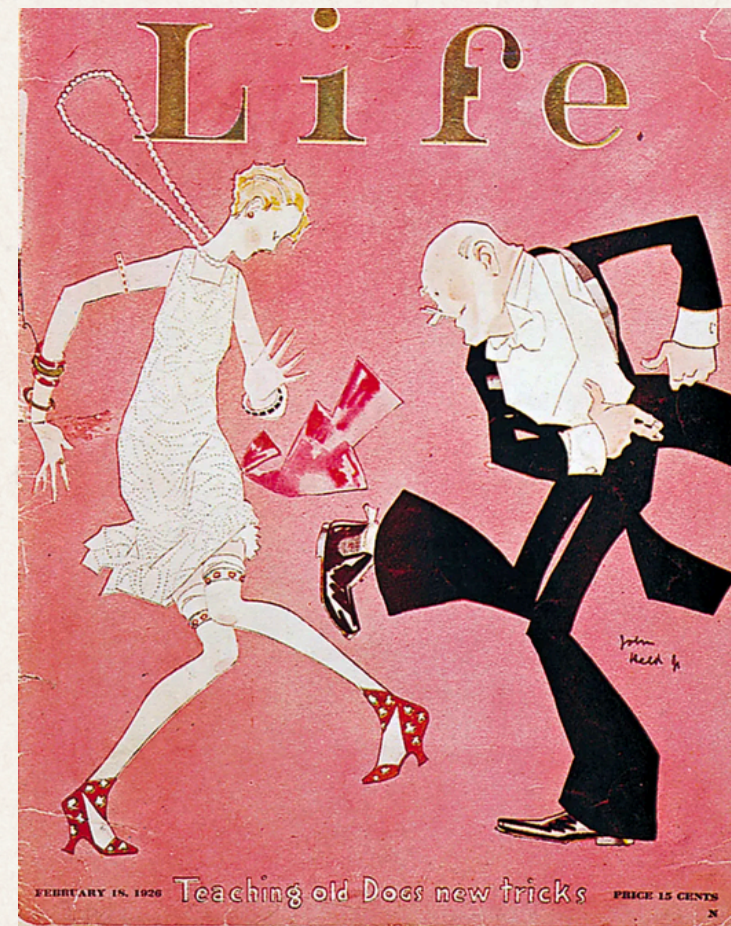
What time period is depicted in the collage above?  
What do you know about this time period in the US?



# THE ROARING TWENTIES



# What do you know about 1920s America?



Why is it called “the Roaring 20s”?

# The Roaring 20s

The 1920s was characterized by:

- economic prosperity
- rapid social and cultural change
- a mood of exuberant optimism

The liveliness of the period stands in marked contrast to the historical crises on either side of it: World War I (1914–18) and the Great Depression (1929–c. 1939).

The name may have originated as a play on the nautical term roaring forties, referring to latitudes with strong ocean winds. The decade was called the Roaring 20s due to the prosperity felt by most Americans and the social upheavals the nation underwent.

# Try to Define:

- Flapper
- Speakeasy
- Prohibition
- Nativism
- Harlem Renaissance
- Jazz
- Red Scare
- Bathtub gin



# Vocabulary Match

- Flapper
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1. a period in the 1920s when Black achievements in art, music, and literature flourished
2. a time when the American public feared a Communist revolution in America; the government tracked down and jailed people suspected of being communist
3. a music genre that originated in the Black communities of New Orleans, Louisiana
4. a place where alcoholic drinks were sold and consumed illegally during prohibition
5. refers to any style of homemade spirit made in amateur conditions
6. carefree young women with short, "bobbed" hair, heavy makeup, and short skirts; symbolized the new "liberated" woman of the 1920s
7. the nationwide ban on the manufacture, sale, and transportation of liquor in the United States that went into effect in 1920 with the 18th Amendment
8. a policy of favoring established inhabitants, not immigrants

# Overview of the Decade



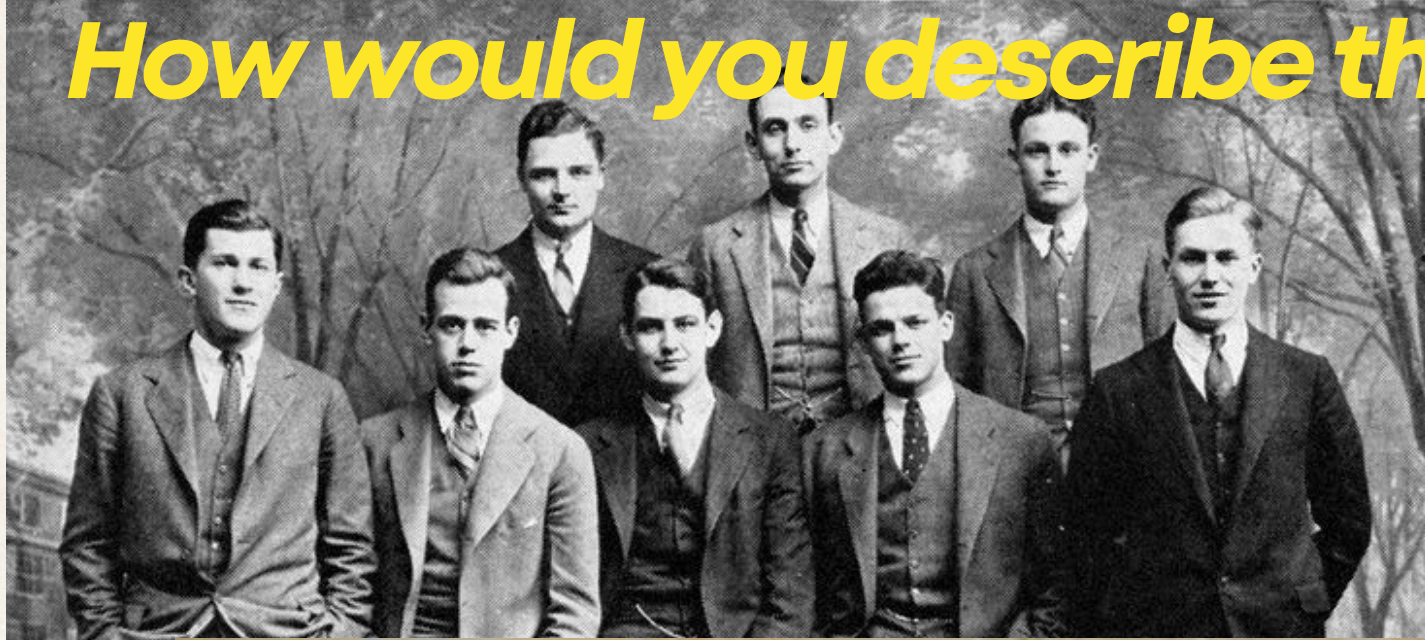
# Prohibition



- 18th Amendment to the United States Constitution (1920)
  - established the prohibition of alcohol in the United States
- 21st Amendment to the United States Constitution (1933)
  - repealed the 18th Amendment
- Why do you think the US wanted to ban alcohol?
- Why do you think prohibition ended?

# Style

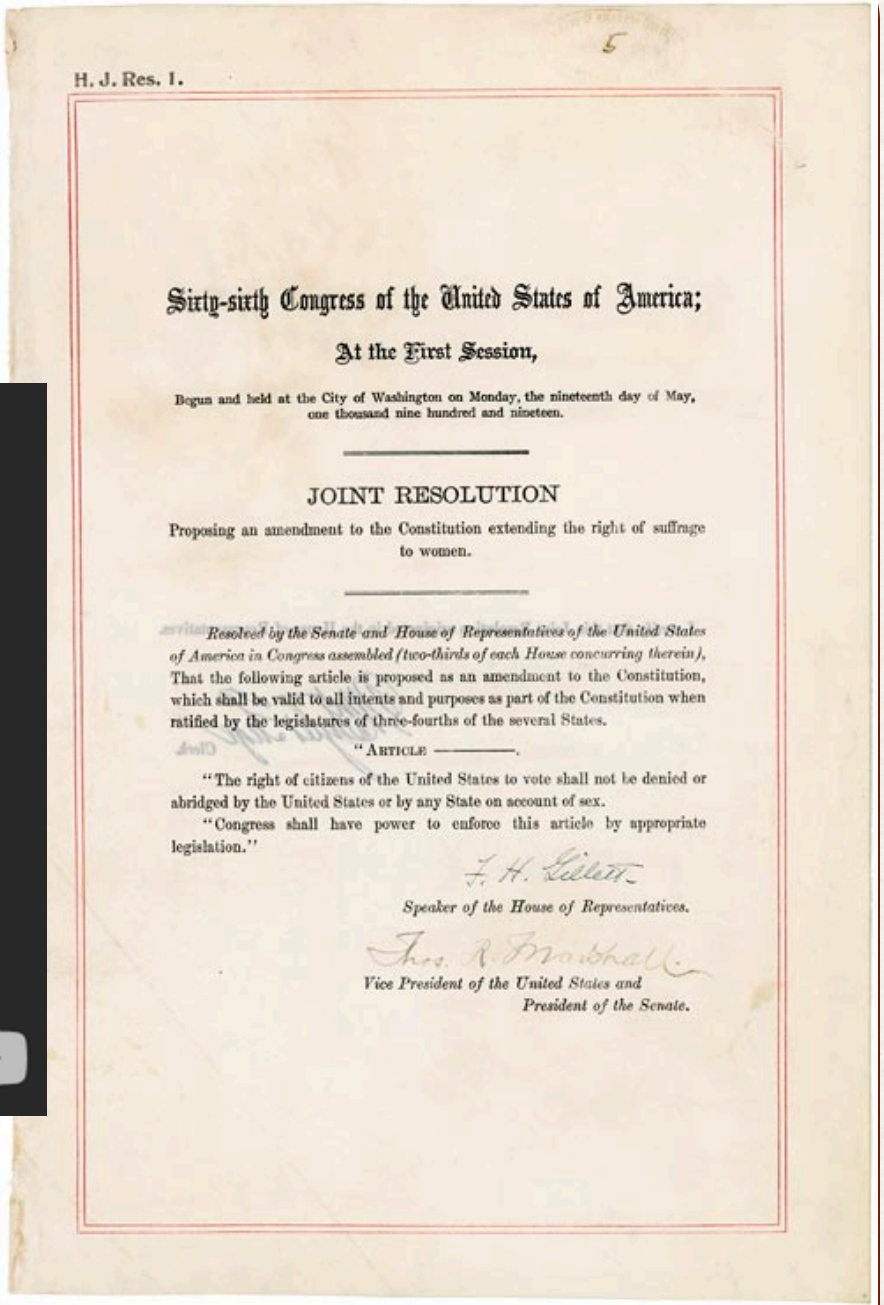
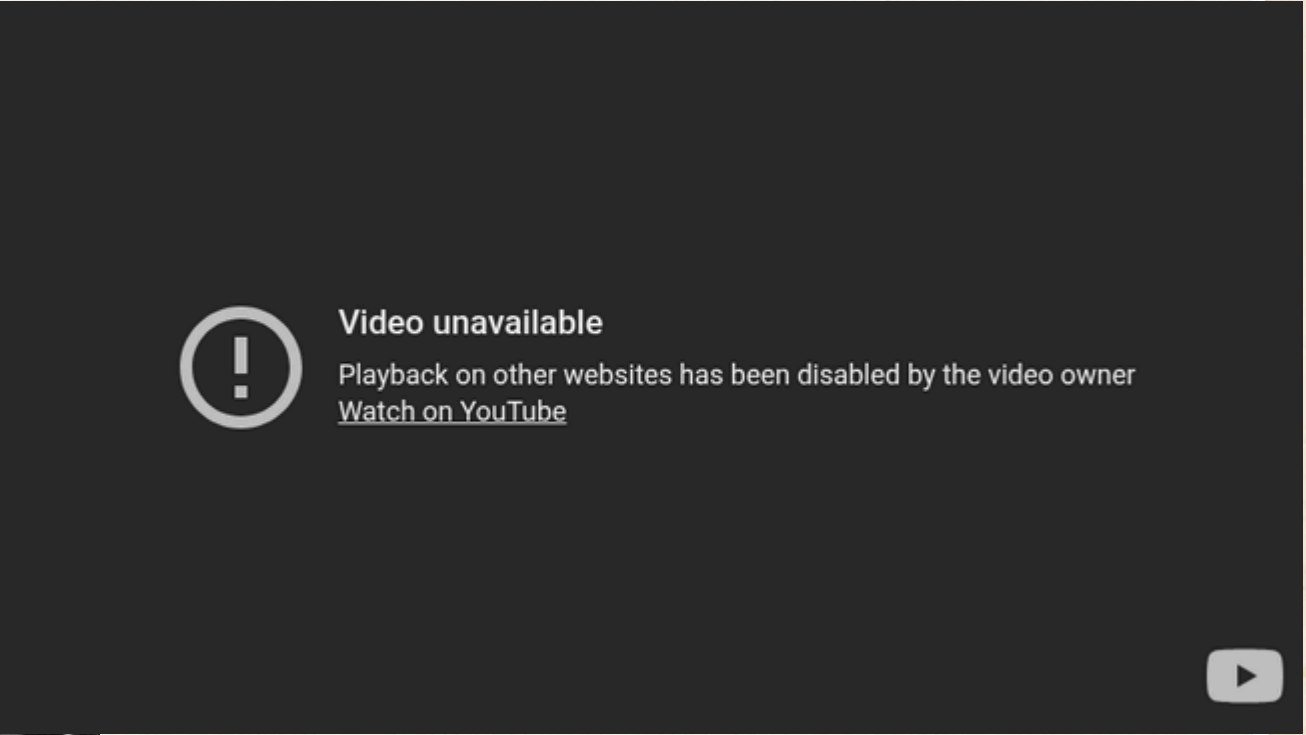
How would you describe the style in the 1920s?



1920 1921 1922 1923 1924 1925 1926 1927 1928 1929



# Women's Rights



In the U.S., women received the right to vote in 1920 with the ratification of the 19th Amendment.

# Music

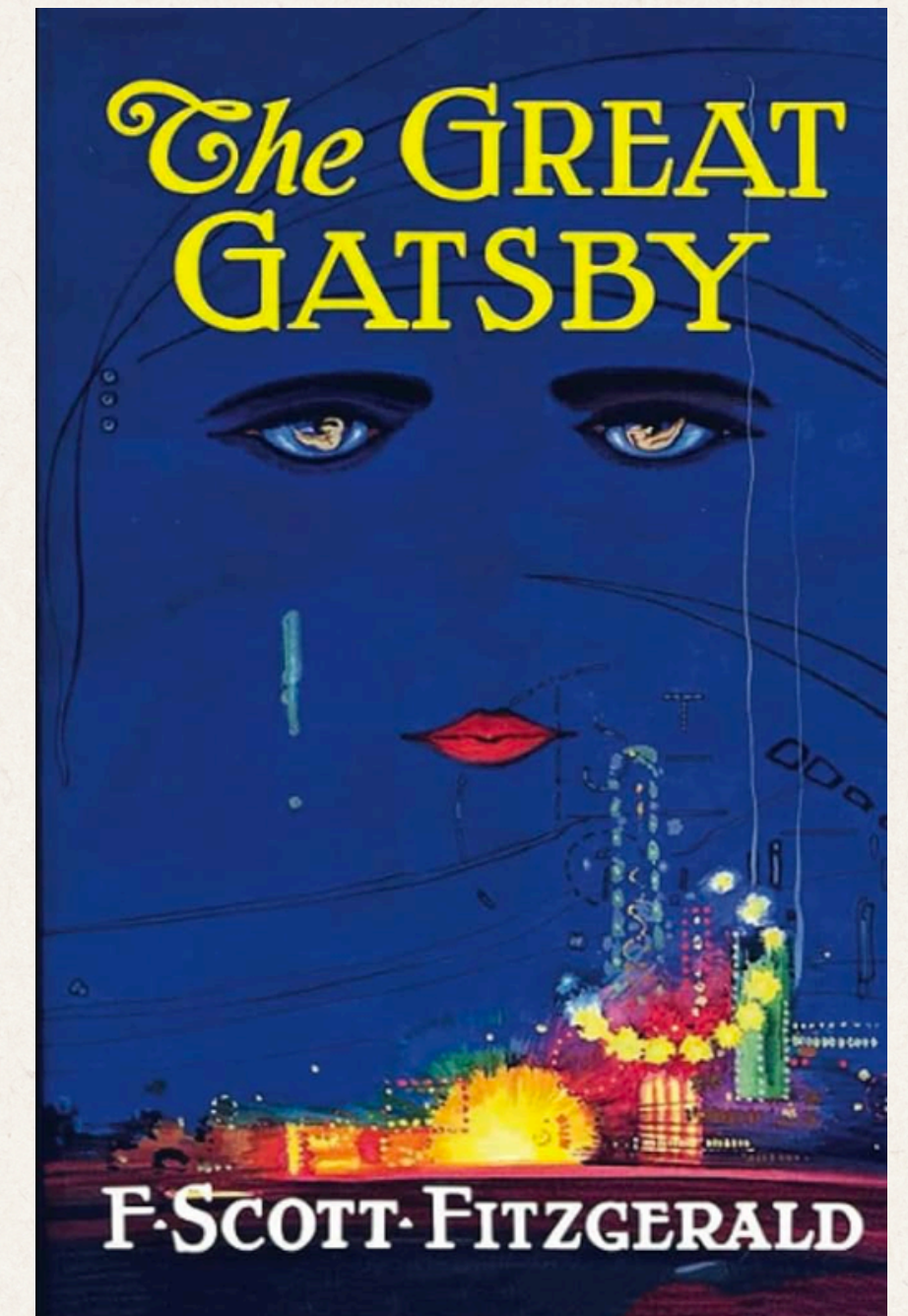


The Jazz Age was a period in the 1920s and 1930s in which jazz music and dance styles gained worldwide popularity.

Jazz is a music genre that originated in the Black communities of New Orleans, Louisiana, in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, and developed from roots in blues, ragtime, and Creole music.



What do you see in the trailer that is “typical” of the 1920s?



# Discussion Questions

- What do you think of 1920s culture?
- Would you like to have lived during this time?
- World War I ended in 1918. Do you think the attitudes and culture in the 1920s were a result of the war? In what ways?
- What role did women and feminism play in the 1920s?
- What do you think of prohibition? What are the pros and cons?



# Plan a 1920s-themed party!

- Where will you host the party?
- What decorations are you going to use?
- What food and drinks will you serve?
- What is the dress code?



**See you next week !**

