

Government Shutdown Poster

Since American became a country in 1776, there have been a total of 21 government shutdowns, which have lasted anywhere from one day to thirty-five days. During these periods, citizens are still required to spend money on taxes, while many others do not receive a paycheck.

Your job is to research one of the 21 shutdowns and describe the cause of the shutdown, how it directly impacted citizens and services, and why it ended. Make sure to think critically about the cause and effects.

After your research, create an informational poster on the shutdown you picked. Include your opinion on if you felt the shutdown was necessary and if it helped the taxpayers in any way.

