

Analyze a Photograph

Quickly scan the photo. What do you notice first?

Type of photo (check all that apply):

Portrait	Landscape	Aerial/Satellite	Action
Architectural	Event	Family	Panoramic
Posed	Candid	Documentary	Selfie
Other			

Is there a caption? List it here. If not, create one:

Observe its parts.

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List the people, objects and activities you see.

PEOPLE	OBJECTS	ACTIVITIES

Try to make sense of it.

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Answer as best you can. The caption, if available, may help.

Who took this photo?

Where is it from?

When is it from?

What was happening at the time in history this photo was taken?

Why was it taken? *List evidence from the photo or your knowledge about the photographer that led you to your conclusion.*

What specific problem is the photograph addressing in America at this time?

What basic reforms could fix the problem presented in the photograph?