

Google Kim Jong Un

Objectives

- Students will research Kim Jong Un and North Korea.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of satire by creating a Facebook page for Kim Jong Un.

Time

- 45 minutes

Level

- high school

Procedures

- Teacher should discuss topic of satire by allowing students to analyze political cartoons as a group or by playing the *Gangnam Style* satire of Kim Jong Un: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cG7ZVBXQII>
- Teacher should distribute the Facebook page for Kim Jong Un to students. Pick one item to do as a class and record suggestions for reference.
- Provide students with research opportunities in the form of internet access or a current biography of Kim Jong Un.
- After students complete their profiles, they should be displayed. Give each student a post-it note. Students must pick a favorite profile by voting with their post-it and providing a specific reason why their choice is worthy.
- Share the top choices with the class and discuss which answers best represent satire.
- Alternatively, students can view each other's work without voting, and the teacher can select a few samples to review with the class.


Differentiation

- The level of difficulty can be increased by requiring a certain number of answers based on satire or by requiring students to work alone.
- The level of difficulty can be decreased by completing some of the sections as a class or allowing students to work in pairs.

Sources and Resources

- Kim Jong Un BBC biography: <http://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-pacific-15258881>
- **North Korea: Beyond the Headlines - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g98pZSKQPtA>

KIM JONG UN_'S PROFILE

	NAME
	BIRTHDAY
	HOMETOWN
	RELATIONSHIP STATUS
	LOOKING FOR
	POLITICAL VIEWS
	RELIGIOUS VIEWS
	INFORMATION
	CONTACT INFO
RELATIVES	CELL
	EMAIL
	LANGUAGES
	ACTIVITIES
FRIENDS	INTERESTS
	EDUCATION
	ABOUT ME
GROUPS	

Timeline/Friend Wall Posts	
1945	
1950	
1953	
1994	
2011	
2015	