

**1950s vs. Today:**  
**A Visual Compare/Contrast**

“A picture is worth a thousand words” is a very famous saying. You will use that statement to demonstrate the similarities and differences between the 1950s and today.

**Steps to Success:**

1. Think about the similarities and differences between life in the 1950s and today. You might want to make a list/t-chart.
2. Determine how you would like to visually represent/demonstrate your thoughts; if possible, take a picture of your product and upload it into your Google Doc; otherwise, you will turn in your paper copy. Options (but you can do something else as well):
  - a. Collection of political cartoons
  - b. Comic strip
  - c. Collage
3. Answer the following questions in your Google Doc.
  - a. What is the most significant/important similarity? Explain your choice.
  - b. What is the most significant/important difference? Explain your choice.
  - c. What are the pros and cons of the 1950s? Why?
  - d. What are the pros and cons of today’s world? Why?

**How You Will Be Graded**

<b>Expectations</b>	<b>Score</b>
Visual → Depicts multiple similarities and differences between the time periods and the images are effective and logical	/10
Similarity between the time periods is logical and thoughtfully explained	/10
Difference between the time periods is logical and thoughtfully explained	/10
Pros and cons of the 1950s are logical and thoughtfully explained	/10
Pros and cons of today’s world are logical and thoughtfully explained	/10
Minus points for major GPS errors	
Comments:	
	/50

