Zlata’s Diary Webquest!

The purpose of this webquest is to explore and learn about the conflict in former Yugoslavia, the Bosnian War. For more, you can read Zlata’s Diary about a young girl in Sarajevo who writes about her frightful experiences with war..

Watch the [video trailer for the book Zlata’s Diary](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D_gqUGtEzWo). Answer the questions below.

1. Why do you think Zlata is called the Anne Frank of Bosnia?

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1. What do think you will learn from reading this book?

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Open the document “[What Happened to Yugoslavia](http://www.unc.edu/depts/europe/teachingresources/balkan-crisis.pdf)” in a separate window. Use a split screen, and answer the following questions.

1. How long did the Socialist Federalist Republic of Yugoslavia last? (pg 2)

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1. There was a long history of power struggle between cultural groups in this area. After World War One, what kingdoms declared their existence in this area? (pg 2)

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1. Look at the map titled “The Balkan States” , this map displays all of the divisions and territories that make up the country of Yugoslavia. On this map identify Sarajevo, what territory does it belong to? (pg 2)

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1. Click on “War in the Making” on the left hand side of the screen. Which republic was the first to push for independence from Yugoslavia? (pg 5)

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1. The republics voted for non-communist parties during their elections, casing a major political shift. What two republics re-elected their communist government? Why would this cause an issue between all republics? (pg 6)

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1. What happened on June 25th, 1991 when Slovenia and Croatia announced their independence? (pg6)

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*Bosnia - Herzegovina separated from Yugoslavia. This territory was made up of three cultural groups: Croats, Serbs, and Bosniaks, which caused internal political struggle on top of external political struggle.*

Open the “[Timeline of the Bosnian War](http://www.mtholyoke.edu/~bonne20s/majorbattlesmaps.html)” and answer the following questions:

1. What action marked the beginning of the war?

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1. What group is killing people in Sarajevo?

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Write down two bullet point of information for each year in your own words.

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1. 1994

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1. 1995

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