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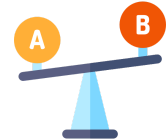
Keeper Conversations: A Gathering of Community Voices

Housing Then and Now, Grade 9

Housing in First Nations communities has changed over time. Policies, government programs, and outside decisions have shaped how homes were built and where they were placed. Let's examine these changes in more detail.

Part 1: Then vs. Now

Ask Elders and Knowledge Keepers or use community resources (like libraries and websites) to find information about homes in the past and present, and how they have changed.



	Homes in the Past	Homes in the Present
Building Materials		
Heating/Insulation		
Water Systems		
Living Arrangements (Communal, Individual, or Both)		



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	Homes in the Past	Homes in the Present
Location		
Who Built Them		
Size and Layout		
Connection to Culture and Land		
Other: _____		





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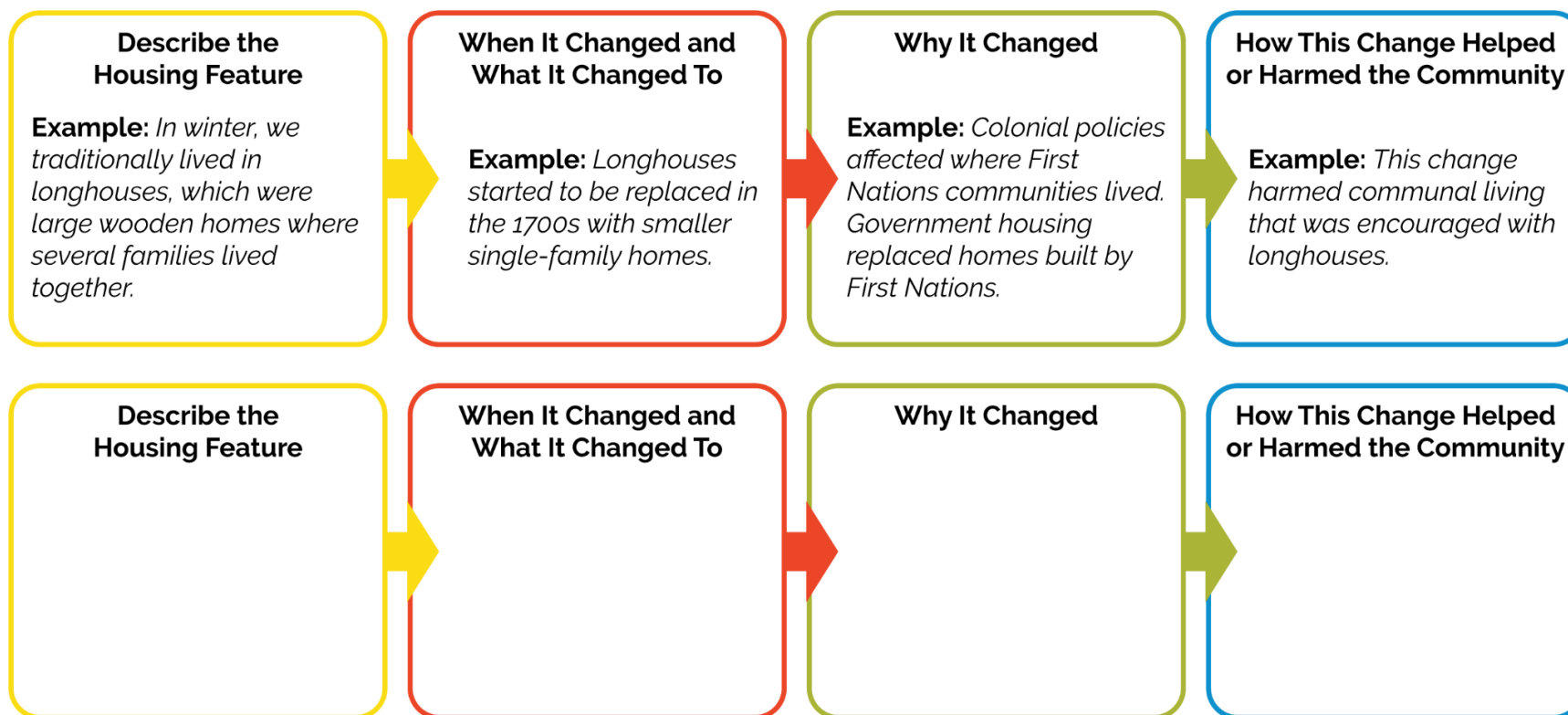
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Part 2: Housing Timeline

Work with a partner to determine when and why certain housing features have changed.

Housing Features Research

Choose 3 housing features from Part 1 that have changed, and answer the questions below to investigate why.





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Housing Features Timeline

Arrange your research chronologically by creating a timeline on a separate piece of paper or using a computer. Illustrate the housing features you selected and write about when they changed, why they changed, and how this change helped or harmed the community.

When your timeline is complete, share it with others.