DBQ: Was the United States Justified in Going to War with Mexico?

Seminar Reflection

Looking at the Seminar Preparation sheet you did at the start of class, do you feel like you met your two goals? If so, give some examples of how you did this. If not, what barriers do you need to overcome in order to be more successful next time?

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For homework, on a sheet of lined paper stapled to this paper, answer each of the following questions in a short paragraph. Be as specific as possible and use what happened in the Seminar to illustrate your points.

1. Write a summary of the discussion. What topic did your section focus on? What issues got hashed out? How did your opinion fit into what was going on?

2. Throughout the DBQ process, how did your views change? This could have been during the seminar or as you analyzed a particular document. You need to be specific.

3. What was one thing that was said in the Socratic Seminar that really got you thinking, (maybe it frustrated you, challenged you, supported your view, or confused you)? How did this comment change your view or why didn't it change your view?