Week 1:

What activity/work this week helped you to understand nationalism?

A thing that helped me understand nationalism this week was the nationalism jigsaw, where we went around to the different pages and read the different case studies about nationalism in different countries. Reading all the examples helped me a lot and after that I had a pretty clear understanding of nationalism.

What did you learn about the process of creating an animatic ?

I learnt that it's a bit easier than I thought. I've seen animatics before on YouTube, in a very different style, and that's what I thought these animatics were going to be like. Those animatics take detailed drawings frame by frame until they make a moving image, where as these were just animating stories. I think I learned that there is more than one kind of animatic.

What did you find challenging this week?

I found the story time thing very challenging, just because we didn't finish the keynote properly and we didn't have any storyline planned out. We had the story mountain, which was a bit confusing and was definitely a lot of ideas being rushed together. So when we went to present things got a bit messed up and I found that challenging because we had to improvise. But I actually think that we did alright on that in spite of the chaotic planning.

What are you proud of this week?

This week I am proud of all of the new words that I learnt. I learnt a bunch of meanings of a variety of words like nationalism, capitalism, and I started understanding a bit about colonialism as well.

What do you want to improve for next week?

Next week I want to improve my note taking skills, I want to try and type them out faster, especially when they're from videos.

Week 2:

What did you want to improve on from Week 1. Rate yourself on a scale of 1-10. Explain.
1 = completely forgot **5** = work in progress **10** = I've completely accomplished this goal

7. I did accomplish my goal, but not all the way as I didn't have much time to do so.

What examples of nationalism, are helping you to understand today? (culture, politics, social, economic, etc).

Some good examples today are things like the article we read on Donald Trump declaring himself a nationalist. A lot of examples of nationalism today revolve around him.

Describe how you used *technology* this week to construct knowledge?

This week I used a lot of different kinds of technology, but the one that helped me the most was the film planner. It was really annoying to use and it kept crashing, but in the end it helped organize my knowledge so that I could better use it.

What did you find *challenging* this week?

This week I found creating metaphors for my video quite challenging. It was harder than I thought it would be to use all of those ingredients as the ingredients for an event in history.

What are you *proud* of this week? Why?

This week I'm proud of my use of the film planner. Again it had some technological problems but in the end I completed the tabs and it was pretty useful and complete.

What do you want to *improve* for next week? How are you going to do it?

Next week I want to improve my organization skills. I want to start using Things more than i do, and just organize all of my tasks.

Week 3:

What did you want to improve on from Week 2. Rate yourself on a scale of 1-10. Explain.

I wanted to improve on my use of things. I think on a scale of one to ten I accomplished that at about a 9, because I've started using it a lot more in this past week, and it's really helped with organization.

Describe how you used *technology* this week to construct knowledge?

This week the film planner has really been nice to use and has been a good spot to put my learning in. Last week there were difficulties with it and it kept crashing which was really bad because there were things missing and stuff and it was bad, but this week the iCloud gods have been nice and it's been working so it's been a really good place to put the things I've been learning.

What did you find *challenging* this week?

This week I found the video challenging. I don't know why, but I thinks it's probably because the vision I had for it was really bad and low quality, I couldn't get the picture of what it was going o look like, so it was pretty hard to work around that. But lucky for me I guess we're not doing it anymore.

What are you *proud* of this week? Why?

This week I'm proud of debate. There was a bit of a surprise to me, because someone passed an iPad to me and told me to read a bit of the closing statement (which I didn't want or know I had to do) and I did which was very strange. I was very proud that my team's argument won and that I helped with it.

What do you want to *improve* for next week? How are you going to do it?

Next week I want to improve on my use of teamwork if we have any. There hasn't been many group things and I think it would be fun to see how it works with everyone.