

Marxism Activity

Complete the following activity to generate your notes regarding Marxism and Communism.

- A) Who is Karl Marx? Provide a brief bio explaining where he was from, his family back ground, and the writings regarding communism he is responsible for.
- B) Do the same for Friedrich Engels
- C) List 4 or 5 key ideas of the, *Communist Manifesto*, and briefly explain what each one states.
- D) Do the same for Das Kapital
- E) With the information you have just learned from C and D, construct a T chart to contrast Marxism/Communism and Socialism. High light the important differences and similarities.
- F) Find the media file I showed at the start of class....is it possible to connect this to what you learned about Marx? Explain how. If not, then why do some people tend to want to connect this video to Marx?