Monday January 10, 2011 Ancient History: The Dark Ages

**Minds on:**

When we hear the phrase “The Dark Ages” what comes to mind?

Create a mind map.

**Action:**

Watch the History Channel documentary *The Dark Ages* <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpHMPzk6uI4&feature=&p=B0EDA10B609457B1&index=0&playnext=1> (~90 minutes )

Respond to questions.

**Consolidation:**

Review the questions to make sure everyone has responses.

Revisit our mind map and make corrections and additions.

How is it that the Roman Empire and civilization fell so low?

Is The Dark Ages a fair way to describe this time?