Canadian Identity

8.1 research how artistic and literary expression reflects the following aspects of Canadian identity: landscape, climate, people/citizenship, history, challenges, and opportunities.

Brainstorm list of features the things that best identify this province (eg. Fish or fishing, forests, a winter sport, a particular song), things you associate with Nova Scotia. You may also do this same assignment for Canada – when you think of Canada, what do you think of?

See below for a list of categories that will help direct your thinking:

Landscape

Flora (Plants)

Poem/Song/Prose

People-Citizen

Challenges

Climate

Fauna (Animals)

Art/Drama/Dance

History

Opportunities

Ask: How do these relate to you and your identity (how you see yourself)?

You may complete this assignment by using PicCollage and emailing the .pdf version to Ms. Gates at [sgates766@gnspes.ca](mailto:sgates766@gnspes.ca). You may also write ideas down on loose leaf, or sketch put your ideas on plain paper. Your ideas WILL BE SHARED with the class.