

Social Studies, Grade 3

Unit V: Lesson B4

Charts: **City Growth – Problems and Solutions**



Choose a city such as Boston, Charlotte, or Chicago. Research and chart on a time line the growth of this city. Research and chart the growth of your own city.

Compare the two charts and analyze how the growth in each city has contributed to current problems. Make a list of these problems. Brainstorm ideas that might solve these problems.

Share your charts with the class. Explain what you have determined are current problems in the cities and explain any solutions you have considered. Encourage classmates to participate in the discussion.