## Intriguing Preview Activity

Directions: Follow the Smartboard Activity (attached)

## Essential Question Alignment: Chapter 7:

• How much power should people have, and how can they use it justly? This essential question connects to this intriguing preview activity, because students will get a preview on Pilgrims and the first Native Americans that lived in America before the Pilgrims came over. They will learn that the Pilgrims didn't have much power or event the right to worship where they used to live, that is why they came to America where they can worship without getting into trouble. The power of both groups are used very justly. The Pilgrims want the power to be able to worship without getting in trouble and they have the right to do so justly. On the other hand, the Native Americans had lived in American before the Pilgrims came over so they have the power as being leaders and having the Pilgrims adjust to the new land.

## **Common Core Alignment:**

- Speaking and Listening Standards: Ask and answer questions about key details in a text read aloud or information presented orally or through other media for Grade 1. This common core aspect connects to this intriguing preview activity, because when the students click on the Pilgrim ship on the Smartboard activity, it takes them to a website, <a href="http://www.scholastic.com/scholastic\_thanksgiving/voyage/">http://www.scholastic.com/scholastic\_thanksgiving/voyage/</a> and the teacher can click on the tab labeled "The Thanksgiving Feast," and the teacher can click on the sound button to have the students listen to the information presented and then view the slideshow and listen to each slide and learn what went into the first Thanksgiving Feast between the Pilgrims and Indians. The listening aspect on each slideshow is great for grade 1 students, because not all students know how to read, even if some do know how to there are higher leveled vocabulary words that they might not be able to read, but the teacher can explain the meaning if need to.
- Reading Standards: Foundational Skills for Grade 1: Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension

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