**Metaphor II**

I really do not think I would change my Metaphor from the being of the Fall semester at this point. I may have to make changes once I student teach full-time in the spring. I think my experiences this semester in the classroom and with the prior knowledge interview have supported my metaphor about being an explorer. I have had to explore student’s minds this semester to see what they know, as well as explore history in the classroom. I have also had to explore outside of class for resources for lesson plans. After the prior knowledge interview, I also think exploring government is more important than ever because I learned from the interview that government needs to be emphasized more in Social Studies classroom in order for students to become better citizens in the future.