

Pol Pot movie reflection

Words to know:

Places: Cambodia (renamed “Democratic Kampuchea” under Pol Pot) ***See map to locate
Thailand Laos Viet Nam *Phnom Penh Angkor Wat

Tuol Sleng Prison

People: Khmer Rouge
guerrilla or revolutionary
Pol Pot (real name is Saloth Sar)
Lon Nol
Norodom Sihanouk

Big Ideas: nationalism
Buddhism
colonialism
communism
totalitarianism
genocide
Geneva agreement
“puppet regime”

1. After viewing the Pol Pot movie, why do you think Pol Pot wanted Cambodia to become communist?
2. What are some of the beliefs of communism?
3. Five things I learned from this movie are:
4. One thing I am confused about or would like to learn more about is: