Dance Dig!

Instructions: Think like an Archeologist!! Using YouTube, Google Images and Google, research the different functions of dance in various communities. You will be assigned a function of dance, and you and your partner will start your research!

Here are some guiding questions for your search:

- What does dance look like in various communities?
- What does community look like in dance?
- How are communities brought together through dance?
- How do various communities use dance?
- What are different functions of dance around the world?

Function of Dance: ______________

Type of Dance: ______________

What are your observations about this dance and the role it plays in the community?

It's different stages a person can go through like old, poor, young, etc. (use props)

What are the key characteristics of this dance?

There are different stages (costumes for each stage)

What do you notice about the use of space?

They use the whole stage with big movements. (use props)

What do you notice about the relationships between dancers, dancers and musicians, props, costumes, etc.?

Partnering, each character costume goes with the next stage.

What function does this dance appear to play in the community?