

Quick Communication: Postcard vs. Email

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Yesterday, you examined the writing on archived postcards from the early 1900's. This was considered a "quick" form of communication for people at the time, and was also a form of entertainment. Today, emails serve a similar function. Look at the postcards you evaluated yesterday, and compare them to the printed emails you have brought in. In the boxes, compare postcards to emails. These comparisons can either be similarities or differences. Put the subject above the arrow and color the arrow "red" for a similarity, "blue" for a difference. In each box, explain how each material uses that category.

For example, both used abbreviations. I would put "abbreviations" above the arrow, color the arrow red, and perhaps but "bro." (for brother) under postcards and LOL (laugh out loud) for email.

Postcard Use, Early 1900's	Email use, Early 2000's
	
	
	
	

