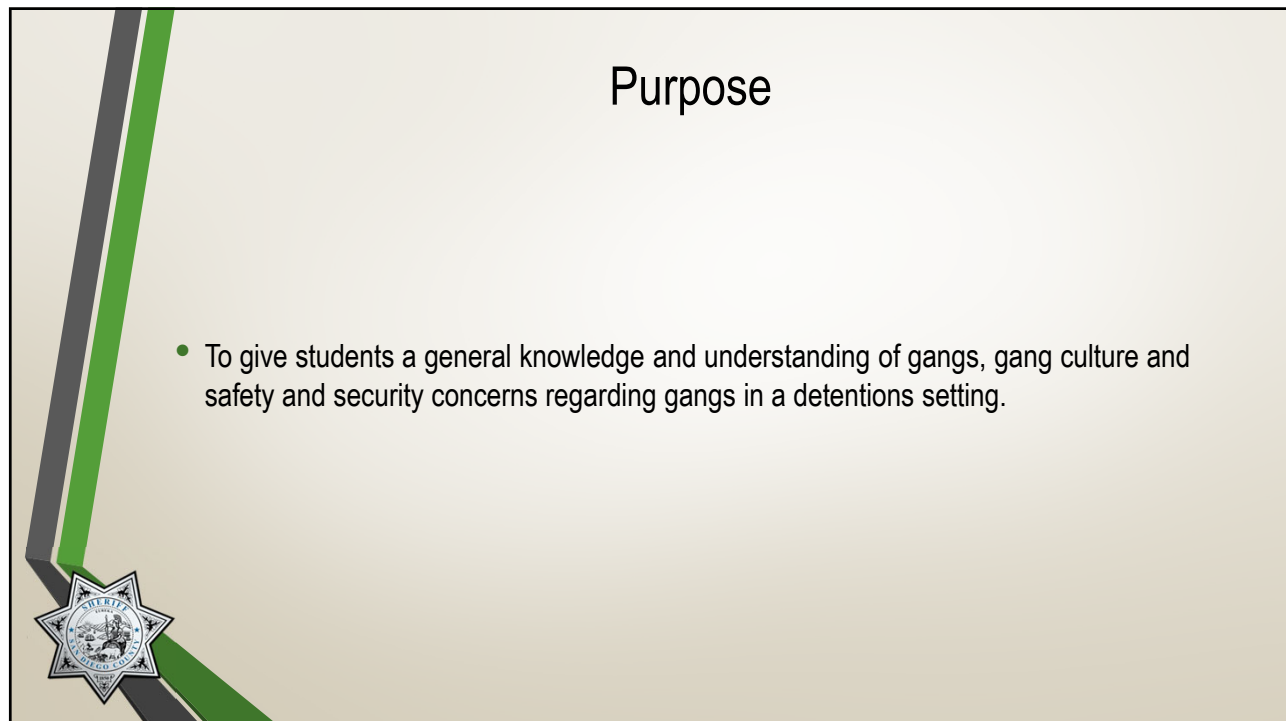


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Structure of Gang Culture

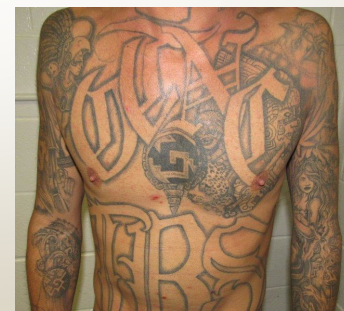
- Based on a similar background, motivation, friendship/territory.
- Primarily dependent on membership numbers. Most gangs operate informally with leadership falling to whoever takes control; others have distinct leadership and are highly structured, which resembles a business or corporation.



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Hispanic Gangs

- Southsiders and Sureños
- Mexican Mafia (La EME)



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Symbols / Tattoos

SOUTHSIDER



SUREÑOS

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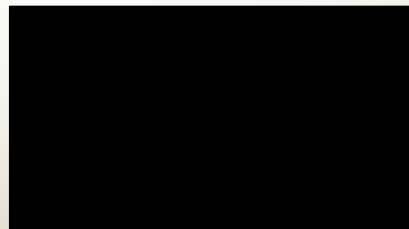
MEXICAN MAFIA (LA EME)



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Classification of Hispanic Gang Members

- Administrative Segregation versus general population.
- Utilize mail, phone calls, visits, and any other contact to conduct gang business.



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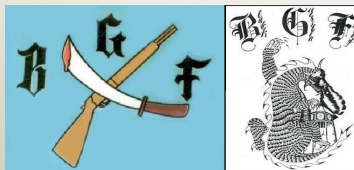
Hispanic Gangs in SD

- San Ysidro
- Del Sol
- Otay
- Imperial Beach
- Varrio Chula Vista
- Nestor
- Iris Ave
- Palm City
- National City
- Logan Heights
- Shelltown
- Sherman
- Lomita
- Market St
- Southeast San Diego
- Lomas
- Paradise Hills
- Encanto
- Mission Bay Locos
- Wop Town
- Linda Vista
- Clairemont Mesa
- Eastside
- El Cajon Hoodlums
- City Heights
- Lemon Grove
- Spring Valley Locos
- San Marcos Wolfpack
- Escondido Diablos
- Westside Gang
- Varrio Fallbrook
- Vista Homeboys
- Posole



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African American Gangs



- 1960's - Black Panther Party
 - Created for self defense
 - Ten Point Program
- 1966 - Black Guerilla Family
 - Founded at San Quentin by former Black Panther
 - Marxist Revolutionary Organization composed of prisoners
 - Goals
 - Eradicating Racism
 - Maintaining dignity in prison
 - Overthrowing the government
 - BFG = 276
 - B=2; F=7; G=6



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Crips and Bloods

- In 1969, Raymond Lee Washington, a 16 year-old student at Fremont High School, admired the Black Panthers and an older gang called the Avenues. He decided to name his new organization the Baby Avenues (aka Baby Crips).
- By 1972, the **Pirus, Brims, Black P Stone** and several other neighborhoods began to fight with the Crips and the rivalry was born. It would be several more years before the Blood alliance was forged but by 1976 or 1977, all these neighborhoods were known as the Bloods.



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Symbols of Importance

➤ Crips

- Major Color: Blue
- Avoid use of the letter "B"
- B is otherwise paired with a K
 - Kick back written as "kicc bkacc"
 - BK = Blood Killer
- "Cuzz" and "Loc" term of endearment or identification among Crips

Bloods

- Major Color: Red
- Piru or Brim – Original Neighborhoods that stood up against the Crips
- "Damu" Swahili for Blood, Brother or Relative
- CK = Crip Killer

Black Guerilla Family

- BGF
- 276
- Dragon wrapped around a prison tower
- Crossed machete and rifle
- Gorilla



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SD African American Gangs

BLOODS

- Lincoln Park Bloods
- Skyline Piru
- Emerald Hills Blood (EHB)
- 59 Brims
- Deep Valley
- O'Farell Park Lil Africa Pirus
- Parkside Piru

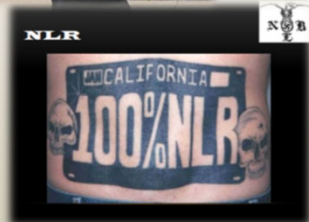
CRIPS

- Neighborhood Crips: (41, 45, 47) Rollin 40s
- West Coast Crips: (20's, 30's)
- East Daygo/Diego Mob: (44, 46)
- Rollin 60's Linda Vista Crips



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White Gangs




- Prison Gangs
 - Aryan Brotherhood
 - Nazi Low Riders
- Jail Gangs
 - Woodpile
 - Skinheads




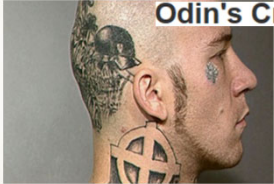
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Symbols of Importance


- **14 words**
- "We must secure the existence of our race and a future for white children"
- - David Lane
- **88** – Heil Hitler
- Runes Alphabet








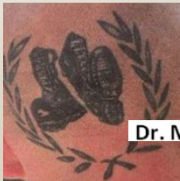
Odin's Cross:



SS Bolts



Iron Cross




Dr. Marten Boots

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SD White Gangs

- Lakeside Gangsters
- Established in 1998 by Dave Ross
- Ages 18-50 with current numbers at 250 or more
- San Diego Skinheads
- Formed approximately 25 years ago in Ocean Beach
- Originally formed to distribute meth on the streets for the Hells Angels
- Similar structure to the Mexican Mafia. SDSH members follow the Woodpile policy.



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Outlaw Motorcycle Gangs



- Peckerwood MC
- Hells Angels
- Mongols

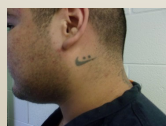
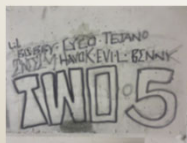


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Protective Custody Gangs

Deuce Five - 25

- Cinqueros
- The Numbers
- Primarily comprised of EME and Sureno Drop outs
- Recruit in PC Housing (No Sexual related Crimes)
- Extortion, assaults, gambling, drug smuggling, and out of custody robbery



DeadSkins

- 2011- Bylaws discovered in Tehachapi State Prison
- Bylaws establish Rick "Sickness" Lyman is founding father of Drop Out Skins (DOS)
- Numbering system



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Other PC Gangs

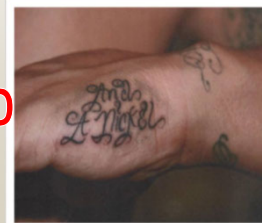
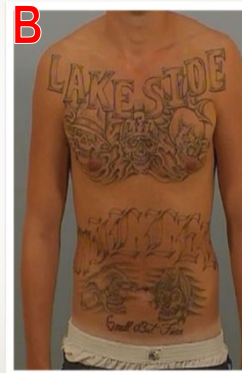
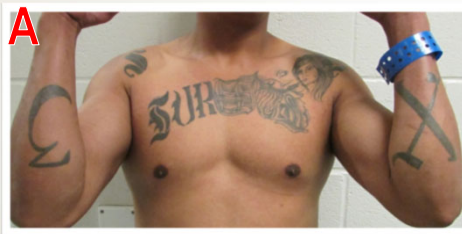
- Green Lighters: GL, LV (Luz Verde), Lucero, 76
- Gay Boy Gangsters: GBG
- Northern Riders
- Independent Riders



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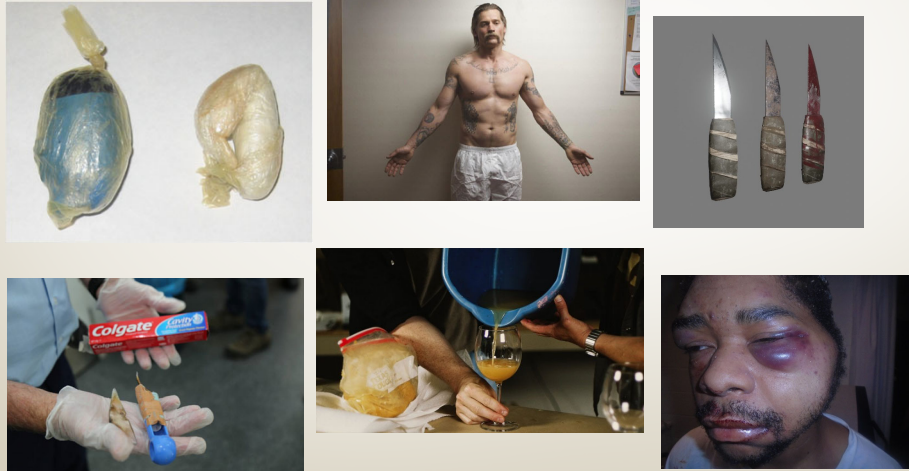
Activity

Identify the following tattoo's and their possible prison gang affiliation. Give a brief explanation of why they are affiliated:



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In-Custody Behavior and Criminal Activity



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In-Custody Behavior and Criminal Activity



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Group Dynamics

- Mandatory work outs in order to be ready at any moment.
- Eat together (power in numbers)
- Racially divided showers, phones, tables, cells
- Discipline (13 seconds, 14 seconds, 16 seconds, etc.)



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Street Gangs vs. In-Custody Gangs

The crew



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Classification

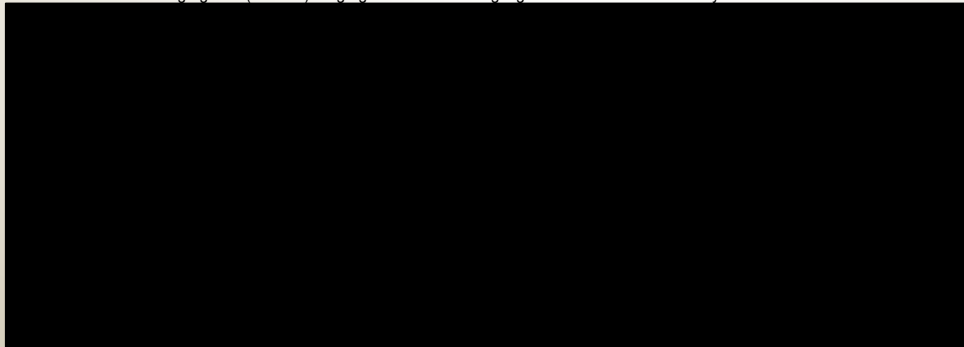
- Gang Separation
 - Hells Angels vs. Mongols
 - Bloods vs. Crips – Tier Separation/Two Shot Callers
 - **Hispanics:** No Set Tripping (No Norteños)
 - **Whites:** No Set Tripping
- Prison Gangs - Administrative Segregation
- Self Segregation
 - Bathrooms
 - Cells
 - Showers
 - Dining Areas
 - Common areas within the module
 - Yard
 - Selling of commissary and other goods (i.e. drugs)



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Monitoring Gang Activity in a Custody Setting

- Classification Interview
 - Establishes gang membership or affiliation and designates appropriate housing.
 - Maintain racial balance of the inmate population in each housing unit
 - Administrative Segregation (ADSEG): Segregation of influential gang members to limit their ability to influence other inmates.
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