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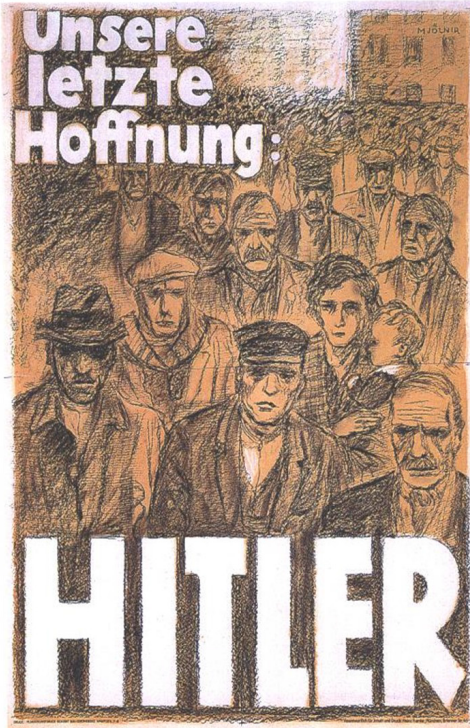
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I. MESSAGE

Draw arrows to the visual elements that communicate the message. Think about how line, color, graphics, depictions of people, words, and symbols are used.

Visual cues:

What is the message?



“Our Last Hope: Hitler.” Artist: Hans Schweitzer, 1932. USHMM Collection

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“Vote Slate 10. This Blow Must Hit Home!”
National Socialist German Workers’ Party (Hitler Movement) Fips (Philipp Rupprecht), artist; 1928. *Hessisches Landesmuseum Darmstadt*

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“Victory over Versailles.” 1939. *Wolfsonian*

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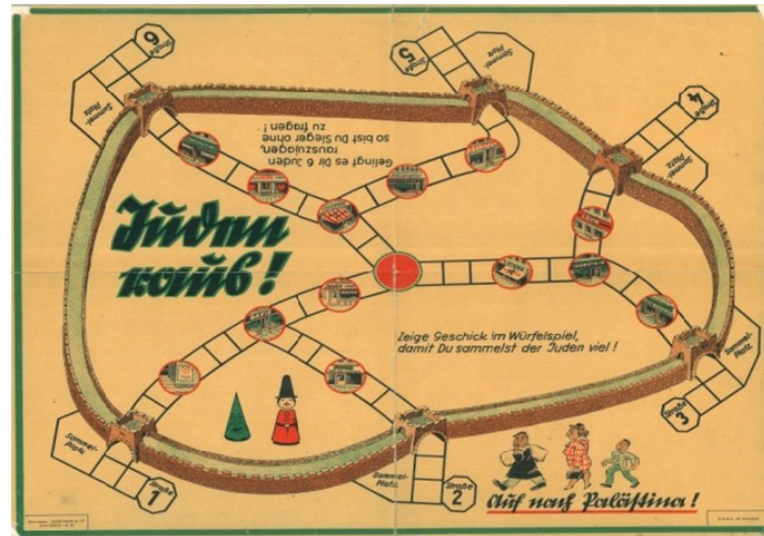
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“Jews Out! Show skill in the dice game, so that you collect many Jews! If you succeed in chasing out six Jews, you will be the victor without question! Off to Palestine!” 1938. *Leo Baeck Institute*

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“Why We Fight—for Our Children’s Bread! March 11, 1940. USHMM Collection

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“Behind the Enemy Powers: The Jew.” 1942.
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