

Year 5 History: Understanding Civil Rights

Learning objective: To define key vocabulary related to the Civil Rights Movement and understand the concepts of equality, justice, and systemic change.

Key Vocabulary

Use this vocabulary that to support your historical enquiry. The terms are grouped into 'Key Concepts', 'People and Actions', and 'Social Structures'.

Civil Rights The legal and social guarantees...	Equality The state of being equal, especially ...	Discrimination Treating a person or group ...
Segregation The enforced separation of diff...	Protest A public expression of objection, dis...	Boycott To refuse to buy something or take ...
Activist A person who campaigns to bring a...	Justice The quality of being fair and reason...	Integration The act of bringing together peop...
Legislation The process of making or enacti...	Prejudice An unfair opinion or feeling formed...	Human Rights The basic rights and freedo...
Dignity The state of being worthy of honour, ...	Suffrage The right to vote in political electio...	Unity The state of being joined together as a...
Explain why 'seg...	Compare and con...	Justify your ans... Why is 'legislation' an es...
What might happ...	Can you think of ...	If you were desig...