

15 Multiple choice questions

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What happened to Malcolm X on February 21, 1965?

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- He became the prime minister.
- He surrendered to the americans.
- He retired from the military.
- He was assassinated.

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What protest occurred on February 1, 1960, involving the Greensboro Four?

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- They disrupted a city council meeting.
- They boycotted a local grocery store.
- They blocked access to a public library.
- They refused to leave a Woolworth's lunch counter in a sit-in demonstration.

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What event occurred on April 4, 1968, that shocked the nation?

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- The assassination of Malcolm X.
- The resignation of Martin Luther King, Jr.
- The death of Rosa Parks.
- The assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr.

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What tragic event occurred on September 15, 1963, in Birmingham?

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- The protest at the Birmingham courthouse.
- The riot at the Birmingham city hall.
- The march on the Birmingham jail.
- The bombing at the 16th Street Baptist Church.

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What significant legislation did President Lyndon B. Johnson sign on July 2, 1964?

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- The Education Reform Act of 1964.
- The Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- The Economic Opportunity Act of 1964.
- The Voting Rights Act of 1964.

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What landmark case ended racial segregation in public schools?

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- Brown v. Board of Education on May 17, 1954.
- The bombing at the 16th Street Baptist Church.
- The March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom.
- The assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr.

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What were the Freedom Rides in 1961?

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- Interstate bus trips taken by civil rights activists to challenge segregation in the South.
- A march from Selma to Montgomery that ended violently when marchers were confronted by law enforcement.
- They refused to leave a Woolworth's lunch counter in a sit-in demonstration.
- A group of nine African American students who integrated Central High School in Little Rock, Arkansas.

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What law did President Johnson sign on August 6, 1965?

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- The Economic Opportunity Act of 1965.
- The Voting Rights Act of 1965.
- The Fair Housing Act of 1965.
- The Civil Rights Act of 1965.

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What major event took place on August 28, 1963, involving approximately 250,000 people?

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- The Rally in Birmingham for Voting Rights.
- The Demonstration in Montgomery for Job Opportunities.
- The March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom.
- The Protest in Selma for Equal Housing.

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What legislation did President Johnson sign on April 11, 1968?

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- The Voting Rights Act of 1968.
- The Economic Opportunity Act of 1968.
- The Fair Housing Act of 1968.
- The Civil Rights Act of 1968.

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What was the significance of the 'Little Rock Nine' on September 4, 1957?

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- A group of educators who opposed integration in Little Rock.
- Brown v. Board of Education on May 17, 1954.
- A group of students who boycotted Central High School in Little Rock.
- A group of nine African American students who integrated Central High School in Little Rock, Arkansas.

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What legislation did President Eisenhower sign into law on September 9, 1957?

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- The Civil Rights Act of 1957.
- The Education Reform Act of 1957.
- The Economic Development Act of 1957.
- The Voting Rights Act of 1957.

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What tragic event occurred on August 28, 1955, in Mississippi?

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- The integration of Little Rock Schools.
- The signing of the Civil Rights Act of 1955.
- The brutal murder of Emmett Till.
- The peaceful protest led by Rosa Parks.

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What event is referred to as Bloody Sunday on March 7, 1965?

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- A rally in Montgomery supporting civil rights.
- A peaceful march from Birmingham to Montgomery.
- A march from Selma to Montgomery that ended violently when marchers were confronted by law enforcement.
- A protest in Selma against unfair housing practices.

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What significant act of defiance did Rosa Parks perform on December 1, 1955?

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- She refused to give up her seat on a Montgomery, Alabama bus.
- She led a march on the Alabama state capitol.
- She organized a boycott of Montgomery buses.
- She filed a lawsuit against the Montgomery bus system.