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The Tuskegee Airmen - Vocab Cards

civil rights]>

the rights that every citizen of a country or society has or should have.

There are many people who fought throughout history to protect our _civil rights_, including Martin Luther King Jr. and John Lewis.



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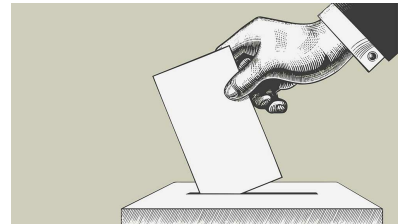
Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

democracy]>

a form of government in which power is held by the people, who vote to elect their representatives.

Elections where people choose who will represent them in government is a key characteristic of many _democracies_.

Synonyms: representative government



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discrimination]>

unfair or prejudiced treatment of a person or group.

The employees had a protest; they felt that the company was practicing _discrimination_—treating people unfairly based on their race and religion.

Synonyms: prejudice, inequality

Antonyms: fairness, equality, impartiality



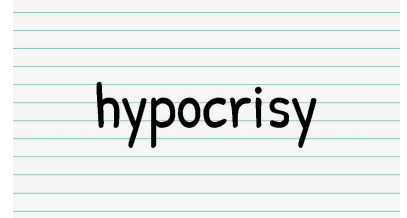
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hypocrisy]>

behavior that does not match the virtues, beliefs, or moral standards one claims to have.

It is a _hypocrisy_ to judge others for being late when you yourself are rarely on time.



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institutional]>

established, practiced, and/or accepted as a normal part of a culture or organization.

Institutional discrimination goes farther than the interactions between two people; it is built into the fabric of our society.

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integration]>

the act, process, or policy of combining groups of people who had previously been separated due to race, religion, etc.

The Supreme Court's landmark decision in Brown v. Board of Education in 1954 called for the _integration_ of public schools, which had been segregated by race for many years.

Synonyms: desegregation

integration

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Jim Crow]>

a law or practice of discriminating against Black people through segregation.

Under _Jim Crow_, there were separate public facilities for Black and white people.



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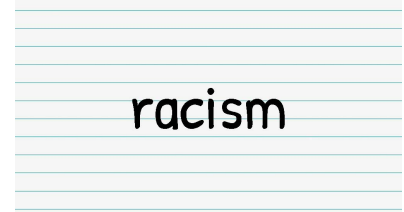
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racism]>

the belief that one race of people is superior to others, and/or the actions or policies resulting from that belief.

Segregation and policies that sought to disenfranchise Black voters were motivated by _racism_.

Synonyms: discrimination, prejudice



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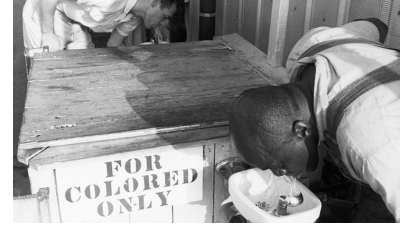
segregation]>

the act, process, or policy of separating people of different races, sexes, religions, etc.

For many years, laws in the United States allowed _segregation_. There were separate schools and even water fountains for White people and Black people.

Synonyms: separation, discrimination

Antonyms: integration



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