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W.E.B. Du Bois - Vocab Cards

diaspora]>

people who have moved far from their ancestral homeland.

The Irish _diaspora_ spread to the United Kingdom and across the United States in the years after the Great Famine.

Synonyms: emigration



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

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



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea:

double consciousness]>

a concept, coined by W.E.B. Du Bois in 1903, that describes a minority individual feeling as though their identity is divided into several parts, making it difficult or impossible to have one unified identity, because of a prejudiced society. In relation to race in the US, Du Bois said that Black Americans are forced to view themselves through the eyes of a racist society.

W.E.B. Du Bois' theory of _double consciousness_ noted the identity struggles of many African Americans.

double consciousness

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

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

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

sociology]>

the study of society, including social structure, institutions, and behavior.

Tiana was fascinated by human relationships and behavior, so she decided to study _sociology_ in college.



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Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

Talented Tenth]>

a highly educated group of African Americans who W.E.B. Du Bois believed would lead African Americans in the fight for civil rights.

According to W.E.B. Du Bois, the _Talented Tenth_, an elite group of highly educated African Americans, would take the lead in the fight for civil rights.



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

union]>

an organized group of workers, usually formed to protect their communal rights.

The workers are part of a _union_ that negotiates for fair contracts.



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