

- ▶ What was the court case that inspired the *Brown v. Board of Education* case? What law was used to argue against segregation in both cases? \_\_\_\_\_

Young People Take On Jim Crow - \_\_\_\_\_

### The Little Rock Nine

- ▶ The Little Rock Nine was a group of African-American students enrolled at \_\_\_\_\_
  - ▶ Registered by \_\_\_\_\_ Brown v. Board decision
  - ▶ Selected specifically because they were \_\_\_\_\_ students
- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ had troops from the \_\_\_\_\_ block the entrance to the school
  - ▶ Mobs gathered, threatening to lynch
- ▶ President \_\_\_\_\_ to Little Rock, ordering them to \_\_\_\_\_ the students to school

### The Woolworth Sit-in (1960)

- ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ sat down at the segregated lunch counter inside the Woolworth's store in Greensboro, NC
  - ▶ Students not \_\_\_\_\_; refused to \_\_\_\_\_
  - ▶ The group returned the following day, and it grew and grew over the following months
  - ▶ July 26, 1960, the entire Woolworth's chain was desegregated, serving blacks and whites alike.

### Sit-in Tactics

- ▶ Dress in your \_\_\_\_\_.
- ▶ Be \_\_\_\_\_ to employees and police.
- ▶ Do not \_\_\_\_\_!
- ▶ Do not \_\_\_\_\_ back!
- ▶ Remember, \_\_\_\_\_ are everywhere!

### Freedom Rides (1961)

- ▶ Freedom Rides: CORE volunteers, white and black, aimed \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ from Washington D.C. to Birmingham
  - ▶ Arrested by police for breaking \_\_\_\_\_ and other minor offenses
  - ▶ Provoked \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the South, often \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ▶ Caught national attention to the disregard of federal law and violence towards blacks in the South

### Bobby Kennedy and Civil Rights

- ▶ Robert F. \_\_\_\_\_, Attorney General
- ▶ Sent one of his \_\_\_\_\_ to join the Freedom Riders after the initial attacks to show the White House's \_\_\_\_\_; were attacked when they arrived in Birmingham
- ▶ White mobs attacked the First Baptist Church in Montgomery while they held a service for those attacked in Anniston and Birmingham
  - ▶ Mob aimed to kill \_\_\_\_\_
  - ▶ Put down by federal marshals sent by RFK
- ▶ RFK ensures safe passage for the remainder of the ride
  - ▶ Freedom Riders arrested when they arrived in Jackson
  - ▶ RFK offers to post bail, but they refused

### James Meredith and Ole Miss (1961)

- ▶ James Meredith was the \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the University of Mississippi ("Ole Miss")
- ▶ NAACP filed a suit; SCOTUS determined that he had the right to \_\_\_\_\_
  - ▶ Riots ensued; hundreds injured
  - ▶ Riot ended by U.S. Marshals called in by RFK

### The Birmingham Campaign (1963)

- ▶ Organized by MLK and the SCLC- \_\_\_\_\_
- ▶ Created to \_\_\_\_\_ (segregation, job discrimination, violence) that black Americans endured in Birmingham, Alabama
  - ▶ Used \_\_\_\_\_ t demonstrations: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, etc.
  - ▶ Intended to provoke mass arrests

### A \_\_\_\_\_ Jail, 1963

- ▶ Written by MLK \_\_\_\_\_ during the Birmingham Campaign
- ▶ Response to an open letter by eight white clergymen ("A Call for Unity")
  - ▶ Solve it in the courts, not the streets
  - ▶ Called MLK a rabble-rouser who caused the trouble in Birmingham
- ▶ *A Letter from Birmingham Jail*
  - ▶ The conflict existed before he arrived
  - ▶ Nonviolent \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 "one has a moral responsibility to disobey unjust laws."  
 "Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere."

### 16<sup>th</sup> Street Baptist Church \_\_\_\_\_

- ▶ The 16th Street Baptist Church had been a \_\_\_\_\_ during the Birmingham Campaign
- ▶ A box of dynamite exploded as children walked into the basement for their Sunday School class
  - ▶ Destroyed an entire wall of the church
  - ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ (ages 10-14)
- ▶ A local Klansman was arrested for the crime
  - ▶ Acquitted of murder, but convicted of possessing dynamite
  - ▶ Tried and convicted by the FBI in 1977
  - ▶ Three others were tried and convicted in 2000