

Ethnic Minorities and Race: Current Day Controversies

HSB 4UI

Learning Goals:

- I can research and explain my understanding of a modern day racial issue
- I can analyze the role race plays in both how people are treated and perceived
- I can effectively apply a race related theory to an issue
- I can identify and assess the effectiveness of current day efforts to confront and mitigate the negative effects of racism

Task:

In a group of four you will be required to research one of the topics below. Your group will be responsible for answering questions and recording your answers on a google form. In addition your group will be responsible for sharing what you have learned in a presentation to the class.

Topics:

Idle No More

Attawapiskat

Black Lives Matter U.S.

Black Lives Matter T.O.

Africentric Schools

Islamophobia in Canada

Migrant Workers in Canada

Questions:

1. Provide a basic history and demographic overview of your group in North America.
2. Explain what the current day controversy is. What are the goals of the group/movement?
3. Identify what tactics are being used to convey their message.
4. What has been the response of government/society to their issue?
5. What role has prejudice and discrimination had in how the group has been treated historically and/or presently?

Product:

- A) Google Form: Complete the google form using the most essential facts to answer each question

Link to google form: <http://goo.gl/forms/NSBPvLa9tg>

Link to Research resources: <https://goo.gl/rnAWpB>