

Impact of the Civil Rights Movement on American Policies, Laws and Procedures Worksheet 1-2

Voter Registration Simulation:

The year is 1961 and you are high school students living in New York studying math with Robert Moses. (Refer to timeline for background information). He has just informed you that he is planning to spend the summer in McComb, Mississippi working to get Black Americans registered to vote. He asks if you would like to come along. Create a memory trunk that documents your experiences. Items should include pictures, letters written home about your experience, 2-3 posters, a bumper sticker and a diary with 5-7 days worth of experiences.