

History Grades 9-12
80 minute Block Period

Standards:

- 6.1.12.HistoryUP.2.b: Analyze the impact and contributions of African American leaders and institutions in the development and activities of black communities.
- RL.9-10.6. Analyze a particular point of view or cultural experience reflected in a work of literature from outside the United States, drawing on a wide reading of world literature.
- RI.9-10.1. Accurately cite strong and thorough textual evidence, (e.g., via discussion, written response, etc.) and make relevant connections, to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferentially, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.

Objectives: SWBAT

1. Identify who is Dr. Ambedkar
2. Identify who are Dalits and the discrimination they faced.
3. Identify caste
4. Explain Dr. Ambedkar's struggle for equal rights for Dalits.
5. Compare and contrast the treatment of Dalits in India and Black people in America.
6. Compare and contrast Dr. Ambedkar's activism in India to Dr. Martin Luther King's activism in America.

Do Now: Students will view pictures of Dr. Ambedkar and assume his importance in India.

Materials: Chromebook's
Promethean Board
PowerPoint
National Geographic article about discrimination Dalit's faced.
Venn diagram

Read article on Discrimination on Untouchables
<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/pages/article/indias-untouchables-face-violence-discrimination>

Essential Question-

1. Is discrimination based solely on skin color, what other factors can it be based on?
2. Is a society truly equal if everyone is not treated equally?
3. How can discrimination impact individuals?
4. How can discrimination affect a group of people?
5. What are possible long-term effects of discrimination?
6. What are characteristics of a leader?

Procedure: Do Now

Students will define discrimination
PowerPoint on Dr. Ambedkar
Read article on Discrimination on Untouchables

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Youtube video on Dr. Ambedkar's life

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Experiencing The Truth with Dr. Ambedkar, Macwan, Martin 2012
I See The Promised Land: A Life of Martin Luther King Jr. ,Flowers Arthur

Dr. Ambedkar/ Dalits Choice Board

Research a speech by Dr. Ambedkar and write a short summary of his speech.	Create a scrapbook of online articles about current treatment of Dalits.	Write a short biography on Dr. Ambedkar.
Create a WebQuest about Dr. Ambedkar's life.	Research and explain what is caste and the four levels of caste in India.	Create a mural of Dr. Ambedkar and or Dalits on construction paper. It must contain at least 5 pieces of important information
Compare and contrast the treatment of African Americans in America to Dalits in India.	Write three facts and a fib about Dr. Ambedkar.	Write a letter that Dr. Ambedkar would have written to a friend discussing the discrimination he as child.
Create a journal/ diary entry about a day in the life of Dr. Ambedkar.	Create a google slide about the Dalit Panthers (Should include 10 facts)	Write 10 interview questions that would you ask Dr. Ambedkar