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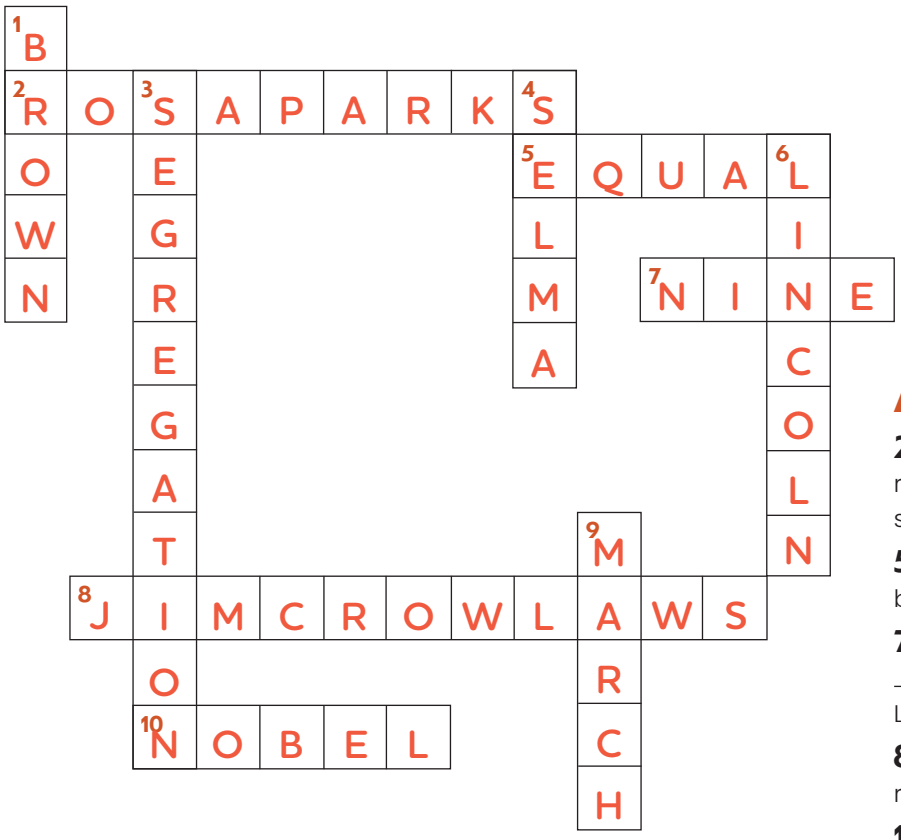
Crossword Puzzle:

American Civil Rights Movement

Use the clues below to complete the crossword puzzle.



A civil rights march in 1965

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Across

2 Woman known as the "mother of the civil rights movement" after refusing to give up her seat on a bus

5 A doctrine that supported racial segregation by saying "separate but _____"

7 A group of students known as the "Little Rock _____" who were the first Black students to enter Little Rock's desegregated Central High School

8 A set of laws in the South that enforced racial segregation

10 In 1964, Martin Luther King Jr. received the _____ Peace Prize for his leadership

Martin Luther King Jr. addressing crowds in Washington, D.C., 1963

Down

1 _____ v. Board of Education was a 1954 ruling that declared racial segregation in public schools unconstitutional

3 The practice or policy of keeping people of different races separate from each other

4 The _____ to Montgomery marches were a series of civil rights protest marches in 1965 to support voting rights

6 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. gave his famous "I Have a Dream" speech at the _____ memorial in Washington, D.C.

9 Over 200,000 people participated in the _____ on Washington for Jobs and Freedom in 1963 to fight for civil and economic rights of Black Americans

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