



Explore Essential Media Resources for Civil Rights Day - Monday, January 20th

Civil Rights Day, or Martin Luther King Jr. Day, is an annual observance marked on the third Monday in January and will occur on January 20, 2025. Civil Rights Day is a powerful reminder that every person, regardless of their color, religion, or ethnicity, is entitled to equal rights and respect. It stands as a call to action against racism and intolerance, reminding us all that no one should be judged or treated unfairly based on who they are. This day not only celebrates the progress we've made in the fight for civil rights but also challenges us to continue pushing for a world where justice, equality, and kindness prevail for everyone. Let's honor the diversity that makes us stronger and commit to a future where everyone is valued and included.

Our media resources provide teachers with engaging materials to explore Civil Rights Day, from documentaries and books to interactive lessons. These tools help students understand the civil rights movement and encourage discussions on equality, justice, and human rights.

Civil Rights BB search: This is a list of 34 boxed book sets that include books about civil rights or biographies of specific people who participated in the civil rights movement.

Civil Rights BA search: This is a list of 13 Books with Audio sets that tell stories about people and the civil rights movement.

Martin Luther King Jr: This is a list of 12 Boxed books and Books with Audio sets that may have stories about Martin Luther King Jr. Some sets may only have one or two titles about MLK Jr.

PebbleGO: This digital resource is for grades K-2nd and will allow students to learn about various topics.

For example:

- [Civil Rights](#)
- [Martin Luther King Jr.](#)
- [Martin Luther King Jr. Day](#)

PebbleGoNext: is for grades 3rd-5th - this resource covers various topics.

American History in Video is for secondary students and includes some of the following titles.

- Lyndon B. Johnson: Civil Rights Address
- Jackie Robinson: Excerpts from Civil Rights Rally
- America in the 20th Century: The Civil Rights Movement
- James Baldwin: Speech on Civil Rights
- The Life of Fannie Lou Hamer: Never Turn Back

Britannica and **Gale** are vetted resources for K-12 students and have a variety of content on Civil Rights. (photos, videos, and articles)