**Before the Boycott: Riding the Bus Interactive Activity**

In what year does the bus ride take place? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

In what city does the bus ride take place? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

In 1955, most schools are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Schools are either all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ schools receive more funding than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ schools.

In 1955, public transportation is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_% of bus riders are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. African Americans sit in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and whites sit in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

In 1955, African American \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ may only sit in certain areas of a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and it is legal to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ African American customers.

In 1955, Few African Americans owned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, so they relied on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

In 1955, even churches are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

In 1955, landlords refuse to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ apartments to African Americans, and realtors will not show or sell \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to African Americans in white neighborhoods.

Were African Americans treated fairly in 1955?

How Bus Sections Work:

A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sign was attached to the back of a seat that indicated the line that separated the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

African Americans were required to fill seats in the back, behind the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. African Americans could sit in the center of the bus as long as no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wanted to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the same \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Bus Rules:

What did an African American passenger have to do after they paid the bus driver? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What happened to an African American passenger if a white passenger wanted to sit in his/her row - *even if there were three open seats left*?

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What did African Americans passengers do when no seats were left?

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What two things could happen if African American passengers refused to move when told to move? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What happened after Rosa Parks was arrested? The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How long did the boycott last? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_