



BLACK LIVES MATTER

Say What?

Studying political protests can mean learning a lot of new vocabulary. Find five words in this book you've never heard before. Use a dictionary to find out what they mean. Then write the meanings in your own words, and use each word in a new sentence.





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Take a Stand

Chapter Four discusses the tactics of Black Lives Matter activists. Some activists want to disrupt people's lives. Others think peaceful discussions offer a better solution. Do you agree that tactics that make people uncomfortable are a good way to get their attention? Or do you think calm talks work better? Why?





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Why Do I Care?

Maybe you have not faced discrimination. But that doesn't mean you can't think about it. How does discrimination affect your life? Do you have friends or family members who have faced discrimination? How might your life be different if you faced discrimination?





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Another View

This book is about the Black Lives Matter movement. As you know, every source is different. Ask a librarian or another adult to help you find another source about this topic. Write a short essay comparing and contrasting the new source's point of view with that of this book's author. What is the point of view of each author? How are they similar and why? How are they different and why?





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You Are There

This book discusses the protests held after several black men's deaths. Imagine you are at a protest. Write a letter home telling your friends what happened. What do you notice about the people around you? Be sure to add plenty of detail to your notes.

