

Handout #2
The Fight for Racial Equality

Summary Activity: Oral Presentation in Pairs

After you have completed the questions in Handout #1, use the following chart to complete an outline you will use to share a summary of your text section with classmates in other groups. Your notes do not have to be in complete sentences. Your notes DO have to be thorough enough that they will allow you to share the key points of what you learned with classmates in a 5 minute oral presentation with partners from other groups.

When did your story take place? What were prevailing social attitudes that were relevant to your story in California at that time?	
Text Section:	
What was the key issue that people in your story were fighting for?	
What strategies did they use (e.g. Protests? Ballot measures? Court cases?)	
What was the outcome—did they achieve their goals?	
What is your own analysis—why did/didn't they achieve their goals? Include in this response if anything in the text surprised you.	