

## Hoxie Integration Lesson Plan

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| <b>Lesson Title:</b>                        | <b>Chronological Events of School Integration</b>   |
| <b>Estimated Time<br/>(Class Period/s):</b> | 2-4– 45 minute class periods  |
| <b>Grade Level(s):</b>                      | Grades 7-12   |
| <b>State Standards:</b>                     | <p><b><u>Arkansas History Grades 7-8:</u></b></p> <p><b>H.7.AH.7-8.8:</b> Analyze social, economic, and political effects of the Civil Rights Movement on various regions in Arkansas from multiple perspectives (e.g., integration, state legislation)</p> <p><b><u>United States History Since 1890:</u></b></p> <p><b>Era9.6.USH.4:</b> Examine domestic policies of the federal government between 1945 and 1970 and the outcomes from multiple perspectives (e.g., New Frontier, Great Society, civil rights, social issues)</p> |
| <b>Learning Objective(s):</b>               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students will demonstrate an understanding of the chronological events of the school integrations after the <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i> decision and how they relate to the Hoxie Integration from 1945 to 1970.</li> <li>• Students will illustrate understanding of significant events of school integration by constructing a 20 year timeline.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Guiding Question:</b>                    | What did school integration look like in the South?   |

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| <p><b>Materials and Resources:</b></p>                                   | <p><a href="#">Court Decision Overview PowerPoint</a></p> <p><u>Helpful websites and handouts for student research:</u></p> <p>C-Span.org video: <a href="#">“Civil Rights Movement in AR in the 1960’s.”</a></p> <p><i>Plessy v Ferguson</i>, 1896<br/><a href="https://www.britannica.com/event/Plessy-v-Ferguson-1896">https://www.britannica.com/event/Plessy-v-Ferguson-1896</a></p> <p><i>Brown v Board of Education</i>, 1954<br/><a href="https://supreme.justia.com/cases/federal/us/347/483/">https://supreme.justia.com/cases/federal/us/347/483/</a></p> <p>Kirk, John A. s.v. “Civil Rights Movement (Twentieth Century).<br/><a href="https://encyclopediaofarkansas.net/entries/civil-rights-movement-4704/">https://encyclopediaofarkansas.net/entries/civil-rights-movement-4704/</a>.<br/>(accessed September 3, 2019).</p> <p><i>Hoxie v Brewer</i>, 1956<br/><a href="https://law.justia.com/cases/federal/district-courts/FSupp/137/364/1480367/">https://law.justia.com/cases/federal/district-courts/FSupp/137/364/1480367/</a></p> <p>“Brown v. Board: Timeline of School Integration in the U.S.” Teaching Tolerance. <a href="https://www.tolerance.org/magazine/spring-2004/brown-v-board-timeline-of-school-integration-in-the-us">https://www.tolerance.org/magazine/spring-2004/brown-v-board-timeline-of-school-integration-in-the-us</a>. (Accessed September 3, 2019).</p> <p>Schnedler, Jack. “Central High: A Look Back.” Arkansas Online. <a href="http://showtime.arkansasonline.com/e/media/central/timeline.html">http://showtime.arkansasonline.com/e/media/central/timeline.html</a> (accessed September 3, 2019).</p> <p>“Fayetteville Vote Set Integration in Motion Across South”-<br/><a href="https://www.fayettevillehistory.org/1950s/">https://www.fayettevillehistory.org/1950s/</a></p> <p><a href="#">Hoxie School Integration Timeline</a></p> |
| <p><b>Lesson Plan Details</b><br/><i>(Substitute Teacher Proof):</i></p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bellringer: Post the following on the board- The 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment prohibits any state from denying “to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.” Have students respond- what does this mean?</li> <li>2. Provide background information on the key court cases of the Civil Rights Movement and their impact on school integration*             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <i>Plessy v. Ferguson</i>, 1896</li> <li>b. <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i>, 1954</li> </ol> </li> <li>3. Provide background information on the early desegregation of schools in Arkansas, including Fayetteville, Charleston, and Hoxie.*</li> </ol> <p>*This could be done using the Intro to Court Cases PowerPoint or the “Hoxie- The History We Didn’t Know” lesson plan. Students could also research the two court cases and create a presentation to</p>   |

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|  | <p>teach about the Civil Rights Movement and integration to the class. (1-2 class periods)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. For the timeline activity, teacher and students brainstorm a list of events that would be researched and placed on the timeline. If scaffolding is needed, teacher could give each group notecards (or a list- see Additional Notes) with key events of school integration on them.</li> <li>5. Students will research the events, note the date/year the event occurred, and summarize the event. This information will then be placed on the timeline. (1-2 class periods)</li> <li>6. Class discussion (whole group or in groups of 4-5): Using the information gained from making your timeline, compare school desegregation in Arkansas schools, as well as other schools in the nation. In what ways were they similar? In what ways were they different? (1 class period)</li> </ol> |
| <p><b>Formative Assessment(s):</b></p> | <p>Exit ticket prompt: What did you learn that you didn't already know? What surprised you? What do you still wonder?</p>   |
| <p><b>Additional Notes:</b></p>        | <p><u>Events:</u><br/> <i>Plessy v. Ferguson</i><br/> <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i><br/>         Little Rock Central High School Integration<br/>         New Orleans School Integration<br/>         Civil Rights Act of 1964<br/>         Hoxie Integration<br/>         Charleston Integration<br/>         Fayetteville Integration<br/>         North Little Rock Integration<br/> <i>Brown II Decision</i><br/>         Fort Smith Integration<br/>         Desegregation efforts in Virginia schools</p> <p>*This list is not exhaustive.</p>   |

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