Facilitator Guide

Class 7: The Disability Rights Movement







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Objectives

- Understand the history of people with disabilities and how it can inform my life
- · Develop a concept of solidarity and pride



Materials Needed

- · Chart paper and markers
- · Student workbooks (electronic or hard copy depending on the student's need)

Icon Legend		Allow extra time for people who use augmentative communication		Walk around and make sure participants are prepared to share. Provide support if needed
	0°0°	Encourage participants to speak for themself, but utilize support from a peer or support person as needed for success	Œ.	Use speech to text technology (and other Assistive Technology) as needed for writing
	Est State of the S	Read the slide out loud		Provide support to share answers and ideas
		Project the discussion questions on the slide show for all to read and leave them up during the discussion	×	Give the choice to write or draw
		Make sure there is someone available to scribe for those who need support writing		Use a scaffolding structure*

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Slide #2

Time Estimation: 10 min

Ask participants to open their workbook to the big idea page from last week. Ask them to review what they wrote and share with people at their table.



Slide #3

Time Estimation: 5 min

Tell participants they will be hearing from Kerrie Joy again and starting with a review from her.

Play the video on slide 3.



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Slide #4

Time Estimation: 15 min

Let participants know that this week we will be talking about the Disability Rights Movement.

Ask them to open up their workbooks to page 31 and write or draw anything they already know about the Disability Rights Movement.

Discuss their answers with the whole group and let them know that we will be learning more about the Disability Rights Movement during our time today.

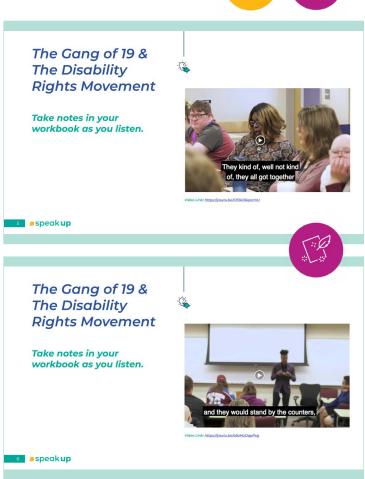
Slide #5 & 6

Time Estimation: 40 min

Share that we will now be watching Kerrie Joy discuss the Disability Rights Movement and show a portion of a documentary about The Gang of 19.

Ask them to open their workbooks to page 32 and let them know they can write or draw while they watch.





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Slide #7

Time Estimation: 15 min

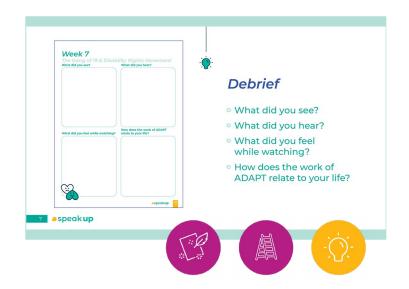
After watching the video please ask everyone to take 2 minutes and share their reactions with the group or at their tables.

After the initial 2 minute share ask participants to open their workbook to page 33 and fill in the workbook.

They should think about their own reactions and can include ideas they heard from others if that is helpful.

Share as a whole group.

Facilitators should work to connect the content from the Gang of 19 to participants' lives.



Slide #8

Time Estimation: 15 min

Ask everyone to take a quiet moment to think about the changes that the Gang of 19 made and start to consider the changes they would like to make in their world.

Lead them in a whole group brainstorm about all of the changes they would like to consider. Write their ideas on a whiteboard or chart paper for all to see.



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Slide #9

Time Estimation: 15 min

Show the video of the class creating their list.

After the video ask them to add anything they want to their list and then circle or highlight one or two things they want to do and that is important to them personally.



Slide #10

Time Estimation: 10 min

Ask them to talk about key ideas that were discussed today and record them in their workbook. Let them know they can write anything they want to remember.

