

"I Have a Dream" Theme Worksheet

Grades 3-5 | Advanced | Equality, Freedom, Hope & Peace

1. Equality for All

Dr. King's speech focused on equality for all people. In your own words, explain what equality means. Why is it important in our society?

Write your explanation...

2. Freedom and Rights

Dr. King spoke about freedom and rights for everyone. What freedoms do you have that you value most? How would you feel if those freedoms were taken away?

Write your answer...

3. The Power of Hope

Even in difficult times, Dr. King maintained hope for a better future. Why is hope a powerful tool for creating change?

- Hope motivates people to keep working toward their goals
- Hope makes problems disappear on their own
- Hope prevents people from taking action
- Hope has no impact on creating change

4. Peaceful Change

Dr. King believed in using peaceful methods to create change. Why might peaceful protests be more effective than violence?

Write your reasoning...

5. Words That Inspire

Dr. King's speech inspired millions of people to work for equality. How can powerful words inspire people to take action and create change?

Write your explanation...

6. Unity and Community

Dr. King emphasized the importance of people working together. What is one issue in your community that people could work together to solve?

Describe the issue...

7. Applying the Dream Today

If Dr. King were alive today, what current issues do you think he would speak about? Why?

Write your thoughts...

8. Your Vision for the Future

Dr. King shared his dream for a better world. What is your dream for creating a more equal, peaceful, and hopeful future?

My dream is...
