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Freedom Summer (1964) Guided Notes

What is the main purpose of Freedom Summer? Registering Black people to vote

	Teacher Definition	Student Summary
CORE	Congress of Racial Equality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • started in 1942 • Chicago desegregation • Involved in Freedom Summer and March on Washington

	Teacher Definition	Student Summary
SNCC	Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sit-ins • Freedom Rides • Freedom Summer

Who was involved in the Freedom Summer movement?

- Civil Rights groups (CORE, SNCC)
 - ↳ trainers
- Trained white, northern college students → "missionaries"
- Local citizens of Mississippi

Why were they involved?

- violence in Mississippi
- desire to educate
- Low voter turnout in Mississippi

	Teacher Definition	Student Comments
Freedom Schools	"schools" that educated African-American students in a way that introduced them to ideas outside of those taught within the segregated school system of Mississippi.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 40 schools set up • over 3,000 participants • temporary, makeshift • Taught civics, politics, African American history and leadership skills

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Freedom Summer Murders

- Created National News
 - ↳ 3 men murdered (2 white northern students and 1 local black student)
- FBI investigation - revealed more murders in South
- Leads to Civil Rights Act of 1964

	Teacher Definition	Student Summary
Civil Rights Act of 1964	Landmark piece of civil rights legislation in the United States that outlawed discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.	

