

Global Genocide Unit Class Definitions 2015

Tyranny: The cruel and unfair treatment by people with power over others.

Persecution: The harassment and ill treatment towards a specifically targeted group of people because of their race, religion, ethnicity, or specific trait or disability they display.

Oppression: the state of being subjected to unjust treatment or control.

Stereotype: a preconceived, oversimplified image or idea of a particular group.

Empathy: The ability for someone to easily relate with another's experience, and to offer comfort and guidance based on their knowledge of the specific situation.

Holocaust: Nazi Germany, along with collaborators, attempt to suppress and exterminate the world's Jewish population, along with groups they also believed were inferior to them; a mass genocide within parts of Europe throughout the late 1930's and 40's.

Genocide: Deliberate eradication of a group of people because of their race or culture.

Discrimination: The belief towards or treatment of different categories of people or things, especially on the grounds of race, age, or sex; discrimination tends to be non-inclusive.

Prejudice: Unreasonable feelings, opinions, or attitudes, especially of a hostile nature, regarding a racial, religious, or national group.

Racism: The differentiating treatment or belief toward a person because of their race.