

**Worksheet # 1: What Are Civil Rights and Where Do They Come From?**

**Working definition of civil rights:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**The Development of Our Concepts of Civil Rights in the United States:**

Explain how each item contributed to our developing concept of civil rights. Add other items from your internet research on the history of civil rights.

<b>Political Philosophy/ Religion Customary Belief</b>	<b>Constitution</b>	<b>Civil Rights Legislation</b>	<b>Court Decisions</b>	<b>Personal or Collective Action</b>
Declaration of Independence	Bill of Rights	Civil Rights Division 1957	Brown vs Board of Education	
	13 <sup>th</sup> Amendment	Civil Rights Act 1964	1976 – San Diego Fire Dept	
	14 <sup>th</sup> Amendment		1997 – Navajo Nation	
	15 <sup>th</sup> Amendment			