



UNIT 7: Human Rights

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STUDENT WORKSHEET – Listening & Vocabulary (pp. 110–111)

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Focus: Listening comprehension, vocabulary development, critical thinking

Video: Martin Luther King Jr. – Nobel Peace Prize Acceptance Speech (1964)

PART A – Pre-Listening: Background Activation

1. Match the words with their meanings

(You will check answers after listening.)

Word	Meaning
a. nonviolence	1. refusing to use physical force to achieve goals
b. segregation	2. keeping groups of people apart based on race, religion, etc.
c. discrimination	3. unfair treatment based on group identity
d. civil rights	4. the rights of citizens to equality and freedom

Write your answers:

a. ___ b. ___ c. ___ d. ___

PART B – While Listening: MLK’s Acceptance Speech

Watch the video and take notes:

<https://youtu.be/5r98tT0j1a0>

1. What is the topic of the talk?

2. What is the main idea/message of his speech?

3. Give a suitable title to the talk.

PART C – Group Discussion (Task 9)

Discuss these questions in your group and take notes:

1. **Why did Martin Luther King Jr. struggle for civil rights?**
Notes: _____
 2. **Did he deserve the Nobel Peace Prize? Why/why not?**
Notes: _____
 3. **Did MLK's actions help bring change? Justify your answer.**
Notes: _____
 4. **Is explaining "why" more powerful than explaining "what" and "how"?**
Notes: _____
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PART D – Listening Comprehension (Task 10)

Listen to the Nobel Lecture and choose the correct answer (a, b, or c).

1. According to MLK, when people choose nonviolence
 - a they participate in massive protests
 - b do not show their disapproval
 - c are elevated morally and spiritually
2. The main benefit of nonviolence is
 - a It is an oasis in the social upheaval
 - b People behave according to democratic values
 - c People are proud of their achievements
3. Violence, according to MLK,
 - a brings everlasting harmony
 - b does not always produce independence
 - c is morally acceptable
4. What is worrying about violence is that it
 - a destroys the quality of human interaction
 - b is due to human weakness
 - c facilitates relationships
5. The most humiliating thing about violence is
 - a People become anonymous masses
 - b It requires courage
 - c Everyone is defeated
6. MLK believes that violence
 - a creates more social problems
 - b justifies the means
 - c is the only way to stop racial injustice

Write your answers here:

1. ___ 2. ___ 3. ___ 4. ___ 5. ___ 6. ___

 **PART E – Vocabulary Extension**

Fill in the missing words:

1. MLK followed Gandhi’s philosophy of _____.
 2. He fought against racial _____.
 3. The government had to denounce _____.
 4. His actions helped end racial _____.
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 **PART F – Personal Reflection**

Write 4–5 sentences:

Do you think nonviolence can still change the world today? Why or why not