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Equal Schools

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What was the main problem with "separate but equal" schools?
 - a) Black and white schools were exactly the same
 - b) Black schools were often worse than white schools
 - c) Black schools had more supplies than white schools
 - d) White schools were forced to close

2. Who was Linda Brown?
 - a) A student whose father fought against school segregation
 - b) A teacher who helped desegregate schools
 - c) A Supreme Court judge
 - d) A lawyer for the NAACP

3. What did the Supreme Court decide in Brown v. Board of Education?
 - a) Schools should stay separate
 - b) Black and white students must attend different schools
 - c) School segregation was unconstitutional
 - d) The President should choose who goes to school

4. What was one challenge after the Supreme Court's ruling?
 - a) Everyone agreed to follow the law immediately
 - b) Schools were closed permanently
 - c) Segregation in all public places ended right away
 - d) Some states refused to allow Black students into white schools

5. How did Brown v. Board of Education help the Civil Rights Movement?
 - a) It gave people hope that other unfair laws could be changed
 - b) It ended discrimination in voting
 - c) It made Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. the President
 - d) It stopped protests for equal rights

