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## The Concept Of Race Is Not Actually Based On Science, It Is A Creation Of Society

## What We Are Covering Today!



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#### **Racial Categories in the United States**

Brown

Indigenous

. Biracial

Multiracial

Folx: the people that make up a category

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#### Ethnicity vs Race

Unlike race, which specifically looks at your physical features, ethnicity zeroes in on your family's cultural and ancestral heritage, like language, traditions, and history, to place you into *categories*. Often, where you are from will partly determine your ethnicity

Examples of Ethnicities:

Japanese American, Caribbean Navajo, Sudanese The names for these divisions, as well as the definition of race, have changed, and continue to do so

Seeing how every country has a different way of classifying people shows us that <u>Race and Ethnicity are made up social</u>

<u>constructions</u>

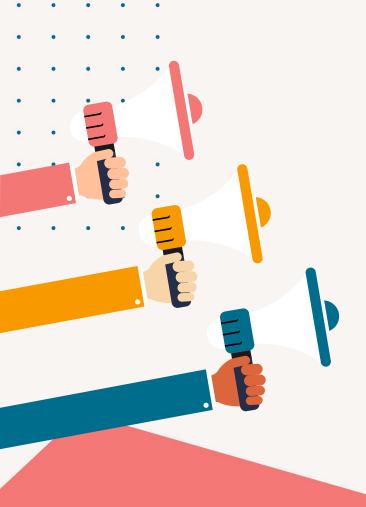


RACE IS THE CHILD OF racism, not the Father

#### Activity - Your Race and Ethnicity

Take a few minutes to reflect

- 1) Open the Google Doc journal provided on Google Classroom
- 2) On this paper, think about yourself and answer a few of these questions:
  - a) What do you know about your racial identity?
  - b) Is this something you and your family/friends have talked about?
  - c) Do you think about your race? (And how often?)
  - d) Do you also think about your ethinic identity?
  - e) Do you feel like your racial identity and ethinc identity or similar? How so?



### Takeaways

- Understanding specific race-based vocab words
- Race vs. Ethnicity
- Knowing YOUR racial identity and ethnicity
- Skin color and characteristics