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We hope these ACROSS GENERATIONS conversation starters inspire an intergenerational dialogue that lasts long after your visit to The Center. This brochure is not intended to be a map that leads you through the exhibitions (although it does highlight themes you may experience throughout your visit). Instead, we hope you and your group will use these themes as discussion starters during and after your exploration of The Center.

## WHAT ARE CIVIL RIGHTS?

In the United States, civil rights are the personal rights all citizens legally have to political and social freedom and equality; these rights are guaranteed and protected by the United States Constitution and its amendments.

## WHAT ARE HUMAN RIGHTS?

Human rights are defined as rights inherent to all human beings, whatever our nationality, place of residence, gender, national or ethnic origin, color, religion, language or any other status. All individuals are entitled to human rights without discrimination. These rights can't be broken apart; they are all related and depend on each other to be effective. In 1948, the United Nations adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR), a declaration of thirty articles outlining the basic rights of all human beings.

