

## Georgia and the Civil Rights Movement

**SS8H11 Evaluate the role of Georgia in the modern civil rights movement.**

**b. Describe the role of individuals (Martin Luther King, Jr. and John Lewis), groups (SNCC and SCLC) and, events (Albany Movement and March on Washington) in the Civil Rights Movement.**

**c. Explain the resistance to the 1964 Civil Rights Act, emphasizing the role of Lester Maddox**

**Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

[About Dr. King- The King Center](#)

[NobelPrize.org- Dr. King biography](#)

[History.com- Dr. King biography](#)

[The "I Have a Dream" speech from the March on Washington](#)

[5 of Dr. King's Most famous speeches](#)

[CBC Frontpage Challenge](#)

[NBC News Interview](#)

**U.S. Representative John Lewis**

[Rep. Lewis' official biography](#)

[Rep. Lewis' biography \(biography.com\)](#)

[5 Things to know about John Lewis \(AJC\)](#)

[Why John Lewis joined the Civil Rights Movement](#)

[The Big 6](#)

[American Freedom Stories](#)

[The March On Washington](#)

[The Civil Rights Movement- pbs.org](#)

**Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee  
(SNCC- pronounced “snick”)**

[SNCC \(The King Institute- Stanford\)](#)

[The Story of SNCC](#)

[SNCC Legacy Project](#)

**Albany Movement**

[The Albany Movement \(King Institute- Stanford\)](#)

[The Albany Movement](#)

[The Albany Movement- New Georgia Encyclopedia](#)

## **Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC)**

[SCLC History](#)

[SCLC \(King Institute- Stanford\)](#)

[SCLC- National Park Service](#)

[SCLC- New Georgia Encyclopedia](#)

## **The March On Washington**

[Leaders Of the March on Washington \(Smithsonian\)](#)

[The March On Washington \(Smithsonian\)](#)

[Legacy and Impact Of the March \(Smithsonian\)](#)

## **Civil Rights Act of 1964**

[Civil Rights Act of 1964 \(history.com\)](#)

[Civil Rights Act of 1964 \(National Park Service\)](#)

[Precursors and Progeny of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 \(American Bar Association\)](#)

[Civil Rights Act of 1964 Fast Facts from CNN](#)

**Lester Maddox**

[Lester Maddox- New Georgia Encyclopedia](#)

[Lester Maddox- New York Times](#)

[Civil Rights Digital Library- Lester Maddox](#)