

THE HOLOCAUST

What do you know about the Holocaust?

The Holocaust took place during World War II. **Hitler and the Nazi party** thought that the German Aryan race should become the “**master race**,” and wanted to get rid of anyone whom they thought was inferior. The **Holocaust** is what we call the mass killing of these people.



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The Holocaust did not just affect the Jews. Hitler and the Nazi's wanted to get rid of any person that he thought was “**undesirable**,” including African-Americans, Gypsies, and people with disabilities. Hitler tried to kill entire groups of people. This is known as **genocide**.

After World War II, there were laws created to keep people safe, but it was too late for the millions of people who died during the Holocaust.