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# Lesson Plan

<i>Lesson 1</i>	Introduction to The Holocaust
<i>Grade level</i>	9 <sup>th</sup> grade English Class
<i>Time duration</i>	55 minutes
<i>Objective</i>	Give students information about the events that happened from World War II from 1933 to 1945 that lead to the Holocaust. The reasons why Jewish people were targeted by Nazis and what happened in during the Holocaust from 1941 to the end of the Holocaust in 1945.
<i>Materials</i>	Introduction to The Holocaust PowerPoint (including the YouTube video "The Final Solution-Jewish Life on the Brink of Death)
<i>Activities and procedures</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Introduction and background information about the Holocaust</li><li>-Introductory PowerPoint will be used</li><li>-Class discussion on stereotyping based on looks (using slides on Jewish propaganda)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Are there any types of damaging or stereotypical images of other minority groups in media today?</li><li>-Do you think these types of images are successful in causing groups of people to believe that these groups are inferior, dangerous, or that we are a better society without them?</li></ul></li></ul>

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