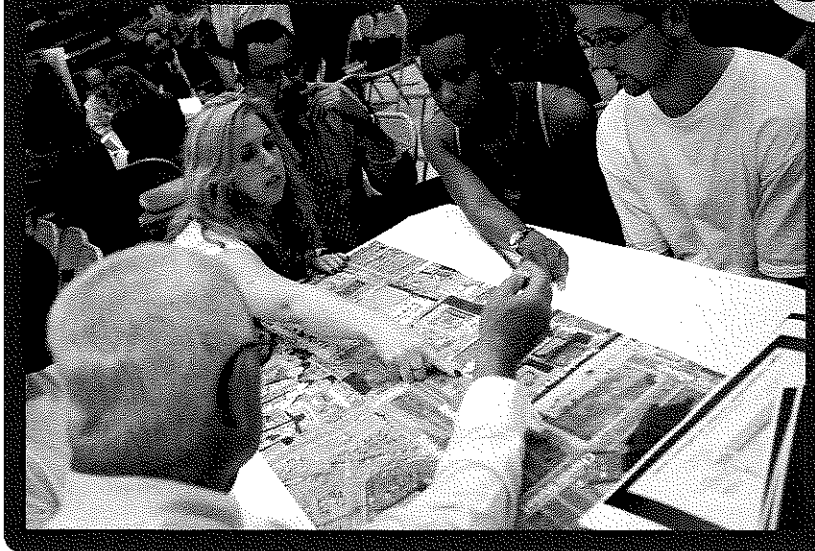


2 The legacy of the Little Rock Nine

track 37



A 2007 NPR radio programme.



← 50 years later: planning the city to reconnect long-separated black and white neighbourhoods, New Haven, USA, 2010.

1. **Before listening:** judging from the title above, what do you expect the programme to be about?
2. **Listen to the whole programme.** Does it correspond to what you expected?
3. **a. Listen to the journalist's introduction** and summarise his main points about the past and present situations.
b. Listen again, focusing on today's situation:
 - list different examples of "separation";
 - explain the difference between separation and segregation.
4. **Listen to Matthew Lassiter** and summarise his main points.

LANGUAGE TOOLS

★ WORDS

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Tribute

- **homage** = tribute
- pay tribute, praise, **honour**, **celebrate**, **acknowledge**, hail

Legacy

- **heritage**, contribution
- **embrace opinions**

★ PRONUNCIATION

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Words ending in -ate


→ integrate, educate, demonstrate

Recap → Using what you have learnt, illustrate Carlos's quote: "We still have a way to go but we can see some distance from where we were."

TRAINING TASK

Paving the way

Tommie Smith wrote: "We opened the door for them [i.e. today's students] and showed them the way."

 Discuss to what extent individuals can show the way to others. Back up your opinion with examples from history.

