



ILLINOIS HOLOCAUST MUSEUM  
& EDUCATION CENTER

## “WORKING TOWARDS” THE UDHR CATEGORIES

The Take a Stand Center breaks down the UDHR into five categories of rights. Have students read the following definitions of the [“working toward” categories](#).

### “WORKING TOWARDS” QUIZ (Answer Key Below.)

A. Have students answer the following five questions. Once finished, share with the answers with the students.

1. How many people around the world lack access to basic sanitation services and clean water?
  - a. 500 million
  - b. 2.4 billion
  - c. 3.5 billion
2. Women working full-time in the US make an average of 90 cents for every dollar men earns.
  - a. True
  - b. False
3. Globally how many youth and adults cannot read and write?
  - a. 758 million
  - b. 300 million
  - c. 923 million
4. All fifty states in the U.S. perform same-sex marriages.
  - a. True
  - b. False
5. The United States incarcerates more of its citizens than any other nation in the world.

- a. True
- b. False

Once the students have finished, give them the answers with the context. Have the students think and write down their answers to the following questions:

1. What surprised you the most about these answers?
2. Which human rights are being abused?
3. What can be done about these human rights abuses?

Have the students research who has advocated on behalf of these human rights and create a short video explaining that upstander and their work.