Lesson Plan Title/Info:	Lesson Plan - The Watsons Go To Birmingham: Lesson 14 Is Number 14 Of 14 In Unit Plan - The Watsons Go To Birmingham
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Subject:	English Language Arts
Grade Level:	Eighth Grade
Essential Questions:	What are the issues explored in the Watson's Go To Birmingham, 1963?
Sponge Activity:	Journal Entry - Students will write and title an entry about something they feel strongly enough about to boycott a particular business.
Activating Prior Knowledge:	Discuss acts that African Americans took to demand their equality in the 1960's.
Vocabulary Development:	Display terms - amended, discrimination, pervasive, prohibited, interracial, segregation, strove, sit-ins, boycotts, banned, picketing, demonstrations, confrontations Have students complete vocabulary graphic organizer From New to Known for vocabulary words
Skill Lesson Through Direct Instruction and Modeling:	Review vocabulary from this unit.
Active Literacy:	Paired Reading of Epilogue and complete Modified Journal Entry as they read Identify reasons and ways of eliminating segregation and prejudice
Post Literacy:	Class discussion of identifying prejudices and eliminating them.
Reflection:	Exit Slips - Students write their feelings about the book The Watsons Go To Birmingham.
Materials:	Modified Journal Entry Active Reading with a Purpose for Epilogue
Duration:	90 minutes
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