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Vocabulary

Icon	Ambassador	Desegregation	Assassinated
Appoint	Pivotal	Instrumental	

Glossary

Icon; noun, somebody famous for something: somebody or something widely and uncritically admired, especially somebody or something symbolizing a movement or field of activity

Ambassador; noun, a diplomatic official of the highest rank sent by one country as its long-term representative to another

Desegregation; verb, to put an end to a customary or enforced separation of ethnic or racial groups in a place or institution, e.g. in a workplace or school

Assassinated; verb, to kill somebody, especially a political leader or other public figure, by a sudden violent attack

Appoint; verb, to select a person or a group of people for an official position or to do a job

Pivotal; adjective, vitally important, especially in determining the outcome, progress, or success of something

Instrumental; adjective, playing an important part in achieving a result or accomplishing a purpose