

32. The rights of citizens to vote, receive equal treatment before the law, and share benefits of public facilities

DATA CHECK

Figure 6.1 (Page 133): Changing White Attitudes Toward Differing Levels of School Integration

1. Generalize about the percentage of respondents since 1958 who were willing to accept schools that were integrated with a “few blacks?”

2. Generalize about the percentage of respondents since 1958 who were accepting of schools that were integrated with a majority of black students.

Figure 6.2 (Page 136): Growing Support Among Southern Democrats in Congress for Civil Rights Bills

3. In which years did less than 25 percent of the Southern Democrats in the House and the Senate support Civil Rights legislation?

4. In which years did more than 50 percent of the Southern Democrats in the House and the Senate support Civil Rights legislation?

Table 6.1 (Page 136): Increase in Number of Black Elected Officials

5. Which category of elected officials has seen the sharpest increase in the number of black officeholders during the period covered by the table? The next sharpest increase?

6. The next sharpest increase?

7. In which category of elected officials has the number of black officeholders increased the *least*?
