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[ə'pa□rte⊕t noun uncountable

the former political system in South Africa in which only white people had full political rights and other people, especially black people, were forced to live away from white people, go to separate schools, etc

• the pressures of life under apartheid

Word Origin:

[apartheid] 1940s: from Afrikaans, literally separateness, from Dutch apart 'separate' + -heid (equivalent of 1-hood).

Example Bank:

- · Nelson Mandela spent many years fighting against apartheid.
- · Under apartheid the black population did not have the right to vote.
- the struggle against apartheid
- · He was jailed for advocating the violent overthrowof the apartheid system.
- It was a system of educational apartheid in which children were divided, at the age of eleven, into 'achievers' and 'non-achievers'.
- · Many countries boycotted South Africa in a bid to end apartheid.
- Under apartheid, white people were not allowed to marry non-white people.

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[Date: 1900-2000; Language: Afrikaans; Origin: 'separateness']

the former political and social system in South Africa, in which only white people had full political rights and people of other races, especially black people, were forced to go to separate schools, live in separate areas etc

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