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After watching the 1619 Introduction Video, answer the following questions individually based on what you already know. After everyone has had a chance to write down their answers, we will share in small groups.

1. Hannah-Jones uses the word "erasure" to describe how Black history has been treated in the U.S. What does erasure mean in this context?

2. Do you agree with Hannah-Jones that an erasure of Black history has taken place? Why or why not?

3. Why might certain histories be "erased"?

4. Who "erases" history?