

Be a Word Detective. Our word is Equal.

Names of students on team: _____

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

Look up the word *equal* in the dictionary.

Read every definition.

Copy a simple meaning that makes sense in our sentence here:

Discuss what it means that "all men are created equal." Write your ideas on the chart below:

What it could NOT possibly mean.	What it could mean.

Work with your team to write a statement of what it means that "all men are created equal."

Be prepared to share your ideas with the class.