



Greenwood's Beginnings

All-Black Towns were an opportunity for self reliance and greater freedom. Though not officially a town, the Greenwood community seized the opportunity.

Go to the next slide to learn about the development of the Greenwood community.

Family Time

Click on the link below to learn about the establishment of Greenwood. After reading about Greenwood's beginnings discuss the following as a family.

What lead to the development of the Greenwood neighborhood in Tulsa?

How/why did the neighborhood get the name Greenwood?

Building Vocabulary

Black Towns

Dawes Act

Indian Territory

Opportunity

O.W. Gurley

About Greenwood's Beginnings

If you would like to learn more about the development of Black towns in Oklahoma click the link below.

[History of the Development of All Black Towns in Oklahoma](#)