

Segregation in Illinois
Champaign/Urbana Newspaper
Articles Questions

Name: _____

Read the articles provided and answer the following:

Where and when were these articles written? How many years after Brown v. Board are these articles written? Does this surprise you?

What does an article about segregated neighborhoods in Champaign have to do with school segregation?

What does the Bakalis article say about segregation in Illinois schools compared to Mississippi, a Southern state? Does this match up with the map information you looked at regarding segregation? Explain.

Why do you think that Illinois remains a highly segregated school system in 1971?