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Sequence

- **Sequence** is the order in which events happen in a selection. When you read, think about what comes first, next, and last.
- Several events can occur at the same time. Words such as *meanwhile* and *during* give clues that two events are happening at the same time.

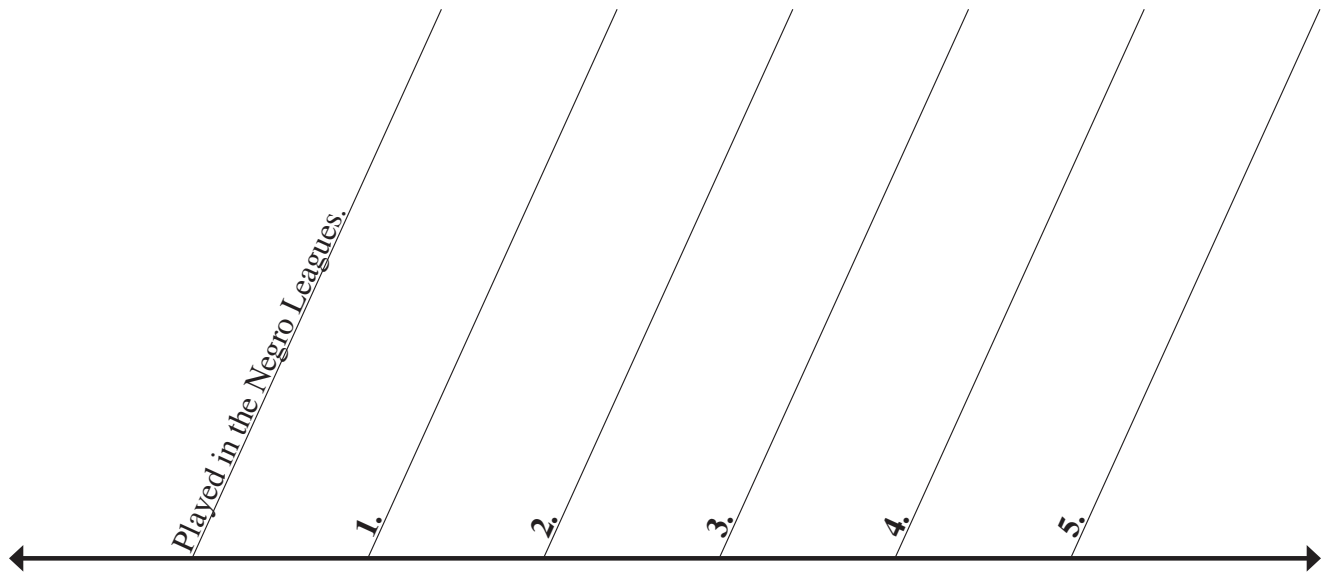
Directions Read the following passage.

Jackie Robinson was the first African American baseball player to play in the modern Major Leagues. He played in the Negro Leagues until 1947 when he was signed to the Brooklyn Dodgers. Despite controversy about Robinson breaking the color barrier, he was an immediate

success. During his first season, he led the National League in stolen bases, and after the season ended he was named Rookie of the Year. During his third season, he won the league's batting title and was later named baseball's Most Valuable Player.

Directions Fill in the time line below with the events from Jackie Robinson's career. List them in the order in which they happened.

Events in Jackie Robinson's Career



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Home Activity Your child read a short passage and identified its sequence of events using a time line. Read a newspaper article about a current event with your child. Have your child put the events in sequence using a time line.