

Learning About Civil Rights with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To understand the meaning of civil rights and identify key ideas about fairness and equality.

Hello! I am Ellie. I have a great memory for history. Read these cards to learn about how people fought for fairness. You can use the word bank to help you understand the big ideas.

What are Civil Rights?

Civil Rights are the basic rights that every person should have to be treated with fairness.

What is Equality?

Equality means that everyone is treated in the same way and has the same chances in life.

What is a Protest?

A protest is when people gather to show they disagree with something unfair.

What is a Law?

A law is a rule made by the government that everyone in a country must follow.

What does Justice mean?

Justice means doing what is right and fair for everyone.

What is the right to vote?

The right to vote is the chance to choose who makes decisions for the country.

What is Freedom?

Freedom is the ability to act, speak, or live without unfair limits.

Why is it important to be kind?

Kindness helps everyone feel safe and valued in their community.

What is a community?

A community is a group of people who live or work together in the same area.

How can we show respect?

We show respect by listening to others and treating them with care.