

The Suffragettes: A Learning Set

Learning objective: To understand who the Suffragettes were and how they helped women gain the right to vote.

Read the front of the card. Think about the answer. Then, look at the back to check if you are right. Use the word bank if you need help with the spelling.

What is a Suffragette?

A woman who campaigned for the right to vote in elections.

What does it mean to 'vote'?

To make a choice in an election for who leads the country.

Who was Emmeline Pankhurst?

A famous leader who helped start the Suffragette movement.

What is a protest?

When people show they disagree with something by gathering together in public.

What is a campaign?

A series of actions taken to reach a goal, like changing a law.

What is Parliament?

The place where new laws are made for the country.

What does 'equality' mean?

Treating everyone fairly and giving them the same rights.

Why did Suffragettes wear purple, white, and green?

These were the colours used to show they were part of the movement.

Did all women have the right to vote before the Suffragettes?

No, they did not have the right to vote.

What is a right?

Something that you are allowed to have or do by law.