

Badger Class: Rosa Parks and the Civil Rights Movement

Previous learning:

In Fox Class the children have learned about the term History and this includes events that took place in the past. Including significant people in their own lives.

Essential Reading (linked to literacy)

Sulwe - Lupita Nyong'o

Rosa Parks - Big Dreams - Lisbeth Kaiser



Key Facts:

- The suffragettes were a group of woman who protested to ensure women had the right to vote for the government.
- The civil rights movement were a collective of people who opposed the segregation and separation of white and black people.
- Rosa Parks was an important person who had a big influence on the civil rights movement.

Key Vocabulary:

Arrested - take someone into legal custody to charge them with breaking the law.

Civil Rights Movement - a collective of people who wanted to integrate black and white people.

Protest - a statement or action opposing against something you feel strongly about.

Inequality - the unfair situation in a society when some people have more opportunities or money than others.

Segregation - keeping apart a group of people based on race, gender or religion.

Discrimination - treating people worse because of their religion, race or gender.

The suffragettes were led by a woman called Emmeline Pankhurst.



Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat to a white person on the bus after a long day at work in defiance of the segregation laws. This, in part, led to the start of the civil rights movement. She was arrested and sent to jail.



