Significant People Knowledge Organiser – Year 2

Sticky Knowledge

- ✓ Rosa Parks fought for the rights of black people in the USA
- ✓ Nelson Mandela fought for the rights of black people in South Africa
- ✓ Emily Pankhurst was born in Manchester and spent her life fighting for women's rights.
- ✓ Florence Nightingale was known as 'the lady with the lamp'. She helped to ensure that hospitals were clean places and helped to reduce infections in hospitals.

Big Idea

Inspiration people have had a huge impact on society today.

Rosa Parks has a positive influence on society today because she stood up for discrimination and she changed people's views on racism.

Inspiration People

Emily Davison

Born: 1872 in London, England.

Died: 1913

Emily Davidson was a governess and teacher, before she became a full-time worker for the Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU). Emily ran into the middle of an important horse race as part of a protest and was killed by a horse owned by King George V.

Edith Cavell, Emmeline Pankhurst and Annie Kenney lived at the same time as Emily Davidson.

Rosa Parks

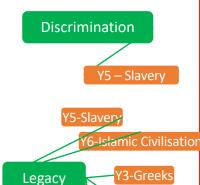
Born: 1913 in Alabama, USA

Died: 2005

Rosa Parks had several jobs including seamstress and working for a politician. She was also a campaigner for civil rights throughout her life. Rosa Parks was arrested when she refused to give up her seat on a bus for a white person which was the law at the time. She campaigned for a fair society and equal rights.

Nelson Mandela, Martin Luther King, Mother Teresa all lived at the same time as Rosa Parks.

Themes



Y4-Romans Y4-Ancient Egypt Y3-Samuel Crompton

Key Events

Rosa Parks was born on 4th February

1913

Rosa was arrested for refusing to move form her bus seat.

1955

The 'Bus Boycott' ends and blacks are allowed to sit at the front of buses.

1956

President Clinton awards Rosa the Medal of Freedom

1996

Rosa dies of natural causes.

2005

causes.

Vocabulary

Rights: Something that you are entitled to.

Suffragette: A woman seeking the right to vote through an organised protest. E.g. Emily Davison

Campaign: An organised plan to achieve a goal.

Segregation: Enforced

separation of different groups of people.

Ancestors: Someone who was related to you a long time ago.

Race: A group of people who share the same culture.

Protest: Expressing that you do not agree with something.

Vote: Being able to choose what you would prefer to happen.

Civil Rights: The rights of citizens for freedom and equality.

Boycott: When you refuse to use something as a form of protest.