

WOMEN’S SUFFRAGE AROUND THE WORLD

Purpose

By comparing different regions, you’ll discover the challenges women faced as they fought for suffrage, what made each movement unique, and what these stories tell us about the global struggle for gender equality.

Process

1. Why do you think some countries gave women the right to vote earlier than others? What factors might have influenced these decisions?

2. Read the article “[A World Tour of Women’s Suffrage](#),” independently or with a partner. Then, complete the chart below.

Region	When did women gain the right to vote?	One unique detail or challenge
New Zealand and Australia		
Europe		

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Asia		
North America		
Latin America		
Africa		

3. Write a response (three or four sentences) to this question: What do the similarities and differences in these suffrage movements tell us about the global fight for gender equality?