



Timeline

Key

- Protest for gender equality and justice
- Protest for climate change and protection of the environment
- Protest for racial equality and justice
- Protest for freedom and independence
- Protest against war



Glossary

1	<b>activism</b>	using campaigning to bring about political or social change
2	<b>controversial</b>	likely to cause disagreement or discussion
3	<b>cohesion</b>	the action of forming a united whole
4	<b>dignity</b>	being worthy of honour or respect
5	<b>discrimination</b>	when someone, or a group of people, is treated unfairly because of gender, religion, disability, nationality, appearance or any factor when they are compared to other people
6	<b>dissent</b>	having a strong different opinion to the one commonly held
7	<b>injustice</b>	lack of fairness or justice
8	<b>lobbying</b>	trying to influence decisions of government on an issue
9	<b>legislation</b>	the process of making or passing laws
10	<b>militant</b>	someone who is willing to use force or violence in support of a cause
11	<b>nonviolent resistance</b>	a form of peaceful protest
12	<b>pioneer</b>	first to develop or to apply a new method, area of knowledge or activity
13	<b>prejudice</b>	an unfair opinion that is not based on reason or actual experience
14	<b>strike</b>	a form of protest that involves refusing to do something
15	<b>stereotype</b>	oversimplified belief of a person or group of people usually based on assumptions

What is protest?

A protest is an event or action where people gather with others to publicly express their opinions about something that is happening in society.

What is nonviolent resistance?

Nonviolent resistance (also called civil disobedience) is a form of peaceful protest. This type of protest involves people joining in a symbolic protest or peacefully refusing to cooperate.



Significant People

<b>Mohammed Ali</b>	<b>Vanessa Nakate</b>	<b>Millicent Garrett Fawcett</b>	<b>Paul Stephenson</b>
Mohammed Ali is an award-winning UK artist, curator and creative producer. He is also known as Aerosol Ali. His street art fuses Islamic script and patterns, delivering powerful and moving messages. Mohammed was awarded an MBE in 2016 for services to art and community cohesion.	Vanessa Nakate is a Ugandan climate activist. She grew up in Kampala and started her activism in December 2018 after becoming concerned about the unusually high temperatures in her country.	Millicent Garrett Fawcett led the National Union of Women's Suffrage Societies in the UK. Due to her leadership, between 1870 and 1884 debates on women's suffrage took place almost every year in Parliament.	Paul Stephenson along with others organised the Bristol bus boycott. Throughout his life, as an activist and campaigner of civil rights, Paul continued to speak out against the effects of discrimination.

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<b>Ruth Bader Ginsburg</b>	<b>Opal Tometi</b>	<b>Maya Angelou</b>	<b>Patrisse Cullors</b>
Ruth Bader Ginsburg was one of the first women to become a justice on the Supreme Court. Justice Ginsburg left a legacy as a champion for gender equality and a fighter for social justice.	Opal Tometi is an American human rights activist, writer, strategist, and community organiser. She is a co-founder of Black Lives Matter. She has campaigned for advancing human rights, migrant rights, and racial justice worldwide.	Maya Angelou is an author and poet who overcame prejudice and fought for LGBTQ rights. She wrote over 30 books, including 'I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings'. She read her poem 'On the Pulse of Morning' at the 1993 presidential inauguration.	Patrisse Cullors is an American artist and activist. She created the #BlackLivesMatter hashtag in 2013 and has written and spoken widely about the movement. Cullors also advocates prison abolition in Los Angeles and LGBTQ rights.