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## Women's Movement

A women's movement is an organized effort to improve women's lives. Such movements have worked to change the roles and position of women in society. They have worked to achieve greater social, economic, and political involvement for women. How much do you know about women's movements? Answer these questions to find out!

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### Find It!

Find the answers to the questions below by using the "Search" tool to search key words. Type in the key words "women's movement" to go to the article "Women's movement." Write the answers below each question.

1. What caused women to question traditional roles in the 1800's?
2. When did women's movements first develop?
3. Where did women's movements first develop?
4. The first wave of women's movements concentrated on gaining what?
5. When was the second wave of women's movements?
6. What did the second wave of women's movements seek to do?
7. When did the third wave of women's movements begin?
8. What does the third wave of women's movements focus on?

Find the answers to the questions below by using the "Search" tool to search key words. Type in the key words "woman suffrage" to go to the article "Woman suffrage." Write the answers below each question.

9. What is woman suffrage?
  
10. Which American state was the first to give women the right to vote?
  
11. When did all women in the United States gain the right to vote?
  
12. What is the amendment that granted women in the United States the right to vote?
  
13. Which country was the first to grant women full voting rights?
  
14. What are some ways in which suffragists worked for the right to vote?
  
15. Name three women who worked for woman suffrage. (Hint: look also at the other articles that appear when you search on the key words "woman suffrage.")

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## True or False

Write "True" if the statement about woman suffrage is correct. If the statement is not correct, write "False" and correct the statement in the space below.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 16. A suffragist is a woman who supports woman suffrage.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17. The woman suffrage amendment passed when it was first introduced in the United States Congress.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 18. France gave women the right to vote before Canada.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 19. Today, all women have the right to vote.

## What's the Word?

Questions 20-29. Find the words hidden within the puzzle from the list below. The words may be spelled out vertically (up and down), horizontally (across), or diagonally (slanted). Also, the words may be spelled in the right order, or they may be spelled backwards.

AMENDMENT	B	M	T	S	E	T	O	R	P	G	D	N	V	F	G
EQUALITY	F	D	F	P	E	T	J	I	J	K	E	L	P	V	U
FEMINIST	Q	S	T	H	G	I	R	G	N	I	T	O	V	U	K
MARCH	T	V	I	B	P	N	J	L	U	Z	B	I	B	I	Y
MOVEMENT	E	Q	T	N	B	B	Y	C	Z	G	M	H	Z	I	J
PICKET	W	G	A	M	E	N	D	M	E	N	T	I	I	F	Q
PROTEST	G	N	A	Z	D	M	T	P	Z	Q	E	E	L	V	Q
SUFFRAGE	G	F	S	R	D	D	O	S	F	L	S	R	I	W	X
VOTING RIGHTS	U	Q	A	P	F	S	Y	W	I	D	P	B	C	D	J
WOMEN	G	D	S	I	R	F	I	C	M	N	V	S	O	X	Z
	M	N	A	C	I	J	U	L	R	Q	I	C	P	H	D
	R	J	L	K	F	N	B	S	H	Y	J	M	G	A	A
	N	K	D	E	W	D	D	C	G	M	W	T	E	Q	T
	C	C	A	T	N	E	M	E	V	O	M	V	B	F	E
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## Answers

1. People moved from the country to cities, and society became more industrial. These changes made women question traditional roles.
2. Women's movements first developed in the 1800's.
3. Women's movements first developed in the United States and Europe.
4. The first wave of women's movements concentrated on gaining voting rights for women.
5. The second wave of women's movements began in the 1960's.
6. The second wave of women's movements sought greater equality for women in the family, the workplace, and political life.
7. The third wave of women's movements began in the 1990's.
8. The third wave of women's movements focuses on individual rights.
9. Woman suffrage is the right of women to vote.
10. Wyoming was the first American state to give women the right to vote.
11. Women in the United States gained the right to vote in 1920.
12. The 19th Amendment granted women in the United States the right to vote.
13. New Zealand was the first country to grant women full voting rights.
14. Suffragists worked for the right to vote by marching, picketing, and protesting in other ways
15. Answers will vary. Lucretia Mott and Elizabeth Cady Stanton are mentioned in the Kids article "Woman suffrage." Other important suffragists that appear in the search results for "woman suffrage" include Susan B. Anthony, Carrie Chapman Catt, Millicent Garrett Fawcett, Emmeline Goulden Pankhurst, and Lucy Stone.
16. False. *Men and* women who support woman suffrage are called suffragists.
17. False. The woman suffrage amendment was introduced in Congress in 1878. It failed to pass but was reintroduced in every session of Congress for the next 40 years.
18. False. Canada gave women the right to vote before France.
19. False. Women in all countries except Vatican City have the right to vote.

20.-29. Word Search Solution

B M **T S E T O R P** G D N V F G  
F D F P E T J I J K E L P V U  
Q **S T H G I R G N I T O V** U K  
T V I B P N J L U Z B I B I Y  
**E** Q T **N** B B Y C Z G M H Z I J  
W **G A M E N D M E N T** I I F Q  
G N **A** Z D **M T** P Z Q E E L V Q  
G F S **R** D D **O S** F L S R I W X  
U Q A **P F** S Y **W I** D P B C D J  
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M N A **C** I J **U** L R Q **I** C P H D  
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T Z **H C R A M E Q U A L I T Y**