

# Women's Right to Vote in Canada — Knowledge Organiser

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## Key facts

- For a long time, women in Canada could not vote.
- Campaigners worked hard to change this in the early 1900s.
- Most Canadian women won the right to vote around 1918, after the First World War.
- Indigenous peoples, however, had to wait much longer for full voting rights.

## Key vocabulary

- Suffrage — the right to vote.
- Campaign — organised work to achieve a goal.
- Equality — being treated the same.
- Democracy — government chosen by the people.

## A long struggle

Winning the vote took years of determined campaigning by women who believed they deserved an equal say.

## Not everyone, at first

It is important to know that Indigenous peoples were left out for much longer — full voting rights came only decades later.