

Middle Grades

An illustration of two children standing on a large rainbow banner. The child on the left is a white boy with brown hair, wearing a yellow and black striped shirt, blue pants, and a pink lei. The child on the right is a Black girl with curly hair, wearing a pink shirt with a rainbow heart and a rainbow skirt, holding a rainbow flag. The background shows a city street with buildings and a rainbow flag hanging from a building.

PRIDE PARADE

VIRTUAL field trip



What is Pride?

Pride means to be proud of yourself. Pride month is a time to celebrate and support LGBTQ people.

What is LGBTQ+?

L- Lesbian

G- Gay

B- Bisexual

T- Transgender

Q- Queer or questioning



Simply, this means supporting people who love others. When people say, "love is love", that means that love is the same whether it is a male and a female, two males, or two females.



BUILD BACKGROUND

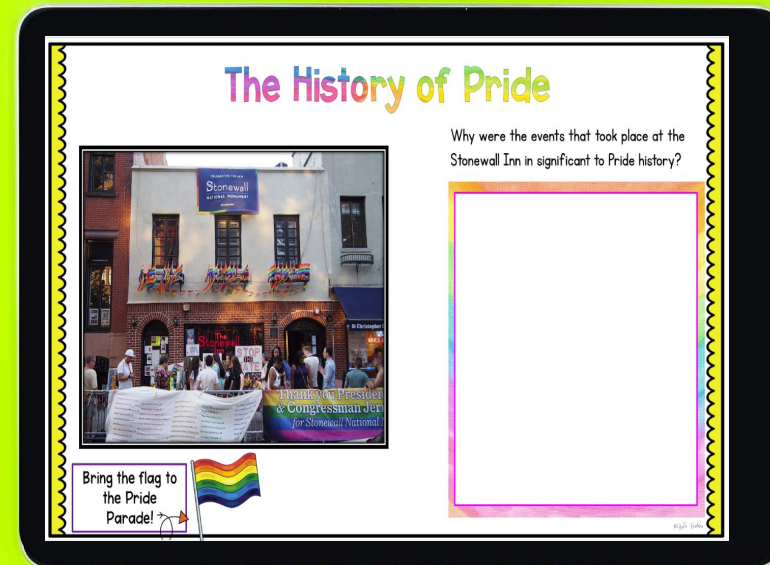


Learn about the reason
behind Pride Month.

LEARN ABOUT THE HISTORY



- Stonewall Inn
- How to be an Ally
- Historical and Influential Figures



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BUILD A PARADE



Show your progress on your journey by collecting images at each point.

CRITICAL THINKING



Learn about history
through multiple
perspectives.

A tablet screen showing a webpage titled "Who Is Billie Jean King?". The page includes a portrait of Billie Jean King, a video player with a play button, and a text box with a question. The background of the tablet is decorated with a rainbow, clouds, and colorful geometric shapes.

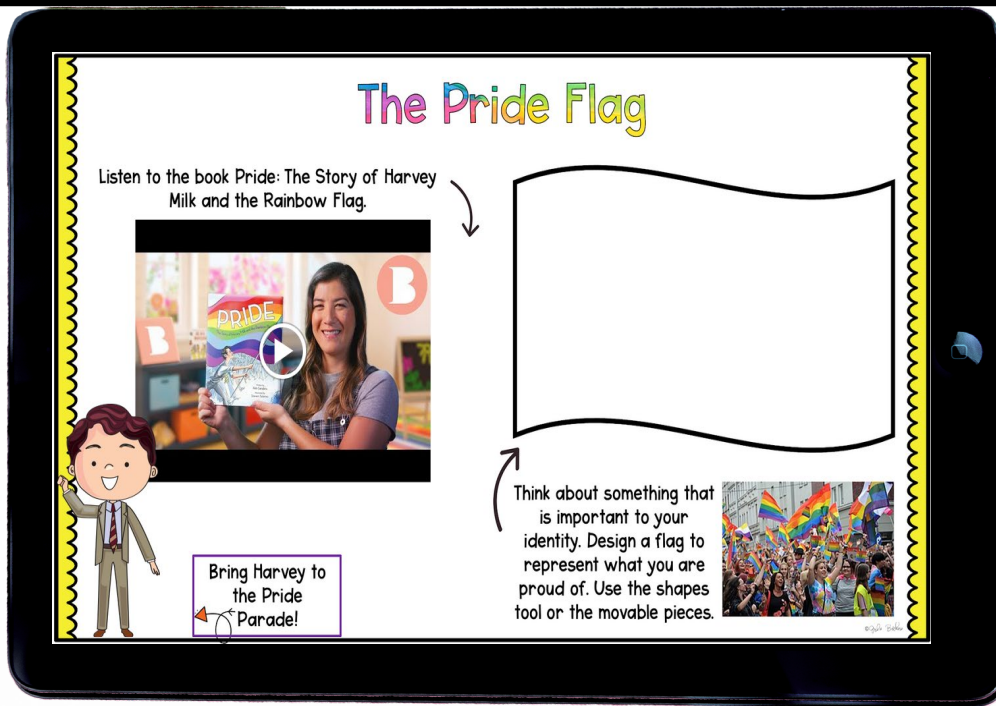
Who Is Billie Jean King?

Born November 22, 1943

Billie Jean King is a renowned tennis player and activist for women's rights. In 1972, she was the first tennis player and woman to be Sports Illustrated's Sportsperson of the Year. She won the US Open in 1972 and threatened to boycott the following year if women were not awarded the same prize money as men. In 1981, news leaked that Billie Jean was in a relationship with another woman. Billie Jean took charge of the rumors and confirmed she was in a relationship with another woman. This made Billie Jean the first out LGBTQ athlete. As a result, she lost all of her endorsements. There is no doubt that Billie Jean's struggles and activism paved the way for future women and LGBTQ people in sports.

How did Billie Jean King's struggles pave the way for future women and LGBTQ+ athletes?

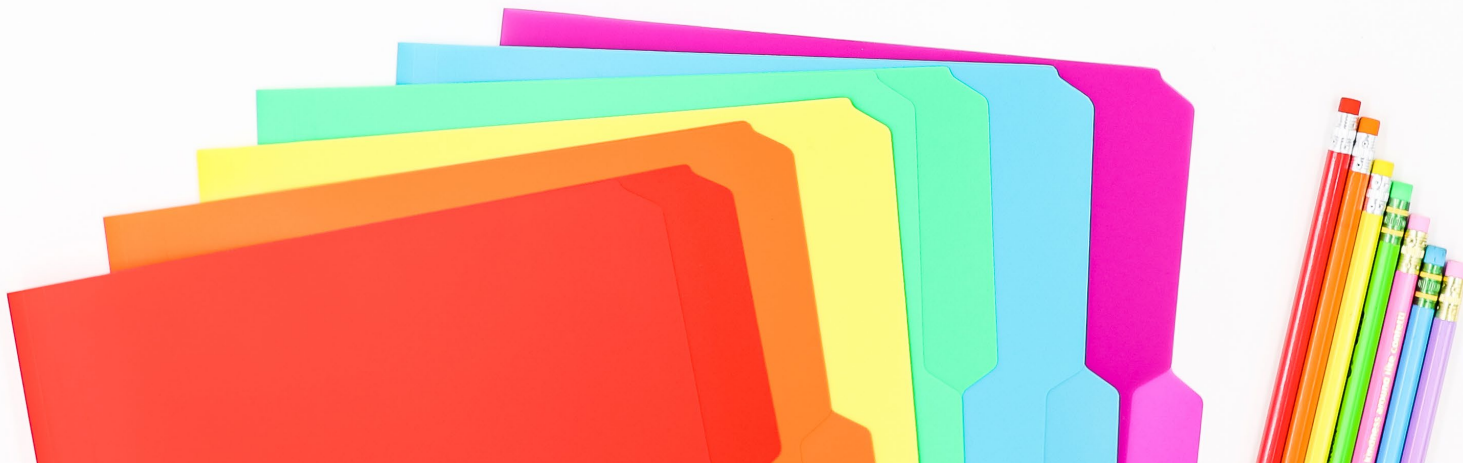
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ENGAGE IN CROSS CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES




Reading, social studies,
writing, and critical
thinking





Suggested Uses

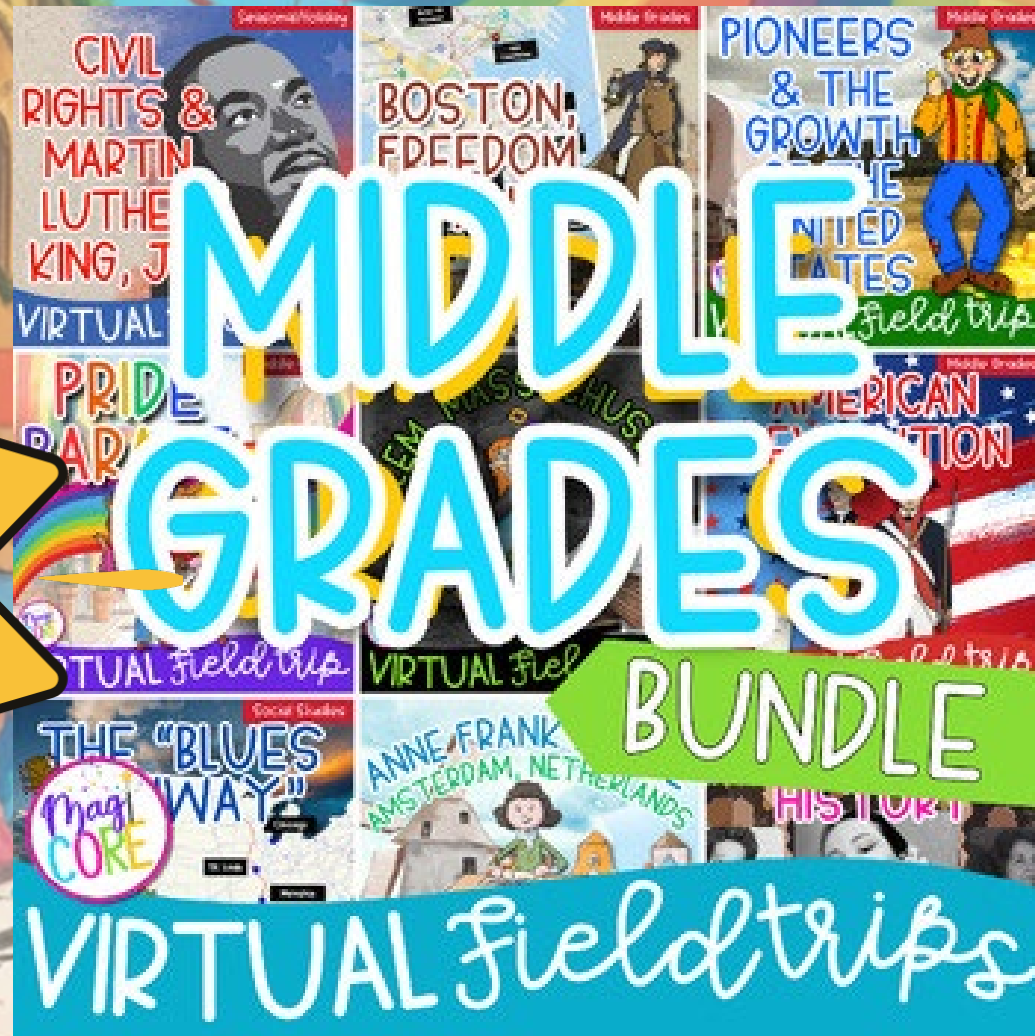
- Assign in Google Classroom or SeeSaw
 - Whole Class Activity
 - Small groups or center
 - Early Finisher
 - Incentive or Fun Friday
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Google Slides and SeeSaw



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