

Guided Reading Activity

The Politics of Protest, 1960–1980

Lesson 2 *The Feminist Movement*

Review Questions: Recording Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How Statements

Directions: Read each main idea and answer the questions below. Refer to your textbook to write the answers.

A. Main Idea: The women's liberation movement became important as women sought to improve their role in society.

1. **What** was the traditional role of women in society?

2. **Why** did some women work outside the home?

3. **What** was the significance of the Equal Pay Act?

4. **Who** was Betty Friedan?

5. **Why** was NOW important to the women's movement?

6. **Why** was the Civil Rights Act of 1964 not enough to cause change?

7. **Who** is Gloria Steinem?

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B. Main Idea: The women’s movement had some successes and some failures in trying to achieve reform.

1. **How** could the Equal Rights Amendment become part of the Constitution?

2. **Who** is Phyllis Schlafly?

3. **How** did Title IX affect education?

4. **What** was the importance of *Roe v. Wade*?

5. **What** is the importance of the feminist movement?

Summary and Reflection

Directions: Summarize the main ideas of this lesson by answering the question below.

Despite its failure, what was the impact of the Equal Rights Amendment?
