

Lesson 1:

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Comparing towns

Location	Number who signed	Conclusions I can draw
e.g. Brighton		
Lancashire		
London		

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Lincolnshire stories

A selection of historical stories from Lincolnshire:

Lincolnshire Chronicle, 11 April 1908:

Attributed to Suffragettes – a Grimsby message reports that during Monday night a dozen telegraph and telephone wires were cut at Little Coates and the service was for some time discontinued between Grimsby and Immingham. The outrage was attributed to suffragists...

Nottingham Journal, 9 October 1908:

SUFFRAGETTES AT LINCOLN: SPEAKERS PELTED WITH MISSILES.

The ten suffragettes who made such demonstration at the meeting in Lincoln Wednesday night addressed by the Home Secretary stayed in the city until yesterday afternoon. At noon they held an open-air meeting...

Lincolnshire Echo, 17 January 1910:

Two suffragettes from London, Bertha Brewster and Emily Hudson, gained access to Louth town hall the evening before a meeting and hid themselves in the roof space. As soon as Lloyd George started speaking they started shouting and heckling, 'Votes for Women!' The women were finally caught and removed from the meeting.

From the British Newspaper Archive

Grantham Journal, 1 March 1930 (page 5):

Suffragette Days Recalled: Grantham woman who went to gaol.

Skegness, Mablethorpe & Alford News, 7 September 1910:

'Votes for Women' messages were chalked on the pavement all across Skegness. They were also used to advertise a meeting held there, where two suffragettes addressed the crowd from the back of an open-top carriage.

Lincolnshire Echo,
March 1913:

Reported that tins of treacle without their lids on had been found in post bags collected in both Horncastle and Boston.

NB: There is also an extensive collection of articles from 1906–1914 reporting suffragette activity. These could be used to explore the attitude of the press in Grantham to events elsewhere in the country.

Lesson 4: Measuring the impact of the suffrage campaign in my area

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Activity	Information	Impact score (1–5)	Reasons

Lesson 4: Similarity and differences between Lincolnshire and the rest of the country

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Similarities	Differences