

YEAR 8- POWER AND PROTEST 100% SHEET

Literary Devices	
Metaphor	A comparison of two things without using the word 'like' or 'as'.
Adjective	A word to modify a noun.
Repetition	Deliberately using the same word or phrase over and over again.
Triplet	A set of three successive words used for impact.
Pronouns	A word which has been used instead of a noun or noun phrase.
Hyperbole	Exaggerating something for impact.
Statistics	A statement which contains numerical, factual data and is convincing.
Facts	A statement which can be proven and is true.
Rhetorical question	A question asked for rhetorical effect and not requiring an answer.
Emotive language	Language which makes the reader feel a certain emotion.

Key vocabulary	
Segregation (noun)	The action of setting someone or something apart from others.
Discrimination (noun)	Unjust treatment of different categories of people, especially on the grounds of race, sex, age or disability.
Injustice (noun)	Lack of fairness or justice
Liberty (noun)	Being free from control and restrictions.
Solidarity (noun)	Mutual support for a group of people.
Lynch (verb)	Kill someone without a legal trial, usually by hanging.
Persevere (verb)	Continue fighting for something you believe in.
Independence (noun)	Being independent and free from any control.
Autonomy (noun)	Freedom from any control or influence.
Integration (noun)	Welcome people from all backgrounds/needs into society.

Key concepts and themes	
Black Lives Matter	An international human rights movement which began using the hashtag #BlackLivesMatter.
Civil Rights	A struggle for social justice that took place mainly during the 1950s and 1960s for Black American to gain equal rights.
Jim Crow Laws	Jim Crow laws were passed in the Southern states in America. They denied black people equal rights.
Partition	In 1947, the partition led to the creation of two independent nations – India and Pakistan. It was the biggest movement of people.
The Windrush generation	The Windrush generation includes anyone who immigrated to Britain from the Caribbean between 1948 – 1973.
Women's rights	Women's rights are the rights and entitlements claimed for women and girls worldwide.
Activism	Using vigorous campaigning to bring about political or social change.
Race	A category of people who share certain inherited physical characteristics, such as skin colour, facial features and stature.



Key figures	
Alicia Garza	A key figure to start up the Black Lives Matter movement in 2013.
George Floyd	George Floyd was a man innocently killed by a Minneapolis police officer.
Jane Elliot	In 1968, a teacher named Jane Elliot carried out an experiment in discrimination based on the eye colour of children in her class.
Emmett Till	Emmett Till was a 14-year-old African American boy who was abducted, tortured and lynched in Mississippi in 1955.
Rosa Parks	Rosa Parks was an American activist in the civil rights movement best known for her pivotal role in the Montgomery bus boycott.
Martin Luther King Jr	Martin Luther King Jr was a visible spokesman and leader in the civil rights movement from 1955 until his assassination in 1968.
Greta Thunberg	Greta Thunberg is a Swedish environmental activist who is known for challenging world leaders to take immediate action for climate change. She is a powerful female in her own right.
Michelle Obama	Michelle Obama served as the first lady of the US from 2009 to 2017. She was the first African-American woman to serve in this position.
Malala Yousafzai	Malala Yousafzai is a Pakistani activist for female education.

Type of genre/ writing skill	
Speech writing	Writing which is meant to be read out in front of a crowd of people. It needs to be convincing and have a strong argument.
Opinion writing	Opinion writing includes an author's strong opinion on an issue in which they feel passionate about.
Motivational speech	Writing which inspires and persuades a person.
Entertaining speech	Writing which is intended to provide humour or some sort of entertainment.
Persuasive writing	Writing which is clearly and deliberately intended to make someone's opinion change on a topic.
Autobiography	An account of a person's life written by that person.
Biography	An account of someone's life written by someone else.
Memoir	A historical account of biography written from personal knowledge.