

LO: I am learning to
explain the impact of
discrimination

Context: LGBTQ+ Month



What is discrimination?



Example of Age Discrimination

The middle-aged woman is hired; however, the old-aged woman is not hired. The middle-aged woman is hired because she can do a lot, but the old-aged woman is not because she can not do as much as the young; however, the old has more experience than the young.

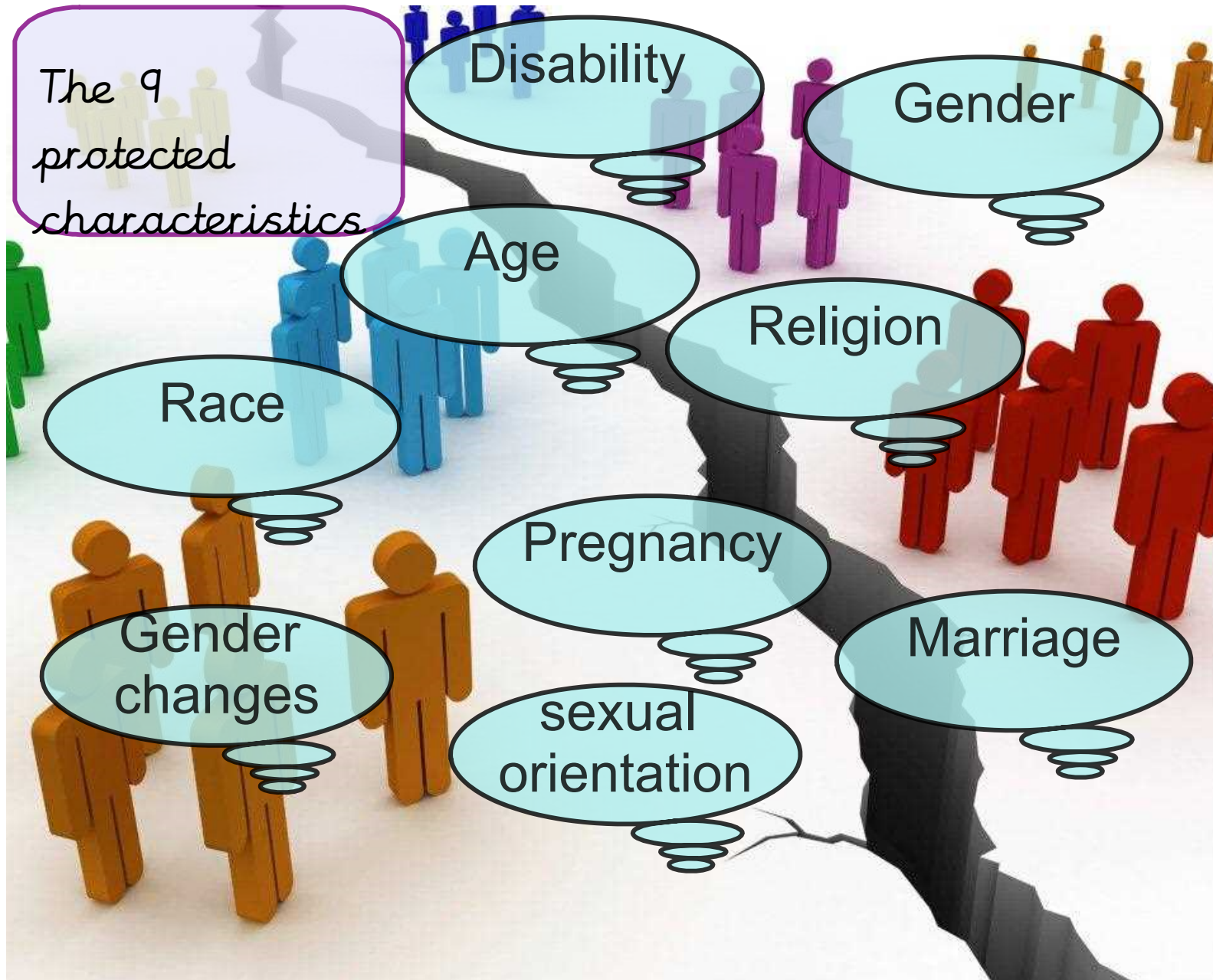
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noun

1. the unjust or prejudicial treatment of different categories of people, especially on the grounds of race, age, or sex.
"victims of racial discrimination"
synonyms: prejudice, bias, bigotry, intolerance, narrow-mindedness, unfairness, inequity, favouritism, one-sidedness, partisanship; [More](#)
2. recognition and understanding of the difference between one thing and another.
"discrimination between right and wrong"
synonyms: differentiation, distinction, telling the difference
"the discrimination between right and wrong"





What do we mean by
'sexual orientation'?

What Is Sexual Orientation?

Sexual orientation is the emotional, romantic, or sexual attraction that a person feels toward another person. There are several types of sexual orientation; for example:

* **Heterosexual** = People who are heterosexual are romantically and physically attracted to members of the opposite sex: Heterosexual males are attracted to females, and heterosexual females are attracted to males. Heterosexuals are sometimes called "straight."

* **Homosexual** = People who are homosexual are romantically and physically attracted to people of the same sex: Females who are attracted to other females are lesbian; males who are attracted to other males are often known as gay. (The term gay is sometimes used to describe homosexual individuals of either sex.)

* **Bisexual** = People who are bisexual are romantically and physically attracted to members of both sexes.

* **Asexual** = People who are asexual may not be interested in sex, but they still feel emotionally close to other people.

Language

- Homophobic language doesn't just affect gay people. It affects pupils who have gay friends and family as well, by suggesting that there is something wrong or inferior with their friends and family members. There are around 20,000 young people growing up with same sex parents. Research by the University of Cambridge *Different Families* 2010 found that the children of these parents find the use of the word gay as an insult, upsetting and makes them think there is something wrong with their parents.



Is this right?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8kLJ2sM-BFU>

Think about...

Watch the first 20 seconds.

What is this video about?

What message is it trying to portray in the opening scenes?

How does it make you feel?

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Watch the rest of this video

As you are watching, list the problems that the people in the video are facing and what challenges they have to deal with.

*Are all of the people in the video sad?
What does this tell you?*



'dreams really do come true'

Your Task:

You are going to create a timeline of how things have changed for members of the LGBTQ community over time.

You can complete this on Google Docs or Google slides or you can draw it out yourself.

See the next slide for some examples - be creative!

Examples:

Historical Timeline (1819-1854):

- 1819: Glasgow's first fire
- 1828: Andrew Jackson elected President
- 1830: Indian Removal Act
- 1844: Polk elected President
- 1850: TN State Capital building constructed
- 1854: Nashville and Chattanooga rail road lines

Timeline of Ava's Life!

Key Events in LGBTQ History:

- 2000: The Sexual Offences Act requires the age of consent. LGBT people are allowed to serve openly in the military.
- 2000: Transsexuals are recognised as an illness.
- 2000: Section 28 is repealed in England and Wales.
- 2000: Age of consent for gay men is lowered to 16 in Scotland, Ireland.
- 2000: The Equality Act comes into force protecting people from discrimination based on sexual orientation or gender reassignment.
- 2000: The Adoption and Children Act. Gender Recognition Act. Civil Partnerships Act.
- 2011: The Marriage (Same Sex Couples) Act legalises same-sex marriage in England and Wales.
- 2017: Celebrating 50 years since the 1967 decriminalisation of homosexuality.
- 2018: A referendum on marriage equality is held in the Republic of Ireland.

Road of My Life:

Timeline of LGBTQ+ Figures and Works:

- 1960s: "Over the Moon on My Mind" (1964) by John & Mary. "I Want to Be a Doctor" (1967) by John & Mary.
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Google form you have been
emailed this morning.*



Attachments



Lets learn about the history of LGBT+ in the UK

That's So Gay.exe