



## HOME LEARNING

Subject: PSHE

Time: 1 Hour

**This lesson is also available as an assignment on your TEAMS. It is the same lesson with an extra PowerPoint presentation with more information on International Women's Day. Please feel free to use this sheet and email it or complete directly on teams.**

**Learning Objective:** Observing International Women's Day - The aim of International Women's Day is for everyone, especially girls, to be encouraged to pursue their dreams and ambitions.

International Women's Day was first celebrated over 100 years ago in 1910. The aim was to have equality for men and women across the world.

However, important rights, such as health and education, are still not realised for some women. This lesson we will be learning about Malala Yousafzai and how she has fought and is still fighting for equality.

# Malala Yousafzai

## What Was Malala's Childhood Like?

Malala Yousafzai was born on the 12<sup>th</sup> of July 1997 in Pakistan. She lived with her parents and two brothers in a city called Mingora. She loved going to the local school set up by her father.



## What Problems Did She Face?

In 2007, life in Pakistan began to change. Girls were no longer allowed to go to school and women were no longer allowed to go to work. Some places in Pakistan became unsafe places to live and many people fled.



## Why Is She Important?

Malala stands up for women and girls and fights for their lives to be better. When she was only 11 years old, Malala gave her first speech about schools for girls in Pakistan being closed. She began to write a blog describing what life was like. She used a secret name and wrote over 35 entries in three months. Her work caused people to pay attention to what was happening in Pakistan.

In 2012, when Malala was only 15 years old, she was injured as she travelled home from school. She was flown to Birmingham, England, to go to the hospital. People were very upset about what happened to her and began to read about what she believes in.



## What Awards Did She Get?

Malala continues to live and go to school in England and she works hard to support causes around the world. She set up a charity to help girls all over the world to go to school and she has won many awards. In 2014, she was the youngest person to win the Nobel Peace Prize because of her courage and determination.



## Now answer the following questions:

1. In what month was Malala born? Tick **one**.

- September
- April
- July
- March

2. Where did Malala love to go? Tick **one**.

- shopping
  - walking
  - school
  - swimming
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3. Where did Malala go to the hospital in England? Tick **one**.

- Manchester
- Birmingham
- London
- Leeds

4. Number the events below to show what order they appear in the text.

- Malala won a Nobel Prize.
- Malala was attacked on her way home from school.
- Malala gave her first speech.
- Malala enjoyed going to school in Mingora.
- Malala was flown to England.

5. Find and copy one word that shows that Malala was brave.

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6. Look at the last section titled **What Awards Did She Get?** Fill in the missing words:

Malala continues to \_\_\_\_\_ and go to \_\_\_\_\_ in England.

7. Sum up in 25 words or fewer what Malala Yousafzai is famous for.

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**Save your work:** If you are using a computer, open a blank document to do your work (you can use Word or Publisher). Don't forget to **SAVE** it with your name, the lesson you are doing and the date.  
For example: **S.Smith PSHE 8 January**

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