

Women's History

Name:

Date:

Write the answer in other paper.

Susan B. Anthony was born in Adams, Massachusetts in 1820. A civil rights leader, she is best known for helping women win the right to vote in the United States.

Susan B. Anthony learned to read and write at the age of three, and was well educated in a family that valued education and advocated for civil rights. When she was 16, she attended the Friends Boarding School in Philadelphia. After moving to New York, she became a teacher and used her salary to help support her parents and siblings.

She became involved in other social movements, including the anti-slavery movement. While working in these causes, Anthony met other activists such as Frederick Douglass and William Lloyd Garrison, and became a motivated and passionate leader.

However, her primary cause was the women's suffrage movement. Together with Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Anthony founded the National Woman Suffrage Association. She worked closely with the group to help women achieve the right to vote. Anthony was arrested in 1872 after voting illegally in the presidential election. She was fined \$100, but refused to pay the fine.

Anthony also worked to improve women's rights in other areas, from education to fighting for equal rights in the workplace.

Susan B. Anthony died in 1906. Although she did not live to see the 19th Amendment, which gave women the right to vote, she is remembered as a pioneer in the movement for women's rights in the United States. Today, she is recognized as one of the most important figures in the fight for equality. Her image was placed on the dollar coin to honor her contribution to the country.

1. What are some of the ways that Susan B. Anthony is honored and celebrated?
2. What challenges did Anthony face in the fight for women to gain the right to vote, and how did this challenge affect her?
3. What was one of the causes of women's rights Susan B. Anthony fought for?
4. Write a timeline of Anthony's life, include years and a brief description of what occurred at each point in the timeline.