

## WHEN GRANDMA BURNT HER BRA



When Grandma Burnt Her Bra is a thought-provoking picture book written by **Samantha Tidy** and illustrated by **Aska**.

This cleverly written book uses humour to tell the story of feminism and women's rights, exploring how, throughout history, both men and women have broken down barriers.

Curriculum Links: HASS, English Age Range: Year 5/6

## **ACTIVITY: BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS**

## How equal are we?

This activity is designed to support students' understanding of equality and the issues people face.



Read **When Grandma Burnt Her Bra**. Encourage students to connect with the text by asking questions or offer wonderings.



The book explores some really important contemporary issues. Invite students to **share their noticings** and identify some of the challenges raised about equality. Encourage students to categorise their thoughts into home, local and global.



In groups of three, invite students to consider how they can **contribute to positive change** and better support equality. Use the <u>Compass Visible Thinking</u> routine to assist with discussions, unpacking information and deciding on a way forward.

