

Historical Figures: Neil Armstrong/ Rosa Parks

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Neil Armstrong
1930 - 2012



Neil Armstrong was an American astronaut.

He flew in the **1969 Apollo 11** mission to the moon.

He was the first man to ever set foot on the **moon**.

Sticky Knowledge

Rosa was awarded a **Presidential Medal of Freedom**.

Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat on a bus in the **Montgomery Bus Boycott**.

Rosa became a powerful symbol for Black **Civil Rights**, standing up against racism and injustice.

Following Rosa's refusal to give up her seat, there was **de-segregation** on the buses.

Historians study, interpret, and communicate the past to help us understand historical events, cultures, and their relevance today.

Rosa has inspired modern day social justice movements including **'Black Lives Matter'**.



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Key Vocabulary

astronaut	A person trained, equipped, and deployed by a spaceflight program to serve as a commander or crew member of a spacecraft.
Apollo 11	The name of the first spacecraft to land humans on the moon during the mission in July 1969.
mission	An important assignment given to a person or group of people, typically involving travel abroad.
injustice	A lack of fairness.
racism	The belief that different races possess distinct characteristics, abilities, or qualities, especially so as to distinguish them as inferior or superior to one another.
equality	The state of being equal, especially in status, rights, or opportunities.
Civil Rights	The rights of citizens to political and social freedom and equality.
segregation	The action or state of setting someone or something apart from others.

Rosa Parks
1913 - 2005

