

March 2023 Stitch-A-Long Women's History Month

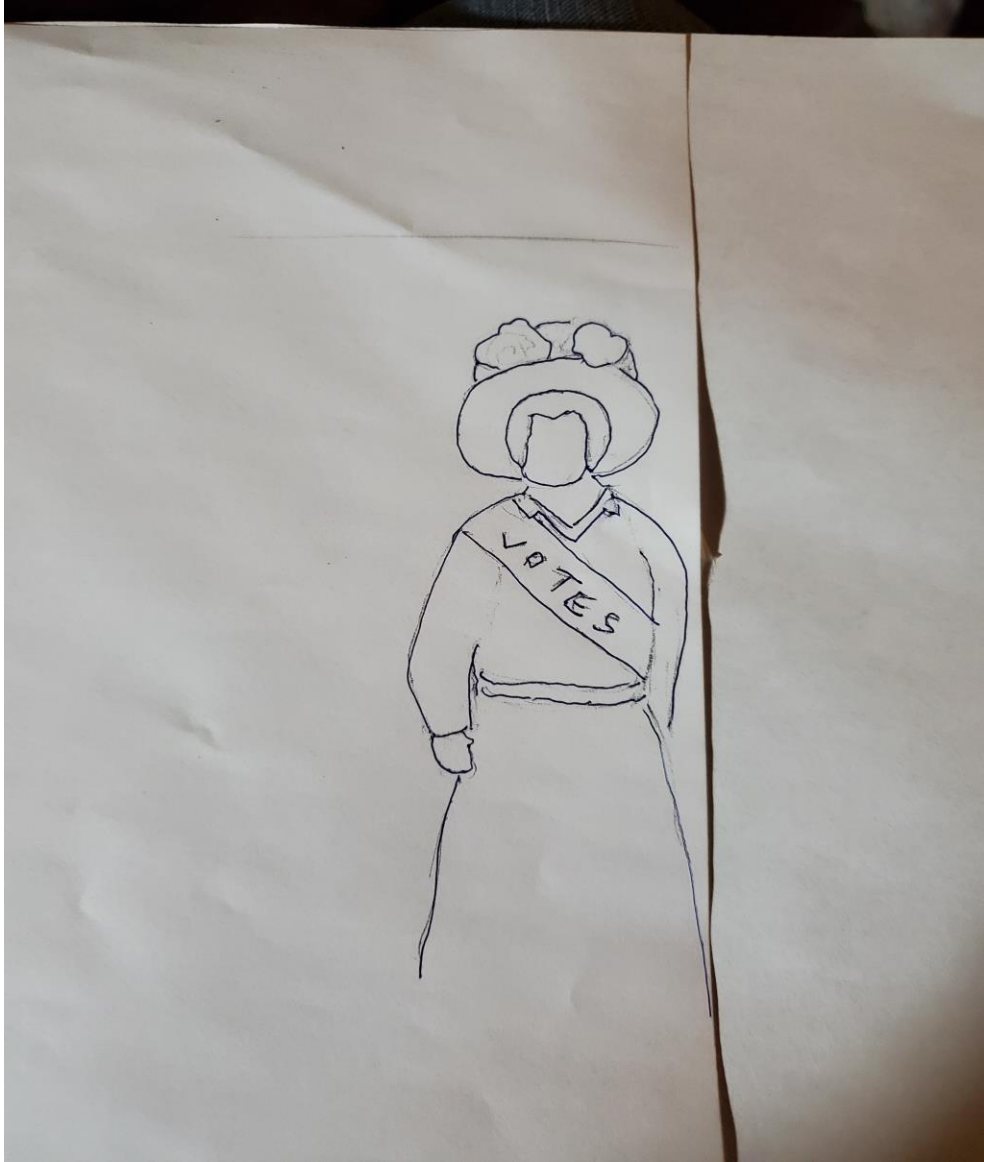


Suffragettes were activists who fought for the right to vote. Their slogan was “Votes for Women”. They often wore white dresses with sashes lined in gold and purple. Yellow roses showed support for women’s right to vote.

This embroidered suffragette was completed on a 7inch hoop.

1. The white dress is completed in three strands of DMC thread using an outline stitch or stem stitch. The sash outline was also completed with three strands of purple using the stem stitch. Votes was completed with straight stitches. You may wish to replace “votes” with “education” or “unions” since other activists in history petitioned for women to attend college or to improve working conditions in factories. The belt was completed with three strands of yellow using the back stitch.
2. Use the flesh color of your choice to outline the hand, face, and neck with stem stitch.
3. The hair is completed using the satin stitch in the hair color of your choice. Facial features were completed with seed stitches.
4. The hat rim was completed with 3 strands of black with a stem stitch. The hat flowers are woven spider webs in yellow and purple. The crown was completed with straight stitches.
5. Optional: Stitch a (s)hero cape with black thread and stem stitch.





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