



# Fairness

Exploring fairness through the life of  
Caroline Chisholm





- Click on the sound symbol below to listen to the life of Caroline Chisholm and how she focused on fairness to improve the lives of many.



# Fairness and Caroline Chisholm



Caroline Chisholm was an early settler from the UK to Australia.

Sydney at that time, was also an open prison for the many convicts sent from the UK.

Caroline realised that life was not fair for either the new settlers or the convicts and set about trying to bring fairness to their lives.



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There were many ways in which she demonstrated kindness. They included her welcoming new arrivals on the quayside and giving practical advice on employment and accommodation.

Her kind efforts were duly recognised, and her image appeared on the Australian \$5 note for many years.





# Fairness in Life



What do we mean by acting fairly?

Who in class, is the fairest?

Which jobs require a high degree of fairness?

Which other characteristics are needed alongside fairness?

Who in public life, do you think acts with fairness?

What can you do today to be fairer?



# Time for REFLECTION



Answer the following questions in your **Character at Home Passport**.

## 3-2-1 Character Reflection

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List 3 interesting facts about the Character Value you have explored.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

2

Explain in 2 sentences why the Character Value explored is important to help you flourish.

- 1.
- 2.

1

What is 1 way you could apply the Character Value explored to change your world (home, community, school, country)?

- 1.

