

★ Quicklook at Slave Rebellions

This was part of a scheme of work which emphasised the two forces working towards the end of slavery: the resistance of the slaves and the political action of abolitionists. The activity proved inspirational to other teachers and several similar connections activities were developed across Europe e.g one on the rise to power of Hitler and biographical information on Anne Frank. There are two other activities in the resource not shown here.

Students have to use the clues to fit the information on the timeline. It can be done by using only logic and mathematical knowledge.

600 slaves were entering Portugal each year after the Europeans started the Slave Trade.

10,000 - 15,000 Black people were living in London 19 years after Black people were stopped from being apprentices.

Carolina slaves rebelled against the Spanish, 4 years after slaves rebelled on Santa Domingo

Nat Turner's revolt was 19 years before California became a free state

Washington D.C. banned the Slave Trade in the same year as California became a free state.

Black people took part in the Gordon Riots 51 years after the 1729 law on baptism.

1441	1460	1522	1526	1655	1660 onwards
1684	1729	1731	1750	1760 onwards	1764
1772	late 1700s	1780	1786	1788	1791
1792	Early 1800s	1807	1820	1831	1833
1842	1850	1850	1854	1857	1863

The Afro- European Slave Trade was started by the Europeans.

Many Black people were Chartists during the early part of the 19th century.

6 years before U.S. emancipation, Scott, a runaway slave, sued his former master for his freedom.

12 years before the Missouri Compromise is revoked. The Supreme Court rules that slaves cannot be returned by Government officers if they run away.

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