

READING AND WRITING

PART 6

#2

Read and write the missing words.

EMMELINE PANKHURST

1	be	was	is
2	in	on	at
3	could	can	couldn't
4	grows	grew	growing
5	wanted	wants	want
6	to	at	for
7	more	most	many
8	them	their	her
9	support	supported	supports
10	were	was	been

Emmeline Pankhurst 1_____ born in Manchester, 2_____ the north of England, in 1858. Back then British women 3_____ vote in elections, but men could.

Emmeline went to school in Paris, France. As she 4_____ up she became interested in politics and 5_____ to create a more equal society for women and men. She wanted women 6_____ have the same rights as men, such as the right to an education, the right to have a good job and, perhaps 7_____ importantly, the right to vote.

In 1888, the girls who worked at the Bryant and May match factory in London went on strike. They stopped working and asked the owner of the factory to improve 8_____ terrible working conditions. They worked 14 hours a day. Many of the girls were ill because they worked with dangerous chemicals.

Emmeline 9_____ the strike. Emmeline formed The Women's Social and Political Union, also called the Suffragettes, in 1903.

The Suffragettes 10_____ a group who fought for women's rights, especially the right to vote. They published a newspaper called Votes for Women which sold 20,000 copies a week.