Protesters and Political Activists

**Political Protest** - when people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bring \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to their issue

-some people write \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to bring attention to the issue

**Political Activist** - people who take a much more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stand

- usually organize a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of people and attempt to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ society in some way

Examples:

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| Example: | What are they protesting? | How did they protest? |
| Bob Dylan | -freedom for Carter who was put in jail for something he didn’t do | -songs  -protested with signs outside the prison |
| The Dixie Chicks | -The president’s war on Iraq | -went on TV with their opinions  -wrote songs |
| Emma Watson | -gender equality | -speech |
| Canada | -Bill C-51 | -picket signs – rally – chanting 🡪 news and gets attention |

Which method of protest do you think is the most effective and why?

What do you feel strongly enough about to protest?