

Sexist global inequalities, by Amira

In History women have come very far, for example, the Suffragettes gaining voting rights for women is one of many iconic things women have done in order to stand up for their rights. Unfortunately for the last 101 years women have still not gained equality with men, I find this very hard to think about as women make up 66% of the illiterate adults yet when they have the same job as men their salary is decreased by 25%. There are many stereotypical people that think '*Women are to only stay and clean the house and look after the kids.*' Now to me I think this is insane as women produce many of our population and then those children become famous and well-remembered people who help change and develop the world to make it a better place. Many people might think this is how it should be but there have been many debates and protests about this one question '*Are women equal with men?*', many people have different opinions about this, still, there may be a way to get around this, there are still many things to tackle about this issue like '*what happens if all women work?*', in this issue there are many things to sort out.

Apart from Woman's independence day and Mother's day there should be more things to participate in and more awareness to raise people's attention about this matter as I don't think many people know about this and don't associate it to something 'important' or a worldwide matter. I think that men are not grateful for women and what they have done and achieved, to be honest with you, women do all the work as 2/3 of work in the world is done by women, yet do we have some kind of '*women's month*'?

Today I think men are recognised more than women as they have more '*leadership*' roles in society, but one question I would like to know about is why men and women aren't equal as we are in the 21st century? Things have changed, so people need to change, as this can't go on forever, society is changing. Like Martin Luther King, I too have a dream in which it empowers society with equality. We have many women with brains and thoughtfulness that are going to waste day by day '*and why so?*' many people think this is how it should be and that this is their destiny, we are moving on and so do people to make this earth a better place. People need to stop living in the past and accept women for who they are and what they are, I'm pretty sure you have no right to be in charge of what they have become today, I hope this issue is resolved one day, as many people are suffering to get their voices heard, but just note to yourself; *how can I help?*, if you have the answer to that I am pretty sure the rest will fall into place.