







VotesforSchools Lesson Plan: KS2

Is “cancel culture” unfair?

			
1 min	Feedback	Whole class	Pupils see the results and feedback from last week's topic.
3-5 mins	1. Starter: What's social media for?	Pair	Pupils discuss which social media platforms that they use and why.
3-5 mins	2. What is “cancel culture?”	Whole class	Pupils find out what “cancelling” and “cancel culture” is.
4-5 mins	3. Why are we talking about this?	Pair	Pupils find out why they are discussing this topic today.
10-15 mins	4. Should they be cancelled?	Whole class	Pupils look at four different examples where there have been calls for a celebrity to be “cancelled”. They look at the evidence and decide if they agree or disagree.
5-10 mins	5. Gone too far?	Pair/ Whole class	Pupils now look at two real life examples of people being cancelled and how this affected their lives and decide if it's fair or gone too far.
7-15 mins	6. Agree or disagree?	Pair/ Individual	Pupils discuss a range of different thoughts around cancel culture and debate each statement as a class.
1-2 mins	Career Launchpad	Whole class	Pupils have the opportunity to put this topic into action in the real world. See below for details.
N/A	Vote	Whole class	Pupils review the Yes/No arguments for this topic before casting their vote.

Keywords:

- Cancel
- Culture
- Online

Career Launchpad!

- Learn more:** Pupils find out more about screen time and its effects.
- Career Spotlight:** How can your digital footprint effect your life?

This lesson plan is for the **KS2 presentation**

Supporting materials for SEND learners in this box

Challenge tasks in this box