

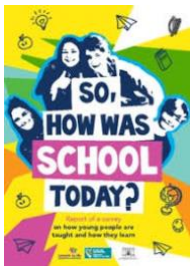
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IN DISCUSSION WITH

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EDUCATION & SOCIOLOGY



PAULO FREIRE (1921-1997)

FACTS....

Where was he from....

What was his field of study...

What family issues influenced his work...

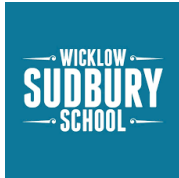
Why is his work of importance...

NAME TWO OF FREIRE'S MOST FAMOUS BOOKS

What does the word Pedagogy mean? What form of pedagogy is practiced in your school? Do you think it is the best practice, why?

Freire saw education as a platform for social and political change, how?

SO, HOW WAS SCHOOL TODAY? was a report created from surveys of post primary students about their experience of education, what mechanisms are there available to you to share your experience of education, do you think it is important for young people to have a say?



Freire believed that education should help society as a whole by empowering the disempowered, what about people who are not aware that they are an oppressed or powerless group, how would he approach this?

What are Sudbury Schools and how do they operate? Can you think of any other alternative practices?

LIST ALL OF THE ORGANISATIONS WHICH HELP YOUNG PEOPLE TO USE THEIR VOICE FOR CHANGE IN SCHOOLS

In an ideal world what would your vision of an education system look like, and how does it compare to Freire's vision...

Investigation: Name the Minister for Children and Youth Affairs, and Minister for Education, how do they work together?

