

# WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE

Women's suffrage is the right of women to vote in elections. Women have that right today because brave women over a hundred years ago fought for it and won! We have come a long way since then, but we can still do more to create equal rights for all women today.

These women, called suffragists, would dress in white to stand out from all of the men who wore dark suits. They would walk around with signs that said what they felt. They also wore the colors purple, white and yellow on sashes around their bodies. Purple stood for loyalty, white for purity, and yellow for hope.

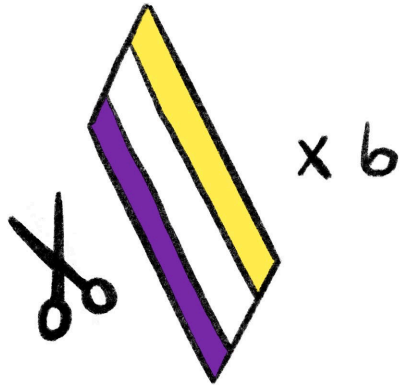
## Vocabulary Words

Sash: A long strip of cloth worn over one shoulder or around the waist, especially as part of a uniform or official dress.

Election: A formal and organized choice by vote of a person for a political office or other position.

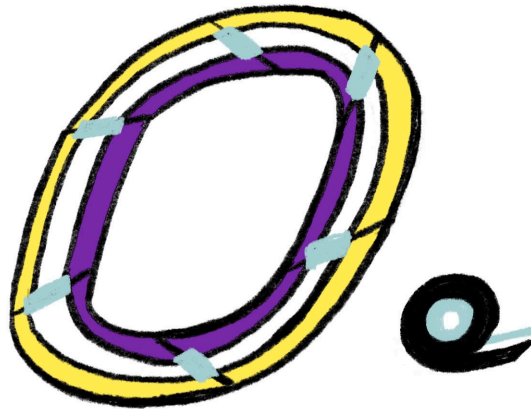


# Make Your Own Suffrage Sash



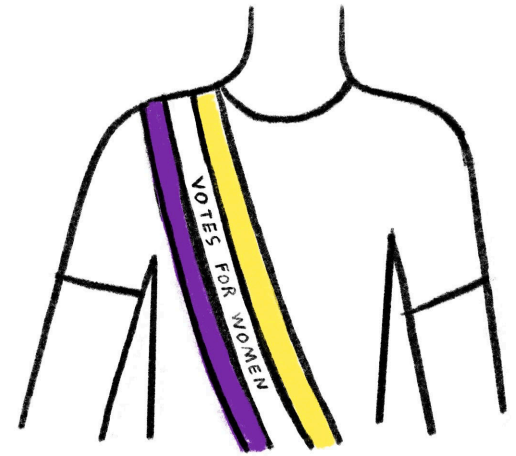
CUT OUT SASH PIECES

STEP 1



TAPE THEM TOGETHER,  
OVERLAPPING SLIGHTLY

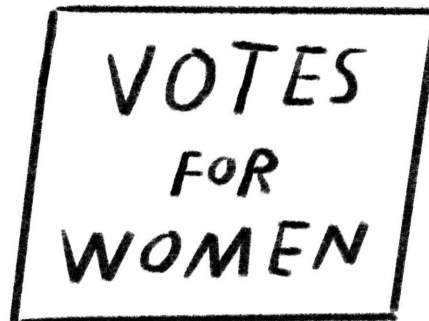
STEP 2



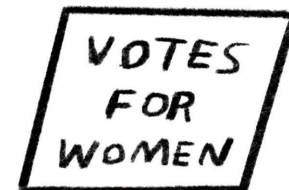
WEAR IT!

STEP 3

color  
your  
sign



TAPETO  
A RULER

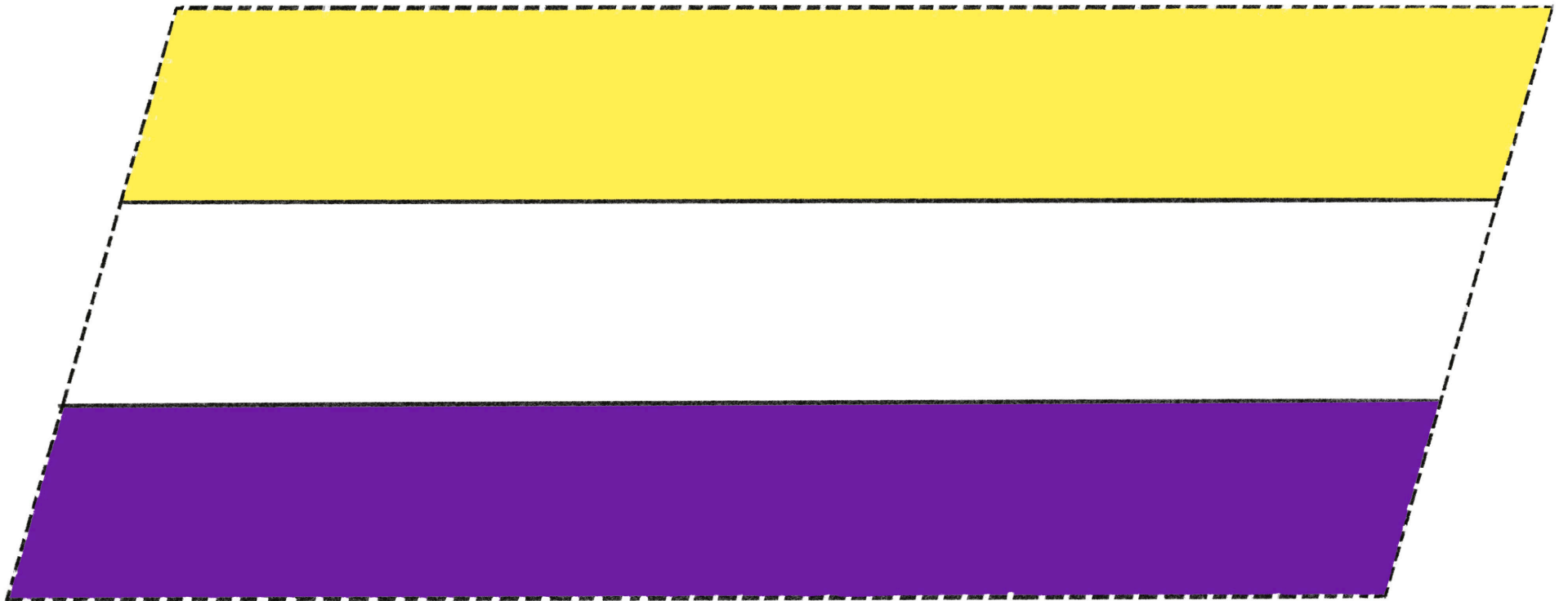
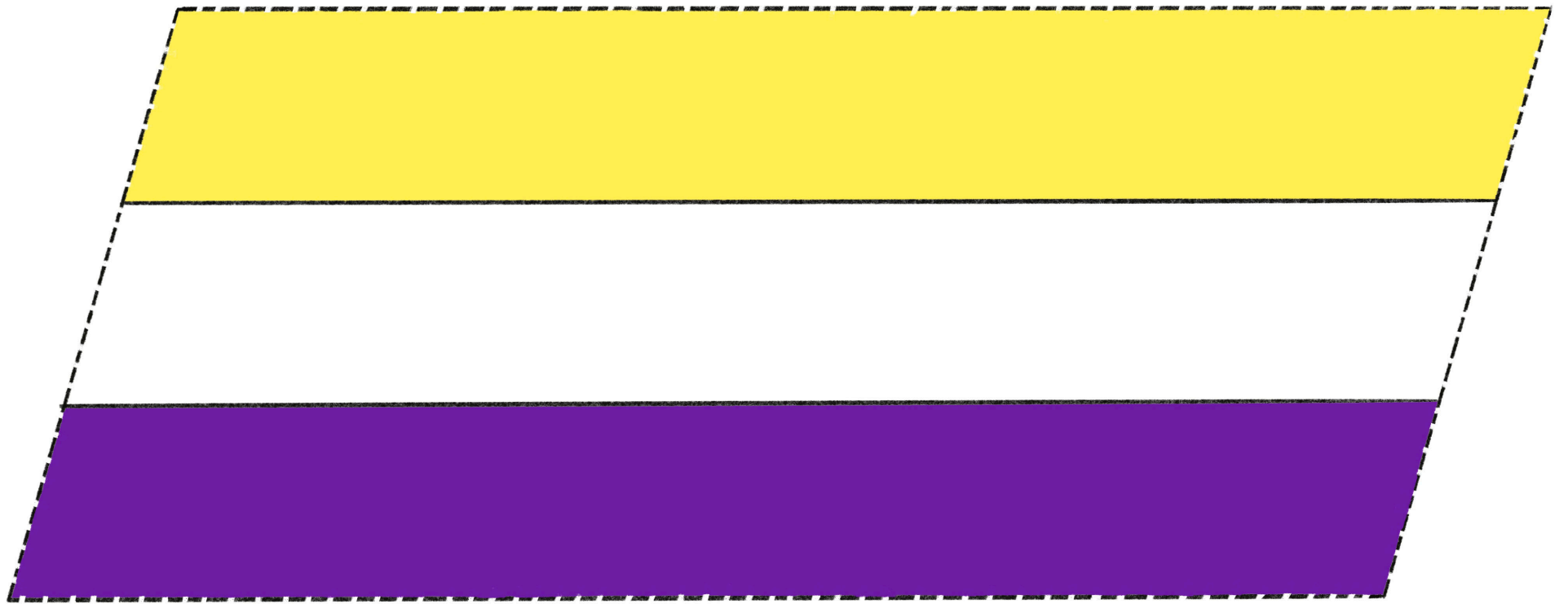


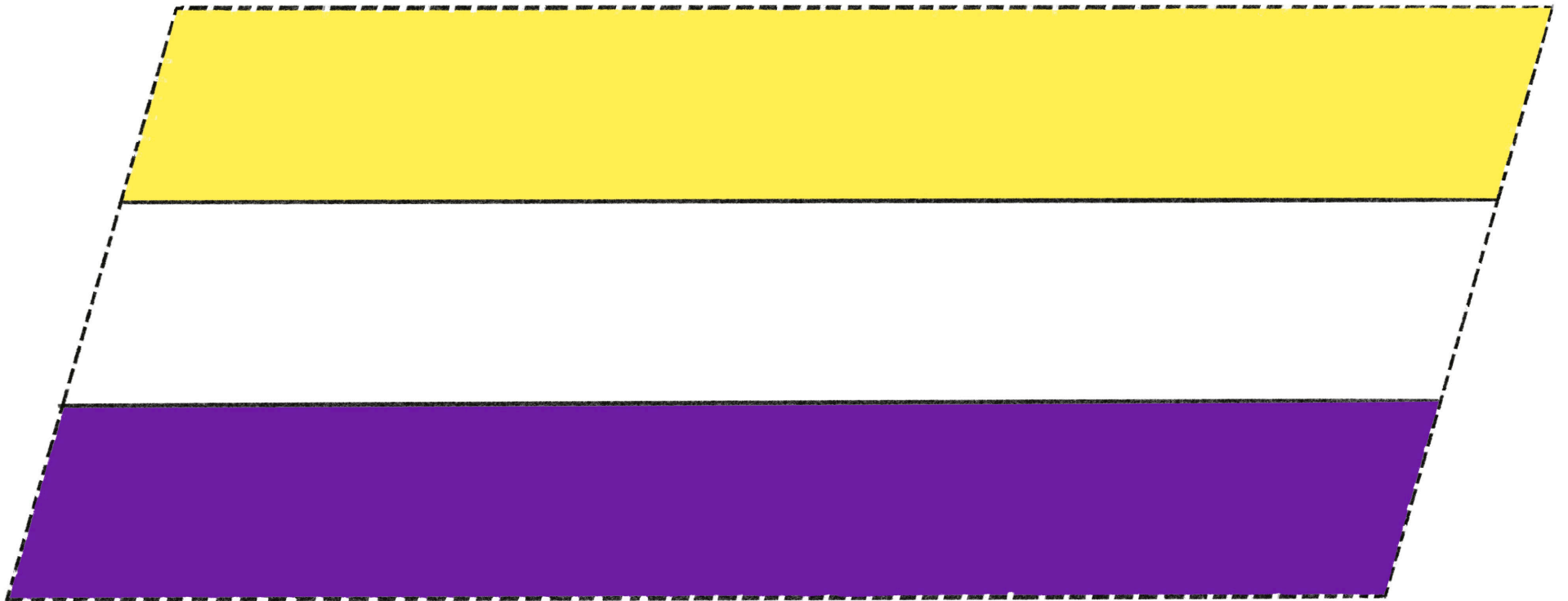
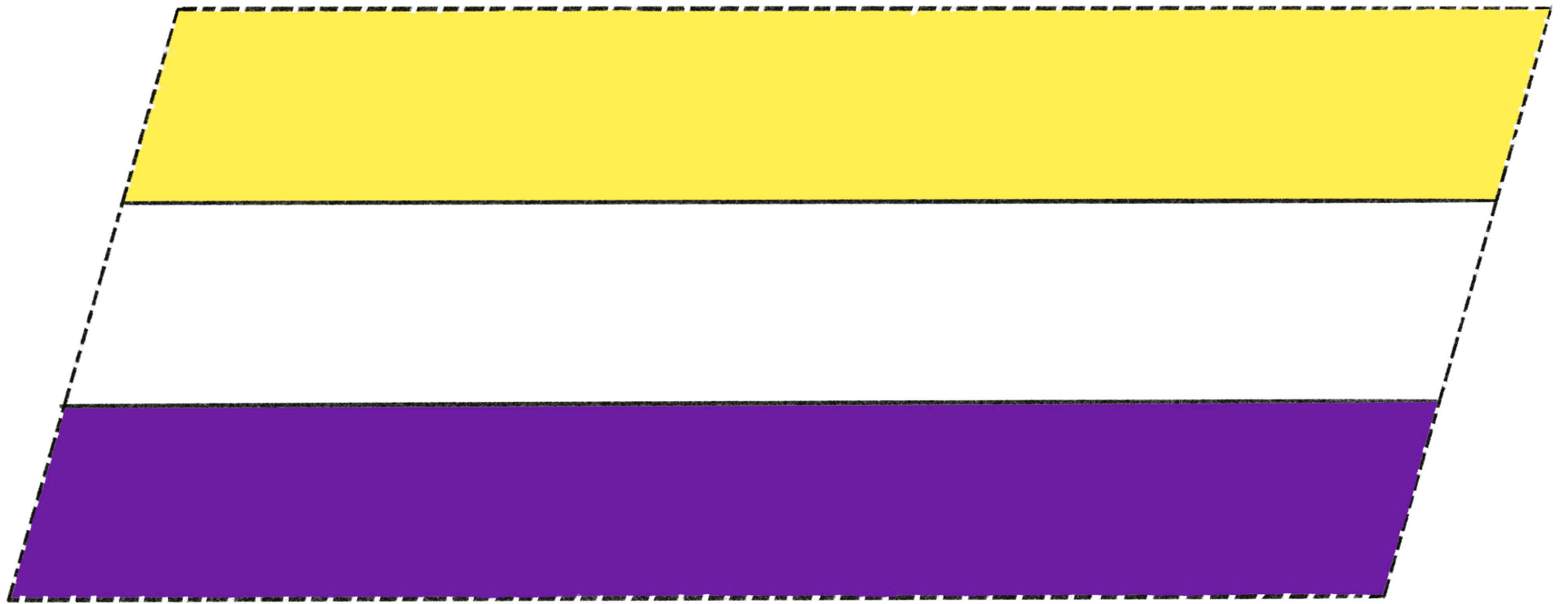


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