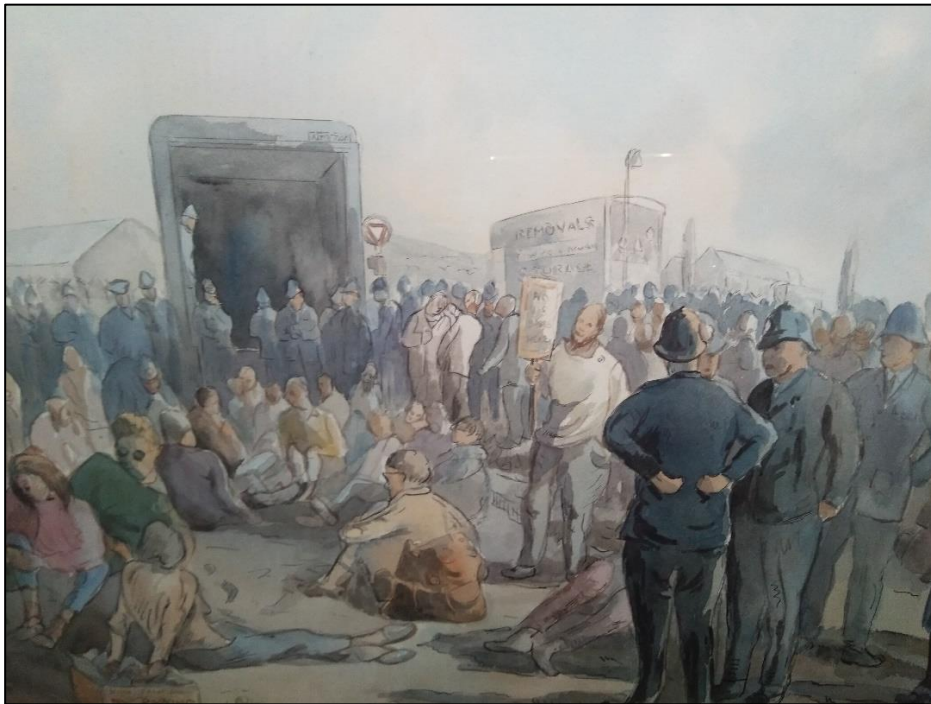


Design and write a slogan

Here's a picture of a painting (by Marjorie Heather) in one of the museum's special exhibitions, Place to Place. It shows a sit-down protest outside Greenham Common, probably in the late 1970s, and one of the protestors has a placard reading 'NO US (United State of America) BASES HERE'. Uniformed policemen are standing around the protestors and removal vans (to remove the protestors) are parked behind. It was probably a protest against the United States Air Force's proposed plan to reactivate the base for huge tanker planes, which was rejected by the Ministry of Defence.

The people protesting obviously felt strongly about this matter. Is there a subject that you feel strongly about? Using colouring pencils or felt tip pens, design and write two slogans on the placards below. You might like to make a larger version on a separate piece of paper.



Spotter challenge! Circle these on the painting (above): a policeman, a protector with placard, a removal van, a sitting protestor, and a building on the United States base at Greenham Common.