

Celebrating Heroes with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To learn about inspirational figures from Black history and develop mark-making and drawing skills to represent people and their achievements.

Ellie the Elephant has been reading stories about amazing people who have helped change the world for the better. Today, we are going to draw someone who inspires us. Use the word bank to label your picture.

Draw: In the large empty box on your sheet, draw a portrait of a person who is a hero to you. You can draw them standing tall and smiling. Use bright colours to show their personality. Around the person, draw symbols that represent their good work, such as a heart for kindness, a star for being a leader, or a book for their wisdom.



Label words: Hero · Kind · Brave · Change · Dream

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw a person you think is a hero in the space below.
2. Step 2: Draw something that shows what your hero did to help others (like a book, a microphone, or a heart).
3. Label your drawing using at least one word from the word bank.
4. What is one kind thing your hero did? Tell your partner or teacher.
5. How does your hero make the world a better place?