

Celebrating Remarkable People: A Year 1 English Assessment

Learning objective: To demonstrate understanding of historical figures, use descriptive language, and practise writing sentences about inspiring individuals.

Read the questions carefully. Use the word bank to help you with your spelling. Write clearly and remember your capital letters and full stops.

This month, we are learning about people who have made the world a better place. We look at history to see how brave people stood up for what was fair. Some people became famous for their inventions, some for their music, and some for leading others to be kinder. Every person has a story that is worth telling.

Word bank: brave · kind · history · leader · change · story · important · hero · help · world

1. 1. Why is it important to learn about history? Use one word from the word bank. (2 marks)

2. 2. If you could meet a hero from history, what is one question you would ask them? (2 marks)

3. 3. Ellie the elephant loves to remember stories from the past. Write two sentences about why a person from history might be remembered as 'brave'. (4 marks)

4. 4. Look at the word 'change'. What is one small change you could make in your classroom to be more helpful to others? (4 marks)

5. 5. Pip the caterpillar is writing a book about a person who made a difference. Write a short paragraph (3-4 sentences) about someone who inspires you. Include what they did and why they are important. (8 marks)

6. 6. Why do we celebrate Black History Month? (Think about the word 'fair'). (5 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of a person who inspires you. In your drawing, show them doing something kind or brave.



Extension challenge: Total: /25. Challenge: Can you write an extra sentence using the word 'admire' to describe your hero?