

Celebrating Heroes: Black History Month

Learning objective: To learn about inspirational figures in Black history and practise writing descriptive sentences.

Read each question carefully. Use the word bank to help you write your answers. Remember to use capital letters and full stops.

Black History Month is a special time to celebrate the lives and achievements of Black people. We look back at history to learn about people who showed great courage. These leaders worked hard to make the world a fairer and kinder place for everyone. By sharing their stories, we can learn how to be better friends and helpers in our own communities.

Word bank: brave · history · change · kind · leader · story · important · courage

1. Why do we celebrate Black History Month? Use the word 'history' in your answer. (2 marks)

2. If you were a leader like the ones we learn about, what is one way you would make the world a better place? (2 marks)

3. Think of a person you admire. Write one sentence to describe why they are a 'brave' person. (2 marks)

4. Fill in the blank: Black History Month helps us learn about people who brought _____ to the world. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of a person you think is a hero. Give them a special badge that says 'Leader' on it.



Extension challenge: Ellie the elephant is writing a poem about a hero. Can you write two lines of poetry about someone who made a big change in the world?