

Celebrating Black History Month with Ellie

Learning objective: To learn about the contributions of Black people to British history and understand why we celebrate Black History Month.

Read the sentences carefully. Use the word bank to help you complete the answers. Write your answers in the boxes below.

Ellie the elephant loves history. She wants to help us learn about Black History Month. This happens every year in October. It is a time to learn about the important things Black people have done for our country. We learn about their lives, their bravery, and the many ways they have helped make Britain what it is today.

Word bank: Black History Month · October · contributions · history · celebrate

1. In which month do we celebrate Black History Month in the UK? (1 mark)

2. Who is our guide today for learning about the past? (1 mark)

3. Why is it important to learn about the contributions people have made to our country? (2 marks)

4. Complete this sentence: Black History Month is a time to _____ the achievements of Black people. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Ellie the elephant holding a book about a famous person from _____ history.



Extension challenge: Can you name one person you have heard about who helped others? Write their name or draw what they did.