

A Hero's Fact-File: Celebrating Black History

Learning objective: To research and record key facts about a significant Black historical figure using a structured fact-file.

Hello! I am Ellie the elephant. I love learning about history! Today, we are going to celebrate Black History Month. Choose a famous Black historical figure you have learned about in class. Use this fact-file to write down what makes them a hero. Use the word bank to help you with your spelling. Remember to use capital letters for names and places.

Word bank: courageous · achievement · leader · change · inspiration · history · contribution · pioneer

1. Name of the person: Write the full name of the person you have chosen. (1 mark)

2. What did they do?: Describe one important thing this person achieved. (Sentence starter: They were famous because...) (3 marks)

3. Why are they a hero?: Explain why you think this person is important. (Sentence starter: I think they are a hero because...) (3 marks)

4. A key word: Choose one word from the word bank that best describes this person and explain why. (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Can you write one extra sentence about how this person changed the world for the better?