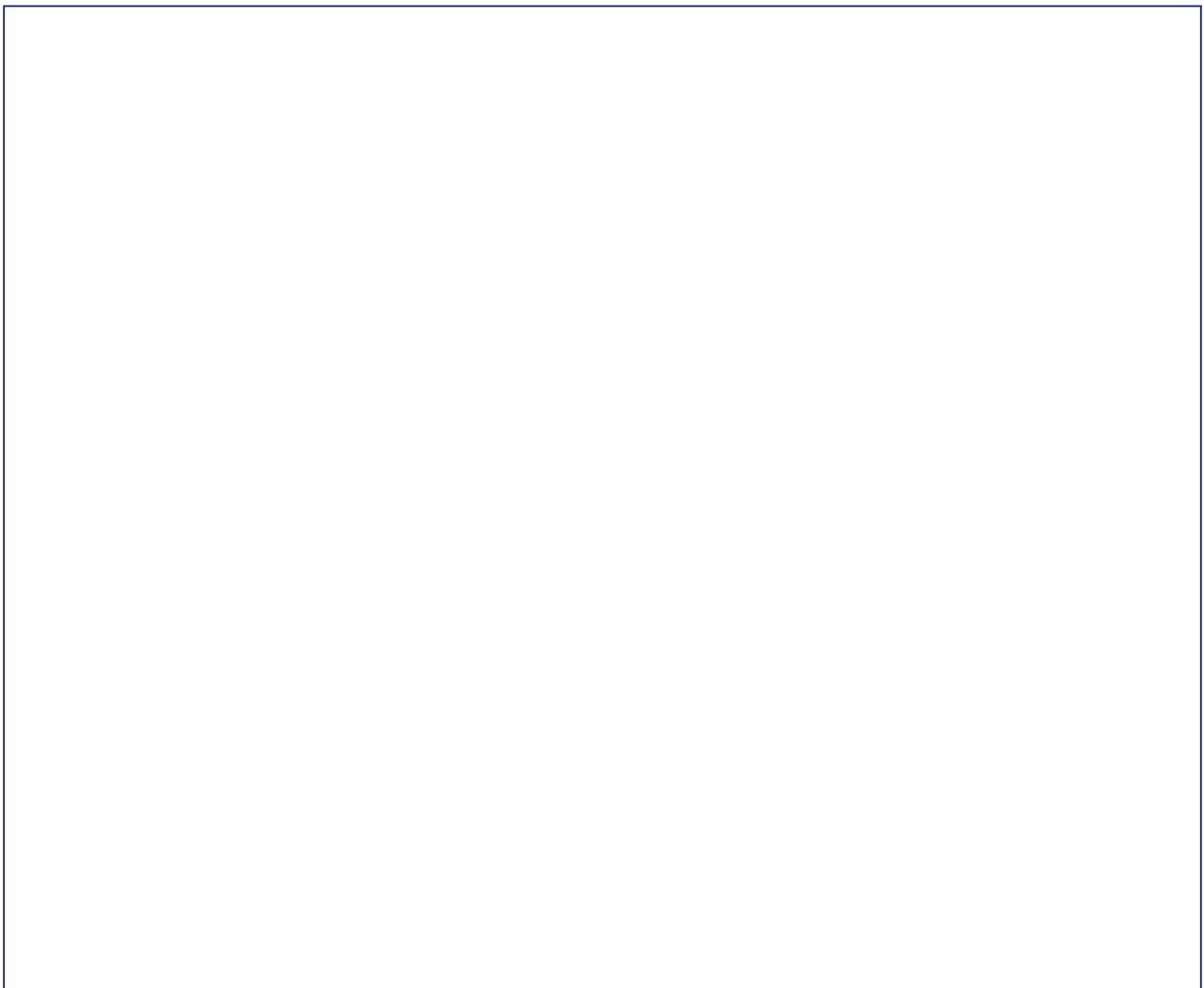


Celebrating Pioneers: A Creative Tribute

Learning objective: To recognise and reflect on the contributions of significant Black individuals throughout history and identify qualities of inspirational leadership and resilience.

In this activity, you will illustrate a 'Gallery of Greatness'. Choose an inspirational Black historical figure you have researched. Create a portrait surrounded by symbols that represent their achievements and the impact they had on the world. Use your labels to explain why they are a role model.

Draw: Draw a portrait of your chosen historical figure in the centre of the page. Around the figure, create a 'symbolic border'. For example, if they were a scientist, draw beakers or stars; if they were a writer, draw quills or open books. Use a clear, illustrative style. Ensure the figure is the focal point, showing their expression. Use labels with arrows to connect your symbols to the achievements of the person.



Label words: Resilience · Pioneer · Advocacy · Legacy · Courage · Innovation · Equality · Determination

Steps:

1. Explain why the person you chose to draw is considered a pioneer in their specific field.
2. Compare and contrast the challenges faced by your chosen historical figure with the opportunities available to people today.
3. Justify your choice of symbols in your drawing. How do these images represent the person's character?

4. What might happen if this individual had not persevered in the face of adversity?
5. Label your drawing with three words from the word bank that best describe your chosen figure.
6. Identify one modern-day issue that you believe your chosen historical figure would be passionate about solving today.