

Celebrating Remarkable People

Learning objective: To recognize that Black History Month is a time to learn about and celebrate the achievements of Black people throughout history and today.

Read the questions carefully and write your answers on the lines provided. Think about the brave and clever people we have learned about in class.

Black History Month is a special time of year when we learn about the important things Black people have done for our world. We look back at history to see how people used their courage, talent, and kindness to make our lives better today. Ellie the Elephant says that remembering these stories helps us be better friends to everyone.

Word bank: history · brave · achievement · change · celebrate · kindness

1. Why do we celebrate Black History Month? Write one reason. (2 marks)

2. If you could ask a brave person from history one question, what would you ask them? (2 marks)

3. Ellie the Elephant says we should remember these stories. How does learning about other people help us be a good friend? (2 marks)

4. Name one thing you think makes a person 'brave'. (1 mark)

5. True or False: Black History Month is only about things that happened a long time ago. Circle your answer. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of a person who inspires you. It could be someone from history or someone you know today who has done something kind or brave.

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for a student to draw a picture of an inspiring person.

Extension challenge: Imagine you are writing a poem about a hero. Write two sentences to describe why they are important to you.