

My Social Studies / History Hero: A Black Social Studies / History Month Writing Frame

Learning objective: To write a short biography about a significant person in Black history, using facts and descriptive language.

Use this scaffold to help you write a report about someone who has made a difference in history. Think about who they were, what they achieved, and why we remember them today.

Social Studies / History is full of remarkable people who have changed the world through their bravery and hard work.

Word bank: courageous · determined · pioneer · because · furthermore · in addition · meanwhile · inspired · legacy · notably

1. Introduction: Who is the person you have chosen and why are they famous? Start with: I have chosen to write about... (2 marks)

2. Early Life: Where were they born and what was their life like when they were younger? Start with: They were born in... (2 marks)

3. Main Achievements: What big challenges did they face and what did they do to help others? Start with: One of their greatest achievements was... (3 marks)

4. Legacy: Why do we remember them today and how did they change the world for the better? Start with: We remember them today because... (2 marks)

5. Personal Reflection: How does this person inspire you? Start with: This person inspires me because... (1 mark)

Extension challenge: Can you add a 'Did you know?' box at the bottom of your page with one extra interesting fact about your chosen person?