

# Celebrating Amazing People: Black History Month

*Learning objective: To learn about the achievements of influential Black historical figures and understand why we celebrate their contributions.*

Ellie the Elephant is helping us learn about history today. Look at the names of four amazing people who changed the world. Match the person to the thing they are famous for by drawing a line. Then, write one sentence about why they are special using the word bank to help you.

*Word bank: brave · kind · doctor · history · helped · pioneer*

**1. 1. Mary Seacole: A nurse who helped soldiers in the Crimean War. (Match: A nurse) (1 mark)**

**2. 2. Rosa Parks: A lady who showed the world how to be brave for fairness. (Match: Being brave) (1 mark)**

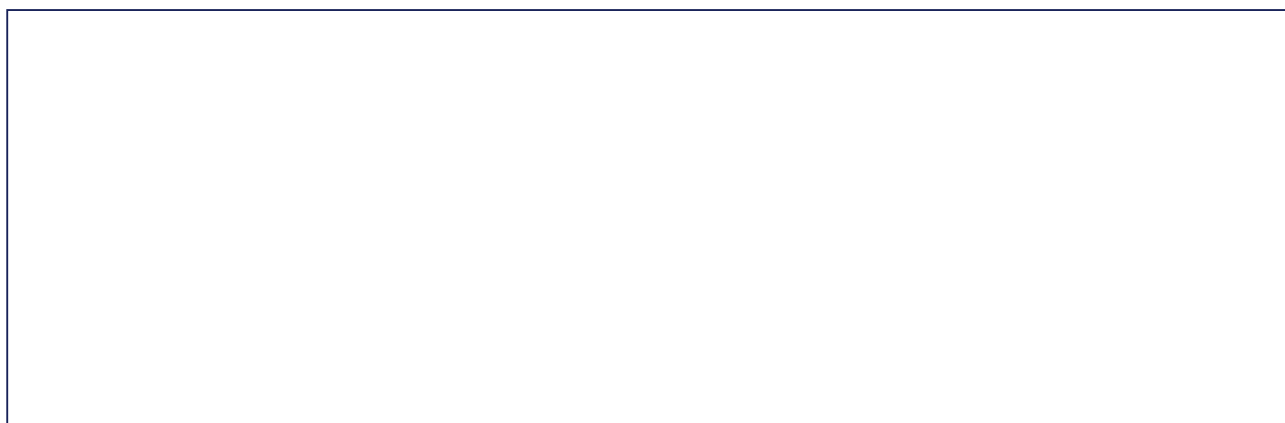
**3. 3. Walter Tull: A football player and a leader in the army. (Match: A footballer) (1 mark)**

**4. 4. Who is one person you learned about today? Tell me why they are a hero. Sentence starter: I think [Name] is a hero because... (2 marks)**

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**Draw: Draw a picture of one of these heroes doing their important work. Think about what they might be wearing or what objects they might be holding.**



*Extension challenge: If you could meet one of these people, what question would you ask them? Write your question below.*