My History Hero: A Black 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.

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?