

Black History Month: Learning About Heroes

Learning objective: To identify key figures and understand the importance of Black History Month in the UK.

Read the front of each flashcard. Think about the answer. Then, look at the back of the card to learn the fact. Use the word bank to help you understand the cards.

What is Black History Month?

A time in October to celebrate the achievements and history of Black people.

Who was Mary Seacole?

A brave nurse who helped soldiers during the Crimean War.

What is an 'equal' world?

A world where everyone is treated with the same fairness and respect.

Who was Rosa Parks?

A lady who showed great courage to help change unfair rules.

What does a leader do?

A leader helps others and shows them the right way to be kind.

Why do we learn history?

To remember the past and learn how to make the future better.

Who was Walter Tull?

The first Black officer to lead white soldiers in the British Army.

What is a 'contribution'?

Something good that a person does to help their community or country.

Why is courage important?

Courage helps people stand up for what is right even when it is hard.

Who was Olaudah Equiano?

A writer who worked hard to end the slave trade in the UK.