Celebrating Amazing People: Black History Month

Learning objective: To recognise that Black History Month is a time to learn about and celebrate the achievements of Black people who have helped change our world.

Read the questions carefully. Use the word bank to help you complete the sentences. If you need help, ask a partner or your teacher.

This month, we are learning about Black History. It is a time to look at the past and see how people have made our world better. We learn about their hard work and their big ideas. We show respect for everyone's story. When we learn about different people, we understand each other more.

Word bank: achievements · history · celebrate · respect · together

1. 1. Black History Month is a time to _____ the hard work and skills of Black people. (Use a word from the bank) (1 mark)

2. 2. List two things we can learn about when we study the _____ of Black people:
1) _____
2) _____ (2 marks)

3. 3. Ellie the elephant loves to remember stories from the past. Why do you think it is important to remember what people did long ago?
I think it is important because _____. (2 marks)

4. 4. How can we show _____ to people from different backgrounds in our classroom? (1 mark)

5. 5. Finish this sentence: When we learn about people who are different from us, we grow _____. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of a person you have learned about this month who has made a difference in the world.

Extension challenge: Write one sentence about why your chosen person is a hero to you. Use the sentence starter: 'I admire [Name] because...'