# Celebrating Black History: A Quick Quiz with Ellie the Elephant

*Learning objective: To recognize the contributions and achievements of Black historical figures and understand the importance of Black History Month.*

Hello! I am Ellie. I love remembering important stories from history. Read each question carefully. Use the word bank at the bottom if you need help. You can do this!

Answer Key: 1. B, 2. True, 3. October, 4. A, 5. True, 6. Mary Seacole, 7. C, 8. True, 9. B, 10. Courage. All questions are worth 1 mark each.

*Word bank: Mary Seacole · Black History Month · October · Courage · Inspiration · Achievement · History*

**1. 1. In the UK, which month do we celebrate Black History Month? A) January B) October* C) June D) May (1 mark)**

**2. 2. True or False: Black History Month helps us learn about people who have made our world better. (1 mark)**

**3. 3. Which famous nurse from history cared for soldiers during the Crimean War? (1 mark)**

**4. 4. What is the name of the celebration that honours Black history? A) Black History Month* B) Art Week C) Science Day D) Summer Fair (1 mark)**

**5. 5. True or False: We only celebrate Black history for one day a year. (1 mark)**

**6. 6. A person who does something great and important is called an: A) Enemy B) Achiever* C) Stranger D) Tourist (1 mark)**

**7. 7. Who was Mary Seacole? (One word answer: Nurse) (1 mark)**

**8. 8. True or False: Learning about history helps us understand the world today. (1 mark)**

**9. 9. Which word describes someone who is brave? A) Scared B) Courageous* C) Tired D) Lazy (1 mark)**

**10. 10. True or False: Everyone can learn something new during Black History Month. (1 mark)**

**Draw: Draw a picture of a person you admire who has helped others. Include a speech bubble showing something kind they might say.**

*Extension challenge: Write one sentence about why it is important to remember the people who changed history.*