

Oswald Road Primary School

History Home Learning Project – Famous for Five Minutes!



This half term we would like you to choose a famous person from history and find out more about them. This could be anyone that interests or inspires you it but needs to be someone you don't already know about.

Some ideas are:

Tutankhamun

Marie Curie

Amelia Earhart

Queen Victoria

Isambard Kingdom Brunel

Gandhi

Isaac Newton

Jesse Owens

Henry VIII

Sir Walter Raleigh

Mary Seacole

Ada Lovelace

Leonardo Da Vinci

Helen Keller

Emmeline Pankhurst

You can present your findings any way you like. We have attached some ideas for each age group.

We would love to see your finished projects! Remember to post your work onto Seesaw or send them to your teacher via admin@oswaldroad.manchester.sch.uk

Useful Websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/famous-people/zdqdscw>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/shows/horrible-histories>

<https://www.ducksters.com/biography/>

<https://mocomi.com/learn/culture/famous-people/>

<https://www.biographyonline.net/people/famous/historical-figures.html>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/ks2-subjects/ks2-history/ks2-history-significant-individuals>

Activity ideas:

EYFS:

- Make a portrait.
- Design a costume and dress up as your famous person.
- Find out what they did and draw a picture.
- Write a sentence about why they are famous.
- Make a video telling us about your famous person.

Key Stage 1:

- Make a fact file.
- Design a power point presentation.
- Make up a play about your famous person.
- Design and label an artefact associated with your famous person.
- Write a short story.
- Set up a museum about your famous person and invite your family to visit.

Lower Key Stage 2:

- Write a diary entry.
- Design a story board.
- Make up a game about your famous person.
- Make a picture book.
- Create a mind map about your famous person.
- Make up a Kahoot quiz for your class (<https://create.kahoot.it/register>).

Upper Key Stage 2:

- Make a podcast.
- Write a poem.
- Write a magazine/newspaper article.
- Film a documentary about your famous person.
- Think about how life would have been different if your famous person had never existed.