

Black History Month 2021

<u>Year</u> Group	<u>Focus</u>	<u>Activity</u>
EYFS	Success and achievements.	Learning about Rosa Parks and why she is well known and about the impact of her actions and achievements.
Year 1	What makes a good role model? Success and achievements.	Learning about Mo Farrah. Why is he well known? How does he inspire others and how is he a good role model?
Year 2	Success and achievements. What makes a good role model? Resilience.	Learning about Marcus Rashford. Why is he well known? How has he used his platform to do good for others?
Year 3	Authors. Faiths and beliefs. Inspirational people.	Using the book 'The Proudest Blue' by Ibtihaj Muhammad. Discuss with children about faiths and beliefs. The author of this book is a famous Black Olympian, how does this show the author is a good role model for others to follow?
Year 4	Music and musical instruments.	Learn about music from around the world. Research music that is produced by, sung by and played by Black musicians. Play music in the style of those musicians using the musical instruments.
Year 5	Poetry. Art. Inspirational people.	Using the book 'The Undefeated' by Kwame Alexander and Kadir Nelson, discuss with the children how the poem and art work makes them feel. How do the illustrations in the book help create these feelings and emotions? Research the artists used in the book and discover their style of artwork. Produce some artwork in their style.
Year 6	Writing for a specific purpose/audience.	Children to design a Black History Month Newsletter. What is BHM? Who celebrates it? Why? Famous black people to be included in newsletter. Famous quotes. Any recent news stories? Pictures and captions. Children to research different areas to be included in the newsletter.