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Black History



In February, we celebrate Black History month, which is all about freedom and respect. The best thing about this month is the heroic people who give up a lot to fight for their civil rights. They never gave up on their dreams. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. believed that all people deserved to have equal rights. Rosa Parks is another example of this, as she didn't give up her seat to a white passenger. I think she was brave because she knew what she was doing was right, even though it got her into trouble. Black Power was a strong political group that fought to inspire black people to stand up for their rights.

During this time, many black citizens were killed or treated badly because of the colour of their skin. I believe that this is horrible and that black history month is important because we need to make sure that this never happens again.

By Nika E.

Black History Month Puzzler

Unscramble letters to find the mystery word.

1) rsegagotin: _____

2) dreeofm: _____

3) epaec: _____

4) tvemonm: _____

5) livci githrs : _____

6) kalcb: _____

7) vasle : _____

8) mcisar: _____

CFER Heritage Upcoming Events

In February:

- Black history month celebrations
- Carnival Day
- Grand Opening

Jokes

Why did the pig stop sunbathing?

He was bacon in the sun.

What kind of bird sticks to a sweater?

A vel-crow

Native American Project



For the last two months, our class has been learning about Native American history. In one of our class projects, we created our own totem poles. Totem poles are huge sculptures carved on poles, posts, or pillars with symbols or animals. The Native Americans made many totem poles from red cedar. The word totem comes from the Algonquians. Totem poles are used to communicate important aspects of native culture. The carvings of animals are used to represent events in a story and to teach a lesson. It was a very interesting project.

Samuel F.

On January 29, 2016, our class went to Pointe-à-Callière Museum in Montreal. We learned about First Nations people and the Europeans. In one of the activities we did, we made a bracelet with black and white beads. We used the beads to create a story. The white beads were used to show a happy event and the black beads were to show a sad event happening in our story. Our guide told us that beads were used as a different form of storytelling in the past. In one part of the tour we went into a room with two fake fire pits that we sat around. We were divided into two tribes; one was the Iroquois and one was the Algonquin tribe. We had to guess which tools were used by which group. We learned a lot and really enjoyed our day at the museum.

Cherie L.

Who Am I?

Guess this famous musician.

- 1) He played a scarecrow in the Wizard of Oz.
- 2) He had two lamas named Louis and Lola.
- 3) He was born on August 29th, 1958.
- 4) He won 13 Grammy awards
- 5) He was apart of Jackson 5

Who is he?

WORD SEARCH

A	E	L	I	M	S
U	F	C	P	U	R
T	F	R	F	R	T
O	O	A	E	E	I
N	R	D	V	T	R
O	T	I	O	T	G
M	A	U	L	E	D
Y	P	S	L	B	E

WORDS TO FIND

Autonomy	CFER
Effort	Grit
Radius	Better
Mauled	Smile
Love	

MYSTERY WORD:
