



*Week 3*

# Our History Learning Journey

## Key vocabulary:

Past

Present

Old

New

Compare

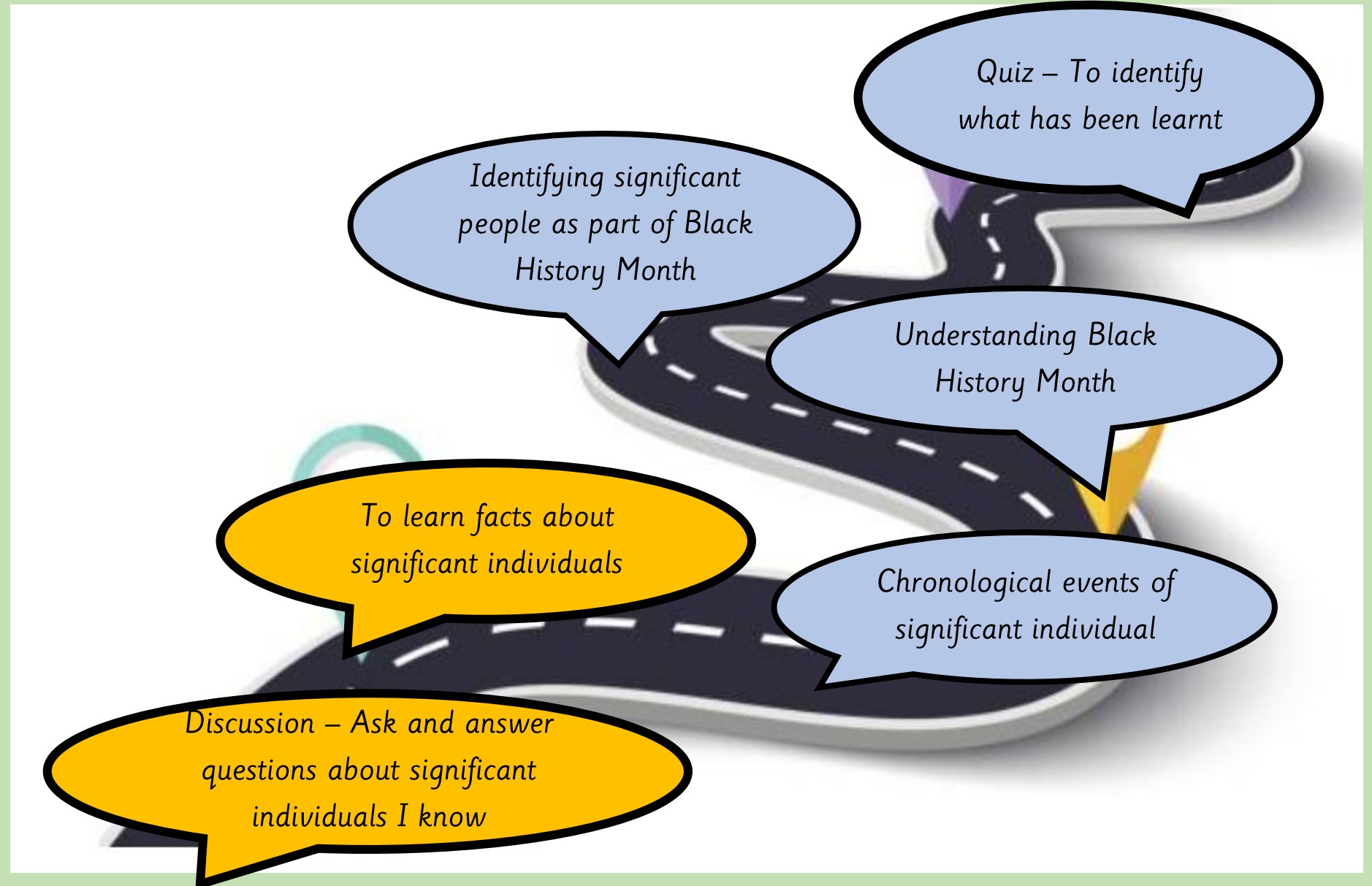
Timeline

Important

Significant

Achievements

Awards



Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2025



*LQ: Can I find out about a significant individual?*

*Steps to success*



*All - I can discuss a significant Black individual.*

*Most - I can use secondary sources to find information.*

*Some - I can explain why the individual is important in Black History.*

# Star words



*Significant*



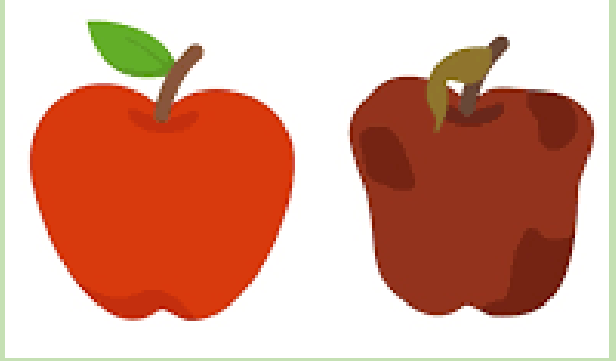
*Compare*

*Past*



*Present*

*New*



*Old*

*Timeline*

PALEOLITHIC	NEOLITHIC	ANCIENT AGE	MEDIEVAL AGE	MODERN AGE	CONTEMPORARY AGE
3 millions 10000 AC	10000 BC	3000 BC to 476 AC	476 AC to 1492 AC	1492 to 1789 AC	1789 AC 2011AC



Lets recap:

TP: Do you recognise any of these people and know what they do?



*Dame Denise Lewis*

*She used to be an athlete and won a gold medal in the Olympics. She is now a commentator for lots of athletic events*



*Sir Lewis Hamilton*

*He is a Formula 1 driver and has seven World Championship titles. He was the first Black driver to win the Formula 1 World Drivers' Championship*



*Muhammad Ali*

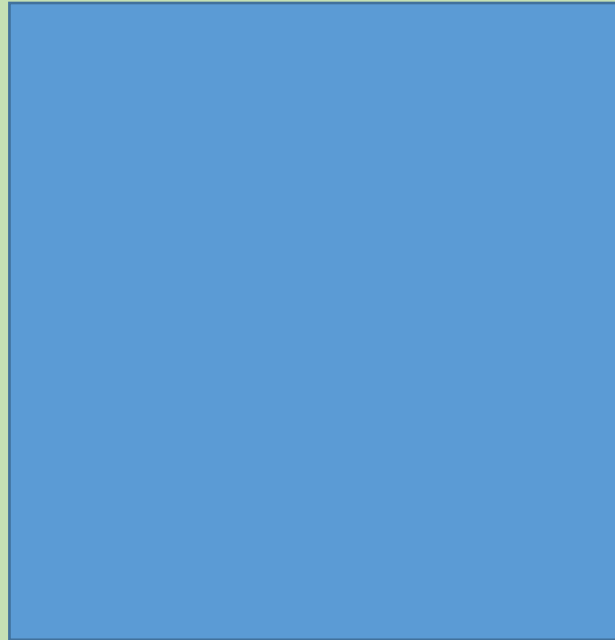
*He was an American boxer and an activist. He was involved in the Civil Rights Movement in America during the 1960s.*



*Simone Biles*

*She is an Olympic gymnast from America and has won more Olympic and World Championship medals than any other gymnast in history.*

Today we will learn more about **YOUR**  
**INDIVIDUAL**



TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



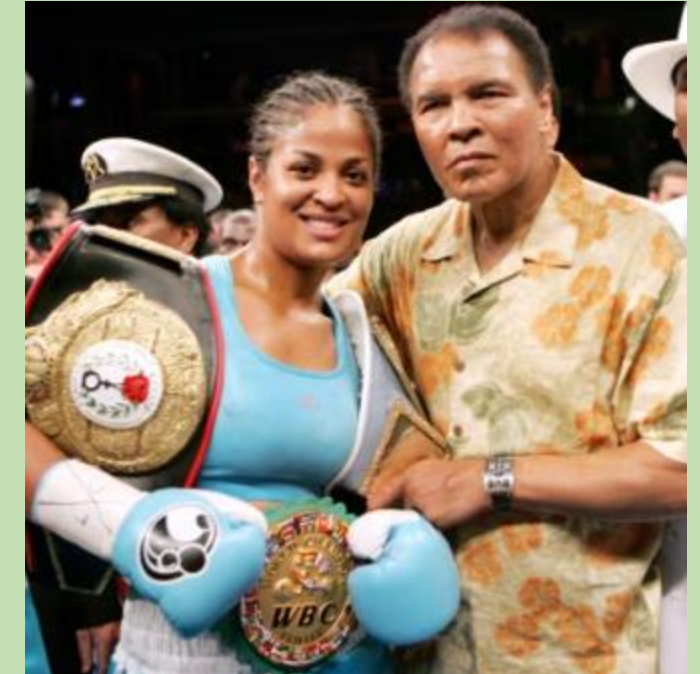
Simone Biles is an Olympic gymnast from America who has won more Olympic and World Championship medals than any other gymnast in history. In 2022, she was given the Presidential Medal of Freedom from the American president, which is the highest honour an American can get if they aren't in the army.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



She started gymnastics when she was 6 and competed in her first competition in 2011 at 14 years old. The first Olympics she competed in was the 2016 Rio de Janeiro games, where she was the only American to compete in all 4 events. She won 4 gold medals. She did not compete in the next Olympics held in 2021, but in 2024 she won 4 medals.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



Muhammad Ali was an American Olympic and professional world-class boxer. He was also an activist and involved in the 1960s Civil Rights Movement in America. He is regarded as one of the greatest sportsmen of all time, and the BBC named him the Sportsman of the Century in 1999.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



Muhammad Ali was born when black people like him were discriminated against. This meant that he found it hard for people to take him seriously. He was born as Cassius Clay, but changed his name later in life. He fought in 61 fights during his career, and only lost 5 of them.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iWIRw4j-CGY>

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



Denise Lewis is a retired athlete who won an Olympic gold medal in Sydney in 2000. Denise competed in the heptathlon. The heptathlon is an outdoor sport made up of seven events. These events are the 100 metre hurdles, the high jump, the shot-put, the 200 metres, the long jump, the javelin throw and the 800 metres. After retiring from athletics, Denise became a commentator for lots of athletics events.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



As well as a gold at the Olympics, she won gold in several other championships, including the Commonwealth Games in 1998 and 1994, and the European Cup in 1995. She is called “Dame” because in 2023 she was made a Dame Commander of the Order of the British Empire (or DBE), which is a very high honour.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



Sir Lewis Hamilton is one of the most successful Formula 1 drivers of all time, winning seven World Championship titles.

In 2008, he became the first Black driver to win the Formula 1 World Drivers' Championship and, in 2020, he was knighted by Queen Elizabeth II for his outstanding achievements and contributions to motorsports.

TPs: What do you know about this sports figure?



He started go-karting when he was six, and his father promised to support him if he worked hard in school. He started go-kart racing in championships, and in 1995 became the youngest driver to win British cadet karting championship. He started racing cars in 2001, and joined Formula 1 in 2007 as the first black driver.

# TASK

We're now going into the ICT suite to research  
**YOUR PERSON.**

*Where were they born?*

*Why are they famous?*

*When were they born?*

*What did they achieve?*

*How many awards do they have?*

*When did they start their sport?*

*Can you find any other  
interesting facts about them?*