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Creating a Civil Rights Quilt

Assignment

You will be responsible for researching a prominent figure of the Civil Rights movement and creating a paper quilt square that represents that person and his/her contributions to the movement and society. All squares will be taped together to form one large quilt that will be displayed in our school.

Your quilt square must contain:

- Figure’s name and lifespan
 - For example: Martin Luther King, Jr. – 1929-1968
- Artistic representation of your figure
 - Examples might include sketching a picture of your figure; drawing something that relates to them; creating a symbol that represents them, etc.
- A quote from this figure
- Your words describing this figure’s contribution to the Civil Rights movement and society, and why he/she should be honored and remembered
- The final quilt square should be creative, artistic, educational, detailed, accurate, and neat. It should not contain any grammatical or context mistakes.

Examples of figures you may choose to base your quilt square on (speak to your teacher to choose someone not on the list):

Ralph Abernathy	Reverend George Lee	Harry T. Moore
Marcus Garvey	Lamar Smith	James Meredith
Martin Luther King, Jr.	James Chaney	Joseph McNeil
Coretta Scott King	John Earl Reese	David Richmond
Rosa Parks	Willie Edwards Jr.	Jibreel Khazan
Medgar Evers	Mack Charles Parker	Franklin McCain
Harry T. Moore	Herbert Lee	Golden Frinks
John Lewis	Louis Allen	Robert Williams
Fannie Lou Hammer	Cpl. Roman Ducksworth, Jr.	Anna Julia Haywood Cooper
Julian Bond	Paul Guihard	John Hope Franklin
Fred Shuttlesworth	Virgil Lamar Ware	Kelly M. Alexander
Aaron Henry	Reverend Bruch Klunder	Annie Wealthy Holland
Bob Moses	Andrew Goodman	Carole Robertson
Malcolm X	Michael Schwerner	Emmett Teel
The Little Rock 9	Charles Cheney	Cynthia Wesley
Jimmie Lee Jackson	Daisy Bates	Stokley Carmichael
E.D. Nixon	Jonathan Daniels	
Claudette Colvin	William Lewis Moore	
Jo Ann Robinson	Ella Jo Baker	
Jackie Robinson	Thurgood Marshall	
Viola Gregg Liuzzo	Tuskegee Airmen	
Addie Mae Collins	Angela Davis	
Denise McNair	Emma Goldman	