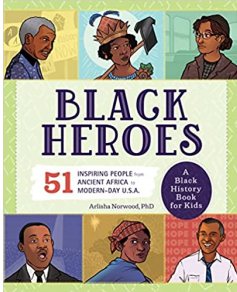


Grades 3–5

Lesson Plan: Learning From *Black Heroes: 51 Inspiring People From Ancient Africa to Modern-Day U.S.A.* by Arisha Norwood

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Identity: Students will examine the idea that the way groups of people are treated is part of what makes them who they are.

Skills: Students will research a past Black hero and write a one-page paper that explains that person's contributions, achievements, and struggles as well as other interesting facts about the person's life. Students will include quotations from that person in their research.

Intellect: Students will find and access reliable sources on the Internet and in their library to learn about the person they chose.

Criticality: Students will think about the ways that minoritized groups were oppressed in the past and how they showed resilience under these circumstances.

Joy: Students will feel joy when learning about someone they are interested in, making connections between that person's life and times and their own lives.