

Auxilium Education Coaching presents: Where in History Tuesday, March 17, 2020

Who is your favorite historical figure?

Supplies- access to "Who Was" on Netflix or Who Was books, notebook for taking notes, pencil or pen, colored pencils or markers, 8.5x11 piece of paper

- 1. Look at the historical figures in "Who Was" on Netflix. Have each child pick a figure. Even older tweens and teens can watch the show. Watch the 15-minute segment on the chosen historical figure.
 - a. Take notes on the "Who Was" character- either with your child or have them do it on their own.
 - i. Name
 - ii. Birthdate/death date (if no longer alive)
 - iii. Where did they live?
 - iv. What they did that made them famous?
 - v. Interesting/funny important facts.
 - b. Kids who are not able to write, yet, can draw pictures as "notes"
 - c. For an extension for older kids/tweens/teens: have them conduct further research into the chosen historical figure
- 2. After they have completed their research, have a discussion with them about their historical figure, to ensure they have answered all of the necessary questions.
- 3. Have them draw a portrait of the historical figure. They can also google images of the individual to have more information. The portrait should include:
 - a. Name of the person
 - b. Color
 - c. On the back- in pencil, so it doesn't blead through, they should list the information about this person they discovered through their research.

Cannot wait to see what they create! Please send pictures of their pamphlets and you guys having fun with this activity if you would like to be featured on our Facebook page/website!! Have Fun!!!

Activity continuation:

- 1. Watch documentaries on their chosen individual- PBS has a lot of choices, as does Netflix, Amazon Prime and Hulu
- 2. Use these websites to conduct further research on their historical figure
 - a. https://www.gilderlehrman.org/history-now-search?keys=&tid 2=47298&tid=All&tid 1=All
 - b. https://www.ck12.org/student/
 - c. https://www.countryreports.org/
 - d. http://www.whatwasthere.com/
 - e. https://www.ducksters.com/