

Journal #3  
**True Champions**

What are the first things that come to your mind when you study this picture?



Write your thoughts in at least four **\*complex** sentences.

**\*Complex sentences** have one independent clause and at least one or more dependent clauses.

**Example 1:**

Born into a Mississippi sharecropping family, Fannie Lou Hamer spent much of her early life in the cotton fields.

**Example 2:**

Around the age of 12, Hamer dropped out of school in order to work full time and help out her family.

**Example 3:** In the summer of 1962, Hamer made a life-changing decision to attend a local meeting held by the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC), who encouraged African Americans to register to vote.

Pictured: Simone Biles (silver medalist), Rebeca Andrade of Brazil (gold medalist), and Jordan Chiles (bronze medalist) on August 5, 2024.