

Dear Educators,

Due to the pandemic and need for exercising continued care in gathering, the New Braunfels MLK Association, Inc. will be holding a virtual observance in lieu of the march and ceremony. A flyer about the program is attached.

As part of this year's program we would like to share with you a small art project. We are hoping that this simple project could assist your students to feel connected to the aims and purpose of this day. It could be used as part of a lesson about the upcoming observance honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. or perhaps as a stand-alone activity.

He dreamed of an America where people would "not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character." Monday, Jan. 18th, is a federal holiday marking the birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. Let Dr. Martin Luther King's great words inspire art!

Choose several of King's quotes to share with your class. Attached are suggested quotes. Have students create art inspired by a Dr. King quote of their choosing or draw how they will make the world a better place. They can create their own artwork or use the attached sheet. After students have finished, ask them to identify the quote they chose or the "I have a dream..." and explain how their art reflects it.

If you would like to share photos of your students' artwork, we welcome postings on our website at nbmlk.com. Please send them to info@nbmlk.com. Please indicate on the front of the student's work their first name and age. All submissions should be done in conformity with the rules of your school district governing such submissions.

If we may assist in this project in any manner, please email us at info@nbmlk.com and a person with our organization will contact you.

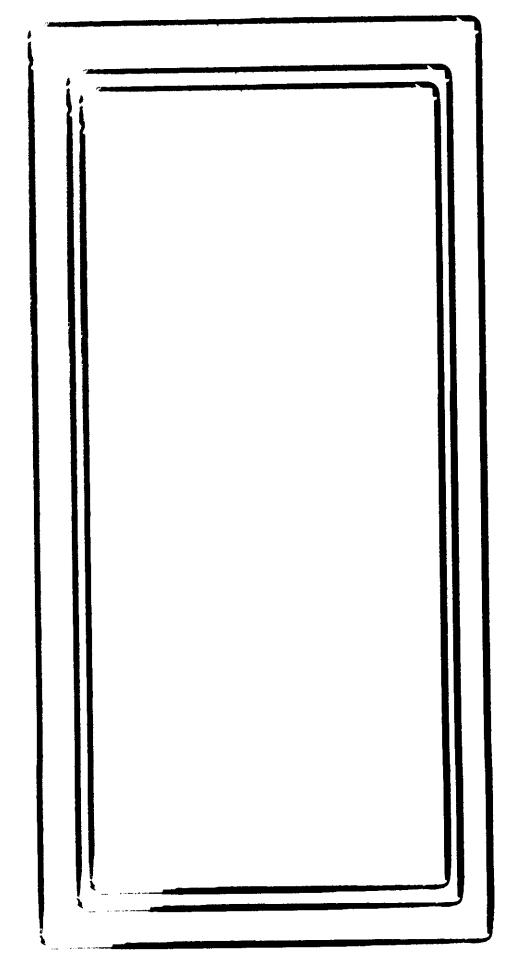
Thank you for your continued good work with our community's children.

New Braunfels MLK Association, Inc.

Quotes of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

- 1. "We must accept finite disappointment, but never lose infinite hope."
- 2. "Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that."
- 3. "Forgiveness is not an occasional act. It is a permanent attitude."
- 4. "I have decided to stick with love. Hate is too great a burden to bear."
- 5. "Faith is taking the first step even when you don't see the whole staircase."
- 6. "Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?""
- 7. "Never succumb to the temptation of bitterness."
- 8. "We may have all come on different ships, but we're in the same boat now."
- 9. "Let no man pull you so low as to hate him."

"Have a Dream."



How will I make the world a better place?



NEW BRAUNFELS ANNUAL CELEBRATION

"Honoring the Work and Legacy"

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Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

JANUARY 18, 2021

Begins at 10:00 AM @ www.nbmlk.com The MLK Day Virtual Program



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Featured Speakers

Dr Renee Watson - Chairperson of the San Antonio MLK Commission Dr Gregory Hudspeth - President of the San Antonio NAACP Branch

Musical Guest

UTSA Voices in Praise - Soul Sessions - Resurrection Baptist Church Male Chorus

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