

Famous Historical People
Montessori Preparatory School
4th – 5th Grade

_____ has chosen the famous historical person _____ to research.

- Students will learn about their famous historical person, collect pictures, organize a display board, and give a short presentation to the class.
- Feel free to use books, encyclopedias, or the internet. You must provide a list of sources. Wikipedia will not be allowed as a research source.
- All work must be done in your best handwriting. Remember to check spelling!
- Students should organize pictures and information on a tri-fold display board. The board should have a minimum of 7 pictures, including a main picture of your person. Other suggested pictures include pictures of the time period, a picture of their childhood, a picture of the invention or contribution to the world. Information for the display board is included at the end of this packet.
- Students may come dressed as their historical person. You may optionally bring any props for your display such as an invention, artifact, book they wrote, etc.
- All work should be done at home and brought to school on **Monday, Oct. 23rd**. Students are welcome to bring their work early.
- On the due date, students will begin presenting their information to their class.

The Famous Historical People Fair is Thursday, October 26th.
Parents are welcome to attend from 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm.

Montessori Academies
Historical Person Research

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

1. What is the full name of the historical person you researched?

2. When and where were they born?

3. Have they passed? If so, when and where?

4. What are the names of the people in your person's family? (parents, siblings, spouse, children, etc.)

5. Were there any events in their childhood or youth that may have had an impact on your person?

6. What education does your person have? (Name of schools, when did they attend, anything interesting regarding school)

7. What was their field/career? What kinds of jobs did they have?

8. Why is your person famous? How did they become famous?

9. What was your person's impact on society and the world?

10. Did they encounter any difficulties? Explain.

11. Is their invention/accomplishment/memory still in use/active/remembered today? How has it evolved or changed?

12. List 5 to 10 facts about your person's life:

13. List 5 to 10 facts about the time period in which they lived: (other famous people alive during that time, other inventions, travel and transportation of the time, significant events, etc.)

14. Write the quote from your person that you liked the most:

15. Why did you choose this person? How has he/she made an impact on you?

List of sources used:

