

<p>Name the Alabama-born woman who wrote <i>Their Eyes Were Watching God</i> (1937).</p> <p>Zora Neale Hurston</p>	<p>What 1954 Supreme Court decision led to the desegregation of American schools?</p> <p><i>Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka</i></p>
<p>Who led the Silent March of 1917?</p> <p>James Weldon Johnson</p>	<p>What civil rights leader was assassinated on April 4, 1968, in Memphis, Tennessee?</p> <p>Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.</p>
<p>What Oklahoma-born writer won the National Book Award in 1953 for <i>Invisible Man</i>?</p> <p>Ralph Ellison</p>	<p>What historian founded Negro History Week in 1926?</p> <p>Carter G. Woodson</p>
<p>What Missouri-born scientist is best remembered for his research on peanuts?</p> <p>George Washington Carver</p>	<p>Also known as Gustavus Vassa, whose 1789 autobiography helped lead British lawmakers to abolish slavery in 1807?</p> <p>Olaudah Equiano</p>
<p>Name the Ohio-born writer who penned <i>In Old Plantation Days, Folks from Dixie</i>, and <i>Oak and Ivy</i>.</p> <p>Paul Laurence Dunbar</p>	<p>The acronym CORE stands for what organization?</p> <p>Congress of Racial Equality</p>

<p>What constitutional amendment abolished slavery in the United States?</p> <p>Thirteenth Amendment</p>	<p>The years 1865-1877 are known as what era?</p> <p>Reconstruction</p>
<p>Name the poet who wrote "I Have a Rendezvous with Life," <i>The Ballad of the Brown Girl</i>, and <i>Tableau</i>.</p> <p>Countee Cullen</p>	<p>What author of <i>The Souls of Black Folk</i> (1903) was awarded the Lenin Peace Prize by the Soviet Union in 1959?</p> <p>W.E.B. Du Bois</p>
<p>The acronym SNCC stands for what?</p> <p>Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee</p>	<p>Name the Harlem-born writer who penned <i>Go Tell It on the Mountain</i>, <i>Notes of a Native Son</i>, and <i>Giovanni's Room</i>.</p> <p>James Baldwin</p>
<p>Name the Brooklyn-born graffiti and Neo-expressionist artist who passed away in 1988 at the age of twenty-seven.</p> <p>Jean-Michel Basquiat</p>	<p>What future justice argued <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i> before the U.S. Supreme Court?</p> <p>Thurgood Marshall</p>
<p>What clockmaker surveyed the District of Columbia's original boundaries in 1791?</p> <p>Benjamin Banneker</p>	<p>Name the Alabama-born inventor of the Super Soaker water gun.</p> <p>Lonnie Johnson</p>

<p>Who was the first African American to win the U.S. Open?</p> <p>Arthur Ashe</p>	<p>What author of <i>Up from Slavery</i> founded the Tuskegee Institute?</p> <p>Booker T. Washington</p>
<p>Who, in January, 2005, became the first female African-American Secretary of State?</p> <p>Condoleezza Rice</p>	<p>Who was the first African American to perform with the New York Metropolitan Opera?</p> <p>Marian Anderson</p>
<p>What former lead singer of the Supremes won a Golden Globe award for her portrayal of Billie Holiday in <i>Lady Sings the Blues</i>?</p> <p>Diana Ross</p>	<p>Born in Mississippi in 1862, who wrote <i>Southern Horrors: Lynch Law in All Its Phases</i>?</p> <p>Ida B. Wells</p>
<p>What Supreme Court case established the “separate but equal” doctrine?</p> <p><i>Plessy v. Ferguson</i></p>	<p>Name the New York-born author of <i>Roots: The Saga of an American Family</i>.</p> <p>Alex Haley</p>
<p>What famous tap dancer is best remembered today for his work in Shirley Temple films of the 1930s?</p> <p>Bill “Bojangles” Robinson</p>	<p>What woman became the world’s first licensed African-American pilot?</p> <p>Bessie Coleman</p>

<p>Who was the first African American to win the Pulitzer Prize in poetry?</p> <p>Gwendolyn Brooks</p>	<p>Name the writer, born in Joplin, Missouri, who penned <i>Let America Be America Again</i>, <i>Freedom's Plow</i>, and <i>Not without Laughter</i>.</p> <p>Langston Hughes</p>
<p>What African-inspired harvest celebration was created by Dr. Maulana Karenga in 1966?</p> <p>Kwanzaa</p>	<p>What does the acronym SCLC represent?</p> <p>Southern Christian Leadership Conference</p>
<p>The U.S. Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, established by the U.S. Congress in 1865, was more popularly known by what name?</p> <p>Freedmen's Bureau</p>	<p>What woman is known as the most famous conductor of the Underground Railroad?</p> <p>Harriet Tubman</p>
<p>What Brooklyn-born civil rights activist became an ordained Pentecostal minister at only ten years old?</p> <p>Al Sharpton</p>	<p>Who became the first African-American president of the United States in January, 2009?</p> <p>Barack Obama</p>
<p>Name the artistic, intellectual, literary, and political movement that spread from New York City in the 1920s and 1930s.</p> <p>Harlem Renaissance</p>	<p>What abolitionist and feminist gave her famous "Ain't I a Woman?" speech to an Ohio audience in 1851?</p> <p>Sojourner Truth</p>

<p>Who was the first African-American woman to win an Oscar for Best Actress?</p> <p>Halle Berry</p>	<p>Born in Alabama in 1956, who became the first female African-American astronaut?</p> <p>Mae Jemison</p>
<p>Who, in January of 2001, became the first African-American Secretary of State?</p> <p>Colin Powell</p>	<p>What African American won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1950?</p> <p>Dr. Ralph Johnson Bunche</p>
<p>What woman refused to give up her seat on a bus, sparking the Montgomery bus boycott of 1955-1956?</p> <p>Rosa Parks</p>	<p>Who was the first African-American woman elected to the United States Congress?</p> <p>Shirley Chisholm</p>
<p>What does the acronym NAACP stand for?</p> <p>National Association for the Advancement of Colored People</p>	<p>Born Marguerite Ann Johnson, who wrote <i>I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings</i>?</p> <p>Maya Angelou</p>
<p>What author of <i>Fatherhood</i> starred in a hit family sitcom in the 1980s?</p> <p>Bill Cosby</p>	<p>What abolitionist, born into slavery, wrote <i>My Bondage and My Freedom</i>?</p> <p>Frederick Douglass</p>