



BLACK HISTORY MONTH COMPETITION



St Mary's RC Primary School
Littleborough

Black History Month 2021

Racism is a terrible thing; it makes no sense to be racist just because somebody has a different colour of skin doesn't mean they are worse than you.

Black people aren't strange or weird, they are unique

Never be a Bystander, help who you can instead of just standing there.

Respect others like you would want to be respected.

If you were black, would you want somebody being rude to you?

Then, DON'T DO IT TO OTHERS

Philip Klatecki: Age 10



Stop Racism

We are all unique, we need to stop the monkey chanting in football and stop throwing bottles in the game.

People are giving discrimination to people who don't deserve it and giving unfair treatment to a particular person or a group of people.

We should be able to know how someone is feeling and know we are all different.

We should understand that everyone is from a different culture.

In books there isn't a lot of black main characters that I know, not even from movies.

We should start teaching more black history in schools instead of once a year

We shouldn't be Bystanders because it makes you feel guilty that you are not doing anything, and you just stand there watching something bad happen.

We need to start will to act and be confident and stand up to people more and try to STOP racism

Gabby Idoko: Age 10



Black Lives Matter because:

Some are light or dark, but that does not mean they hate or love inequality, treat each other fairly.

If someone is lonely or is being bullied, DON'T be a Bystander. Be willing to act.

All round the world are bad, racist comments every day.

It might not stop in our life time but the best way to stop it is to start with us.

Nelson Mandela, Rosa Parks and Martin Luther King have helped a lot too. And so can you.

BLACK LIVES MATTER

Kadir: Age 9



Anti- Racism Poem

Racism, racism, racism. It is all you hear about these days!

I really wish it would all end and then we could be friends.

I wish I could tell them how beautiful I think they are.

Why can't we live in a nation with no discrimination?

We could all share and then it would be fair

I am not a Bystander I am willing to act

Their diversity is unique, and it is like our kindness has all gone and had a leak

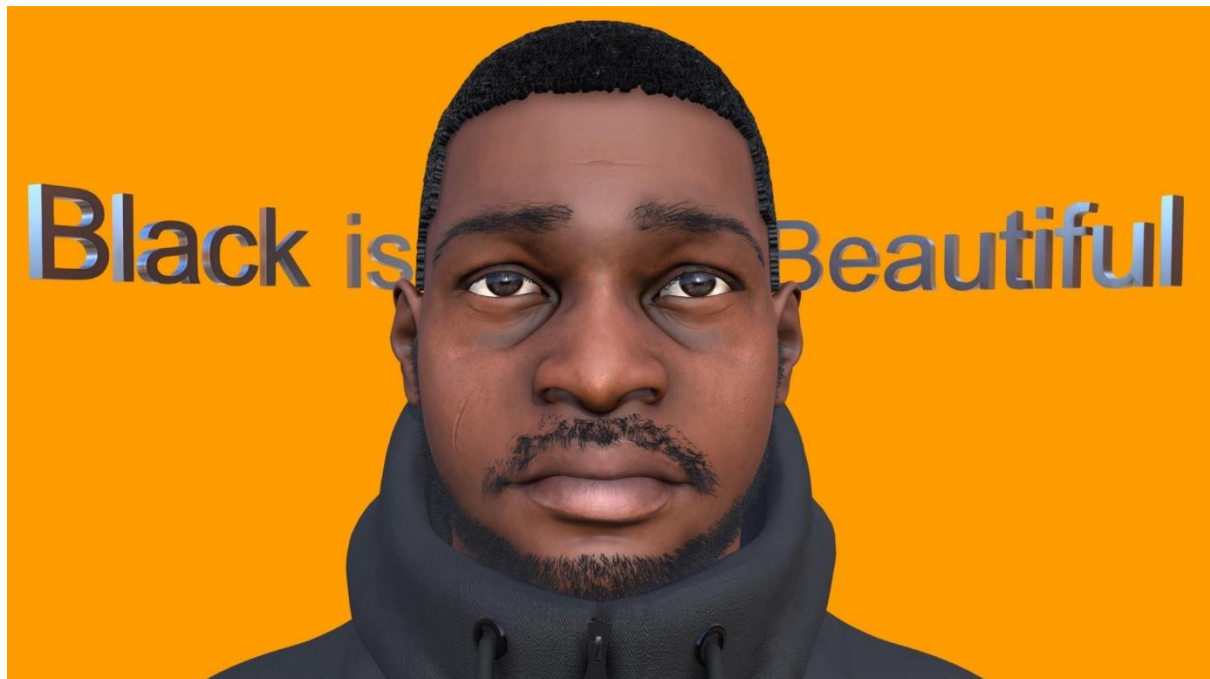
We are all the same, but this seems like a game

This is silly and we don't want to be called the nation of discrimination

We want to be called the nation of equality, fairness, and responsibility

Let's put this judgement to the end

Ruby Anne Fox: Age 9



Black History

It doesn't matter if you are black or white
Because we need to fight
We need to make a pledge
And not push black people to the edge
We need to have compassion with each other
We need to make a pledge
And have more knowledge
Let's teach more things about Black History
Because for some children it is a mystery
Let's have no more discrimination
Because this is our nation
We need to have empathy and respect
Because we are not all perfect
So just be mindful and take a peek
Because we are all unique
STAND UP FOR RACISM
Danica Goodall: age 10



The Black Sheep

In a field with lots of sheep there was one black sheep.

All the other white sheep played games together and even cleaned each other,

The lonely black sheep had his own old disgusting patch of grass and he played with cars that drove past

Every single car not interacting with him.

He couldn't bathe himself or neither could anyone else, so he used a fence to get all the disgusting stuff the other sheep gave him

One day he was scratching himself off the fence, but one white sheep came over and bathed him and played with him.

Once all the others saw how much fun he was, one by one they all bathed him, ate with him and they even became his friend

Thomas Jarman: Age 10



I am Alexander

I am Alexander and I am black, and I get treated like I am stuck on the bottom of someone's shoe

I think that everyone should be treated equally, everyone should get along.

I want to protest against discrimination, but I guess no one cares what I think

I am just a little girl.

Have you heard of Rosa Parks or Martin Luther King? Well, you may not notice but these people have good souls, and they are both black.

The bad thing about it is that around 40 years later everything is still the same everyone bullies black people

Well, if you were black, you would not like people bullying you.

I know that all black people feel pain like me, imagine how George Floyd felt when he was accused of something he did not know of.

See how we get treated isn't it shocking?

We may be black

We may be white

So, tell me why do we fight?

Eliza Ogden: Age 10



Everyone is equal

Everybody needs to stop being racist

Racism is one of the worlds biggest problems and it is the most unfair thing in the world

Discrimination to black people is wrong since everyone is different, and everybody is unique in their own way.

Just imagine how you would feel if somebody said to you that "you can't play with me" or that "you can't come in here" because of the colour of your skin.

That is how lots of people get treated.

Everyone needs to put a stop to this.

We need to let everyone know that racism is illegal and promise to never be racist to black people.

Everyone is equal but some people have other opinions.

A man named George Floyd was walking down the street until a white policeman came and knelt on his neck and poor George died.

George even said to the policeman "I can't breathe"

This shows how bad racism can be.

I want everyone who reads this to know that:

BLACK LIVES MATTER

Evan Jones: Age 10



Everyone is unique

Everyone is unique and should all be treated the same

Racism should not be tolerated, and we should all be willing to act and speak up about how people are treated

We should all be aware about being anti-racist and we should join together to fight it

Don't judge anyone because they look different or because they sound different, we all have to treat people fairly and don't judge them.

Everyone needs to respect black people and to never judge them because black people are passionate and proud about being themselves. People need to accept and support them

Mia Crabtree: Age 10



I wish

I wish this would be real but let me tell you about it.

Outside I think we should all try and start easy.

What I mean is by starting with a smile



We should smile at everyone no matter what even if you think they look different to you.

It does not matter that they look different because we are all unique.

If you want to push yourself to be kind you should show respect to others and teach them to do the same.

Another nice thing to do is to promise not to be racist or to hate others

Let everyone join in stand up for people who are not being treated fairly

Equality is important, we need to stop talking about it and practice it every day

If only we did this and it was a reality, let's do it make it true.

Tosia Mialkowska: Age 10



EQUALITY FOR ALL... ALWAYS!

by Celso Júnior

We are all unique

Racism is not a good thing

We should act to stop it

We need to respect different people no matter what

It is everyone's responsibility to stop racism

There are not many black characters in books or black actors in films

It does not matter what culture we are from we still matter the same amount

All of us are unique and we need to be willing to act.

We should not hate black people for no reason

BLACK LIVES MATTER

**RACISM
WRONG**

Popularis

Show love

Everyone should love

Everyone should respect

Everyone should listen

Listen to what is being said about racism and wake up to what is being done

Wake up to what is going on around the world

No matter the colour of their skin

So, wake up and act now we were all born not this world for a reason

We were not born to be hateful or be made fun of, we were born to be the best we can be, we are all unique

So, wake up and act now.

Lola Jane Mannian: Age 10



Equality for all

Everyone should be treated equally and there should be no discrimination no matter the colour of their skin, their religion or what their needs are

Everyone is unique and that's good and you should never treat someone badly because they are different

Being anti-racist is not about being a Bystander and not letting people do racist acts and get away with it.

Zachary Poles: Age 10



Don't judge

Sign up to being anti-racist and to stop hate on black and white people

Don't be a Bystander and help others where you see inequality

Don't be racist try and stop racism

We are all unique in our own ways

Don't make fun of people for their qualities

Never judge someone on the colour of their skin

It is not fair to judge some one by culture or their faith

Stop racism

RACISM: IGNORE IT...
AND IT WON'T GO AWAY.

Respect

We should respect each other

We should not hate

We are unique no matter what

Promise to help each other because if you don't help people will be very sad

We are all equal in a different way

You should always respect that

God loves you no matter what

People have different feelings, everyone should matter

Love each other

Kiera Saunders: Age 10

