AN AFRICAN CANADIAN HISTORY SCAVENGER HUNT



Internet scavenger hunts are a fun way to practise problem-solving, improve reading and comprehension skills, and learn how to search the Internet. Students will visit http://www.windsor-communities.com/african-introduction.php to search for the answers. This scavenger hunt is an excellent way for students to learn about Black history in Canada, with a particular focus on local history.

- I. In what year were the first Africans brought to North America for the purpose of slavery?
- 2. What is the name of the first enslaved African in Canada?
- 3. Who is the first Black person on record in Canada?
- 4. What is the name of the first Canadian-born Black lawyer?
- 5. In what year was the Tower of Freedom monument in Windsor dedicated?
- 6. Name five local soldiers who fought during the War of 1812.
- 7. Which Windsorite played for the Harlem Globetrotters?
- 8. Who was the first Black Constable to be employed by the Windsor Police Department?
- 9. Who was the first Canadian-born African-Canadian doctor?
- 10. What is the name of a four-day event celebrating the freedom of enslaved people of African descent?
- II. Name five local Black-owned businesses that existed in the 1900's.
- 12. Name an elementary school in Windsor that is named after an African-Canadian doctor.
- 13. Name five Black politicians who served in the early period of municipal politics.
- 14. In what year did Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. accept an award at the Cleary Auditorium in Windsor?
- 15. When did the last segregated school close in Windsor?
- 16. Who established the British American Institute at the Dawn Settlement?
- 17. Who was the first woman of African descent to teach in an Ontario Public School Board?
- 18. What was the original name of the Hour-A-Day Study Club?
- 19. In what year was the Refugee Home Society founded?
- 20. Name five cemeteries which are historic sites.
- 21. Name the individuals featured in a mural at 307 Wyandotte Street East in Windsor.
- 22. Who founded the North American Black Historical Museum and Cultural Centre?
- 23. In what year did the Canadian Pacific Railway allow Blacks to work as conductors?
- 24. Who is the first African Canadian woman to be appointed to the Ontario Provincial Court?
- 25. Name the church that was first established in Canada in 1834.



Task: Watch the brief video about Rose Fortune at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xgkWy2fYECU before completing this worksheet.

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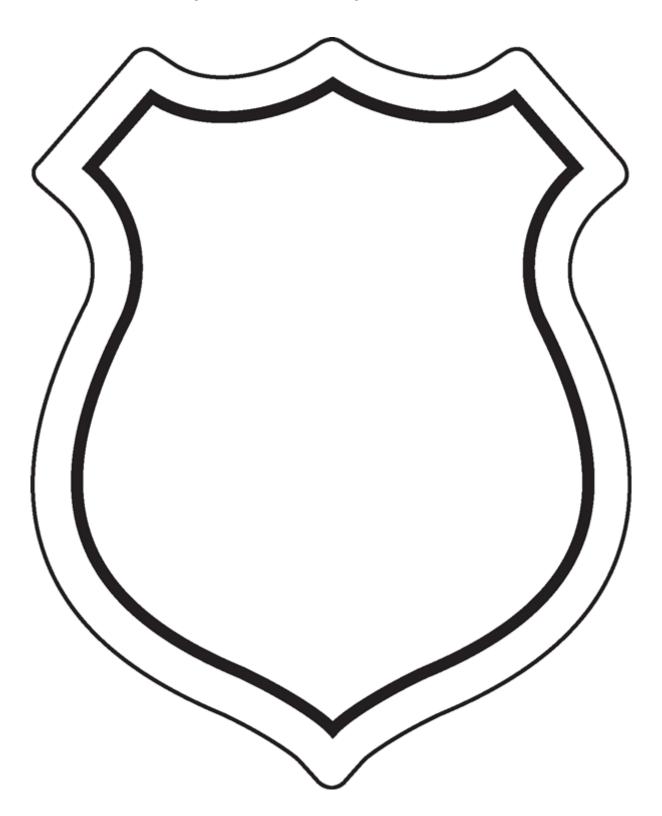
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