**Biography Report Selection**

**Selection Due Date: 1/14-1/16**

Use the attached list to help you choose *three* people you might like to study and write a biography report about. (You may choose someone who is not on the list, but you must be able to explain why they made a positive difference in the world.) It is a good idea to browse the library or do some internet research to see who you’re interested in before deciding.

We have been studying many important people who have made a difference in the world. Because of the work we have done (and will do) in class, please do not choose any of the following people:

* Abraham Lincoln
* Rosa Parks
* George Washington
* Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
* Benjamin Franklin
* Harriet Tubman
* Thomas Edison
* Helen Keller

You may turn in this paper with your three choices starting Tuesday, January 14th. Biographies will be assigned and you will be notified by your teacher on Friday, January 17th.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I would enjoy researching:

1st choice \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2nd choice \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3rd choice \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A parent signature shows your teacher you have read the report and understand the directions.

**PLEASE RETURN THIS SHEET AND WAIT FOR YOUR**

**TEACHER’S RESPONSE BEFORE YOU BEGIN YOUR REPORT.**

**Thank you!**

**People Who Have Made a Difference**

*You may choose someone from this list, but you do not have to. If you choose someone else, please be ready to explain to your teacher why that person has made a positive difference in our world.*

Neil Armstrong

Edwin Aldrin, Jr.

Rachel Carson

The Wright Brothers

John F. Kennedy

George Washington Carver

Caesar Chavez

Annie Sullivan

Winston Churchill

Cleopatra

Marie and Pierre Curie

Walt Disney

Leonardo da Vinci

Amelia Earhart

Louis Braille

Duke Ellington

Mohandas Gandhi

Davy Crockett

Katherine Johnson

Daniel Boone

Susan B. Anthony

Nelson Mandela

Malala Yousafzai

Jazz Jennings

Dolores Huerta

Sonia Sotomayor

Misty Copeland

Florence Nightengale

Ruby Bridges

Jim Henson

Steve Jobs

Bill Gates

William Shakespeare

Alexander Graham Bell

Sally Ride

Frederick Douglass

Franklin Roosevelt

Sequoya

Thomas Jefferson

Mother Teresa

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Jesse Owens

Peter the Great

Beatrix Potter

Mo’ne Davis

Elizabeth Cady Stanton

Yo-Yo Ma

Ruth Bader Ginsburg

Sharice Davids

Ilhan Omar

Rashida Tlaib

Madam CJ Walker

Buffalo Bird Woman

Linda Carol Brown

Sandra Day O’Connor

Chief Justice John Roberts

Alan Turing

Saira Blair

Gabby Douglas

Fred Rogers

Diana, Princess of Wales