

Black Unsung Hero & Heroine Speech
Speech Presentations: Thursday, February 27, 2020
Hero/Heroine Listing

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| 1. Mary Ellen Pleasant | 55. Sojourner Truth | 108. Paul Roberson |
| 2. Stokely Carmichael | 56. Harriet Tubman | 109. John Russwurm |
| 3. Huey Newton | 57. Ida B. Wells | 110. Dred Scott |
| 4. Robert Reed Church | 58. August Wilson | 111. Mabel Staupers |
| 5. Ella Baker | 59. Jesse LeRoy Brown | 112. Susan L. Taylor |
| 6. Toni Morrison | 60. Matthew Henson | 113. Mary Church Terrell |
| 7. Dorothy I. Height | 61. Jane Bolin | 114. Nat Turner |
| 8. Shirley Chisholm | 62. Alice Allison Dunnigan | 115. Alice Walker |
| 9. Hannah Elias | 63. Claudette Colvin | 116. Phillis Wheatley |
| 10. Adam Clayton Powell Jr. | 64. Irene Morgan Kirkaldy | 117. Carter Woodson |
| 11. Charles Drew | 65. Anna Arnold Hedgeman | 118. Richard Wright |
| 12. Annie Turnbo Malone | 66. Amelia Boynton Robinson | 119. Whitney M. Young |
| 13. Elijah McCoy | 67. Daisy Bates | 120. Andrew Young |
| 14. Marcus Garvey | 68. Dr. Rebecca Lee Crumpler | 121. Ralph Abernathy |
| 15. O.W. Gurley | 69. Annie Lee Cooper | 122. Gloria Richardson |
| 16. Fred Jones | 70. Ethel Waters | 123. Marian Wright Edelman |
| 17. W.E.B. DuBois | 71. Gwendolyn Brooks | 124. Benjamin Hooks |
| 18. Frederick Douglass | 72. Alice Coachman | 125. Julian Bond |
| 19. Langston Hughes | 73. Maria P. Williams | 126. John Lewis |
| 20. Joe Louis | 74. Mae Jemison | 127. Blanche Kelso Bruce |
| 21. Lewis Latimer | 75. Ruby Bridges | 128. Yvonne Burke |
| 22. Maya Angelou | 76. Alex Haley | 129. John Conyers |
| 23. Nina Simone | 77. Coleman A. Young | 130. Cardiss Collins |
| 24. Willie O'Ree | 78. Benjamin Banneker | 131. Renee Canady |
| 25. William Hastie | 79. Norbert Rillieux | 132. Eric Holder |
| 26. Bayard Rustin | 80. Benjamin Montgomery | 133. Barbara Jordan |
| 27. Benjamin O Davis Jr. | 81. Elijah McCoy | 134. Hiram Rhodes Revels |
| 28. Bessie Coleman | 82. Jan Matzeliger | 135. Septima Clark |
| 29. Doris Miller | 83. Daniel Hale Williams, M.D. | 136. Anna Julia Cooper |
| 30. George Washington Carver | 84. Garrett Morgan | 137. Johnnetta Cole |
| 31. Thurgood Marshall | 85. Ernest Everett Just, Ph.D. | 138. Clifton Wharton |
| 32. Booker T. Washington | 86. Percy Julian, Ph.D. | 139. Ernest Green |
| 33. Josephine Baker | 87. Claude Harvard | 140. Harry Belafonte |
| 34. Wendell Scott | 88. Crispus Attucks | 141. Mary Berry |
| 35. Wilt Chamberlain | 89. James P. Beckwourth | 142. Eldridge Cleaver |
| 36. Robert Abbott | 90. William Wells Brown | 143. Joycelyn Elders |
| 37. Alvin Ailey | 91. Ralph Bunche | 144. Louis Farrakhan |
| 38. Muhammad Ali | 92. Margare Burroughs | 145. Henry Louis Gates Jr |
| 39. Richard Allen | 93. Martin Delany | 146. Nikki Giovanni |
| 40. Maya Angelou | 94. Paul Laurence Dunbar | 147. Bryant Gumbel |
| 41. James Baldwin | 95. Jean Baptiste Pointe
DuSable | 148. James Meredith |
| 42. Jean-Michel Basquiat | 96. Medgar Evers | 149. Kwesi Mfume |
| 43. Mary Mcleod Bethune | 97. T. Thomas Fortune | 150. Samuel D. Procter |
| 44. Zora Neale Hurston | 98. John Hope Franklin | 151. Randall Robinson |
| 45. Jimi Hendrix | 99. Fannie Lou Hamer | 152. Rosina Tucker |
| 46. Jesse Jackson | 100. Charles Houston | 153. Maxine Waters |
| 47. Katherine Johnson | 101. Jack Johnson | 154. Cornel West |
| 48. Henrietta Lacks | 102. James Weldon Johnson | 155. L. Douglas Wilder |
| 49. Malcolm X | 103. John H. Johnson | 156. Walter White |
| 50. Jesse Owens | 104. Maulana Karenga | 157. Elaine Brown |
| 51. Gordon Parks | 105. Alain Locke | 158. Melba Roy Mouton |
| 52. Sidney Poitier | 106. Robert Moses | 159. Minnijean Brown Trickey |
| 53. A. Phillip Randolph | 107. Isaac Murphy | 160. Nannie Helen Burroughs |
| 54. Jackie Robinson | | 161. Maude Ballou |

If you have any questions, please reach out to the teacher prior to the due date of the assignment.