

Our Local Heroes

Enquiry Question: Who are our local heroes?

| Key Vocabulary | | Sticky Knowledge |
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| Portrait | A painting of a person. | Heroes are people we look up to for their bravery, actions and achievements. A hero can also be someone who did something very special while facing danger or obstacles. |
| Hero | Somebody who is brave and has courage. | Blue plaques: Celebrates and remembers significant people. We can use images, objects, documents, visits and visitors to give us information about a person from the past. |
| Villain | A criminal or bad person. | Local Heroes |
| Significant | Something that is important. | Chris Finnegan won a gold medal for boxing at the 1968 Olympic Games (he went to St. Mary's). |
| Local | The nearby area. | William Wilberforce led campaigns to stop slavery (he lived in Uxbridge). |
| Courage | To be brave. | T E Lawrence was a writer and soldier. During WW1 he became famous as 'Lawrence of Arabia'. He was trained at RAF Uxbridge. |
| Evidence | Information that tells you if something is true. | Father Michael Wren: The founder of our Church and then the opening of our school in 1895. |
| Clues | A piece of evidence or information. | Alexander Fleming won the Nobel prize for the discovery of penicillin. He worked at Harefield Hospital from 1939. |
| Artefact | An object made by a human being in the past. | Katherine Ann Raleigh was a suffragist who refused to pay taxes and was fined in 1915. |
| Museum | A building in which objects from the past are put on display. | Local Heroes |
| | | William Hawke was a famous highwayman and was born and buried in Uxbridge (1750 - 1774). |