

MARTIN LUTHER KING READERS!

He led the
Montgomery
Bus Boycott.

Level 1

fine
motor
skills!



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2
reading
levels!

He led the
Montgomery Bus
Boycott, leading to
a change in the bus
segregation law.

Level 2



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The Life of Martin Luther King Jr.



By: _____

He was born in Georgia.



He became a minister.



He married Coretta Scott.



He got his Ph.D.



He fought for equal rights.



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He led the
Montgomery
Bus Boycott.



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He gave an "I
Have a Dream"
speech.



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He was given
the Nobel Peace
Prize.



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He helped make
the world a
better place.



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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Find and Color!

Directions: Find and color the events of Dr. Martin Luther King Junior's life.



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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Match the Events

Directions: Draw a line to match the pictures to the events.



marriage



birth



speech



minister



Ph.D.

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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions below by placing a check mark in the correct box.

1) Martin Luther King Jr. was born in Florida.	☐ True ☐ False
2) He married Coretta Scott.	☐ True ☐ False
3) He became a firefighter.	☐ True ☐ False
4) He fought for equal rights.	☐ True ☐ False

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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions below by placing a check mark in the correct box.

1) Where was MLK born?	☐ Missouri ☐ Georgia ☐ Alabama
2) What prize was MLK awarded?	☐ Oscar Award ☐ Grammy Award ☐ Nobel Peace Prize
3) Who did MLK marry?	☐ Harriet Tubman ☐ Coretta Scott ☐ Billie Holiday
4) What was MLK's famous speech known as?	☐ "I Have a Dream" ☐ "I Have Ice-cream" ☐ "We the People"

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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Read the questions. Write your answers on the lines below.

1) Where was Martin Luther King Jr. born?	_____
2) What prize was he awarded?	_____
3) Who did he marry?	_____
4) What was MLK's famous speech known as?	_____

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Reading
Comprehension!

The Life of Martin Luther King Jr.



By: _____

He was born in
Atlanta, Georgia
in 1929.



He became an
ordained minister
at the age of 19.



He married Coretta
Scott and settled in
Montgomery,
Alabama.



He received his
Doctorate from
Boston
University.



He fought for the
rights to vote,
desegregation, and
civil rights.



Level
2

He led the
Montgomery Bus
Boycott, leading to
a change in the bus
segregation law.



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He gave an
inspiring "I Have a
Dream" speech at a
civil rights
demonstration.



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He was awarded the
Nobel Peace Prize
for his nonviolent
campaign against
racism.



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He helped make the
world a better
place by fighting
for racial justice
and civil rights.



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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions below by placing a check mark in the correct box.

1) Martin Luther King Jr. was born in Savannah, Georgia. ☐ True ☐ False

2) He got married to a woman named Coretta Scott. ☐ True ☐ False

3) At the age of 19, he became a firefighter. ☐ True

4) He fought for the rights to vote, desegregation, and civil rights.

5) He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his nonviolent campaign against racism.

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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions below by placing a check mark in the correct box.

1) Where was Martin Luther King Jr. born? ☐ Memphis, Tennessee ☐ Savannah, Georgia ☐ Atlanta, Georgia ☐ Birmingham, Alabama

2) What prize was MLK awarded for his nonviolent campaign against racism? ☐ Academy Award ☐ Pulitzer Prize ☐ Emmy Award ☐ Nobel Peace Prize

3) Who did MLK marry? ☐ Coretta Scott ☐ Harriet Tubman ☐ Billie Holiday ☐ Mary Lee Mills

4) What was MLK's occupation? ☐ Firefighter ☐ Minister ☐ Astronaut ☐ Mechanic

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Name: _____ Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Read the questions. Write your answer on the lines below.

1) Where was Martin Luther King Jr. born?

2) What prize was MLK awarded for his nonviolent fight against racism?

3) What woman did MLK marry?

4) What did MLK become at the age of 19?

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Reading Comprehension to check for understanding! Use during whole group, small groups, literacy centers, independent work, partner work, sub tub, and more!

He became
a minister.



He became
a minister.

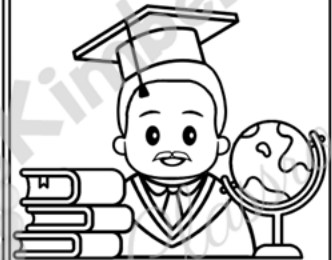


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friendly!**

He got his
Ph.D.



He got his
Ph.D.



He led the
Montgomery
Bus Boycott.



He led the
Montgomery
Bus Boycott.



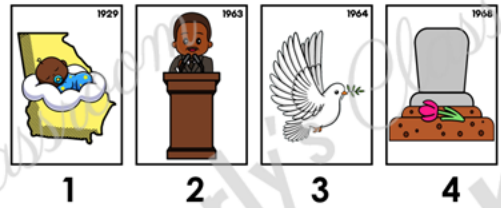
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Martin's Timeline Cards



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Name: _____



Martin's Timeline

Directions: Cut out the events below and paste them in the correct order on page 2.



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Name: _____



Martin's Timeline

Directions: Paste the events of Martin Luther King Jr.'s life on the timeline below.



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Differentiated timeline cards
and activities included!

Martin's Timeline Cards

Martin Luther King Jr.



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Name: _____

Martin Luther King Jr.

Martin's Timeline

Directions: Cut out the events below and paste them in the correct order on page 2.



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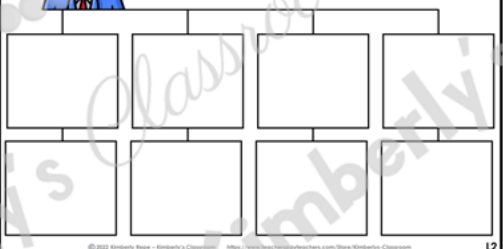
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Name: _____

Martin Luther King Jr.

Martin's Timeline

Directions: Paste the events of Martin Luther King Jr.'s life on the timeline below.



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Put the events of Martin's life
in the correct order!

Answer Keys!

Name: **ANSWER KEY** Martin Luther King Jr.

Find and Color!

Directions: Find and color the events of Dr. Martin Luther King Junior's life.

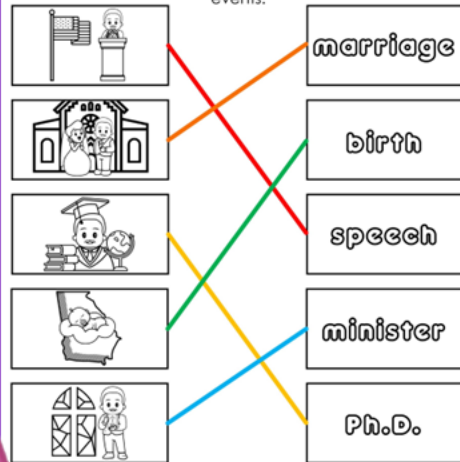


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Name: **ANSWER KEY** Martin Luther King Jr.

Match the Events

Directions: Draw a line to match the pictures to the events.



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Name: **ANSWER KEY** Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Answer the questions below by placing a check mark in the correct box.

1) Martin Luther King Jr. was born in Savannah, Georgia.	☐ True ☒ False
2) He got married to a woman named Coretta Scott.	☒ True ☐ False
3) At the age of 19, he became a firefighter.	☐ True ☒ False
4) He fought for the rights to vote, desegregation, and civil rights.	☒ True ☐ False
5) He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his nonviolent campaign against racism.	☒ True ☐ False

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Name: **ANSWER KEY** Martin Luther King Jr.

Reading Comprehension

Directions: Read the questions. Write your answer on the lines below.

1) Where was Martin Luther King Jr. born?

Georgia

2) What prize was MLK awarded for his nonviolent fight against racism?

Nobel Peace Prize

3) What woman did MLK marry?

Coretta Scott

4) What did MLK become at the age of 19?

"I Have a Dream"

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