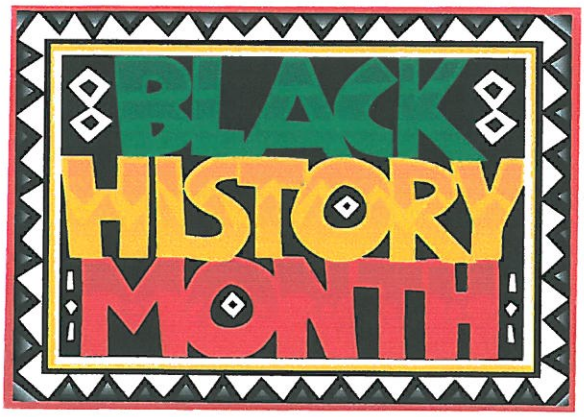
Black History Month Writing Prompt: Remembrance

During Black History Month, which is also referred to as African-American History Month, we remember and celebrate people and events that have had a significant role in black history. It is held in February because two important figures in African-American history have birthdays in this month: Abraham Lincoln, who issued the Emancipation Proclamation abolishing slavery, and Frederick Douglass, a former slave who became a noted black leader. What event or person would you choose to celebrate? Why?