# 'Be the Change' Research Project

<u>PROMPT</u>: Analyze the Legacy of a local, National, or Global Changemaker. Explain how this person's work inspires you to be a changemaker as well.

## **Objectives:**

- 1) You will conduct biographical research on a figure of local, national, or global significance that has created a positive change in society.
- 2) Students will identify an enduring problem and research solutions enacted by their changemaker.
- 3) You will reflect on the impact of your changemaker and identify an issue you would like to address.



### Requirements:

Create a Google Slides Presentation with **6-8 images** and the following information:

## **Section 1: Your Figure**

- Provide a brief biography. Who are they? Where are they from? When were they born? What are they most known for?
- Describe the enduring issue or problem this person addressed. Who was being affected? In what ways?
- In either a timeline or storytelling fashion, explain the ways this figure made an impact or change. How were they able to overcome difficulties?
- What changed? How was the world/country/community different after this figure? Give specifics on what changed and the positive impact.
- What do you think is their ultimate legacy and what can people learn from this person?

## Section 2: Personal Connection

- What is an enduring issue you would like to address in your life?
- Briefly describe the problem or issue and then explain how you could work to address it.
- What did you learn from your changemaker's experience that you can apply to your own efforts. Be specific.

## **Section 3: Citations**

• Include a citation slide that includes at least THREE references you used for your research in MLA format. Note: MyBib is α helpful tool.

This project is due the first day of class.