# '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.



#### Task:

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

## **Section 1: Your Figure**

- Slide 1: Provide a brief biography. Who are they? Where are they from? When were they born? What are they most known for?
- Slide 2: Describe the enduring issue or problem this person addressed. Who was being affected? In what ways?
- **Slide 3:** Explain the ways this figure made an impact or change. How were they able to overcome difficulties?
- **Slide 4:** What changed? How was the world/country/community different after this figure? Give specifics on what changed and the positive impact.
- Slide 5: What do you think is their ultimate legacy and what can people learn from this person?

## **Section 2: Personal Connection**

- Slide 6: What is an enduring issue you would like to address in your life?
- **Slide 7:** Briefly describe the problem or issue and then explain how you could work to address it.
- Slide 8: What did you learn from your changemaker's experience that you can apply to your own efforts. *Be specific.*

### **Section 3: Citations**

• **Slide 9:** 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.