



# Black History Month at ECSfG

## Economics

KS5 students are studying part of a documentary on one of the greatest economists: Thomas Sowell

## Design Tech

Students are studying Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock, British space scientist and science educator. Students are learning about the 'Stemetters' and are identifying leading women in Science. Students are participating in BHM STEM activities and projects in school

## Food Tech

Students are studying cultural food and chefs with a focus on people of black heritage and African/Caribbean foods

## Science

All KS3-5 students are covering a series of BHM lesson starters during October. These focus on key figures from black and global majority ethnic groups who have made a significant contribution to developments in science. Students are learning about women from black and global majority groups who are currently working in STEM careers: "Black History (in the making)". Y11 students are also studying the Halo Code, which ECSfG endorses, and hair products



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## History

Y7 students are completing their Y7 History Assessment based on the Plaque Project, to inform our KS3 BHM competition.

KS4 students are creating the #Windrush75 Book, running from Oct '22 until spring '23

## Textiles

Y11 and Y12 will visit the Knitting & Stitching Show to view Textiles artwork by Maggie Scott whose exhibition explores "5 times more". This field work underpins classroom discussion and for Y12 a mini project about Black Textiles Artists such as Faith Ringgold and Bisa Butler. This year's BHM focus forms part of the Portraits section of the Y12 project and addresses issues such as mental health, dementia and racial prejudice

## Health and Social Care

Students are discussing Sickle Cell Anaemia: how SCA is inherited, medical issues and treatments

## KS3

students will attend an assembly on people of black heritage in the creative industries

