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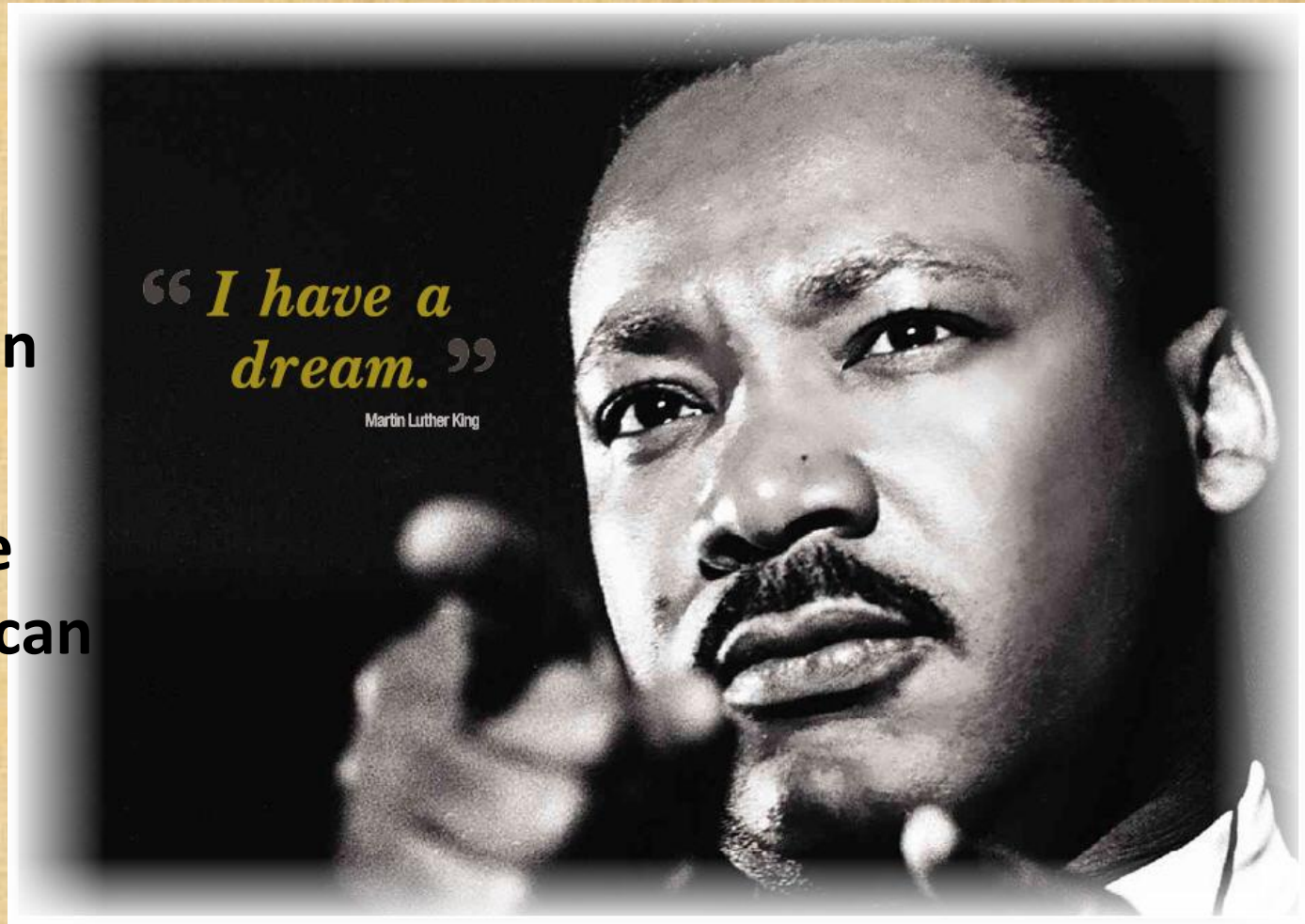
WHO IS MARTIN LUTHER KING

An American
Baptist minister

An activist

A humanitarian

A leader in the
African-American
Civil Rights
Movement



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FACTS



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Walkers during the
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*For the first time, black
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they please.*



"...WHEN NEGROES IN ALBANY, GEORGIA, DECIDED TO STRAIGHTEN THEIR BACKS UP. AND WHENEVER MEN AND WOMEN STRAIGHTEN THEIR BACKS UP, THEY ARE GOING SOMEWHERE, BECAUSE A MAN CAN'T RIDE YOUR BACK UNLESS IT IS BENT..."

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Led the Albany Movement in 1962 against segregation

The Albany Movement conducted a broad campaign in Albany, Georgia, that challenged all forms of segregation and discrimination.



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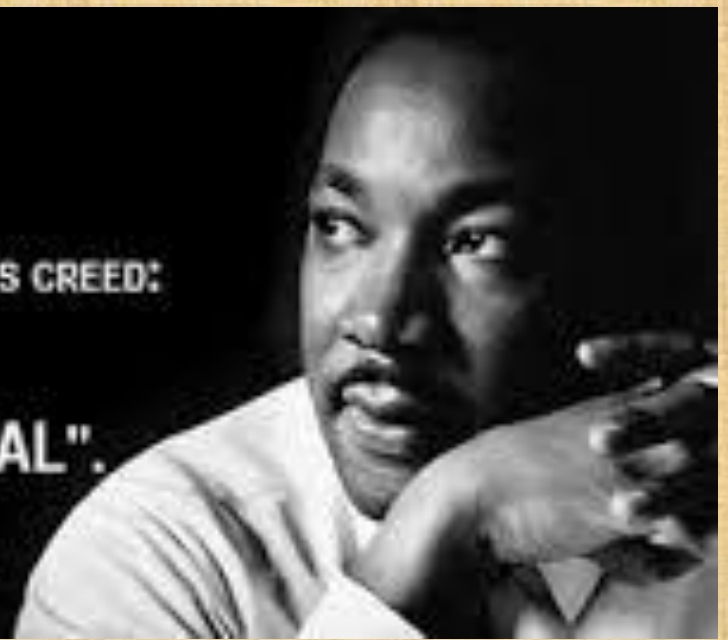
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Martin Luther King Jr.
August 28, 1963



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7JG would like you to write down one thing that you can do differently from now on to make our school community a better place for everyone.

Don't forget to write your name and Tutor Group.

**SAVE THE ENVIRONMENT,
SAVE THE PLANET**

Please hand in your sheet to the student from 7JG at the end of the row when you are leaving.