

Citizens Who Helped

Identify people whose actions helped others and their country.

2.10.B “identify historical figures and other individuals who have exemplified good citizenship such as Paul Revere, Abigail Adams, World War II Women Airforce Service Pilots (WASPs), Navajo Code Talkers, and Sojourner Truth; and”

NAME _____

DATE _____

1 READ AND MARK _____ Read it twice

YOUR JOB Underline each historical figure's name. Circle the words that tell how each person showed good citizenship.

Actions That Helped

- ① Paul Revere rode at night in 1775 to warn patriot leaders that British soldiers were coming. Abigail Adams wrote letters during the American Revolution. She asked leaders to remember women when they made laws. Both spoke or acted to help their community.
- ② During World War II, Women Airforce Service Pilots, called WASPs, flew military planes in the United States. Their work freed other pilots for combat. Navajo Code Talkers used the Navajo language to send secret messages. Their service helped protect American troops.
- ③ Sojourner Truth escaped slavery and became a speaker for freedom and women's rights. She shared her ideas even when it was hard. These people showed good citizenship by helping others, protecting the country, or working for fairer laws.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE Use the passage

1 Which historical figure asked leaders to remember women when they made laws?

2 How did Navajo Code Talkers show good citizenship?

3 What did the WASPs do, and how did their work help?

3 YOUR TURN Your own words

Choose Paul Revere or Sojourner Truth. Write two sentences that name the person and tell how that person's actions showed good citizenship.

PART 1 • READ AND MARK

Underline each historical figure's name. Circle the words that tell how each person showed good citizenship. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 • ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	Which historical figure asked leaders to remember women when they made laws?	Abigail Adams.
2	How did Navajo Code Talkers show good citizenship?	They used the Navajo language to send secret messages that helped protect American troops.
3	What did the WASPs do, and how did their work help?	WASPs flew military planes in the United States. Their work freed other pilots for combat.

PART 3 • YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

Paul Revere warned patriot leaders that British soldiers were coming. He showed good citizenship by helping protect his community.

Accept a correct name and an action from the passage that explains good citizenship. For the open response, accept either Paul Revere or Sojourner Truth with a factual explanation of how the person helped others, the community, or the country.