

Year 1: Shared Reading
Week Beginning: 20.07.2020



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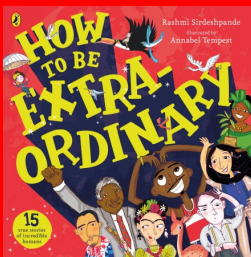
What does extra-ordinary mean?



How can a human be extra-ordinary?

Who wrote the book?

Who illustrated the book?



The Blurb:

Could you be EXTRAORDINARY? This book will inspire you with the real-life stories of extraordinary people, showcasing a total variety of personalities and talents. Whoever you are, and whoever you want to be, read about the extraordinary stories of these 15 people, and decide how YOU will be extraordinary too!

From around the world and throughout history, discover unsung heroes - and some well-known faces - brought to life with astonishing story-telling and illustration.

Meet an artist, scientist, medic, environmentalist, musician, activist, writer, politician, and even a spy . . . above all, discover that there are MANY ways to be extraordinary and to make a real difference in the world.

Vocabulary

You will need the blurb for *How to be Extra- Ordinary* that we read yesterday.

Let's have a talk about these word choices in the blurb.

What are real- life stories ? What other stories could there be?

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Vocabulary

Let's have a talk about these word choices in the text.

*What does the word **variety** mean?*

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Vocabulary

*What does personality mean? What personalities can you think of?
Can you think of characters from any books with these personalities?*

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Comprehension

1. Can you think of five different groups of 'unsung heroes' throughout the current pandemic? E.g. Supermarket workers
2. Can you think of five 'well-known faces'?
3. What punctuation is being used here and why?

Meet an artist, scientist, medic, environmentalist, musician, activist, writer, politician, and even a spy...

4. These are the famous faces you will meet in the book:

Featuring the real-life stories of: Aeham Ahmad, David Attenborough, Mo Farah, Keiko Fukuda, Stephen Hawking, Frida Kahlo, Abdul Kalam, Judith Kerr, Wangari Maathai, Nelson Mandela, David Nott, Michelle Obama, Krystyna Skarbek, Alan Turing, Sau Lan Wu.

Do you know who any of them are? Maybe you could research a name that you don't know, to learn what makes them extra-ordinary!