



# Readers are Leaders



## Question Form: Books about Heroes, Pioneers and Celebrities

### Basic facts

Name of the person :

Date of birth :

Date of death ( if applicable) :

In which country did/does the person live ?



### Questions about the life of the person you read about (3 points each)

1. In what ways was his/her life **admirable**?
2. What were the main achievements of the person?
3. What are the two or **three most important lessons** you or any other young person might learn from the way this person lived?
4. An older person or mentor is often very important in shaping the lives of gifted people by providing **guidance and encouragement**. To what extent was this true of your person? Explain.

5. Many people act out of a "code" or a set of beliefs which dictate choices. It may be **religion or politics or a personal philosophy**. To what extent did your person act by a code or act independently of any set of beliefs? Were there times when the code was challenged and impossible to follow?
  
6. What do you think it means to be a **hero**? Was your person a "hero?" Why? Why not? How is a hero different from a celebrity?
  
7. In what way have certain events in this person's life had a negative or positive impact, and how did they handle dealing with said event?