

Opening (5 minutes)

October is LGBTQ History Month. How many LGBTQ people from history can you name? What are things you already know and want to know? (Think-Pair-Share)

Initial Exploration (10 minutes)

Watch the [5 minute video](#) listing all 31 people, or the [30-second PSA](#). What do you notice? What do you wonder? Focus in on 1-2 people you want to learn more about. Work independently, in partner pairs, or small groups.

Digging Deeper (30-60 minutes; 1 day or multiple days)

Using the PDF from the lgbtq history website [Icon Bio Pages](#), learn more about one or two people.

Take detailed notes on the following:

- Top 2-3 notable achievements
- Connection to Portrait of a Graduate [Key Competencies](#) (have copies available for reference)
- 2 Questions you'd ask your person

Presentation (15-60 minutes)

- Take your research and distill it into a [1-pager](#) (or Pic Collage, a short video, a podcast, or speech)
- Share in jigsaw small groups, depending on time you have available (larger groups = longer time)
- Invite 3-5 students to share out with the whole class