

In spite of facing adversity, African Americans always have been pioneers of one kind or another--in industry, science, activism, the arts, music, entertainment, and sports.

For this writing prompt, share some facts about an African American pioneer that has influenced your life, or share some facts about a pioneer new to you. Using your smart phone, look up keywords like "African American scientists." See what comes up. Using a typewriter, write about your discovery.

Tape what you wrote to our Black History Wall. Take a photo of what you wrote and post it online.