

# Heroes

## Mother Teresa

Alicia said her heroine is Mother Teresa. At age 18 she left home and joined an Irish Community of nuns with a mission in India. She later left the mission to set up her own charity to care for the poor, homeless and sick people. Starting in India, with no funds, she set up an open air school in Calcutta where she was born. Her work eventually spread to many other continents, including Africa, Asia and Latin America. She set up her own Missionaries of Society organization that now has many branches and over one million co-workers worldwide. Mother Teresa died in 1997. What does choosing Mother Teresa as a heroine tell you about Alicia?



## Martin Luther King

Kile told the class that his hero is Martin Luther King. He chose Dr. King because he stood up for what he believed was morally right. Dr. King gained the admiration of the world because he was willing to speak his opinion even when it caused risk to his life. What does choosing Martin Luther King as his hero tell you about Kile?

## Your Hero

Name your hero and give three reasons why this person is your hero .