



Black Baton Rouge Yesterday & Today

LOOKING BACK TO EFFECTIVELY MOVE FORWARD

Individuals Engagement Guide

Suggested Tips for Engaging with this document

ENGAGE FAMILY, FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS, COWORKERS, AND COLLEAGUES

- Share a link to the document and the engagement guide with those in your network of relationships
- Mention the document to all of the organizations or groups with which you are associated
- Use the document to design your own Black History month observations
- Be intentional in starting conversations among the children
- Document your family's history with writings, photographs, video or voice recordings

ENGAGING WITH THE DOCUMENT

- Give special attention to the sections of the document that interest you most.
- Give special attention to familiar communities in the document.
- Create discussion opportunities with the below as a starting point:
 - What stands out to you in the history of Baton Rouge?
 - What is similar or different about Baton Rouge historically as compared to the present?
 - How can being familiar with the history of Black Baton Rouge impact the future of the community?
 - What did you learn about the history of Baton Rouge from the document?
- Intentionally support children in becoming familiar with the history of their community