

## Martin Luther King Jr. An Example of Courage and Determination

As I learned about MLK, I was thrilled about his courage and determination to change the world. As a kid he used to see a lot of "white only" signs outside restaurants, trains, and shops. He then started wondering why people were treated differently depending on their skin color and he decided to protest and fight for civil rights. He was jailed many times but he kept on fighting.

MLK inspires me by not giving up on my dreams. Since I have ADHD I need to work harder in school to keep up with my education. As I love basketball, I want to be in high school and college teams, and even one day I'd love to be drafted to the NBA. Like MLK, I learned from my mom that I am "as good as anyone". Now, I'm teaching others how to treat me and respect me.