



INFO: Famous people from the Commonwealth

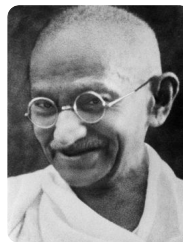
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Famous people from the Commonwealth

You've now learned a lot about the **Commonwealth of Nations**.
The Commonwealth countries have always been home to **very interesting people**.
Here are some of them:

Leaders and changemakers

- **Nelson Mandela** (*South Africa*) – fought against racial discrimination, became the country's first Black president
- **Mahatma Gandhi** (*India*) – led the independence movement using non-violence
- **Diana, Princess of Wales** (*UK*) – helped people with HIV/AIDS and fought against landmines
- **Malala Yousafzai** (*Pakistan*) – activist for girls' education, Nobel Peace Prize winner
- **Wangari Maathai** (*Kenya*) – started the Green Belt Movement; protected the environment



Mahatma Gandhi



Princess Diana



Nelson Mandela



Malala Yousafzai



Wangari Maathai

Modern voices & cultural icons

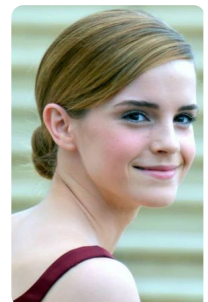
- **Marcus Rashford** (*UK*) – footballer and activist against child poverty
- **Zadie Smith** (*UK*) – British author of Jamaican descent
- **Emma Watson** (*UK*) – actress and activist for gender equality
- **Stormzy** (*UK*) – British rapper speaking about race and social justice
- **Lewis Hamilton** (*UK*) – *Formula 1* driver, stands up for diversity and against discrimination



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