

# Bessie Coleman

[https://kids.kiddle.co/Bessie\\_Coleman](https://kids.kiddle.co/Bessie_Coleman)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ps6M5es45eE>



# Quick Start

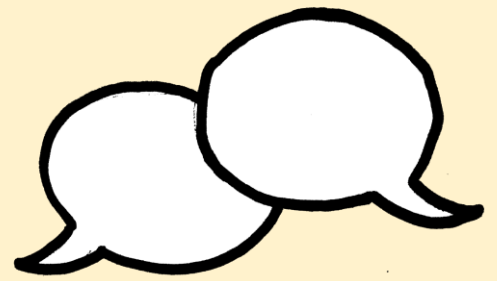
- Bessie Coleman was the first African-American to do what?
- Where was Bessie Coleman born?
- Why did Bessie Coleman go to France?

# Vocabulary Check



- she fought discrimination
- Coleman's father was disturbed by the racial barriers in Texas
- during the harvest, African American children could not go to school

## Partnered Talk



Find evidence that Bessie Coleman was  
**resilient.**

## Individual Thinking



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could not go to school.*

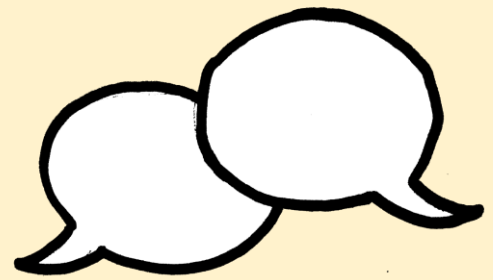
What does this tell us about attitudes in America  
at the time?

## Individual Thinking



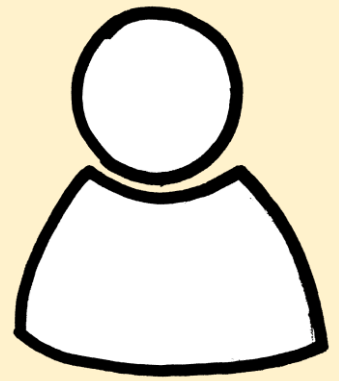
Find two jobs that Bessie Coleman did to save money so that she could achieve her dreams.

## Partnered Talk



Why do you think a stamp was issued in Bessie's honour and a street was named after her?

# Solo Work



What can we learn from Bessie Coleman?