



## March Writing Challenge!

National science week is during March so we would like you to create a fact file about a famous scientist!

You might include; images, labels, subheadings, captions and fact boxes.

**Albert Einstein**  
Albert Einstein was a German-born theoretical physicist, widely acknowledged to be one of the most influential physicists of all time. Einstein is best known for developing the theory of relativity. He won the Nobel Prize for Physics in 1921.

**Thomas Edison**  
Thomas Edison was one of the most famous and prolific inventors of all time he exerted a tremendous influence on modern life, contributing inventions such as the incandescent light bulb, the phonograph, and the motion picture camera, as well as improving the telegraph and telephone.

**Isaac Newton**  
Isaac Newton was an English mathematician, physicist, astronomer and alchemist, widely recognized as one of the greatest mathematicians and physicists of all time, and among the most influential scientists. He was a key figure in the philosophical revolution known as the Enlightenment.

**Galileo Galilei**  
Galileo was a natural philosopher, astronomer, and mathematician who made fundamental contributions to the development of the scientific method. He also made revolutionary telescopic discoveries, including the four largest moons of Jupiter.

**Katherine Johnson**  
Katherine Johnson was a NASA mathematician who played a key role in seven NASA missions during the Space Age, perhaps most notably calculating the trajectory needed to get the Apollo 11 mission to the moon and back.

**Edwin Hubble**  
Edwin Hubble was an American astronomer. He played a crucial role in establishing the fields of extragalactic and observational cosmology. He discovered that many objects previously thought to be clouds of dust and gas and "nebulae" were actually galaxies far beyond the Milky Way.

**Copernicus**  
Copernicus was the one who first stated that Earth and the other planets revolve around the sun. This was not a simple idea to think. For hundreds of years, most scholars believed that the sun, stars, and planets revolved around Earth.

**Gladys West**  
Gladys West is an American mathematician known for her contributions to the mathematical modeling of the shape of Earth, and her work on the development of the satellite geodesy models that were eventually incorporated into the Global Positioning System.