## **Career Activity Bell ringer**

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- 1. Who was a famous person who was defeated seven times while running for political office?
- 2. Who was a cartoonist who was told by the editor of the Kansas City newspaper, "It's easy to see from these sketches that you have no talent."
- 3. Who was an author whose first children's book was rejected by 23 different publishers?
- 4. Who was a famous singer who was fired after his first performance at the Grand Ole Opry?
- 5. Who was a famous actress who dropped out of high school and held a variety of odd jobs, including doing the hair and make-up for corpses, before finally succeeding in show business?
- 6. Who was a famous author who lived on welfare for years in an apartment infested with mice?
- 7. Who was a famous athlete who was cut from the varsity basketball team his sophomore year in high school?
- 8. Who was an inventor who was thrown out of school in the early grades because his teachers thought he couldn't learn?
- 9. Who was a famous Harvard University drop out?
- 10. Who was an inventor of a fried chicken recipe that was rejected by more than 1000 restaurant owners?

Research a famous person/leader that you look up to, have they ever failed? How?

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Charles Shultz

- 3. Who was an author whose first children's book was rejected by 23 different publishers? Dr. Suess
- 4. Who was a famous singer who was fired after his first performance at the Grand Ole Opry? Elvis Preslev
- 5. Who was a famous actress who dropped out of high school and held a variety of odd jobs, including Whoopi Goldberg

doing the hair and make-up for corpses, before finally succeeding in show business?

- 6. Who was a famous author who lived on welfare for years in an apartment infested with mice? J.K. Rowling
- 7. Who was a famous athlete who was cut from the varsity basketball team his sophomore year in high school?

Michael Jordan

8. Who was an inventor who was thrown out of school in the early grades because his teachers thought he couldn't learn?

Thomas Edison

9. Who was a famous Harvard University drop out? Mark Zuckerberg

10. Who was an inventor of a fried chicken recipe that was rejected by more than 1000 restaurant owners?
Colonel Sanders
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