



Certificate of Achievement

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4 weeks, 4 hours per week



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STUDY REQUIREMENT

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LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Learners will be able to explain how slavery was organised in the British Caribbean.
- They will be able to describe the lifestyles of enslaved people.
- They will be able to interpret different types of historical evidence of slavery: written, visual and material.
- They will be able to debate the relative importance of different factors in bringing slavery to a legal end.
- Learners will be equipped to investigate slavery's legacies in their local area.

SYLLABUS

- Trafficking in enslaved people in the transatlantic trade.
- The culture and lifestyle of enslaved people.
- How enslaved people resisted enslavement.
- What methods were used to control and oppress enslaved people in the Caribbean.
- What happened in the Caribbean when slavery was outlawed.

- How to explore the contemporary legacies of slavery in the modern world.