

PEOPLE WHO CHANGED THE WORLD

Name: _____

Class: _____



Match the names with the descriptions in the timeline.

1 1822

An English **engineer** invented the first computer.



2 1881

1881 – A great **painter** was born in Málaga, Spain.



3 1911

An **explorer** from Norway made a trip to the South Pole.



4 1914

A young **comedian** appeared in the first of many black and white films.



5 1930

A female **pilot** flew alone from Britain to Australia.



6 1963

A great flamenco **dancer** gave her last performance.



7 1969

An American **astronaut** walked on the moon.



8 1980

A famous **musician** was shot dead in New York.



9 1989

A computer **scientist** invented the World Wide Web.



10 2003

The **inventor** of Facebook became a millionaire.



11 2007

A **writer** of children's books sold more than any other author.



12 2008

A black **politician** became president of the USA.



13 2012

An **athlete** won gold medals in the Olympic Games for both the 5,000 m and 10,000 m races.



Use these word and drag your answers into the above boxes:

Charlie Chaplin

Barrack Obama

Ronald Amundsen

Mark Zuckerberg

Mo Farah

John Lennon

Carmen Amaya

Amy Johnson

J.K. Rowling

Pablo Picasso

Charles Babbage

Tim Berners-Lee

Neil Armstrong