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King of equality

TODAY is a big day for people around the world, especially in the United States (美國)!

Why? Because it is Martin Luther King, Jr Day. It is a day to celebrate the life of the man on the right.

Martin Luther King, Jr (馬丁·路德·金) is respected and remembered by many people because he has done some great things for African American people. Read his story on the next page.

Martin Luther King, Jr won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964. He was a remarkable man!

Editor's Note

I have a dream ... that one day all children will eat their vegetables. They have nutrients that are good for the body and they make us go to the toilet regularly. If not, we have to sit on the toilet for a long time and push hard, as seen in today's Read Aloud. I also dream that one day all Hong Kong kids will have less homework to do. Student writer Siu-yeung explains the good and bad points of doing lots of homework.



Simon

Vocabulary Builder

Because



Goodies Learning Card

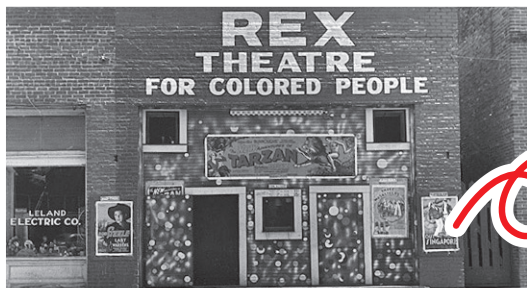
'Because' is used to describe the reason that something happened. We do not use 'so' and 'because' together:

- ✓ **Because** Big Dee has eaten too much, he feels sick.
- ✗ **Because** Big Dee has eaten too much, so he feels sick.



Janice

Hello children! My name is Martin Luther King, Jr. Let me tell you my story:



- I was born in the United States in 1929. The government **discriminated** against African American people. Fair-skinned people could enjoy more benefits than us.



- For example, we could not use the same **facilities** as white people. We could only use those that were marked 'for coloured people'. We had to give up seats to white people on public transport too.



- On 28 August 1963, many people **gathered** in Washington (華盛頓). I gave a speech called 'I Have a Dream'. I dreamt of a world where everyone is equal.

- We should not judge people by their skin colour, should we? So I led people to **protest** against racial discrimination.



- Our hard work **paid off**! Laws were passed in the 1960s that banned racial discrimination.



Game

This is the place where King gave the speech 'I Have a Dream'. People are **gathering** here in **memory** of him. Find three differences between the pictures.



Answers on G12

