

BEAT IT



THIS RESOURCE CONTAINS:

- *Details of music used for this dance*
- *Questions to reflect on learning during Footsteps session*
- *Complete plan for classroom workshop*
- *Suggestions*
- *Materials*

Song Used For Dance OR Suggested Songs:

- Beat It – Michael Jackson

Review Question From Session:

- Q: What style of dance is Beat it?
A: Jazz
- Q: What type of dance is Beat it?
A: Creative
- Q: What move is Michael Jackson famous for?
A: moonwalk
- Q: During your creative poses how are you acting?
A: Strong
- What are some other ways of acting strong?

Name Of Activity:

- Personal Profile and celebrity Profile.
See details below
- Creative Writing
See details below

BEAT IT – MICHAEL JACKSON

“*Beat it*” was one of Michael Jackson’s most well known songs and was a single released from his highest ever selling album, “Thriller”. Let’s look at the life and achievements of Michael Jackson. You will most likely need access to the internet to complete this profile.

Full Name: _____ **Birth Date:** ____/____/____

Birth Place: _____ **Height:** _____

Siblings (Brother and Sisters): _____

Children: _____

Famous Songs _____

Albums: _____

Awards (Achievements): _____

Dance Moves (describe some of Michael Jackson’s well-known dance moves)

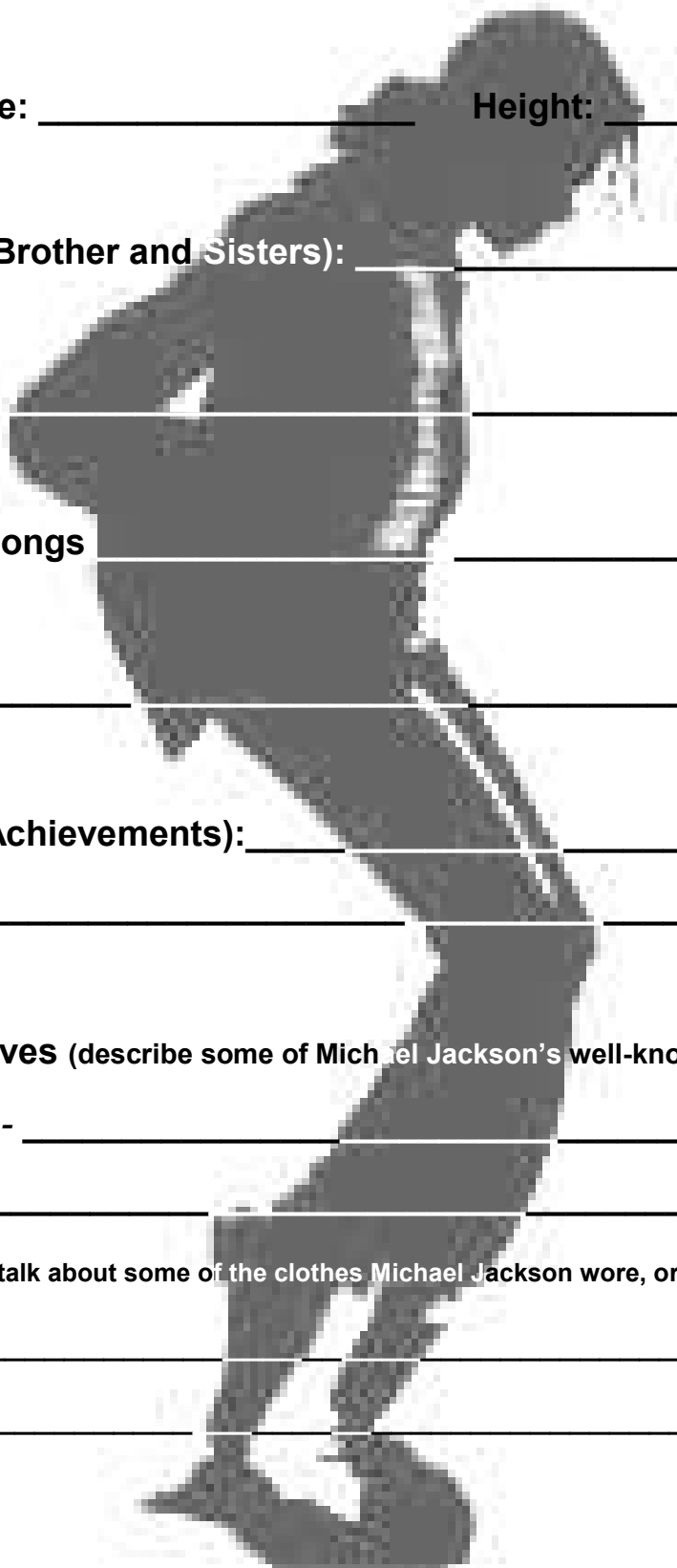
Moonwalk - _____

Thriller - _____

Fashion: (talk about some of the clothes Michael Jackson wore, or outfits he made famous)

Hat - _____

Glove - _____



PERSONAL PROFILE

Name:	
Last Name:	
Date of Birth:	
I live in (town):	
How many brothers/sisters do you have?	
What are their names?	
My favourite sport is:	
My favourite colour is:	
My favourite food is:	

CREATIVE PROFILE

- Create your own profile for a character. This character can be fictional or non-fictional. Make sure to include as many details as you can.
- Once you have created this character profile write a story as 'a day in the life of' that includes the character's profile details in your story. You must also include in this story your spelling words for the week and your sound words, or phonic sounds.

For example:

"Ding, ding, ding" Johnny jumped excitedly as the pinball machine reached its highest score. It was his favourite thing to do on a Saturday and he had been trying to achieve this score for the past 5 weeks at Mr Evans Fun House.