Problem Solver of the Week Matthew Henson

Matthew Henson was an explorer who traveled to places to which people had rarely if ever gone. He is most famous for being one of the first people to reach the North Pole. Matthew was a star builder and tool maker. He listened and learned from the Inuit people and taught his teammates and sled dogs to problem solve on their challenging journeys through the ice and snow of the Arctic.



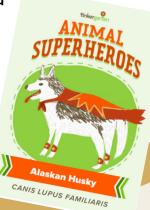
Photo: Frederick A. Stokes, 1912

Explore like Matthew!

What parts of your town, park or yard have you yet to explore? Can you bundle up and get outside to learn more about that place? Take some photos and share them with friends! Problem Solver of the Week Matthew Henson

Play like Matthew.

Matthew and his team could never have reached the North Pole without the help of strong, brave and hard working huskies. All you need is a cookie sheet, some rope and a shopping bag to play like a sled dog and feel how hard huskies work when they pull! Learn how <u>here</u>!



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