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BLACK PANTHER

RULES!

DISCOVER WHAT IT
TAKES TO BE A...

SUPERHERO



Black Panthers are the **kings** and **protectors** of the great nation of **WAKANDA**.

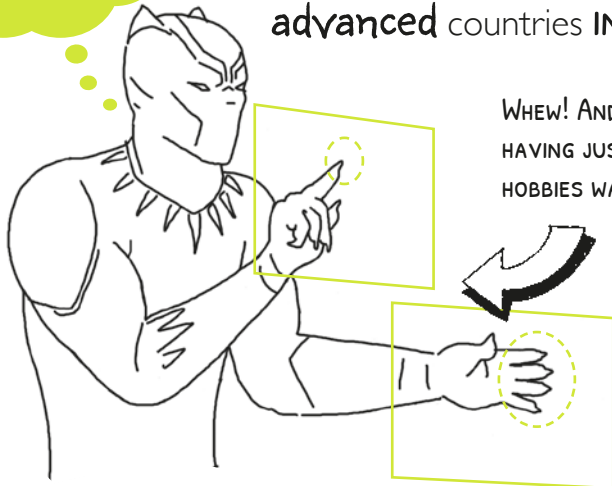
There have been **many** Black Panthers over the centuries, but the most famous is the current Black Panther, known as



T'CHALLA.

Look at me **multitasking!**

As **king**, T'Challa has helped turn Wakanda into one of the most technologically **advanced** countries **IN THE WORLD**.



WHEW! AND YOU THOUGHT HAVING JUST ONE OR TWO HOBBIES WAS TOUGH!

"Just saved the world again" pose

As **Black Panther**, he has **protected** his **homeland** from internal and external foes.

In addition, as a member of Earth's **MIGHTIEST** team of **SUPER HEROES**, the

AVENGERS,

he has saved the **world** again and again!



AVENGERS
SYMBOL



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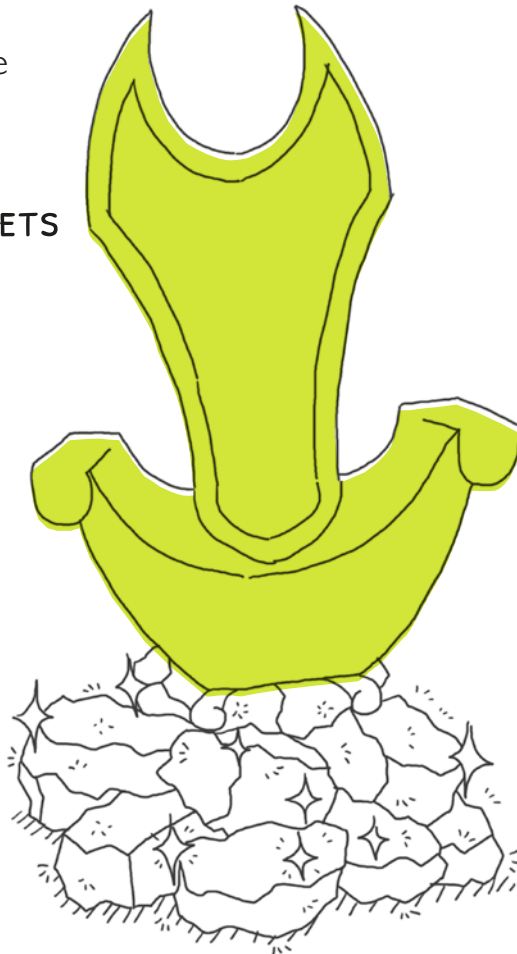


Being a king **isn't** just sitting on a throne all day, dripping with jewels. T'Challa has to put up with constant **internal** strife. There's always some distant **relative** who says **THEY** have a claim to the throne, or a tribal elder or council member **questioning** your decisions.

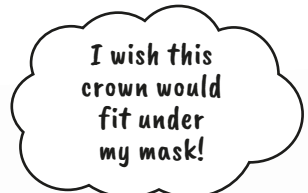
(Which is **SUPER** annoying!)

Sometimes there's a pesky little **sister** getting in your way. Okay, she makes up for it by inventing **SUPER-COOL GADGETS** and **TECH**. And then there are always, **ALWAYS**, people like **Killmonger** who are just out to destroy you.

The Wakandan throne does not **LITERALLY** sit on a mountain of Vibranium... but there is a **LOT** of it!



And if that wasn't enough trouble, Wakanda sits on top of the biggest pile of the **MOST VALUABLE** metal on Earth. It's called **Vibranium** (more on this later), and villains such as Klaw, Kraven the Hunter, and even **aliens** are always trying to get their evil hands* on it.



* Or tentacles. Or high-tech mittens. Or little green fingers.



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On top of being **KING** of a whole nation, Black Panther is also a **Super Hero**. And Super Hero teams like **THE AVENGERS** are **FULL** of **DRAMA**. Someone is always losing their super-powers, then getting them back, or leaving the team, then rejoining it, or even **dying** and then coming **back to life!** See? **DRAMA!**

And let's face it, **THE AVENGERS** are comprised of gods, giant green rage machines, and handsome billionaire industrialists, so the personalities are

BIG.

And don't forget, where there are Super Heroes, there are **Super Villains** doing all sorts of evil things like trying to **TAKE OVER THE WORLD** or collecting multicoloured (and very powerful) magic gems... So Black Panther has a **LOT** to deal with!

Mighty Super Hero team-up The Avengers:



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Test Your Memory

TEST YOUR MEMORY by completing the sentences based on what you've just read.

If you get stuck use the words at the bottom of the page to help!



1. Black Panthers are the kings and protectors of the great nation of _____.

2. The current Black Panther is called _____.

3. Black Panther is a member of the _____ Earth's mightiest team of super heroes!

4. Black Panther's sister Shuri invents super-cool _____ and tech.

gadgets **Avengers** **T'challa** **wakanda**



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Answers: 1. Wakanda, 2. T'Challa, 3. Avengers, 4. Gadgets

Imagine you're a Super Hero!

As the **BLACK PANTHER**, T'Challa has some **AMAZING SUPER-POWERS**, such as **enhanced strength** and **speed**.

Draw yourself as a superhero

side by side with Black Panther. Once done, add some labels to show what your **SUPER HERO SKILLS** would be!



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