

Name _____ Date _____

Benjamin Banneker
1731 - 1806
Astronomer – Mathematician

1. Give some examples that show Benjamin's early appetite for learning?

2. How did he build his clock? _____

3. Who were the Ellicott brothers and how did they change the lives of people in that area?

4. What is an ephemeris and how did Banneker create one? _____

5. What was his role in the making of the capital city? _____

6. In what ways did he help the condition of African-Americans in the country?
