



## Companion curriculum for GOALS “Hockey Stories”

This week’s feature is focused on the legendary **Henri Richard** who passed away at the age of 84 in March of 2020. He is our first of 5 hockey stories that will showcase legends who are distinctive for many reasons – be they talent, courage, perseverance or leadership – or in most cases ALL of these great attributes. There are lessons to learn from these great players. Remember, greatness is not always about being the best player – it is about trying your best, sticking with something and not giving up. Greatness is about overcoming what many may think are weaknesses, but you can turn them into strengths!



If you can print this page out please do so then fill in the blanks to complete the full summary story. First make sure you watch the GOALS Hockey Story VIDEO though! If you can’t print it, you can still get a sheet of paper and fill out the correct answer when you come to a missing word in the story! Let’s go!

Henri Richard was the younger brother of \_\_\_\_\_ Richard. Both Henri and his brother had famous nicknames. Henri’s nickname was \_\_\_\_\_.

His older brother’s nickname was “The \_\_\_\_\_”

Henri Richard was born in the province of \_\_\_\_\_ which is located in the country of \_\_\_\_\_. He played his entire career for the \_\_\_\_\_ Canadiens team – the most successful professional hockey team in history. Eventually Henri Richard was given the honor of wearing the “C” on his hockey jersey. This means he was named the \_\_\_\_\_ of his team.

He holds an incredible hockey record of winning the most championships – the Stanley Cup in hockey history. All together he won \_\_\_\_\_ Stanley Cups!

Henri Richard was a small player with a giant heart. He was a great leader and champion and he did not let his smaller than average NHL size stop him from playing his heart out. Some consider him one of the greatest leaders who ever played and certainly one of the most valuable teammates you could ever dream of. His legend will live on in hockey history forever!