

*The
Hidden
Meanings
of African
Clothing*



Wearing African clothing is a wonderful way for many Africans to celebrate their cultural heritage and to commemorate the beauty of their motherland.

Have you ever wondered:

- Why Africans are always colourfully dressed?
- What the different colour stands for in the different African countries?
- How the head scarf (“Gele”) originated and the history behind it?
- How African fabrics have influenced modern day British fashion?

To mark the Black History Month, Health Action Charity Organisation (HACO) is carrying out a 3 days Exhibition of African fabrics, fashion parades, demonstration of headwraps (GELE) will provide visually engaging and interesting explanations of African heritage.

Day 1:

About” The Hidden meanings of African Clothing”. Demonstration of headwrap, How to make Tie & Dye material, music and Refreshment. **Date:** 10th October 2018. **Time:** 12 noon to 4pm

Day 2

Fashion Parade of different African Clothing. **Date:** 17th October 2018. **Time:** 12noon to 4pm

Day 3.

Promoting African Businesses in Medway. Refreshment and closing Remark. **Date:** 24th October 2018. **Time:** 12noon to 4pm

Venue: Sunlight Centre, 105 Richmond Road, Gillingham. Kent. ME7 1LX

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