Abigail Adams

Hello, my name is Abigail Adams. I am the wife of John Adams, our second president, and mother of John Quincy Adams, our sixth president. I strongly supported education for women, even though I had no formal schooling. I worked hard to become a strong reader and writer. During the war, I managed our farm, taught our children, and expressed my political views in letters written to my husband.

Performance Instructions: Dress as a colonial woman and carry an <u>old-looking letter</u> as if it were written from Abigail to her husband, John. After speaking, give the letter to the student playing John Adams.

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