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Invention Innovation

Lewis Howard Latimer was a Black **inventor** who combined his love of art and science to improve life for others. Without access to formal education, Lewis Latimer taught himself how to draw and became a **chief draftsman, patent expert, and inventor**. He worked with inventors such as Alexander Graham Bell, Hiram Maxim, and Thomas Edison, and made many improvements to the process of creating the lightbulb that made **electric lighting more affordable**. **What would you design to make life better for others?**

Brainstorm your idea:

What problem do you want to solve and why?

Draw it out:

Name of your invention:

How does it help others? _____
