

Black History Month 2023 – Tayon Video Transcript

I think celebrating Black History Month, it makes it a lot easier to be authentic. It gives you the opportunity where I can be me completely. And that prepares people for the rest of the year. It seems like... until this time next year, you're getting comfortable because we open up something else, we learn something new, and it's like, okay, so that makes people that you probably didn't know something about before.

It makes you more accepting to them. It makes it a little bit easier to just not be accepted, but it become a new norm for everyone. So one of the biggest things at Commerce is the sense of belonging. And so being able to tell my story as a black woman, it helps promote that sense of belonging for me.