OPTIONAL EXTENSION ACTIVITY

Olympic Village Art Project

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Our Australian Olympic Team will be competing in Tokyo from the 23rd July 2021. They need our support! Imagine that you have been asked by the Australian Olympic Committee to create an artwork to decorate the walls at the athlete's village in Japan!

Activity 1

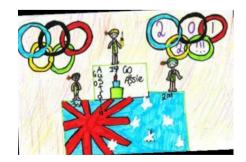
Have a look at the artworks below. They have been prepared by school students for the Australian Olympians at previous Olympic Games. What can you see in these artworks?

What colours have they used?

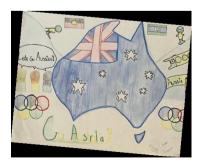
What images have they used?

How do you think the artwork makes the Olympians feel?

Which artwork do you prefer and why?









Activity 2

Plan a piece of artwork for the Australian Olympic Team. You can do this on Paper or Cardboard.

What will encourage the Australian Olympians to do well at the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games? Consider:

- What colours would you use?
- What objects, people, words or images will I include?
- How do I want the Olympian to feel?
- Would your artwork show a sport or a variety of Olympic Sports?
- What people or objects would you include?
- What images show courage, success, pride, teamwork, sportsmanship?
- Do you want your artwork to show a couple of these ideas or just one?

Activity 3

Write a letter of support to the Australian Olympic Team. You may like to just write a letter to your favourite athlete competing in the games.

Please email a photo of your artwork and/or your letter of support to your classroom teacher as soon as it is completed. We would love to share some of the artworks on our school Facebook page!

