



TASK 1

Around the world

71 Commonwealth territories and nations have come from all corners of the World to compete at these games.

From the continent of Africa, 18 countries are represented. On the map of Africa below locate and list all of them in alphabetical order. The list on Commonwealth Games Part 1 in the newspaper will help.



How many countries are there in Africa?
What percentage of these belongs in the Commonwealth?



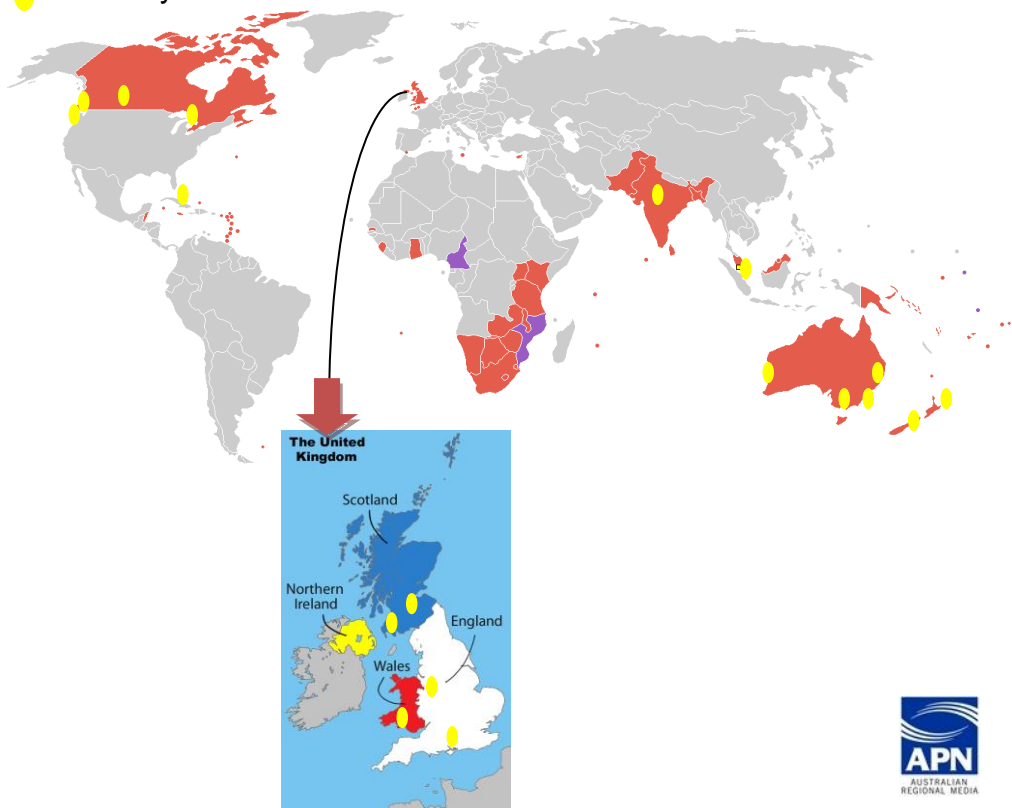
TASK 2

Hosts of the Games

18 cities in seven countries have hosted the Commonwealth Games. Locate the cities and countries on the map below using this list. Label the cities and the year/s the Games were held.

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1930 - Hamilton, Canada | 1978 - Edmonton, Canada |
| 1934 - London, England | 1982 - Brisbane, Australia |
| 1938 - Sydney, Australia | 1986 - Edinburgh, Scotland |
| 1950 - Auckland, New Zealand | 1990 - Auckland, New Zealand |
| 1954 - Vancouver, Canada | 1994 - Victoria, Canada |
| 1958 - Cardiff, Wales | 1998 - Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| 1962 - Perth, Australia | 2002 - Manchester, England |
| 1966 - Kingston, Jamaica | 2006 - Melbourne, Australia |
| 1970 - Edinburgh, Scotland | 2010 - New Delhi, India |
| 1974 - Christchurch, New Zealand | 2014 - Glasgow, Scotland |

Host City





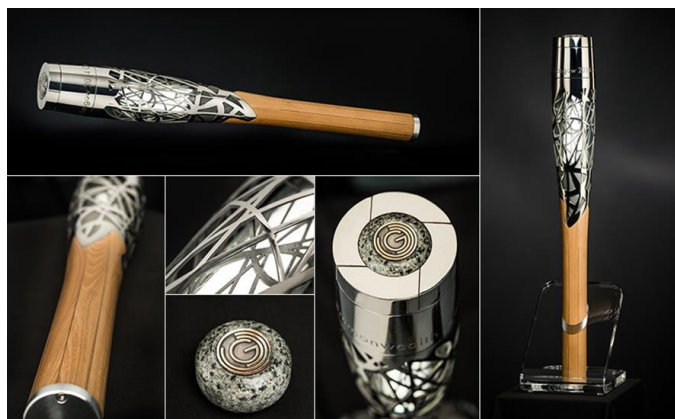
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From creation to completion

Watch the short BBC documentary - Queens Baton Relay: Designing the Queen's Baton – to answer the questions below.

www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-24461095

1. Which three words were used to link the initial ideas for the baton?
2. How many main elements make up the baton?
3. What is used to illuminate the baton?
4. What is the handle made from?
5. Why is the handle hollow?
6. A laser is used to build what part of the baton?
7. How many hours did it take to create the lattice work?
8. What sits at the top of the baton?
9. What type of rock is used in a part of the baton?
10. What words are inscribed on the baton?



TASK 4

Name that mascot

Commonwealth Games mascots have been used to help promote the event since 1978.

Match the name and image of the mascot with the year and place the Games were held.

YEAR

1978 –1982 –1986 –1990 –1994 –1998 – 2002 –2006 –2010 –2014

CITY

Auckland; Brisbane; Delhi; Edinburgh; Edmonton; Glasgow; Kuala Lumpur; Manchester; Melbourne; Victoria

NAME OF MASCOT

Clyde, the Thistle; Goldie, the Kiwi; Keyano, the Grizzly Bear; Karak, a south-eastern Red-tailed Black Cockatoo; Kit, the Lion-Cat; Klee Wych, the Whale; Mac, the Dog; Matilda, the Kangaroo; Shera, the Tiger; Wira, the Orangutan





TASK 5

Sporting Venues

To help visitors at the Games place the correct sporting pictogram next to the venues at which the sport will be contested. The number in brackets indicates how many sports are held at the venue.

*Some pictograms need to be used more than once. Use the info on the page in the newspapers to help you.

Scotstoun Sports Campus (2)

SECC Precinct (6)

Kelvingrove Centre (1)

Ibrox Stadium (1)

Hampden Park (1)

Cathkin Braes Country Park (1)

Glasgow Road Course (2)

Glasgow Green (1)

Emirates Arena (2)

Tollcross Centre (1)

Strathclyde Country Park (1)

Royal Commonwealth Pool (1)

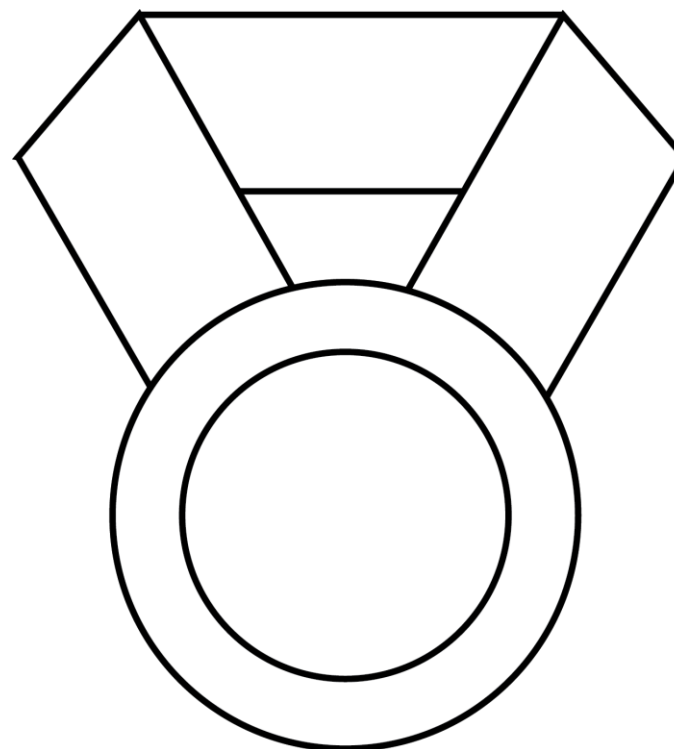
Barry Buddon Centre (1)



TASK 6

Medal

Winning a Commonwealth Games medal is a great achievement and the medal itself is a lasting memento of the occasion. The Gold Coast has been chosen to host the 2018 Games. You have the task of designing the medals. Draw your design on the template below and describe the elements you have included. Remember your design should include something connected with the time, event and place hosting the games.



- Interlocking circles
- Games logo
- Name of host city and year
- Commonwealth Games emblem



TASK 7

Missing Aussie medals

Use your maths skills to fill out the missing numbers on the table below.

YEAR	Gold	Silver	Bronze	TOTAL
2010	74	55		178
2006		69	68	221
	81	61	63	205
1998	79	61	57	
1994	87		42	181
1990		54	56	162
1986	40	46		121
	39	39	29	107
1978	24	33	27	
1974	29		25	82
1970	36	24	22	
1966		28	22	73
	38	36	31	105
1958	27	22		66
1954		11	17	48
	34	27	19	80
1938	25	19	22	
1934	8		2	14
1930	3	4		8
total	803		604	2080

Use the information on the table to answer these questions.

- In which year did Australia win the most medals overall?
- In which years did athletes win more silver medals than gold?
- How many more bronze medals did the team win in 1990 compare to 1986?
- In which year did Australia win the most gold?
- How many medals have been won in total from 1990?



TASK 8

Our athletes

The table shows the number of Australian athletes competing across all sports and para-sports* in Glasgow.
Use this information to answer the questions below.

SPORT	Number of Athletes / Team (female/male) * para sports
Aquatics	
-swimming	59 (28 / 31) *
-diving	12 (9 / 3)
Athletics	103 (53/50) *
Badminton	10 (5/ 5)
Boxing	11 (3 / 8)
Cycling	41 (17 / 24) *
Gymnastics	13 (8 / 5)
Hockey	1 women's (16) / 1 men's(16) team
Judo	13 (6 / 7)
Lawn Bowls	17 (6/ 11) *
Netball	1 team women only (12)
Rugby Sevens	1 team men only (12)
Shooting	29 (13 / 16)
Squash	10 (5 / 5)
Table Tennis	10 (5 / 5)
Triathlon	6 (3 /3)
Weightlifting / Powerlifting*	19 (8 / 11) *
Wrestling	8 (3 / 5)
Total number of athletes	417

1. Which team sport has the largest squad?
2. How many sports are there more women than men representing Australia?
3. How many athletes will be competing in aquatic events?
4. Which sports are there the same number of women and men?
5. How many Aussie athletes are involved in sports that use a racquet?
6. What percentage of the team are members of the athletics team?



TASK 9

Para Sports

At these Games there are five para-sports being contested in 22 medal events. Organise each of the events into the correct sport.

Athletics Swimming Powerlifting Track Cycling Lawn Bowls

Men's 100m T37; Women's 100m freestyle S8; Women's lightweight; B2/B3 Mixed pairs; Men's 1,000m time trial B tandem; Men's 1,500m T54; Women's 100m T12; Men's 200m freestyle S14; Men's 200m individual medley SM8; Women's long jump F37/38; B6/B7/B8 Open triples; Women's 100m breaststroke SB9; Men's sprint B tandem; Men's lightweight; Women's sprint B tandem; Women's 200m individual medley SM10; Women's 1,500m T54; Men's discus F42/44; Men's heavyweight; Men's 100m freestyle S9; Women's heavyweight; Women's 1,000m time trial B tandem

Note: Para-athletics classification (eg T37) at the Games is the basis for determining who can compete in specific athletic sports, and within which class. It is used for the purposes of establishing fair competition.

Match these Australian para sports men and women with the event, from the above list, they will compete in.

Kurt Fearnley (T54)
Jodi Elington (T37)
Kieran Modra (B1-3)
Joy Foster (B2/B3)
Maddison Elliot (S8)
Matthew Cowdrey (S9)
Abebe Fekadu (56kg)



TASK 10

How much do you know?

The five part NiE special in the newspapers has given you lots of information about the commonwealth Games. See how much you know.

1. True or False – The Commonwealth nations and territories were part of the British Empire.
2. How many countries and territories are participating at the Glasgow Games?
3. Where were the first Games in 1930 held?
4. How many countries have competed at all 20 Commonwealth Games?
5. What is the Commonwealth Games also called?
6. True or False – Glasgow is the capital of Scotland
7. What is the name of the river that runs through Glasgow?
8. How many times has Scottish cities hosted the Games?
9. What can be found in the Commonwealth Games baton?
10. What is Clyde the mascot? a rose; a thistle; a leek; a clover
11. What colour of the G in the centre of the Games logo?
12. What two colours can be found on the Commonwealth ceremonial flag?
13. How many core sports are contested at the Games?
14. Which optional sport returns to the program after 12 years?
15. What does a Commonwealth Games pictogram show?
16. How many medals will be awarded at the Games?
17. Where were the medals made?
18. Which two sports will be contested at venues outside Glasgow?
19. How many athletes and official will be accommodated at the athlete's village?
20. Which team entered the stadium first during the opening ceremony?
21. What brand shoe was the Australian team wearing?
22. How many athletes are in the Australian team?
23. In total how many medals has Australia won across the 19 previous Games?
24. How many Australian athletes will take part in para sports at the Games?
25. Which city will host the 21st Commonwealth Games?





ANSWERS

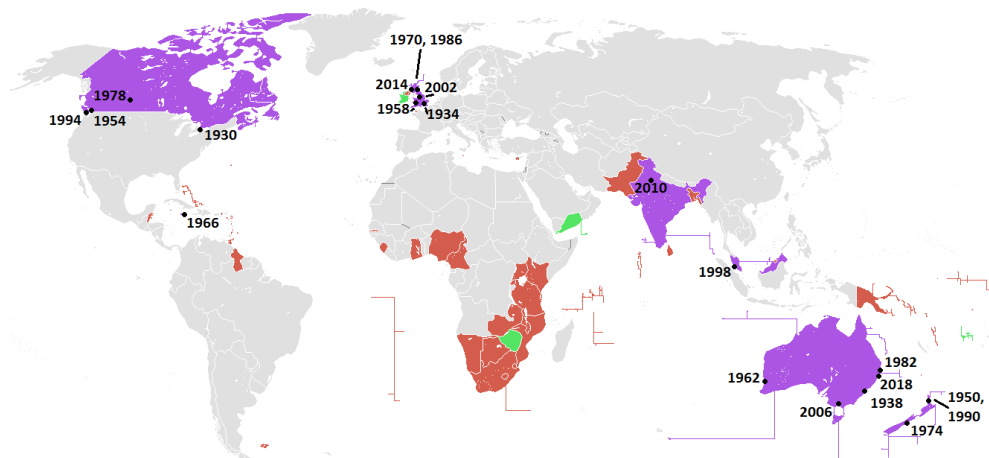
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Botswana, Cameroon, Ghana, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Nigeria, Rwanda, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia

There are 54 countries.

18 of 54 is 33%

TASK 2



TASK 3

1. Culture, message, sport
2. Five:- puzzle box mechanism, housing for message, lattice work, woodwork and electronics
3. LED light
4. Wood from an elm tree
5. To allow the electronic components to run through
6. The metal lattice work
7. 30 hours
8. A gemstone
9. Granite
10. Commonwealth Games Glasgow 2014



TASK 4

- 1978 – Edmonton - Keyano, the Grizzly Bear
 1982 – Brisbane - Matilda, the Kangaroo
 1986 – Edinburgh - Mac, the Dog
 1990 – Auckland - Goldie, the Kiwi
 1994 – Victoria - Klee Wych, the Whale

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TASK 5

Scotstoun Sports Campus - Squash and Table Tennis
SECC Precinct - Boxing, Gymnastics, Judo, Netball, Weightlifting & Wrestling
Kelvingrove Centre - Lawn Bowls
Ibrox Stadium - Rugby 7s
Hampden Park - Athletics
Cathkin Braes Country Park - Mountain Bike
Glasgow Road Course Athletics (Marathon), Cycling (Road Race and Time Trial)
Glasgow Green - Hockey
Emirates Arena Badminton, Track Cycling
Tollcross Centre – Aquatics/ Swimming
Strathclyde Country Park - Triathlon
Royal Commonwealth Pool – Aquatics/Diving
Barry Buddon Centre - Shooting

TASK 7 (see part 4 for complete table)

1. 2006
2. 1990, 1986, 1978, 1966, 1930
3. 21
4. 1994
5. 1144

TASK 8

1. Athletics team
2. Three – diving, athletics, gymnastics
3. 71
4. Triathlon, Table Tennis, Squash, Rugby 7's, Netball, Hockey, Badminton
5. 30
6. 103 out of 417 = 24.5%

TASK 9

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TASK 9 cont



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TASK 10

1. True
2. 71
3. Hamilton, Canada
4. 6 - Australia, Canada, England, New Zealand, Scotland, and Wales.
5. The Friendly Games
6. False – Edinburgh is the capital of Scotland
7. River Clyde
8. 3
9. The Queen's message
10. A Thistle
11. Green
12. Blue and Gold
13. 10
14. Judo
15. Each of the 17 sports are represented in a pictogram.
16. 1380
17. Glasgow School of Art
18. Diving and shooting
19. 6500
20. India
21. Dunlop Volleys
22. 417
23. 2080
24. 42
25. Gold Coast, Queensland

ANSWERS from COMMONWEALTH GAMES Part 5

Fill in the blanks

The Commonwealth Games is an international sporting competition involving athletes from the Commonwealth of Nations.

The first Commonwealth Games were held in 1930 in Hamilton, Canada. They were initially called the British Empire Games.

The Games has taken place every 4 years except during 1942 and 1946 when they were cancelled due to the Second World War.

There are 54 Commonwealth countries which take part in the Games but 71 teams compete as a number of territories and island states take part under their own flag. Britain also sends four separate teams; Scotland, England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

A host city is selected for each Commonwealth Games and 18 cities have hosted the Games in 7 countries. Two cities have hosted the Games twice, Edinburgh in Scotland and Auckland in New Zealand. The Glasgow 2014 Commonwealth Games is the twentieth Games and is written in Roman numerals as XX.

Match it

Athletics	- baton
Badminton	- shuttlecock
Boxing	- flyweight
Cycling	- velodrome
Gymnastics	- vault
Hockey	- dribble
Judo	- throw
Lawn bowls	- jack
Netball	- wing defence
Rugby 7's	- scrum
Shooting	- clay target
Squash	- service box
Swimming	- tumble-turn
Table tennis	- backspin
Triathlon	- transition area
Weightlifting	- snatch
Wrestling	- grappling hold