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| Activity Name: | Olympic Legends |
| Designated 2012 Value: | Olympic Heroes |
| Objectives: Link to PfS aspirations; Local, Regional, National (at least 1) | |
| Develop Partnerships Work with a new target group Youth Leadership | Develop creative approaches Work with National strategy Experiment with evaluation |
| Further embed PfS in LA Involvement of stakeholders Raise awareness of PfS | |
| Aims: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To research information from the internet to create a quiz or a fact file on Olympic Hero (or Heroes) | |
| Summary/description: (1hr 30mins) | |
| <p>Warm up activity – (20mins) Get pupils into pairs and ask them to think of any Olympic athletes they know and why do they think they would be considered a Hero. If they can't think of any Olympians, can they think of a famous sportsman/woman they like? Then each pair tells the group who they picked and why they think they would be considered a hero. Avoid getting the pupils to think of a sportsman/woman and try to stick to Olympians</p> | |
| Main Activity | |
| Pupils must research on the internet to find an Olympic hero to write a 'Did you know' fact file or create a quiz with at least 5 to 10 questions on either one or more Olympic heroes. | |
| Internet Research – 20mins – Using the internet search worksheet, pupils can pick an Olympian and use the suggested questions to find answers to. This research can then be used for the fact file or quiz. | |
| Fact file / Quiz – 30mins | |
| You can use Microsoft word, PowerPoint or any other software you wish to create either the quiz or fact file. | |
| Fact File - Should include, picture of Olympic hero, Name, Date of Birth, Place of Birth, how many games they have taken part in, how much medals they won, brief history and any other outstanding or well known achievements | |
| Quiz – The quiz can be based on more than one Olympic hero. It can include questions such as, How many medals has an athlete has won? When was their first game they took part in? Which sport do they play? How many games they have taken part in? When were they born and where? etc | |
| Ending the session | |
| Share work with the group. As a class, you can do some of the quizzes depending on how much time you have or just discuss what they have find out. | |
| Link to LOCOG resources: http://getset.london2012.com/en/home | |
| Resources: | |
| Microsoft package | |
| http://www.thesun.co.uk/sol/homepage/sport/top10s/1490494/Top-10-British-Olympic-legends.html | |
| http://www.skysports.com/story/0,19528,11979_3804898,00.html | |
| Attachments: | Internet worksheet document |