

Comic book guidelines

Description

The comic tells the story of some children who are traveling around the 5 continents of the world and know different countries, in this case, the partner countries. Each school will draw 2-3 pages of those children traveling through their own country but the balloons will be without text. To complete the texts, we will establish international teams and each team will propose the text which will be added to each picture. In each international team, there will be students from all countries but a student from the country will be the captain of the team. One teacher from each country and the captain will make the final decision as to what text gets added to each picture.

Proposal of international teams

1. Each country must send a list of students who will participate in the activity or write on the share document:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YaBmc_k8hjGvvEtq6P3HcpbtSWCIkMqUoiJQx4u4IPo/edit?ts=5c34c55c
2. Each partner must divide their students into 10 teams, one team for each country but 2 teams for Spain because Spain has 2 partners:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Kiv0f7ovS6mZy2ekTH3xRC5EF5Kd8voCe7q9_cpsbHc/edit
3. Each team will propose text on the drawings.
4. One teacher and the captain from each country will make the final decision as to what text gets added to each picture.
5. We will work on google drive to include texts to the drawings. The Spanish comic has begun here:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YaBmc_k8hjGvvEtq6P3HcpbtSWCIkMqUoiJQx4u4IPo/edit?ts=5c34c55c

Guidelines

1. Each country must do at least 2-3 comic book pages. If you want to do more pages it's OK but not more than 5 pages.
2. Each page of the comic can have 4 to 8 drawings.
3. All drawing must be done on A4 paper and should be portrait/vertical pictures. However, if you decide that a comic book page will have 5 or 7 drawings i.e. an uneven number of drawings, then one of them can be a landscape drawing (see attachments).
4. No speech balloons must be added to the pictures (see attachment). The printing company will add the speech balloons and the text we will give them.
5. The comic book must have students lost or visiting your country.
6. There must be 2 pictures that show an aeroplane in the picture. The first picture shows the students arriving in another country and the second picture the students leaving that country.
7. Apart from the 2 aeroplane pictures each partner can draw pictures that have something to do with their country. Here are some suggestions.
8. The students lost in the country can visit tourist attractions of that country.
9. The students can eat traditional food of that country.
10. The students can visit a part of the country's natural environment e.g. a river, a mountain, a valley or a beach etc.
11. The students can participate in one of the country's favourite pastimes or traditional activities (See list below for ideas)
12. All the pictures must be sent to Nick so he can crate and send the comic book to the printing company.
13. All the text, which will be added to the pictures, must also be sent to Nick.
14. All the pictures must be high quality pictures so we can have a high quality comic!
15. Whoever wants to, can translate the comic to another language. Let Nick know which languages you will be translating the English version of the comic into.

Ideas: favourite pastimes/Traditional activities/Sports

1. America – American rules football/Rugby/Hockey
2. Australia – Cricket/Australian rules football
3. Cyprus – Going to the beach/Soccer
4. India – Cricket/Bollywood
5. Japan – Karate/Karaoke/Origami
6. Kenya – Safari/Running/Soccer
7. Madrid – Flamenco dancing/Bull fights
8. Merida – Playing the guitar
9. South Africa – Rugby/Safari/Cricket
10. Taiwan – Mountain climbing/Baseball/Fishing/Reading