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## 2019 FINALISTS ACTIVITY BOOKLET

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## THE FINALISTS ARE HERE!

Hey kids, the finalists for the 2019 New Zealand Book Awards for Children and Young Adults have been announced. These are the very best books published for young readers this year and we want you to get excited about them!

We've made this book of fun activities to help you discover more about some of the finalist books, and to learn some cool, new things along the way! You can do the activities by yourself or with a friend, and even make up your own activities for some of the other books.

HELL Pizza is celebrating these awesome books too. If you love pizza and great books, just like us, then you need to collect a pizza wheel to start reading your way to FREE pizza. Check out HELL Reading Challenge page on the back cover of this booklet, or ask your local public or school library how you can get involved.

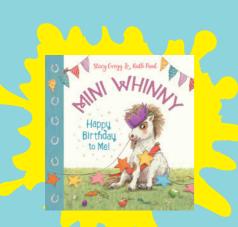
Remember to check out what is happening at your local library over the school holidays. And have fun reading!

Thanks to the team from the National Library of New Zealand Services to Schools and Auckland Libraries who worked together to create the activities in this book.

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# PICTURE BOOK AWARD



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## INVITE THE RAINBOW TO COME AND PLAY IN WHO STOLE THE RAINBOW?

YOU WILL NEED: - A CLEAR GLASS PLACE A PIECE OF WHITE - WATER PAPER DOWN ON A - WHITE PAPER FLAT SURFACE IN THE SUNLIGHT AND/OR SUNLIGHT. · TORCH 3 2. CAN YOU SEE THE RAINBOW PLACE A HALF-FULL VIOLET **ON THE PAPER? TRY GLASS OF WATER** SHINING A TORCH THROUGI DOWN ON TOP OF THE GLASS IF THE THE PAPER.

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**CREATE A 'TOUCHY' BOX INSPIRED BY** HINGS IN THE SEA ARE **• TOUCHING ME!** 

> **1. PLACE VARIOUS OBJECTS WITH** DIFFERENT TEXTURES IN A BOX, E.G. PRICKLY, SQUISHY, HARD, FLUFFY.

2. CUT OUT A SMALL HAND-SIZED HOLE AND THEN SEAL UP THE BOX. YOU CAN MAKE A FLAP TO COVER THE HOLE.

3. ARE YOU BRAVE ENOUGH TO PLACE YOUR HAND INSIDE THE BOX AND **GUESS THE OBJECTS? NO PEEKING!** 

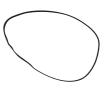


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## YOU COULD TRY REMEMBERING ALL THE COLOURS OF THE RAINBOW LIKE THIS: ROY G. BIV













# WOULD YOU WIN APMAKERS RACE?

### OVER 100 YEARS AGO, BEFORE THE INTERNET, PEOPLE COMMUNICATED USING THE TELEGRAN

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# WRIGHT FAMILY FOUNDATION ESTHER GLEN AWARD

DETECTIVES, DOGGOS, TELEGRAMS, MAPMAKERS AND MAGICIANS

1. DRAW A MAP OF THE QUICKEST ROUTE FROM YOUR FRONT DOOR TO YOUR CLASSROOM, OR ANOTHER LOCAL COMMUNITY PLACE. 2. REMEMBER TO INCLUDE KEY LANDMARKS. WILL YOU TRAVEL ON THE CURRENT ROAD OR CREATE YOUR OWN PATH? 3. CAN YOU DRAW THE MAP TO SCALE?

IMAGINE YOUR COUNTRY IS AT WAR AND YOU HAVE BEEN CHOSEN TO WORK AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION HAS JUST ARRIVED. DO YOUR PART FOR THE WAR EFFORT AND SEND THIS MESSAGE URGENTLY BY MORSE CODE.

Enemy aircraft. Due 2300 hours Cliff Point. Mobilise all personnel.

# YOUNG

# MANDY HAGER **CHILDREN** OF THE FURNACE The local first INVISIBLY WHIT HEREAKA EILEEN MERRIMA

#### IN **INVISIBLY BREATHING**, FELIX'S DRUNKEN BEHAVIOUR AT A PARTY IS FILMED BY CLASSMATES. IT IS THEN UPLOADED TO FACEBOOK. USE THIS SCENARIO TO DEBATE OR DISCUSS

## TODAY, AS RIKI WAS IN LEGACY.

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1. DISCUSS HOW LIFE IS DIFFERENT FROM MODERN TIMES. WRITE OR DRAW YOUR EXPERIENCE. 2. VISIT YOUR LOCAL MUSEUM OR WWW.NZHISTORY.GOVT.NZ FOR INSPIRATION.

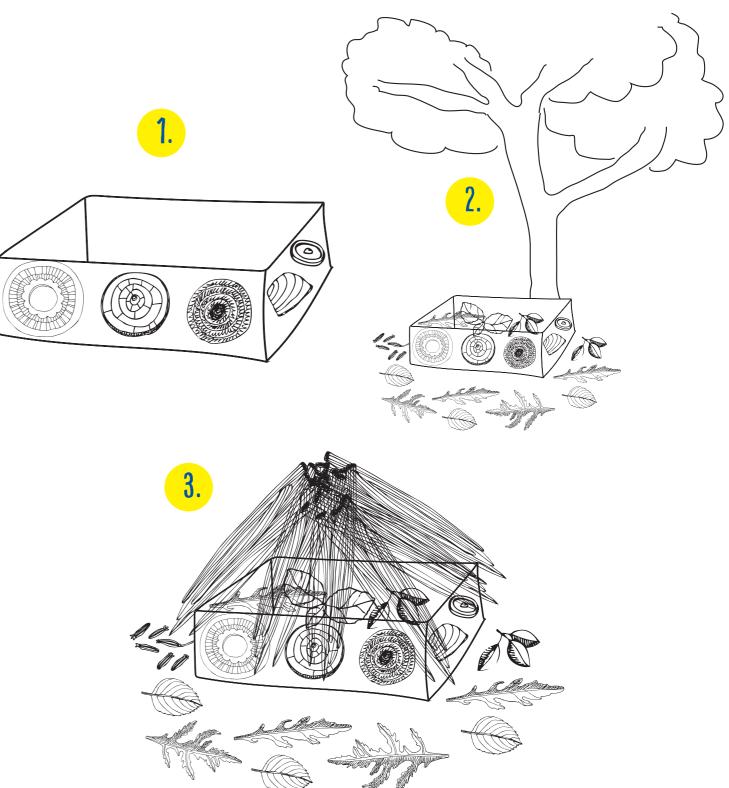
#### IN THE RIFT CAL HAS THE UNIQUE GIFT OF BEING ABLE TO SENSE DEATH. CAN YOU THINK OF A GIFT YOU WOULD LIKE TO POSSESS? DISCUSS HOW YOUR CHOSEN GIFT COULD BE BOTH A BLESSING AND A CURSE.

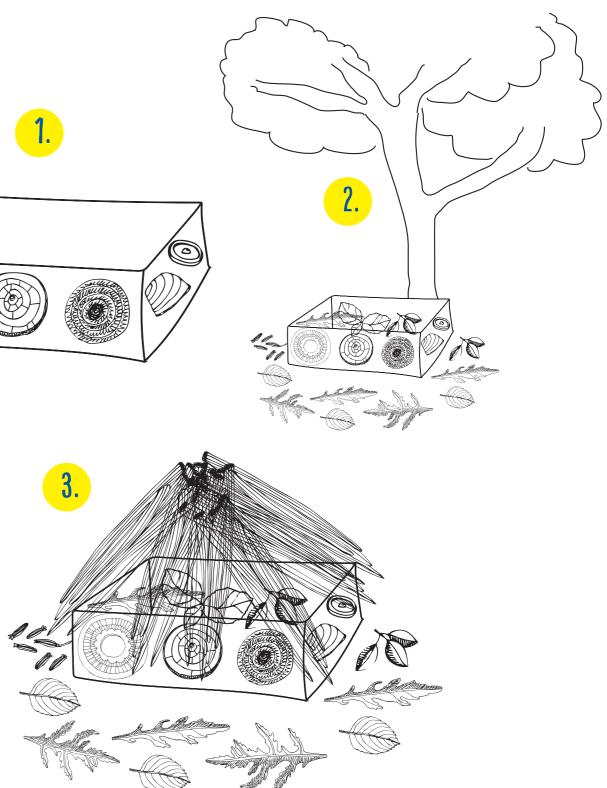
INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY.

**IMAGINE YOU ARE TRANSPORTED 100 YEARS INTO THE PAST FROM** 



#### **BUILD A WETA HOTEL INSPIRED BY NEW ZEALAND'S** BACKYARD BEASTS





#### YOU WILL NEED: - DRY LEAVES - TWIGS - RECYCLED BOX E.G. OLD LETTER BOX, SHOE BOX OR DRAWERS

#### **1. DECORATE THE OUTSIDE OF** YOUR WETA HOTEL.

2. PLACE YOUR WETA HOTEL IN YOUR BACKYARD. MAKE IT COMFY WITH DRY LEAVES.

3. IF NECESSARY, CREATE A ROOF FOR YOUR HOTEL USING TWIGS. THIS WILL KEEP YOUR WETA SAFE AND HIDDEN FROM PESTS.

BE A **GO GIRL** OR A GO BOY! DRAW A SELF-PORTRAIT AS YOU SEE YOURSELF. INCLUDE IN YOUR SELF-PORTRAIT ANY SPECIAL SKILLS OR INTERESTS THAT OTHERS MAY NOT KNOW ABOUT. 2. REFER TO PAGE 50 OF ART-TASTIC FOR DRAWING TIPS



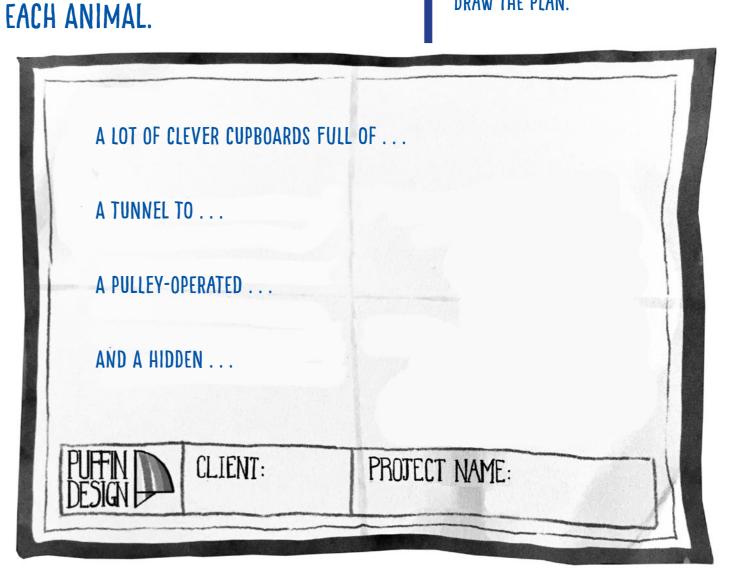
CREATE A MYTH OF A NATURAL LANDMARK IN YOUR LOCAL AREA OR SOURCE A REAL ONE LIKE KO MAUAO TE MAUNGA: LEGEND OF MAUAO IMAGINE YOUR LOCAL NATURAL LANDMARK IS TO BE DESTROYED. WRITE A NEWSPAPER ARTICLE TELLING PEOPLE ABOUT THE MYTH AND WHY THE LANDMARK MUST BE PRESERVED.



### DRAW A COMIC STRIP INSPIRED BY HELEN AND THE GO-GO NINJAS

**1. IN SMALL GROUPS CREATE YOUR COMIC** STRIP BASED ON ANY OF THE BOOKS CHOSEN AS FINALISTS IN THE NEW ZEALAND BOOK AWARDS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS.

### **PUFFIN THE ARCHITECT DESIGNS HOMES THAT PERFECTLY SUIT**



2. THINK ABOUT DIFFERENT WAYS TO ILLUSTRATE E.G. COLLAGE, PHOTOGRAPHIC, DRAWING, COMPUTER GRAPHIC.

3. AS A CLASS, COMPILE YOUR **COMIC STRIPS TOGETHER TO** CREATE A CLASS ZINE.



**COMPLETE THESE SENTENCES** WITH YOUR OWN IDEAS OF A PERFECT HOME AND THEN DRAW THE PLAN.

#### TE REO MÁORI WRIGHT FAMILY FOUNDATION TE KURA POUNAMU AWARD

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MATARIKI

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MATARIKI, MĀUI FISHING AND THE FIRST HAKA

#### CAN YOU SPOT MATARIKI IN THE NIGHT SKY OR HAVE THE STARS BEEN STOLEN AS THEY WERE IN NGÃ WHETŨ MATARIKI I WHÁNAKOTIA?

MATARIKI IS A TRADITIONAL TIME FOR HARVESTING AND SOWING CROPS.

TRY PLANTING YOUR OWN SEEDS FOR MATARIKI. YOU COULD PLANT BEAN, TOMATO, KŪMARA, OR EVEN POPCORN SEEDS.

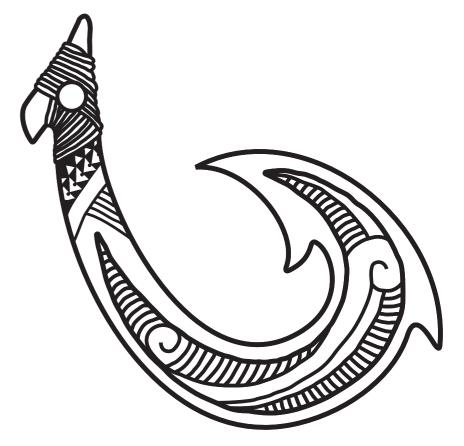
TO PLANT YOUR SEEDS, PLACE SOIL AND SEEDS INTO AN OLD EGG CARTON OR MAKE AN ORIGAMI NEWSPAPER POT.

### MAKE YOUR OWN MAGIC FISHHOOK JUST LIKE IN TE HINGA AKE A MAUI I TE IKA WHENUA

1. USING THE TEMPLATE CREATE YOUR OWN MAUI'S FISHHOOK OUT OF CARDBOARD OR MODELLING CLAY.

2. ASK AN ADULT TO HELP YOU PIERCE A HOLE THROUGH THE TOP OF THE FISHHOOK. IF USING MODELLING CLAY, PLACE IN OVEN TILL IT HARDENS.

3. THREAD A PIECE OF STRING THROUGH THE HOLE AND TIE LOOSELY AROUND YOUR NECK. KA PAI!



DON'T FORGET TO WATER YOUR SEEDS!



### **COULD YOU BEAT BULLSEYE BELLA IN A GAME OF DARTS?**

IMAGINE YOU'RE COMPETING IN THE FINALS OF THE NATIONAL DARTS TOURNAMENT. IT'S NEARING THE END OF THE MATCH WITH THE SCORE TIED 3-3. IT'S YOUR TURN TO THROW AND YOU COULD WIN WITH YOUR NEXT THREE DARTS.

DUBLERING

BULLSEYE

1. YOU HAVE 143 LEFT TO WIN THE GAME. CAN YOU PUT YOUR MATHS SKILLS TO THE TEST TO DECIDE WHAT YOUR NEXT THREE THROWS SHOULD BE?

2. REMEMBER. THE LAST DART MUST BE A DOUBLE E.G. IF YOU HAVE 20 LEFT YOU WOULD NEED TO HIT THE DOUBLE-10. THE BULLSEYE ALSO COUNTS AS A DOUBLE.

3. YOU MUST GET THE EXACT TOTAL TO WIN. IF YOU GET MORE THAN 143 YOU WILL GO BUST!



**POSSIBLE ANSWER:** TRIPLE-19, DOUBLE-18. BULLSEYE (57 + 36 + 50)

THERE ARE MANY MORE YOU CAN FIND. **GOOD LUCK!** 

#### USEFUL STUFF TO KNOW ....

THE OCHE (RHYMES WITH HOCKEY) THE LINE BEHIND WHICH THE DARTS PLAYERS STAND WHEN THROWING.

**DOUBLE-TOPS** A DOUBLE-20.

BULLSEYE

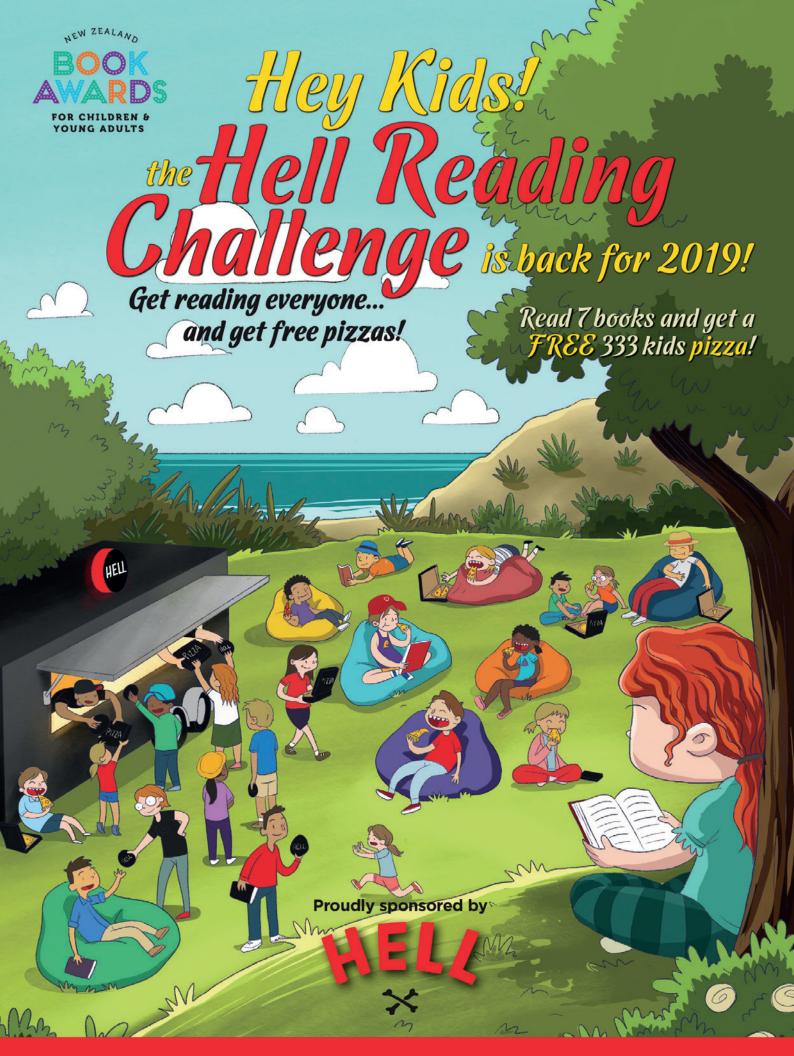
THE CENTRE TARGET: THE INNER BULL IS WORTH 50. THE OUTER BULL 25.

#### LEG

ONE GAME IN A DARTS MATCH. MATCHES ARE TYPICALLY PLAYED OVER THE BEST OF 3, 5 OR 7 LEGS; FOR EXAMPLE, IN A BEST-OF-7 MATCH, YOU'D NEED TO WIN 4 LEGS TO **BE VICTORIOUS.** 

#### CHECKOUT

SCORING THE REQUIRED AMOUNT TO WIN A LEG; THE FINAL DART THROWN MUST BE A DOUBLE OR A BULLSEYE.



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