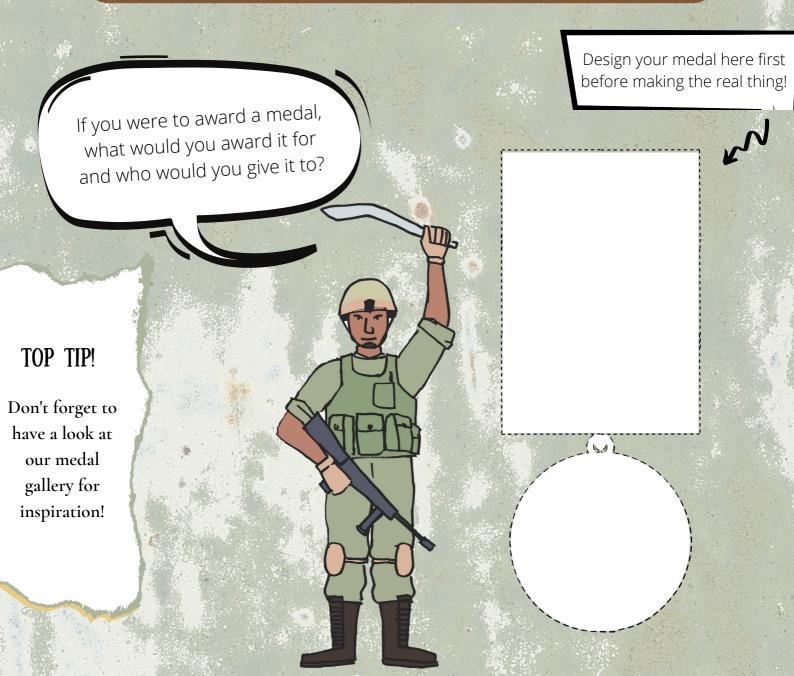
## MAKE YOUR OWN MEDAL



## Did you know?

In 1911, Gurkha soldiers became eligible for the Victoria Cross – Britain's highest honour for valour. Of course, it didn't take long for the first Gurkha to receive the medal.

On 26 September 1915, Rifleman Kulbir Thapa under enemy fire, carried a wounded comrade from no man's land to safety, and then went back in broad daylight and saved another two Gurkha soldiers.

Since then, Nepali Gurkhas have gone on to earn a further 12 VCs and thousands of other medals in recognition of extraordinary acts of bravery.



