

Olympic Winter Games PyeongChang 2018 Medals

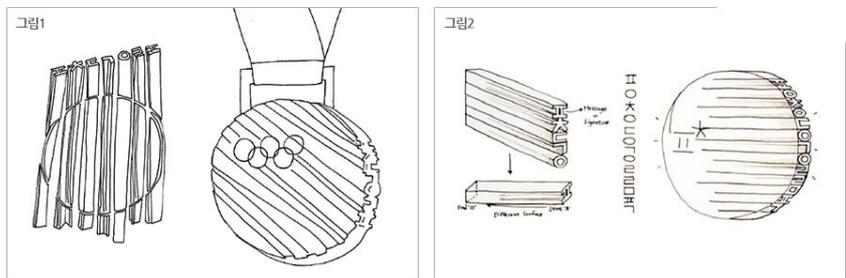
1. Choose the correct alternative:

The PyeongChang 2018 Olympic medals **celebrates / celebrate / celebrating** the hard work and dedication by the athletes and participants for the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Games. The medals were **inspiring / inspired / inspire** by Hangeul (Korean alphabet), Hanbok (Korean traditional clothing), and Hanok (Korean traditional houses), which **is/are/were** unique cultural assets of Korea.



Medal : Hangeul, One of the most scientific writing systems in the world

Consonants in '평창동계올림픽 (Olympic Winter Games PyeongChang 2018)', 'ㅍ, ㅊ, ㅋ, ㆁ, ㅇ, ㄷ, ㄹ' **was/were /been stretched out and cutted/cut/cuting** in the three dimensional shape of a cylinder to form the medal.

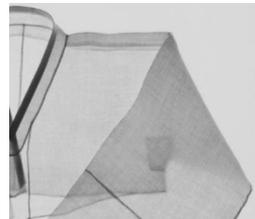


When viewed from the side, 'ㅍ, ㅊ, ㅋ, ㆁ, ㅇ, ㄷ, ㄹ' **comes/come/came** together to spell 'Olympic Winter Games PyeongChang 2018'.

Strap : Hanbok, Korea's traditional fabric



For the first time, the strap for Olympic medal has **be/ been/being** created using Gapsa, a traditional Korean fabric. Gapsa **are/is/were** a lightweight, sheer, and airy fabric, boasting its high quality.



Hangeul consonants **putted/put/puting** together to form a snowflake pattern, part of the Games look, **is/are/has** weaved along with the 'gapsa' textile of the strap - using a traditional technique. The PyeongChang 2018 wordmark and the Olympic emblem **is/are/has** stitched using Korean embroidery technique.

Case : Hanok, Korea's traditional houses

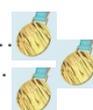
Hanok, traditional Korean houses, **was/is/were** the source of inspiration for the medals case. The simple yet elegant curves of a Hanok's eaves **has/have/is** been incorporated into the wooden case.



Source: <https://www.pyeongchang2018.com/en/medal>

Are True or False:

The medals were inspired by three cultural assets of Korea.....
The Korean writing system is very simple.....



Stretched metal letters were used to form the medal.....
 The letters on the side of the medal have no significance.....
 "Gapsa" is a traditional Korean textile.....
 The strap is made from a heavy and opaque fabric.....
 The high quality of the strap fabric is obvious.....
 Some Korean vowels form a snowflake pattern on the medal....
 The Olympic emblem is stitched using a sewing technique.....
 The case is inspired in standard medal cases.....
 The case is made of wood.
 It resembles a traditional Korean roof.....



3. Match the words with their meaning:

asset	to fasten or join with stitches
to stretch	a usually repeating artistic or decorative design
to spell	to display in an ostentatious or proud manner
fabric	a trademark consisting of a word or text sequence used to identify a company or product
sheer	the overhanging lower edge of a roof
to boast	the art or process of working ornamental designs upon cloth or other material with a needle and thread
pattern	a useful or valuable quality or thing; an advantage or resource
to weave	a cloth made by weaving, knitting, or felting fibers
wordmark	thin, fine, and translucent
to stitch	to constitute the letters of (a word)
embroidery	to lengthen, widen, or distend
eave	to interlace (threads, yarns, strips, fibrous material, etc.) so as to form a fabric or material

4. Find in the text antonyms for the following words:

<i>common</i>	
<i>last</i>	
<i>separated</i>	
<i>heavy</i>	
<i>opaque</i>	
<i>low</i>	
<i>complicated</i>	
<i>unstylish</i>	
<i>straight</i>	

5. Find in the text synonyms for the following words:

<i>commitment</i>	
<i>singular</i>	
<i>form</i>	
<i>seen</i>	
<i>edge</i>	
<i>produced</i>	
<i>textile</i>	
<i>sewn</i>	
<i>box</i>	
<i>integrated</i>	