

**UCIWAI SANGAM SCHOOL****YEAR 8****SOCIAL SCIENCE WORKSHEET NO. 1**

Strand 2	Time, Continuity & Change
Sub Strand	Continuity and Change
Content Learning Outcome	➤ Explore some significant world events and express their impacts on the lives of people and the history of the world.

**The Olympic Games****Lesson Notes**

1. The **Commonwealth Games** (known as the British Empire Games from 1930-1950, the British Empire and Commonwealth Games from 1954-1966 and British Commonwealth Games from 1970-1974) is an international, multi-sport event involving athletes from the Commonwealth Nations.
2. The event was first held in 1930 and with the exception of 1942 and 1946, which were cancelled due to World War II, has taken place every four years since then.
3. The games are overseen by the Commonwealth Games Federation (CGF), which controls the sporting programme and selects the host cities.
4. A host city is selected for each edition.
5. 18 cities in seven countries have hosted the event.
6. Apart from many Olympic sports, the games also include some sports that are predominantly in Commonwealth countries, such as lawn bowls, netball and rugby.





**For You To Do**

1. Name some countries that take part in the Commonwealth Games?

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2. Which country won the last game?

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3. When and where will the next Commonwealth games be held.

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