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## Mural for Healthcare Workers

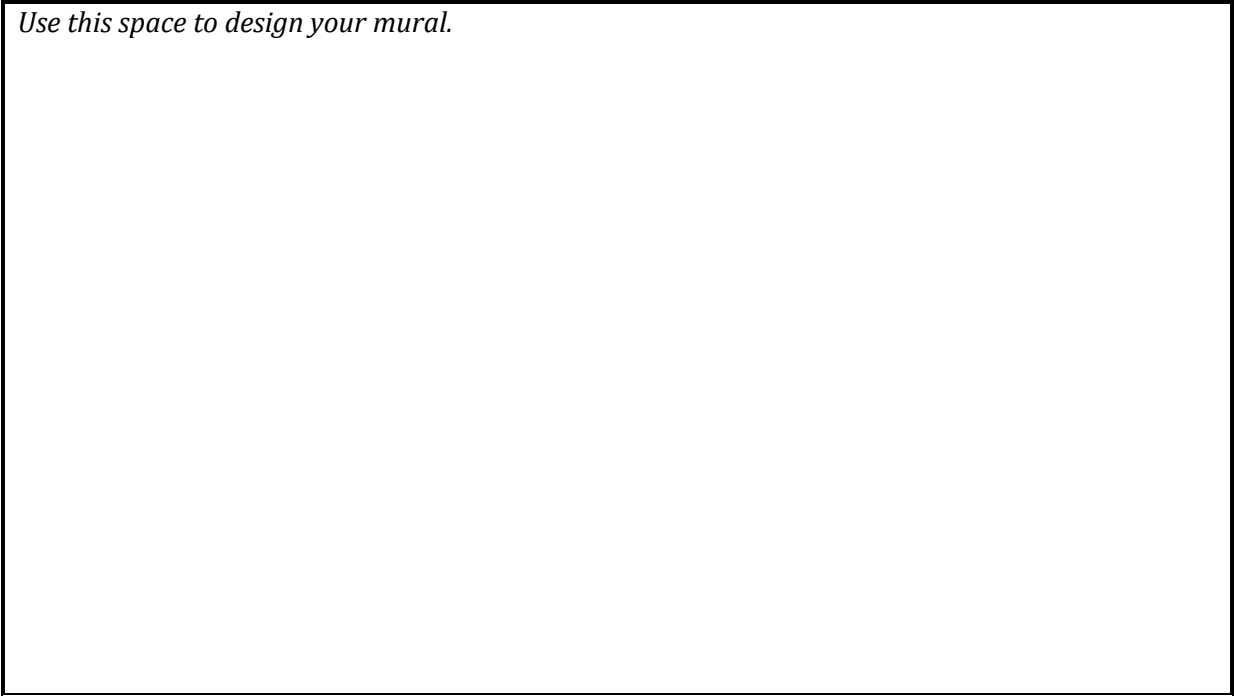
*An activity of "Banksy"*

Read "**Banksy**" (*What's Up* May 2020). One reason why Banksy's works are so well liked is that they often have social messages. Like Banksy, we can use art to convey important messages. Creating a mural is a good way to communicate what you think and feel. Murals are large works of art, often painted on walls. For this activity, make a mural for a window instead.

COVID-19 is affecting communities everywhere. Doctors, nurses, and other healthcare workers worldwide have been working hard to fight it. Design a mural to thank these medical staff for all their hard work and sacrifices.

1. Pick a window and get permission to display your mural at it.
2. Use a sheet of flipchart or mahjong paper. Otherwise, you can join smaller sheets of paper together using tape or glue. First, design your mural by sketching a rough draft in the space below.
3. Spread out your "canvas" (the large sheet of paper) on the floor. Draw, paint and write to show why you are grateful to healthcare workers. Be creative and feel free to use many colours too!
4. Display your mural facing outwards at the window so that it encourages healthcare workers who pass by.

*Use this space to design your mural.*



5. Take a photograph of your mural and email it as an attachment to [letters@whatsup.sg](mailto:letters@whatsup.sg). In your email, write a few lines about your mural. Sign off with your full name, class, and school.

If your mural is selected to be shared on the *What's Up* website, you will receive a prize. Also, *What's Up* readers who are children of healthcare workers would be happy to see your thank-you mural.