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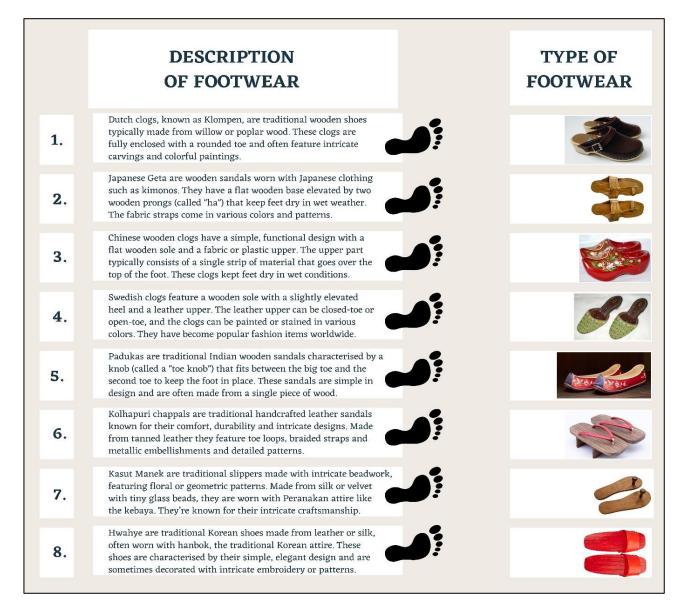


Yesteryear's Footwear

An activity of "Chinese wooden clogs"

Read "Chinese wooden clogs" (page 24, *What's Up* July 2024). This article is part of a series about footwear found in Singapore. Let's further explore our heritage footwear.

1. Match each footwear description below with the correct type of traditional footwear.



- 2. Approach an older adult at home or school to share memories of yesteryear's footwear. Here are some questions you might like to ask:
 - What are some memories you have of wearing or seeing the footwear shown above?
 - Was such footwear worn only at special times or was it for daily use?
 - How much do you like this footwear compared to modern shoes?
 - Can you describe the process of making this type of footwear?
 - In what ways do such footwear still have a place in today's world?
 - Is it important to you that we preserve the tradition of wearing such footwear?

3. Produce an attractive infographic displaying your findings. For instance, you can put quotes or stories from the interviews next to a drawing of the footwear. Or you present each of the individuals' responses in different categories. Modify the template below or come up with a new one to suit your presentation.



4. Have a Footwear Celebration by sharing everyone's infographic poster in the school canteen!

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