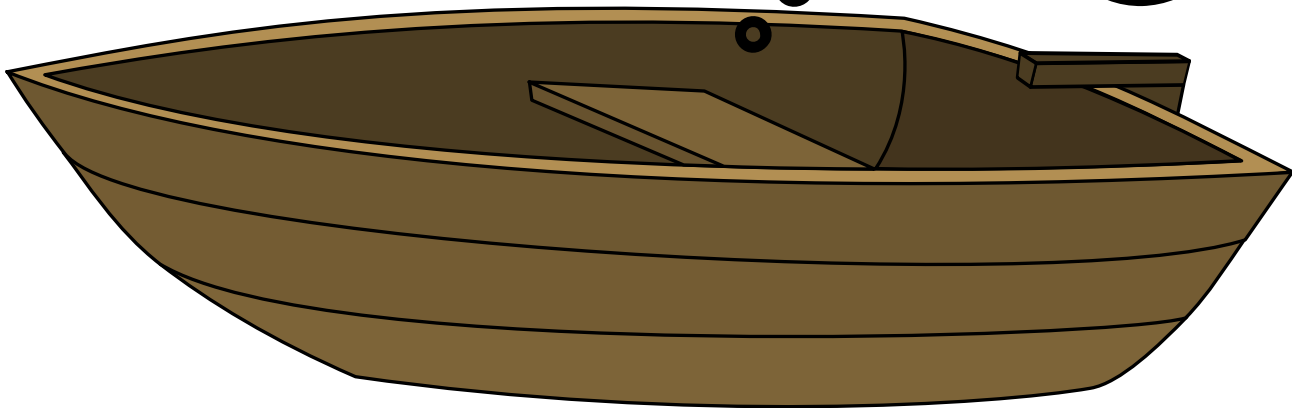
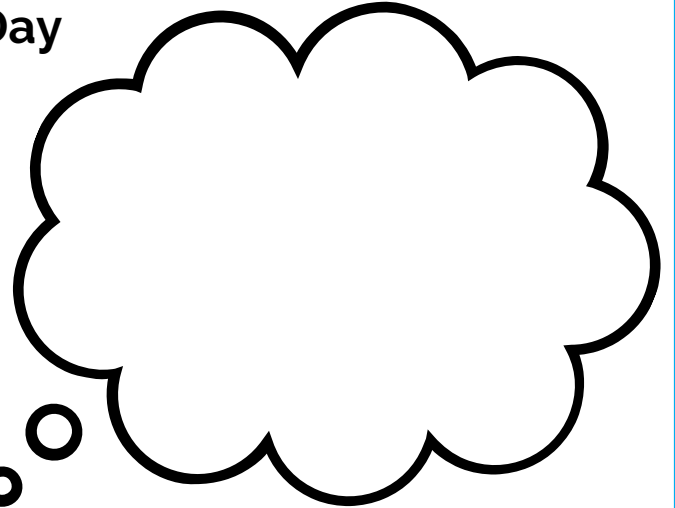




ANZAC Day

1. Imagine that you are 18 years old. It's dawn, and you are in a boat, about to land on the beaches of Gallipoli. How are you feeling? What are you thinking? Draw yourself in the boat, and fill in the thought bubble.



These are real photographs from Gallipoli. The picture on the **right** was taken on April 25, 1915. ANZAC soldiers moved from their big ship onto smaller boats that landed on the beaches. The splashes in the water are machine gun fire from Turkish defenders. On the **left**, an Aussie soldier carries a wounded mate to safety.



2. Explain why you think ANZAC Day services are silent, and held at dawn. What effect do you think it has on attendees?



3. People from other countries are often surprised that Australia's most important day to remember the sacrifices of war is on the anniversary of a loss, not a victory. Why do you think that is? Do you agree with it?



4. In World War One, there were no women in the Australian New Zealand Army Corps. Today, there are 6,507 women in the Australian Defense Force (and 44,248 men). Why do you think that change has happened? What else do you think has changed for women in the past 107 years?



5. There are 15 countries in the world that have no military defense force—including Costa Rica, which is the subject of this week's *Squiz the World*. Do you think it's important for Australia to have a defense force? Why/why not?