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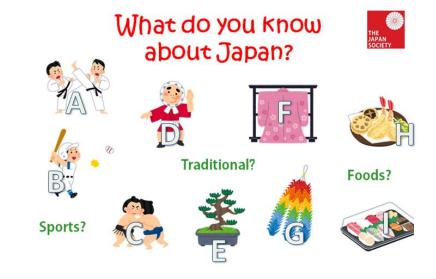
Tokyo Olympics and Paralympic Games

Accompanying teacher notes for PowerPoint slides

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Please see below for information about each illustration on slide 2.

- a. Karate a contact sport taught all over the world. Competitors attack their opponent with kicks, punches, and knee and elbow strikes.
- **b**. Baseball is one of the most popular sports in Japan and there is a Japanese professional baseball league. Most schools have a baseball club.



- c. Sumo traditional wrestling. Each wrestler tries to win by pushing their opponent out of the ring, or by forcing them to the ground.
- **d**. A performer dancing at a festival.
- **e**. A bonsai tree the practice of growing small trees is considered an art form in Japan.
- f. Kimono traditional clothing for both men and women. Kimono is often worn on special occasions in modern Japan.
- g. Origami cranes origami means 'folding paper'. The crane is a symbol of good fortune and long life in Japan. This image is of a senbazuru - 1000 origami cranes strung together as a good luck talisman or for a wish to be granted.
- **h.** Tempura a Japanese dish of deep fried seafood and/or vegetables.
- i. Sushi a Japanese dish made with specially prepared rice (mixed with vinegar) and other toppings or fillings such as fish or vegetables.