

MEPS Lockdown Super Challenge

Contest for 3 areas: Prep - Year 3; Years 4 - 6; Family entry

Develop and create a new invention that could enhance the daily life of an older adult.


It might be something to assist a grandparent, aunt/uncle or family friend.

Task 1



1. Think creatively about how you could make an older person's life better
2. Come up with an idea
3. Design it by drawing a picture
4. Create a prototype using Lego, playdough, building blocks, cardboard etc.
5. Take a photo of your invention

Task 2



Once you've created your invention, you want people to start using it!

How will you convince others to try your invention?

What aspect of older adults' daily lives and activities does it enhance or improve?

How does it work? How is it different from other inventions?

Answer these questions to explain how your invention will help older adults.

How would you talk about your idea to other people?

Inventors think about how to convince other people to try or buy their invention.

This is the final stage of the challenge and will be the part that you submit.

You can choose to 'sell it' in many different ways. Select one of the ideas below or create your own.

Make an advertising poster	Create a 'fact sheet'	Create a picture story book showing the invention being used	Create an advertising jingle with music	Write a persuasive speech
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Send your entry to Ms Wheeler - kim.wheeler@education.vic.gov.au

Winners from each area will be presented at Assembly.