

Workshop 6: Amigo Brothers**Extended Project****The Competition Is On!**

Competition is very powerful. It can have both positive and negative effects on people.

Project: Create a display about competition. Include your definition of competition. Give information about three pairs of competitors.

Procedure**1. Create a definition.**

Write down the answers to the following questions:

- What is your experience of competition?
- How do you feel about competition?
- What are some words that describe competition?

Edit your notes into a short definition about what competition is, and what it means to you.

2. Pick three pairs of competitors.

Choose competitors from your *READ 180* materials, such as Felix and Antonio in “Amigo Brothers,” and Vitali and Wladimir in the Anchor Video story. You can also choose well-known sports competitors, like Michael Phelps and Ian Thorpe, or political candidates.

3. Expand ideas.

Answer the following questions about each pair of competitors. Use the Internet or the library to find answers if needed.

- What do they want?
- How do they try to get it?
- What is the outcome of the competition?

If you find photos of your competitors, cut or print them out and attach them.

4. Put it all together.

Write your definition across the top of a piece of posterboard or chart paper. Then set up areas for each of your competitors. Attach pictures and add your facts. Don’t forget a title!