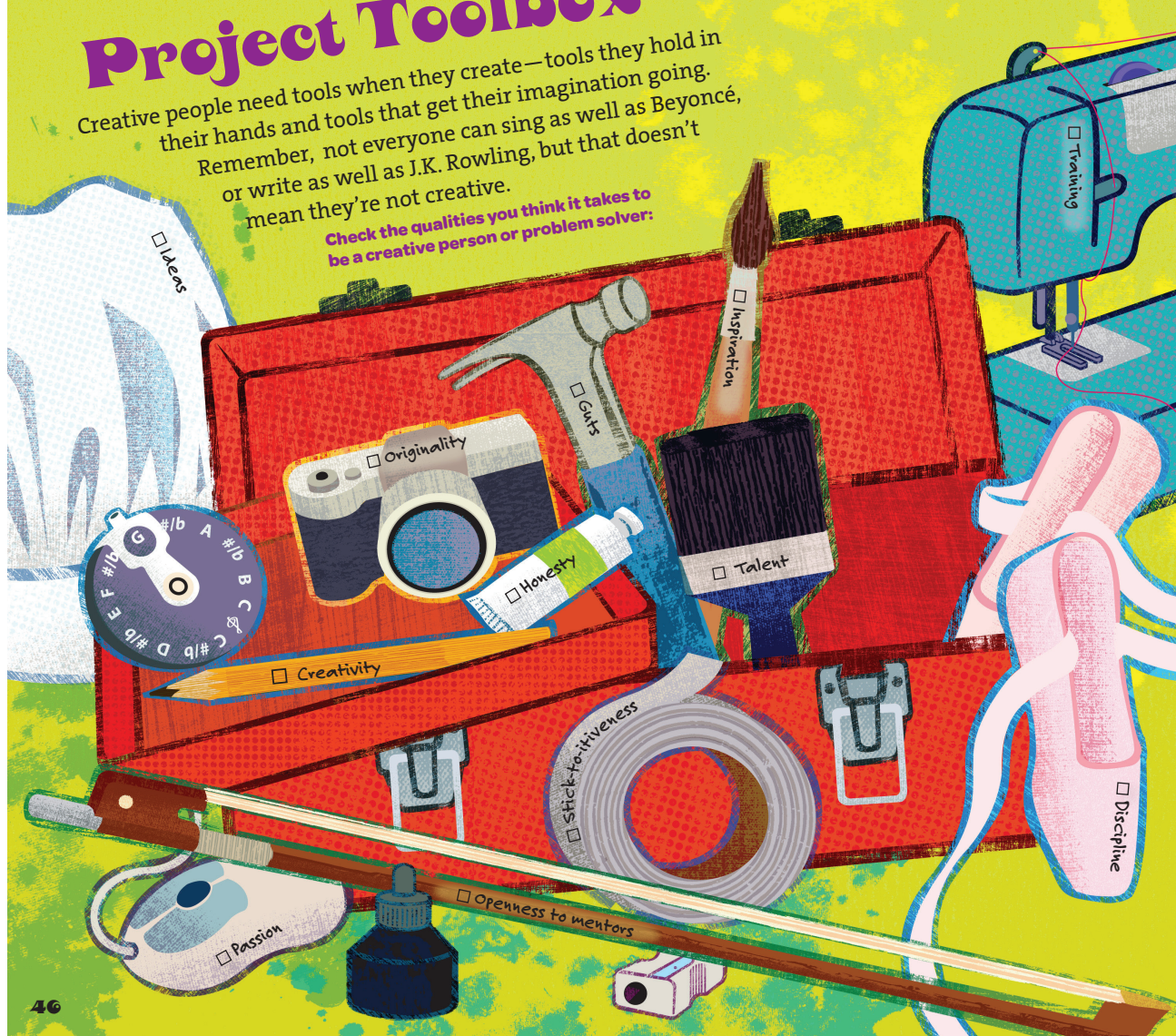


Project Toolbox

Creative people need tools when they create—tools they hold in their hands and tools that get their imagination going. Remember, not everyone can sing as well as Beyoncé, or write as well as J.K. Rowling, but that doesn't mean they're not creative.

Check the qualities you think it takes to be a creative person or problem solver:



Now, go back over the list and see which of these qualities you already have. Which do you want to strengthen?

It might help to remember the joke about how to get to Carnegie Hall: practice, practice, practice. For example, if the quality you want to strengthen is discipline, you might try doing something for 10 minutes a day for a week, and then 20 minutes a day for the next week. If it's guts, you might practice doing something that takes a little courage one day, and then something more challenging the next, and something even more challenging the day after that.

Can you see how some of the values of the Girl Scout law can apply to creative people like artists and leaders?

Artists and leaders are "courageous and strong" when they

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Artists and leaders are "honest and fair" when they

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Artists and leaders are "responsible" for what they say and do because they

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