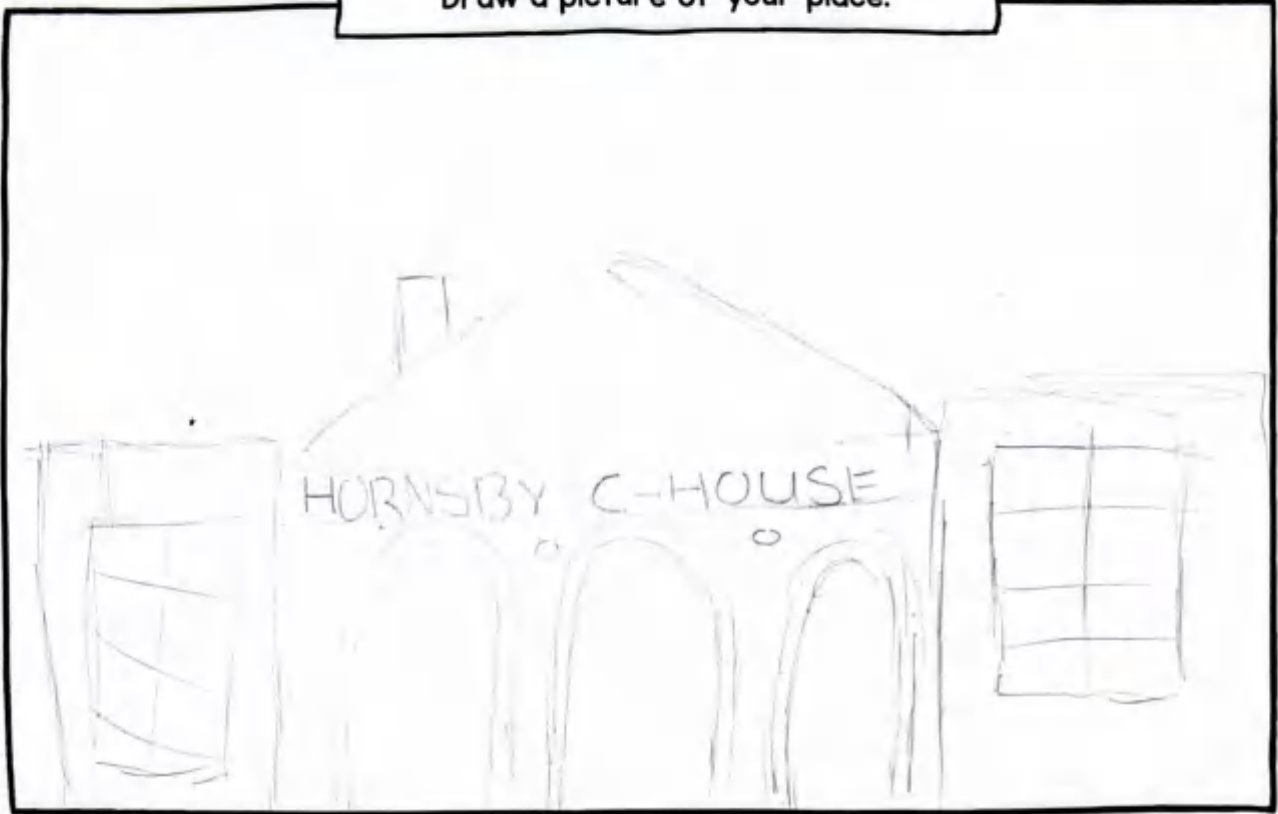


# LEARNING ABOUT LOCAL HISTORY

Choose one building or place in your local area, and then answer the questions. It can be a natural area (forest, river, beach) or a man-made area (church, park, building).

Draw a picture of your place.



Name of place:

Hornsby Court House

Where is it? (Country, State / Province / Region):

Australia NSW, 2077 Hornsby

Historians always use evidence. What type of evidence did you use to learn about this place? Websites, Images

**How was this place used long ago?**

The Hornsby Court House long ago served as a place where legal decisions around the region were made.

**How is it used now?**

A venue for legal matters in the region. Handles minor cases such as traffic offences.

**Who used this place long ago?**

Judges, who were called magistrates, as they were responsible for measuring & mapping land.

**Who uses it now?**

Judges  
small-time criminals waiting for their court proceeding

**How is this place interesting? What did you learn?**

Hornsby Court-House is interesting because of its heritage status, meaning that it is recognised and protected due to its historical significance.

I learnt that Hornsby Court-house has a heritage status & that long ago no real court cases were done in it.