## Making a Medals Spreadsheet

1. Open Excel and start a new workbook
2. Type the words for the title row in cells $\mathbf{A} \mathbf{1}$ to $\mathbf{D} \mathbf{1}$

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A | B | C | D | E |
| 1 | Country | Gold | Silver | Bronze |  |
| 2 |  |  |  |  |  |

3. You can make column $\mathbf{A}$ wider by dragging the divider between $A$ and $B$ to the right
4. Now enter the rest of the data for the table


| E2 | $\checkmark \quad \vdots$ | $\checkmark f_{x}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4 | A | B | C | D | E |
| 1 | Country | Gold | Silver | Bronze | Total |
| 2 | Germany | 17 | 10 | 15 |  |
| 3 | Great Britain | 27 | 23 | 17 |  |
| 4 | China | 26 | 18 | 26 |  |
| 5 | Russia | 19 | 17 | 20 |  |
| 6 | United States | 46 | 37 | 38 |  |
| 7 | Japan | 12 | 8 | 21 |  |
| 8 | France | 10 | 18 | 14 |  |

5. Next, add the word Total in cell E1

## Adding cells up

There's a really easy way to add cells up quickly.
6. IMPORTANT: Click in cell E2
7. At the top right, find the SUM button and click it

8. Choose Sum

In cell E2 you should see the words = SUM(B2:D2). This means that the cells from B2 to D2 are going to be added up. That's what you want to add up

9. Press Enter (Return) on the keyboard
10. The number 42 should appear in cell E2
11. Repeat this for the rest of the cells in the column
12. You could try to use MAX, MIN and AVERAGE as well. You get to them from the same place.

