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4 Write the past simple form of the verbs. Then decide if they are regular (R) or irregular (I).

1 learn		4 play		8 speak	
2 give		5 come		7 finish	
3 see		6 live		9 eat	

5 Complete the text with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

Dr Ludwig Guttmann

¹ (be) a

German doctor and he ² (work) in a hospital in England during the Second World War.

His patients ³ (have) serious problems with their backs, but Dr Guttmann ⁴

(use) sport to help them. He ⁵ (begin) a sports competition at the hospital. Soon people

from other countries ⁶ (come) to the hospital games. In September 1960 the hospital

games ⁷ (change) to the Paralympics and the first competition ⁸ (take)

place in Rome. Athletes from twenty-three countries ⁹ (compete) in the events. Italy

¹⁰ (win) eighty medals!

