

UNIT 8 – SPORTS AND GAMES
WORKSHEET 6
EXERCISE 1: Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verbs *play, do or go*.

- Sarah _____ gymnastics on Saturday evenings.
- Mark _____ badminton with his friends at the moment.
- My friends and I _____ climbing yesterday.
- _____ you _____ table tennis last Sunday?
- Jim _____ basketball because he wasn't tall enough.
- We _____ sports together when we were kids.
- People often _____ jogging in the park.
- I _____ judo now and I love it!

EXERCISE 2: Circle the odd one out.

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| 1. A football | B tennis | C volleyball | D boxing |
| 2. A goggles | B courts | C skis | D skateboards |
| 3. A paddle | B ball | C bat | D racket |
| 4. A referee | B player | C coach | D stadium |
| 5. A career | B healthy | C sporty | D fit |

EXERCISE 3: Choose the correct answers.

- I usually play football when I have _____.
A. spare time B. good time C. no time D. times
- In team sports, the two teams _____ against each other in order to get the better score.
A. are B. do C. make D. compete
- _____ draw on the walls and tables, please.
A. Do B. Don't C. Should D. Shouldn't
- Nam plays sports very often, so he looks very _____.
A. sport B. sports C. sporty D. sporting
- Last summer, I _____ fishing with my uncle in the afternoon.
A. go B. went C. goes D. going
- Sports and games _____ an important part in our lives.
A. play B. do C. go D. make
- Team sports are sometimes called _____ sports.
A. compete B. competition C. competitor D. competitive
- "_____ do you do judo?" - "Twice a week."
A. When B. Where C. How often D. Why
- _____ sports do you like watching on TV?
A. How B. What C. Do D. How often

10. Football is regarded _____ the most popular sport in the world.

- A. for B. as C. like D. of

EXERCISE 4: Rewrite the following sentences, beginning as shown, so that the meaning stays the same.

1. My brother plays football very well.

=> My brother is _____.

2. Mai likes playing badminton most.

=> Badminton is _____.

3. Sports and games are very important in children's lives.

=> Sports and games play _____.

4. Children take part in many after-school activities when school finishes.

=> Children do _____.

5. Lan is very good at basketball.

=> Lan can _____.

EXERCISE 5: Read Leo's report about his favourite sport. Choose the correct answer.

"Water polo is a new sport at our school, but we have a good team now. We practise after school on Thursday at the Northside Pool and we're doing well in the National Schools Competition.

There are seven players in a water polo team. The game is a bit like football because each team tries to score a goal with a ball. But in water polo you don't use your feet - you catch and throw the ball with one hand. And you never stop swimming. A game lasts 32 minutes, and in that time you swim up and down a 30-metre pool lots of times. If you aren't fit, water polo isn't the sport for you!

For me, it's great, because I love being in the water and I can swim fast. I also enjoy being part of a team. We have some excellent players and we're all good friends. So it's fun, and it's also a fantastic way to get fit."

Leo Johnson

1. People play water polo _____.

- A. in a stadium B. in a swimming pool C. at the beach

2. His team plays _____.

- A. well B. badly C. in a new competition

3. Water polo players _____.

- A. often play football B. bounce the ball C. doesn't kick the ball

4. In a water polo game, players _____.

- A. can't use their hands B. sometimes swim 30 metres C. swim all the time

5. Leo _____.

- A. isn't very fit B. can swim quickly C. likes playing individually