A lifetime of training for just 10 seconds.
Jesse Owens, American athlete and winner of Olympic 100-meter race in 1936

11A Bad losers

1 VOCABULARY sports, expressing movement

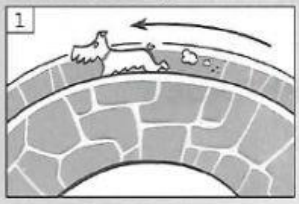
a Complete the sentences.

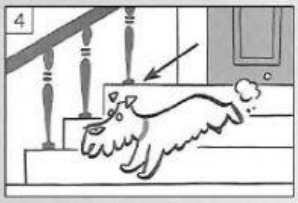
1 The player took two shots to hit the golf ball into the h*ole*.
2 In track and field, the runners run in l_____ around a track.
3 It was m_____ p_____, and everyone was very tense, but his first s_____ went into the net.
4 The golf player had to try and hit the ball out of the b_____.
5 The athletes were running fast toward the finish line because they were on the last l_____.
6 When you take a p_____, you have to kick the ball past the goalkeeper.
7 The player who took the c_____ kicked the ball to a teammate, who headed it into the goal.

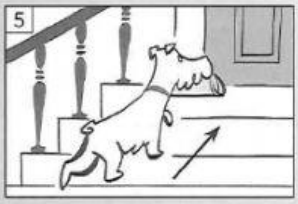
b Underline the prepositions of movement in **a**.

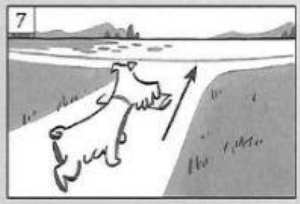
c Complete the crossword.

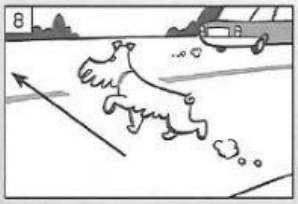
Clues across →





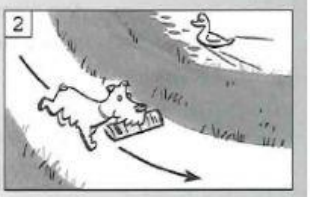


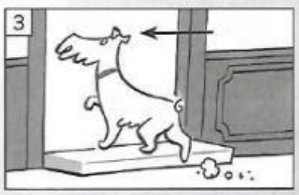




Clues down ↓

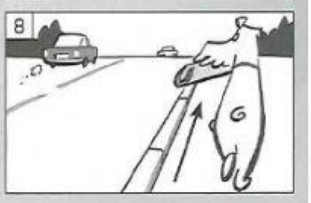










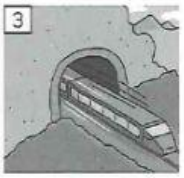


2 GRAMMAR expressing movement

a Look at the pictures. Complete the sentences with the simple past of the verbs and the correct preposition.

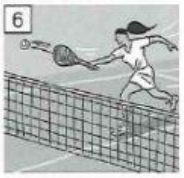












~~cycle~~	go	hit	kick	run	throw
across	into	over	through	under	~~up~~

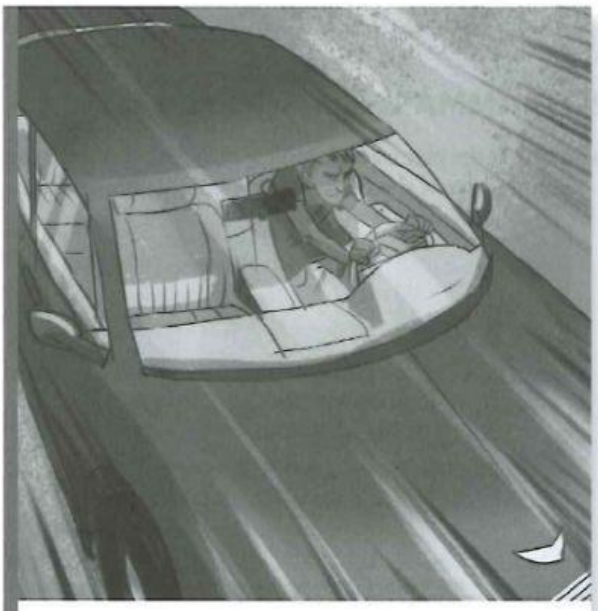
In the ideal city...

1 They *cycled* *up* the hill.
2 The boy _____ the ball _____ the car.
3 The train _____ _____ the tunnel.
4 He _____ the ball _____ the goal.
5 The children _____ _____ the road.
6 She _____ the ball _____ the net.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

b Look at the picture, read the story, and complete it with the prepositions.

across	into	out of	past	around
through	to	toward	under	along (x 2)



Last day at school for boy with dirty shoes!

Last Wednesday started as usual for 15-year-old Michael Brewster at Hove Park School.

At 10:30 a.m., Michael's class was jogging [1] *around* the gym. But when Charles Duff, the PE teacher, told Michael to clean his dirty sneakers, he got really angry. He ran [2] _____ the gym, and back to the changing rooms where he found Mr. Duff's keys. From there, he went [3] _____ the parking lot, got [4] _____ Mr. Duff's Ford, and started the car. Then he drove [5] _____ the road, [6] _____ the bridge, [7] _____ the security guard, and [8] _____ the school gates. Then he turned left and drove [9] _____ the road for about 300 feet [10] _____ the math teacher's house. That was when he lost control. He tried to stop, but instead went [11] _____ a field and crashed into a tree. Michael no longer attends Hove Park School.

3 PRONUNCIATION sports

a Look at the phonetics and write the sport.

1 /'sɑkər/ *soccer*
2 /'vɑlibɔl/ _____
3 /'ɔtoʊ 'reɪsɪŋ/ _____
4 /'skiŋ/ _____
5 /'wɪndsəfiŋ/ _____
6 /'saɪklɪŋ/ _____
7 /'bæskətbɔl/ _____
8 /'rʌgbi/ _____
9 /træk ænd fild/ _____

b iChecker Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

4 LISTENING

a iChecker Listen to five people talking about bad losers. Which games or sports do they mention?

_____

b iChecker Listen again. Who...?

1 lost a friend after playing sport with him / her *Speaker 2*
2 is on a team with someone who's a bad loser _____
3 has a parent who is a bad loser _____
4 used to let one of his/her children win _____
5 has a colleague who is a fanatical sports fan _____

USEFUL WORDS AND PHRASES

Learn these words and phrases.

coach /koʊtʃ/
corner /'kɔrnər/
hole /hoʊl/
lap /læp/
penalty /'pɛnlti/
beat /bit/
crash /kræʃ/
race /reɪs/
referee /rɛfə'ri/
score a goal /'skɔr ə goʊl/

LIVEWORKSHEETS