

**5a** Complete the text about Australia. Choose the correct alternative.

## Culture exchange



### The number 1 sport in Australia

According to a Roy Morgan report, swimming (a) was/were the number one sport among adults and children in Australia with over six million Australian adults going swimming regularly, a quarter of the total population. It (b) was/were also the sport in which there (c) was/were more women than men. Other popular sports among adults (d) was/were running, athletics and cycling.

Just under half of Australian children, 6 to 13 years old, (e) was/were also regular swimmers. Popular sports for children were football, cycling, basketball and dancing. But there (f) was/were a big difference in age groups. By the time children (g) was/were 14 years old, less than 10% (h) was/were active swimmers and, in the case of football, this figure (i) was/were only 3%. According to SportAus, 78% of teenagers in Australia (j) wasn't/weren't very active and this is a problem for their health.