Show what you know!

Read the text and complete the exercises.

Ade Adepitan was born in Lagos, Nigeria on March 27th 1973. When he was 15 months old, he contracted a virus called polio and lost the use of his left leg. He moved to the UK with his mother in 1976. He loved playing basketball.
He is an Olympic wheelchair basketball player and a British TV presenter. He competed in the 2004 Summer Paralympics in Athens and presented the Rio Paralympics in 2016. Ade does a lot of work for charity. He is a great role model for disabled sports people.

1.a) Identify the **information you can find** in the text.

	The text tells us	The text doesn't say
i) The place Ade Adepitan was born.		
ii) His mother's name.		
iii) The reason he moved to the UK.		
iv) A reason why he uses a wheelchair.		
v) A sport he loves.		
vi) The type of work he does.		

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1. b) **Complete** the questions **using the correct WH- word**.

i) _____ was Ade Adepitan born?

ii) _____ is his mother's name?

iii) _____ did he move to the UK?

iv) _____ does he use a wheelchair?

v) _____ sport does he like?

vi) _____ type of work does he do?

REMEMBER!

Who
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2. a) **Complete** the next part of the text **using Past Simple** verbs:

Ade (to be)_____ part of a team that competed in the Paralympics in Athens. Together, they (win)_____ a bronze medal. When they (play)_____ on the basketball court, they (use)_____ special, low wheelchairs that (do not)_____ fall over.

2. b) **Change** the past simple affirmative sentences to **past simple negative**.

i) Abe went to the Paralympics in Tokyo.

_____

ii) He played wheelchair football.

_____

iii) He caught a virus in the UK.

_____

iv) He wrote a lot of books.

_____

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3. a) **Complete the descriptions** of the basketball vocabulary using the words in the box.

i) The objective of the game is to score _____.

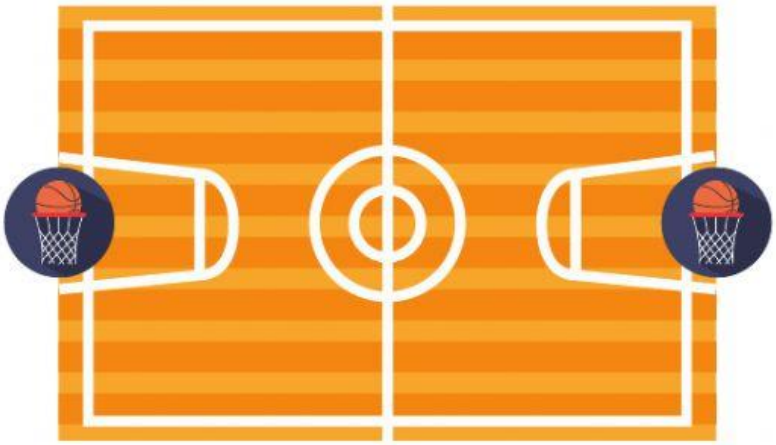
ii) A _____ is the place where you play basketball.

iii) There are two _____ made of metal and _____.

iv) People play basketball in two _____ of 5 people.

v) To play, it's a good idea to wear a _____ and _____.

vi) Abe Adepitan plays a special version of basketball in a _____.



court	tracksuit
teams	wheelchair
hoops	points
rope	trainers

3. b) Move the pieces to **form Past Simple questions.**

i) school / to / he / go / did / the UK / in

_____?

ii) when / he / leave / did / Lagos

_____?

iii) always / love / did / basketball / he

_____?

iv) did / Paralympics / which / in / compete / he

_____?

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