

WORD STORE 2A | Phrasal verbs

3 Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions.

How could Jane let us down like that? She's the best player on the team and she didn't arrive for the match.

- 1 Adam's hurt his arm, so he has to drop out of the tennis competition this weekend.
- 2 Williams has to take on last year's champion in the final game of the season.
- 3 Uma is an excellent sailor. She got into it when her dad first took her sailing at the age of six.
- 4 My mum's running in the marathon this Sunday.
Do you want to come and cheer her on with me?
- 5 I've decided to go to for a karate tournament.
Do you think I can win it?
- 6 How many calories do you think 45 minutes of yoga burns up?

WORD STORE 2B | Collocations

4 Choose the correct words.



'Welcome to "Sports Thoughts" on Radio Sport. This week we will ask marathon runner, Jeremy Bradshaw, what it was like to ¹come / win / score first in the London Marathon. We'll talk to Pat Goodhill who ²kept / beat / lost the national speed-climbing champion and ³scored / won / broke a world record at last week's UK climbing championships. Skier Daisy Leader will tell us how she ⁴loses / scores / keeps in shape during the summer and give us some expert advice on ⁵beating / keeping / coming fit during the winter season. We'll also ask footballer, Alastair Madson, what he feels is more important for his career: ⁶scoring / breaking / winning goals or ⁷beating / winning / breaking matches. Finally, you'll have the chance to ⁸win / score / keep a prize in our weekly phone-in competition.

Now, this news has just come in – US basketball player Dick Boyd amazed fans and teammates earlier this evening when he ⁹scored / kept / won more than 100 points in a single game. And we have heard that AFC Woolwich's Donny Wellard says he might quit professional football after he managed to ¹⁰miss / lost / broke a goal in Saturday's World Cup final from just one metre ...'

1 How old were you when you first ___ into rowing?
Don't worry – I've ___ a pair of skates I can lend you.
A been B got C had

2 I feel that my team really ___ me down after they failed to win the cup.
James ___ me borrow his tennis racket, so we can play tomorrow.
A put B took C let

3 Swimmer Simon Davies said his main aim this year is to ___ his own world record.
You look exhausted, Mike. Let's have a ___ at this café.
A break B rest C keep

4 The best way to lose weight is to keep ___ and watch what you eat.
The jacket really suited Rachel, but unfortunately it was the wrong size and didn't ___ her.
A shape B fit C healthy

5 My sports ___ told me I need to lose some weight if I want to win the trophy.
I think we'll take the ___ to the stadium. There shouldn't be too much traffic.
A trainer B fan C coach