Sport

1. Complete the table with the sports

skateboarding speed skating boxing basketball
high jump roller skating tennis windsurfing
skiing karate long jump hockey diving kayaking
sprint figure-skating ski jumping snowboarding
volleyball rowing

go	play	do

2. Fill in the gaps (1-8) in the dialogue with the verbs

gave lost play win do go do broke

Jack What sports do you [1]_____ ?
Rosie Well, I [2]_____ karate and I sometimes [3]_____ cycling. What about you?
Jack I [4]_____ football.
Rosie Are you in a team?
Jack Yes. We played last night, but we [5]_____ the match 3–0.
Rosie Oh dear. What happened?
Jack Hmm, well, the referee [6]_____ out about ten yellow cards.
Rosie Really? It sounds like he [7]_____ a record.
Jack Hmm. I'm sure he supported the other team.
Rosie Never mind! Maybe you'll [8]_____ the match next time.

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3. Match the sports equipment with the sports

Table tennis	goggles, costume
Tennis	helmet, net, goalposts
Swimming	net
Ice hockey	goalposts, net
Volleyball	mask
Football	bat, net
Fencing	racket, net

4. Match the extreme sports from the box with their descriptions

skydiving white-water rafting caving paragliding bungee jumping rock climbing

1 'You need a helmet, a torch and strong boots and clothes. It's incredible being far below the ground.' _____
2 'It's an amazing feeling when you first jump from the aeroplane.' _____
3 'You go with a group of people and speed along on a fast-flowing river.' _____
4 'I had some lessons and then I went up my first mountain.' _____
5 'You put on the rope and then you jump head first from a bridge!' _____
6 'You take off from a cliff and you fly through the air, looking down at the ground below.' _____

5. Choose the correct word in each sentence (1-8)

1 The goalkeeper tried to ***save/shoot/defend*** the ball, but he had no chance.
2 The winner took home a prize of £1,000. The ***runner-up/second/silver*** left with nothing.
3 Unfortunately, the team from London ***gained/won/beat*** us for the third time running.
4 You have to take part in the trials if you want to ***succeed/qualify/achieve*** for the team.
5 The handball player ***scored/threw/caught*** the ball straight into the net.
6 To ***make/score/shoot*** a point in basketball, a player must throw the ball into the basket.
7 The match was a 1–1 ***draw/equal/final.***
8 Sports programmes on TV attract millions of ***spectators/viewers/watchers.***

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