

**Open cloze.** For questions 1-9, read the text below and think of the word which best fits each gap. Use only one word in each gap.

## Judo

When I first decided to (1) \_\_\_\_\_ up judo I was only seven years old. I (2) \_\_\_\_\_ seen a competition (3) \_\_\_\_\_ television and for some strange reason I just knew immediately that what they were doing on the TV was also what I wanted to do. It must have (4) \_\_\_\_\_ the right decision because I have always been (5) \_\_\_\_\_ best in my age group and I am usually (6) \_\_\_\_\_ faster than my opponent. For the past 11 years, I have always looked forward (7) \_\_\_\_\_ my judo lesson. Last year, I finally became a black belt, but I (8) \_\_\_\_\_ been winning prizes in tournaments since I started. Of course, I would love to win (9) \_\_\_\_\_ medal at the Olympics. We'll see!

### WORD FORMATION.

1. I was amazed at the \_\_\_\_\_ of the mural they painted on the side of the building.

**HIGH**

2. \_\_\_\_\_, he decided to come with us to the opera. **AMAZE**

3. My parents always \_\_\_\_\_ me when I wanted to do extreme sports. They were too afraid. **COURAGE**

4. You must consider the \_\_\_\_\_ of the river if you're planning to swim across.

**WIDE**

5. Nowadays, it's difficult for teenagers to find \_\_\_\_\_. **EMPLOY**

6. If you really want to work for a company, it's often much \_\_\_\_\_ not to wait until they advertise. **GOOD**

### REPHRASING.

1. "Where do you live?" Sam asked me. **WHERE**

Sam wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_.

2. "Did you enjoy the paella we ate last week?" **WHETHER**

Bruno asked Muriel \_\_\_\_\_ the paella they had eaten the previous week.

3. You are not old enough to drive. **TOO**

You are \_\_\_\_\_ to drive.

4. He didn't want to admit how fast he was driving. **MUCH**

He had been driving \_\_\_\_\_ he admitted.

5. I ate something that disagreed with me. That's why I felt sick. **NOT**

If I hadn't eaten something that disagreed with me, I \_\_\_\_\_ sick.

6. Someone stole my cell phone. **STOLEN**

I \_\_\_\_\_.

7. Some friendly tourists photographed us. **GOT**

We \_\_\_\_\_ some friendly tourists.

8. We'll probably go away in the summer. **MIGHT**

We \_\_\_\_\_ the summer.