

DAY 50: SKILL PRACTICE

Dictation

You are going to listen to a recording about sports. Listen to the whole recording once. Then you will hear the recording again with pauses for you to write down what you hear. Make sure you spell the words correctly.

10/10

Listening

You are going to listen to a talk about sports. For questions 1–10, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

Jane points out that opportunity to use
(1) comes before participation.

Jane says that the role of schools in providing (2) space for regular practice is crucial.

Jane mentions some parents believe that their children would have a (3)..... to succeed in sports if they were educated in an independent school.

(4) were educated in the private sector.

Jane emphasises that involvement in sport is less about talent and more about (5)

Jane explains that schools play an important role in getting children interested in sports as well as helping them with their (6)

Jane uses the term (7)..... to explain how some schools consider competitive sports.

Jane agrees that the topic of competitive sports
(8) serious discussions.

Jane says that involvement in competitions teaches children important (9)

Jane says children should learn to use coping
(10) to deal with losing.