

PRACTICE UNIT 8

I. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from the others.

1. a. free b. team c. read d. idea
2. a. swimming b. skipping c. driving d. fishing
3. a. racket b. skateboard c. games d. player
4. a. thing b. father c. healthy d. three
5. a. rackets b. goggles c. skis d. skateboards

II. Choose the best answer a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. My friend Mark is very good _____ volleyball. He plays volleyball very well.
a. in b. on c. at d. with
2. We often go swimming _____ Sunday morning.
a. in b. on c. at d. for
3. Football is an example of a _____ sport where you play with several other people.
a. team b. individual c. indoor d. dangerous
4. We were very upset when our favourite team didn't _____ even one goal.
a. play b. kick c. point d. score
5. Badminton requires only a net, a racket, and a birdie or _____.
a. ball b. ski c. shuttlecock d. goggles
6. The person who makes sure that a game is played according to the rules is called a _____.
a. coach b. referee c. judge d. player
7. _____ up the tree! You'll fall down.
a. Climb b. Climbing c. Not to climb d. Don't climb
8. _____ spectator sports in Britain are cricket and football.
a. More popular b. The more popular c. Most popular d. The most popular
9. _____ are the Olympic Games held? - Every four years.
a. When b. Where c. How long d. How often
10. Which sport happens in a ring?
a. Boxing b. Basketball c. Aerobics d. Swimming

VII. Fill in the sentences with the correct form (past simple) of the verbs in brackets.

1. I _____ (see) the film last night but I _____ (not like) it.
2. _____ (Marco/ win) the golf competition?
3. They _____ (not play) very well yesterday. They _____ (lose) the match.
4. How many goals _____ (your team/ score) in the first half?
5. I _____ (be) very tired, so I _____ (go) to bed early last night.
6. _____ (you/ go) swimming this morning?
7. The children _____, (not be) hungry, so they _____ (not eat) anything.
8. Susan and her friends _____ (come) to Japan three months ago.
9. I _____ (have) a wonderful holiday with my family last July.
10. Jane _____ (not be) at the party last Sunday, so she _____ (not know) what happened.