

# British sports

► Watch the DVD clip. Choose the correct answers.

- 1 In which sport can players use their hands and feet to control a ball?  
a football    b rugby    c basketball
- 2 Which sport has the oldest rules?  
a football    b rugby    c cricket
- 3 Which sport is played in the Ashes tournament?  
a football    b rugby    c cricket

► Watch again. Choose the correct words to describe what you see.

- 1 a girl **kicking** / **catching** an orange football
- 2 a man in white **kicking** / **running with** a rugby ball
- 3 girls in dark blue playing **hockey** / **tennis**
- 4 a team in yellow playing **football** / **rugby**
- 5 a man in red **playing** / **refereeing** a rugby match
- 6 a **cricket** / **rugby** stadium in Australia

► Watch again. Complete the sentences with the correct words.

- 1 Two hundred years ago, \_\_\_\_\_ games were popular in private schools in Britain.
- 2 The sport of \_\_\_\_\_ officially began in 1871.
- 3 In cricket, each team has \_\_\_\_\_ players.
- 4 In August 1882, \_\_\_\_\_ beat England in a cricket match.
- 5 There are \_\_\_\_\_ matches in an Ashes tournament.
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ has won the Ashes 31 times.