

7B Ability

- 1  7.4 Complete the paragraphs with the correct form of the expressions in the boxes, making sure the entire paragraph is logical. Use each expression only once. There may be more than one correct answer. Listen and check.

be capable of can't seem to have a talent for be pretty/reasonably successful at struggle to/with

Not everyone ¹ _____ learning foreign languages. Some people really ² _____ them and ³ _____ remember anything they've learned. But, with motivation and practice, even they can ⁴ _____ mastering a language. With enough effort, everyone ⁵ _____ learning!

find it hard to succeed at be pretty good/bad at fail to can't quite manage to

Some of us ⁶ _____ sports. We ⁷ _____ keep up with our teammates and may ⁸ _____ win even a single game. But even if we ⁹ _____ hit the ball very far or do a high jump, we can all find a sport we're able to ¹⁰ _____. Some don't require strength or endurance at all!