Extra Training

Use of English
Task 857

Read the text, then choose the suitable word for each blank and drag it into the correct sentence.
Mind there are more words given than you need!!!

DAVID BECKHAM

He says that he had always wanted to _____ **(1)** a football player. He played football at school and in 1991 he signed for Manchester United because he had always supported them and had always dreamed to play _____ **(2)** them He played for the United Youth team at first and in 1995 he established himself in the first team and _____ **(3)** became a top-scoring player.

These days mass media give less coverage to David Beckham's skills as a football player than to his _____ **(4)** outside the pitch. He's had a haircut. He's had a tattoo. He and Victoria were seen shopping. People are interested _____ **(5)** his every move. In short, he's become _____ **(6)** idol.

Still David rarely gives interviews. _____ **(7)** people say it's because of his Manchester United commitments. Others, because he's got _____ **(8)** to say for himself. Still others, because he is thick. None of the above is true.

In spite of his fame David is an incredibly private person. He talks only when he wants to talk choosing exactly whom he _____ **(9)** like to talk to. He tries to live as normal a life as he can "with my camera up my backside 24 hours a day "

As for having nothing to say David's wife says, "He is always criticized. People say that he's thick, he's this, he's that, but someone who is England captain at 26-years-old and has achieved as _____ **(10)** as he has, there is no way that he can be thick "

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