

# Tour de France

Read the text and then do the True / False

The "Tour de France" is a famous men's bicycle race held in France every summer. The race goes around France and ends in Paris. It lasts for about three weeks. Riders work together in teams. Winners of the tour receive prize money.

The tour is not an easy one. Riders have to go up and down mountains in all kinds of weather. It can be quite dangerous. Those who persevere can become very famous, for example Eddie Merckx from Belgium and Miquel Indurain from Spain.

Of course, many of us just like to take a spin around the park on our parks and leave the racing to the professionals.

## TRUE OR FALSE?

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| 1 Both men and women participate in the Tour de France. | TRUE | FALSE |
| 2 The race ends in Paris.                               | TRUE | FALSE |
| 3 The race takes about 5 weeks.                         | TRUE | FALSE |
| 4 Riders work in teams                                  | TRUE | FALSE |
| 5 If you win the Tour de France you can receive money.  | TRUE | FALSE |
| 6 The tour can be difficult                             | TRUE | FALSE |
| 7 Miquel Indurain is a famous Tour de France winner.    | TRUE | FALSE |

