

How of ten do you run? - Homework

1. Complete the chart. Use words from the box.

baseball

walking

volleyball

Pilates

soccer

jogging

football

yoga

basketball

weight training

Sports	Fitness activities
baseball	

2. Arrange these words to make sentences or questions.

1. often mornings play on we tennis Saturday

We often play tennis on Saturday mornings.

2. ever Ryan do does yoga

_____?

3. go do often swimming how you

_____?

4. go never I almost jogging

_____.

5. hardly they basketball play ever

_____.

6. do on you what usually Sundays do

_____?

3. Use these questions to complete the conversations: *How often do you...? Do you ever...? What do you usually...?*

1. A: **Do you ever go bowling?**

B: Yes, I often go bowling on weekends.

2. **A:** _____

B: Well, I usually do martial arts or watch TV after work.

3. **A:** _____

B: Yes, I sometimes play sports on weekends - usually soccer.

4. **A:** _____

B: I don't exercise very often at all.

5. **A:** _____

B: No, I never go to the gym on Saturdays.

6. **A:** _____

B: I usually go jogging four times a week.

4. Keeping fit?

A. Check (✓) how often you do each of the things in the chart.

	Every day	Once or twice a week	Sometimes	Not very often	Never
do martial arts					
play basketball					
exercise					
go jogging					
go bowling					
play soccer					
go swimming					
do weight training					

B. Write about your fitness habits using the information in the chart.

5. Complete this conversation with the correct prepositions. Write them in the correct places.

Kelly: What time do you go swimming in the morning? **(around/in/on)**

Neil: I always go swimming _____ 7:00.
(at/for/on) How about you, Kelly?

Kelly: I usually go swimming _____ noon.
(around/in/with) I swim _____ about 30 minutes. **(at/for/until)**

Neil: And do you also play sports _____ your free time? **(at/in/until)**

Kelly: No, I usually go out _____ my classmates.
(around/for/with) What about you?

Neil: I go to the gym _____ Mondays and Wednesdays. **(at/on/until)** And sometimes I go jogging _____ weekends. **(for/in/on)**

Kelly: Wow! You really like to stay in shape.

6. Complete the sentences. Use the words from the box.

do	ice hockey	soccer
swimming	watches	exercises
treadmill	goes	jogging
shape	training	

1. Katie never _____.
She's a real couch potato.
2. How often do you _____ martial arts?
3. I like to stay in _____. I play sports every day.
4. Jeff does weight _____ every evening.
He lifts 50-pound weights.
5. Arturo goes _____ twice a week. He usually runs about three miles.
6. Miho often _____ TV in the evening.
7. Maria is on the _____ team at her high school. She's good at passing the ball.
8. Judy never goes _____ when the water is cold.
9. Kyle often _____ bike riding on -lweekends.

10. I run on the _____ at the gym three times a week.

11. In Canada, many people like to play _____ outside in the winter.

7. Sports around the world

A. Read the descriptions of three unique sports that are played in different parts of the world. Which sport do you want to try? Why?

Capoeira _____

Capoeira is a sport that comes from Brazil. It is part martial art, part dance, and part game. The legs do most of the work in this sport. Capoeiristas kick, jump, and dance to the music of stringed instruments, drums, bells, and rattles. Although the two people are fighting and defending themselves, capoeira is really more about movement, speed, and knowing what your opponent is thinking.

Hurling

The game of hurling comes from Ireland. It is the fastest field sport in the world. Hurlers play on a field like soccer but use a stick and a small ball. The stick is used to carry or hit the ball, or players can kick it or slap it with their hands. They try to get the ball over a bar for one point or under the bar into a net for three points. Hurling is a very old sport and similar to modern rugby, soccer, field hockey, and football.

Bashi

Bashi is a national sport in the Maldives, and only women play it. Between eight and eleven women play on a tennis court with tennis balls and one tennis racket. One player hits a ball with the racket on one side of the net, and players try to catch it on the other side. The woman who hits the ball faces away from the net and has to hit the ball backwards over her head! Women often get injured trying to catch the fast-moving balls with their bare hands.

B. What sport do the activities describe? Check (✓) the answers.

1. hit a ball backwards

2. run very fast

3. know what your opponent is thinking

4. get a ball in a net

5. move with music

6. hit a ball over a net

	Capoeira	Hurling	Bashi
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			