

SPORTS

I. Complete these sentences with the sports.

cricket skiing football golf baseball
sumo wrestling

1. _____ was invented in Scotland.
2. The most popular sport in India is
_____.
3. In Japan _____ is incredibly popular.
4. Brazil have been world _____ champions five times.
5. Switzerland has a long history of Alpine
_____.
6. The World Series in _____ is held in the USA.

II. Choose the correct words to complete the text.

My first big match

The first football (1) _____ I went to was a few years ago, when a friend gave me a ticket to the FA (2) _____ between Arsenal and Liverpool. I have never been to such a big (3) _____ before, so it was a big experience for me.

I remember being a bit (4) _____ on the way into the ground because there were so many people everywhere. But once we had found our seats I began to relax and enjoy (5) _____. The (6) _____ was really great, and it got even better when the teams came out into the (7) _____.

It turned out to be a good (8) _____. Both (9) _____ played well and there were lots of chances at both ends of the pitch. Arsenal (10) _____ first, only 20 minutes from the end, but Michael Owen scored twice in the last ten minutes for Liverpool. The (11) _____ went crazy and when the (12) _____ blew the whistle for the end of the match the noise was incredible.