

Vocabulary in context

Sports

1 ☆ Write the correct verb for the sports: *do, go or play*.

- 1 + golf, football, ice hockey
 2 + cycling, ice-skating, sailing
 3 + athletics, gymnastics, judo

2 ☆☆ Find eight sports words in the word search.

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I	H	I	G	S	O	K	L	I	W
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Z	Z	S	M	B	X	A	O	K	P
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Sports competitions

3 ☆☆ Choose the correct alternative.

- Do you sometimes watch tennis matches/races on TV?
- The referee's/spectator's job is to check we follow the rules.
- The cups/winners of the competition have got their medals/scores.
- Are there any champions/races for animals?
- What's the medal/score? Which cup/team is the winner?
- The spectators/finals are excited because the referee/match is today.
- Manchester United and Liverpool play in the English Football Winner/League.
- The champion/final always wins a match/cup.

4 ☆☆ Match photos a–d to four of the sentences from 3.



5 ☆☆☆ Choose the correct alternative to complete the text.



The Paralympic Games® are an international sports competition. They happen every four years. The athletes can compete individually or in (a) cups/teams and they can win (b) medals/champions in different sports. For example, there are (c) races/scores in sports like cycling and running, and there are (d) matches/races for team sports like volleyball. There are (e) referees/gymnastics for each sport. They make sure the athletes follow the rules and the (f) scores/spectators are correct so the right people become the (g) champions/leagues. There are lots of (h) athletics/spectators at the Paralympic Games because they are very exciting to watch!

Vocabulary extension ☆☆☆

6 Match the sports equipment to the photos.

gloves • goggles • helmet • racket • skates • stick



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