

## Prepare 9\_Unit 3

### *Fun and games*



## VOCABULARY

**1** Use the verbs from the box to complete the sentences.

|      |       |       |      |      |      |
|------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| beat | enter | have  | join | lose | miss |
|      |       | score | win  |      |      |

- 1 Our school football team are going to ..... a tournament this year.
- 2 Sam has decided to ..... a tennis club.
- 3 I was really surprised to ..... a medal!
- 4 Can you explain how people ..... points in a basketball match?
- 5 Our team were very disappointed to ..... the game after playing so well.
- 6 They managed to ..... the other team, but it was very difficult.
- 7 Pavlo was sorry to ..... such a great opportunity, but he couldn't play with a broken arm.
- 8 Even if you're not sure you'll succeed, you should still ..... a go!

## 2 Add the correct suffix to the word in brackets.

- 1 My friend's a very good (sail) and has her own boat.  
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- 2 Are you a good (swim)? There's a place where we can jump into the river near here. ....
- 3 Even the best (climb) would find it difficult to get to the top of that enormous rock! .....
- 4 Do prefer being a (spectate) at hockey matches, or taking part? .....
- 5 My uncle's a (cycle) and goes out on his bike to train every morning. ....
- 6 The judges found it incredibly difficult to choose the (win). ....
- 7 You're a great (football) – you could play for a professional soccer team one day! .....
- 8 Do you think I could be a better (surf) if I had a better board? .....

## GRAMMAR

### 3 Choose the correct form of the verb to complete the sentences.

- 1 Nathan usually *goes* / *is going* to bed at about ten every day.
- 2 My cousin *is coming* / *comes* to visit us tomorrow.
- 3 Marian *likes* / *'s liking* classical music.
- 4 I *try* / *'m trying* to tidy my room before Mum gets home today.

- 5 We *don't have* / *'re not having* dinner until six o'clock this evening.
- 6 Most weeks, Robert *does* / *'s doing* all his homework on time.
- 7 I *don't believe* / *'m not believing* he's telling the truth.
- 8 We *sit* / *'re sitting* in the park at the moment.

**4 Make questions in the present simple or continuous.  
Add the correct form of *do* or *be*.**

1 what / you / do / this evening?

.....

2 Laura / prefer / volleyball or tennis?

.....

3 where / your cousins / have / hockey lessons every week?

.....

4 who / look after / your baby sister at the moment?

.....

5 what time / you / get up at the weekends?

.....

6 why / you / not / like basketball?

.....

7 you / play / in the school concert on Tuesday?

.....

8 why / they / not / come / to the party tomorrow?

.....

## 5. Complete the email.

New message

From: Jake

To: Amy

Subject: Sports camp

Hi Amy,

I (1) *write / am writing* to you from my sports camp. I (2) *love / am loving* being here. The food is fantastic and they (3) *serve / are serving* so many types of food at every meal. I (4) *learn / am learning* how to surf and (5) *practise / am practising* my canoeing too, of course. I (6) *want / am wanting* to get quicker and better because I (7) *take / am taking* part in a competition next month. The weather (8) *is / is being* good during the day, but it sometimes (9) *rains / is raining* at night.

I (10) *hope / am hoping* that you (11) *enjoy / are enjoying* your holiday.

Jake

Send