

## Phrase Match

- 1 because of a glitch
- 2 This year it was held
- 3 some games came
- 4 award the gold medal
- 5 lost time when the
- 6 Teams from over 160 countries
- 7 technical
- 8 officials rejected his
- 9 a global Internet outage that severely
- 10 the outcome of the match

- 8.a glitches
- 8.b to the two countries
- 8.c affected several countries
- 8.d online for the first time
- 8.e took part
- 8.f appeal
- 8.g Internet connection failed
- 8.h was still unclear
- 8.i to an end
- 8.j with the Internet

## Discussion

- a What do you know about chess?
- b What experiences do you have of playing chess?
- c What do you think of the idea of an Olympics for chess?
- d Have you ever won a gold medal?
- e When was the last time you experienced an Internet glitch?
- f What do you think of online chess?
- g Are machines better at chess than humans?
- h Was it fair to award the gold medal to both countries?

## Spelling

- 1 because of a cgilht with the Internet
- 2 the best chess-playing ionatn
- 3 The online evnrsroi
- 4 Officials at the reaountmtn
- 5 drawa the gold medal
- 6 the Internet enocciotnn failed
- 7 A player from Armenia was cndioedtnesc
- 8 on that occisnao
- 9 officials rejected his epaapl
- 10 withdrew from the competition in eottprs
- 11 the otmoeuc of the match
- 12 still rnkleau

### Answers – Synonym Match

1. j	2. e	3. g	4. b	5. h
6. d	7. a	8. i	9. f	10. c

## Role Play

### Role A – Chess

You think chess is the best theme for an Olympiad. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their things. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): Pokemon Go, spelling or general knowledge.

### Role B – Pokemon Go

You think Pokemon Go is the best theme for an Olympiad. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their things. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): chess, spelling or general knowledge.

### Role C – Spelling

You think spelling is the best theme for an Olympiad. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their things. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): Pokemon Go, chess or general knowledge.

### Role D – General Knowledge

You think general knowledge is the best theme for an Olympiad. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their things. Also, tell the others which is the least interesting of these (and why): Pokemon Go, spelling or chess.

## Speaking – Olympiad

Rank these with your partner. Put the best Olympiad at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- Chess
- Pokemon Go
- Athletics
- Spelling
- Maths
- General knowledge
- Football
- Monopoly

### Answers – True False

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Answers to Phrase Match and Spelling are in the text.