

**Task 1. Choose the correct answer a, b or c**

- 1 Christian Haettich became disabled in the year  
a 1976            b 1984            c 1985
- 2 Christian Haettich didn't compete in the Paralympic Games in Sydney because  
a he wasn't good enough for the French team.  
b he didn't have the right kind of disability.  
c he preferred to cycle up mountains instead.
- 3 Mike Newman's problems with his eyes began  
a when he was eight years old.  
b when he was forty.  
c when he was born.
- 4 Mike Newman did not start driving cars until after the age of forty because  
a somebody told him it was not possible.  
b he did not know about the charity for blind people in motor sports.  
c he did not know that blind people could take part in motor sports.
- 5 According to the text, which sport did Alana Nichols take part in before her accident?  
a basketball    b skiing            c snowboarding
- 6 In which sport has Alana Nichols won her most recent medals?  
a surfing        b basketball      c skiing

**Task 2. Answer the questions about the people in the texts. Write *Christian, Mike or Alana***

**Which person ...**

- 1 became disabled at the youngest age? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 broke records in 2005 and 2013? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 took part in a lot of different sports as a child? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 found it difficult to learn his / her sport? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 took part in the Paralympic Games? \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 started doing his / her sport after seeing another disabled sports person? \_\_\_\_\_