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TEST UNIT 2 ACHIEVERS A2 - 2ND YEAR

1. READ THE TEXT AND DECIDE IF THE SENTENCES ARE TRUE OR FALSE.

Hi, I'm Joanna, and I'm a squash player. Squash is a great sport! It's great fun, but you need to be quite fit, fast and skilful to play. That's why I love it. In squash, there are no teams. You play against one opponent. There are also lots of rules, but it's not difficult to learn.

You don't need expensive equipment, but you do need to play on a squash court. I go to the courts near my house with my friends. When I play, I always wear the right gear – a T-shirt, shorts and trainers. You also need a special racket and ball to play.

Squash also teaches you discipline and motivation. Squash matches don't usually last as long as tennis matches – usually only about an hour – but they are more intense. And like any other sport, you need to practise. So when my friends are playing computer games at home, I'm training at the squash court. I don't like sitting at home and watching TV – I prefer to be active. I think playing in squash competitions is great! I want to be a professional squash player in the future.



1 You play squash in teams. _____

2 Squash players play on a pitch. _____

3 You need a racket and ball to play squash. _____

4 A squash player needs discipline. _____

5 Compared with tennis matches, squash matches are quite short. _____

2. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1 I play **ice hockey / athletics** every day after school.

2 Mia isn't doing **gymnastics / football** today.

3 Carlos is going **rugby / mountain biking** with his dad.

4 Ellie and Michael go **sailing / tennis** every weekend.

5 Owen is playing **surfing / baseball** with his friends today.

3. MATCH THE SPORTS WITH THE DEFINITIONS.

athletics	skiing	baseball	tennis	swimming
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- 1 This sport usually involves running, jumping or throwing. _____
- 2 You play this sport outside on grass. It has two teams and you kick a ball. _____
- 3 You do this on the mountains slopes and you wear skis. _____
- 4 You need a racket to do this sport. _____
- 5 You do this sport in a pool and you can do it on your own or with others. _____

4. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT FORM OF DO, GO OR PLAY IN PRESENT CONTINUOUS.

- 1 I rugby *at the moment*.
- 2 Owen baseball *on TV now*.
- 3 Mia gymnastics *today*?
- 4 Carlos (not) mountain biking *now*.
- 5 Ellie and Michael yoga *this weekend*.
- 6 I ice hockey *today after school*.

5. COMPLETE THE MESSAGE WITH THE SIMPLE PRESENT OR PRESENT CONTINUOUS FORM OF THE VERBS.

Hi Lucas,
How are you? And what 1 you (do) **now**?
I imagine you 2 (play) tennis or something **now**,
because you **usually** 3 (do) something sporty at the
weekend! I 4 (not study) at home **today** because I'm on an
outdoors expedition with my friends from school.
I am really active! We 5 (do) lots of exciting activities **right now**. I 6
(wait) for an instructor to come and teach
us rock climbing. I 7 (wear) a helmet and special shoes.
My friends 8 (go) sailing **every day**, but I prefer
to stay on land. The water is really cold, and I 9 (not like)
getting wet.
I'm having a really great time!
See you soon!
Lisa