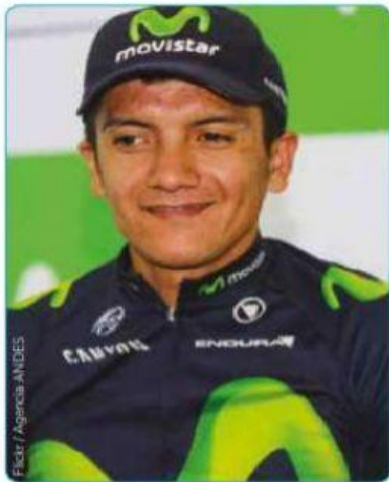


WORKSHEET

Read about Richard Carapaz's achievement at Giro d' Italia and work on the following exercises.



Richard Carapaz



Ecuador doesn't have a great cycling culture, but a look at the front page of many newspapers left no doubt that Richard Carapaz, the "Locomotive of Carchi", became an Ecuadorian legend. The athlete from Carchi achieved great status when he won the 2019 Giro d'Italia, a tremendous accomplishment achieved through hard work and dedication. He gave the Ecuadorian people goosebumps and made his nation proud.

The Ecuadorian government negotiated with ESPN and agreed to broadcast the final race live on television. Parks and squares were full by 6 a.m., principally in Carchi, Carapaz's home province. In Quito, around 5,000 fans got together to cheer on Carapaz. His accomplishments clearly caught the attention of the entire nation, where cycling had never been in the spotlight.

Retrieved from: <http://www.cyclingnews.com/news/ giro-ditalia-victory-gives-carapaz-sporting-immortality-in-ecuador/>

Vocabulary words

Accomplishment achieved: logro alcanzado

Goosebumps: poner la piel de gallina

Spotlights: en la cumbre

Let's revise some verbs from the Reading:

1. Look for the past form of the following verbs in the reading section and write.

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| a. become | _____ | llegar a ser |
| b. achieve | _____ | alcanzar |
| c. win | _____ | ganar |
| d. give | _____ | dar |
| e. make | _____ | hacer |
| f. negotiate | _____ | negociar |
| g. agree | _____ | estar de acuerdo |
| h. are | _____ | ser o estar |
| i. catch | _____ | atrapar |

2. Match the following information with the given verbs above.

Richard Carapaz became

The athlete is called

Richard Carapaz won

The athlete made his nation

The government agreed

Parks were full

Richard's accomplishment

caught the world's attention.

of people during Richard's competition.

an Ecuadorian legend.

La Locomotora del Carchi.

to transmit his competition in television.

the Giro d'Italia.

proud.

