

UNIT 2 REVIEW AND MEMORY BOOSTER

- 1 Circle the correct options to complete the text about an unusual competition.



The first bed race was in Knaresborough, UK, in 1966. The rules are simple. Each team ¹ *can / has to* race with one bed on wheels. There are six people to a team and one passenger. The team ² *must / doesn't have to* have either six men or six women, or you ³ *can / can't* also race with a team of three men and three women. The passenger ⁴ *has to / doesn't have to* be an adult, but he or she ⁵ *doesn't have to / can't* be younger than twelve years old. The time limit for the race is thirty minutes, and you ⁶ *can't / have to* take longer.

- 2 >> MB Work in pairs. What sports do these people play? Describe two rules for each sport.

Venus Williams Lionel Messi Usain Bolt

- 3 Complete the sentences with the *-ing* form of these verbs.

go learn lose watch win

- 1 _____ to speak another language is very useful.
- 2 Peter is very competitive—he hates _____.
- 3 Trying is more important than _____.
- 4 I think _____ to a basketball game is more fun than _____ it on TV.

- 5 Write the missing vowels in these words related to sports. Race with a partner to see who can finish first.

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| 1 r _ c _ | 6 b _ s _ b _ ll |
| 2 g _ _ ls | 7 w _ rn _ r |
| 3 cr _ wd | 8 f _ ns |
| 4 g _ me | 9 t _ _ m |
| 5 f _ n _ sh l _ n _ | 10 b _ x _ r |

- 6 Work in pairs. Answer these questions with four of the words from Exercise 5.

- 1 What do you have to cross in a race?
- 2 What is the opposite of a *loser*?
- 3 What type of competition is Formula One?
- 4 What do you call a group of people who like an athlete or a sports team?

Real life

- 8 Complete the conversation. Write one word in each blank.

- A: Are you interested ¹ _____ painting?
 There's a new evening class at my college.
 B: But I'm not very good ² _____ art.
 A: I'm not either, but I'd like ³ _____ learn.
 Come on. You should do it ⁴ _____ me.
 B: Sorry. What about doing something else?
 A: ⁵ _____ you like taking photos? There's also a class for that.
 B: Actually, that sounds interesting.