


 **A** Read the article. Circle **T** for *true* or **F** for *false*.

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| 1. Capoeira is a martial art from Japan. | T | F |
| 2. Players must move without stopping. | T | F |
| 3. Players usually attack with their head and arms. | T | F |
| 4. The first player to fall loses the game. | T | F |
| 5. Players must try to confuse their opponent. | T | F |
| 6. Capoeira is a team sport. | T | F |
| 7. Capoeira is only an indoor sport. | T | F |
| 8. Players don't need to wear shoes. | T | F |

 **B** Match these words from the text with the correct definition.

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| _____ 1. self-defense | a. try to hit someone |
| _____ 2. skill | b. confuse someone |
| _____ 3. opponent | c. protecting yourself from something |
| _____ 4. attack | d. the ability to do something well |
| _____ 5. trick | e. the person or team you play against |

 **C** Complete the sentences with the words in the box. Two words can't be used.

circle clap dance hurt kick loose moving music shoes trick

- Capoeira players don't stop _____.
- Players need strong legs to _____ hard.
- Players try to _____ one another.
- The game is played inside a _____.
- People who watch the game sing and _____.
- _____ helps the players keep moving.
- Players usually wear _____ white pants and a T-shirt.
- Not all players wear _____.

 **D** Answer the questions.

- How is capoeira like dancing? _____

- How is it like fighting? _____

- Do you think you would like to try capoeira? Why? _____
