

UNIT 8

- 1  16 Usłyszysz trzy teksty. Wybierz właściwą odpowiedź, zgodną z treścią nagrania.

Tekst 1.

- 1 What do we know that the speaker found out from the talk?
 A How risky Adam Bielecki's climb in Pakistan was.
 B Details of a courageous act carried out by Adam Bielecki.
 C Something new about Adam Bielecki's character.
- 2 Why did the speaker feel nervous when listening to the talk about the climb?
 A He had faced the same dangers himself on an expedition.
 B The dangers were described very vividly.
 C He didn't know if the story had a happy ending.

Tekst 2.

- 3 Why isn't the man going to the gym?
 A His doctor told him not to.
 B It's one of his rest days.
 C He has got an injury.
- 4 The man is blaming
 A himself.
 B the training programme.
 C his trainer.

Tekst 3.

- 5 What is true about the situation at the beginning of the dialogue?
 A The fans are celebrating a victory in a football match.
 B The football supporters are well-behaved.
 C There are a lot of police officers nearby.
- 6 Where does the conversation take place?
 A In a stadium.
 B At a railway station.
 C On a train.

- 2 Przeczytaj tekst. Uzupełnij zdania zgodnie z treścią tekstu.

Iga Świątek – Polish talent



Iga Świątek made history in 2020 when she won the French Open tennis tournament. Not only was she the first ever Polish tennis player to win a Grand Slam singles tournament, she was also the lowest ranked winner of the women's French Open since rankings were introduced. At the start of the tournament, she was fifty-fourth in the world.

One important member of Iga's team is her sports psychologist. As a young player, Iga had a few problems controlling her emotions, especially when making a mistake, which led to her dropping points and even losing matches. As many sports stars have found out, there is a tiny difference between victory and defeat, and being in the right frame of mind while playing is vital. A sports psychologist can help a player go into a match with a positive attitude. The psychologist even gave Iga a ukulele at one point, as the instrument is said to help people control their emotions more easily.

Music is very important to Iga, and she loves old rock music. Her taste in music comes not from her family or friends but her coaches. She heard the music they were listening to and found that it appealed to her. But although her father might not have influenced her musical tastes, he certainly had an influence on her life. He was an Olympic rower who represented Poland at the Olympic Games in 1988, and Iga definitely has the same dedication and talent when it comes to sporting success.

- 1 In 2020, Iga Świątek achieved what no other Polish tennis player had managed before when _____.
- 2 Before the tournament started, there were fifty-three _____.
- 3 One reason why Iga hired a sports psychologist was that she was sometimes defeated because of an inability _____ on the tennis court.
- 4 In order to help Iga to remain calm while playing tennis, _____.
- 5 Apart from teaching Iga how to play tennis, her coaches have also _____.

3 Przetłumacz fragmenty zdań na język angielski.

- 1 What _____
 (szukasz?) _____ (Barzdo nlewiele osób) In my class watch boxing.
- 2 _____ (Chciałabym móc) ski as well as you.
- 4 We didn't win _____
 (tytu medalu, ilu) we expected.
- 5 The murderer _____
 (został skazany na) life imprisonment.

4 Z opcji A-D wybierz właściwą odpowiedź.

Converts, glory hunters and fair-weather fans

What is a fair-weather fan? To put it simply, a fair-weather fan is someone who says they support a particular team but only if _____ really interested when the team is doing well. They soon stop going to the stadium when results don't go their way. A glory hunter also likes to support a successful team. It may not be a team from their city, or even their country, as long as they win lots of 2 _____. Unlike a fair-weather fan, the glory hunter is willing to change the team they support if someone even more successful comes along. However annoying these two types of supporters can be, neither is quite as bad as the convert. A convert is totally uninterested in football 3 _____ the World Cup comes around and, suddenly, they become the world's biggest fan. 4 _____ them don't particularly care who wins, they just love the sport. They may even criticise regular fans for not wanting to stay up late with them to watch a meaningless group game. But at least you only 5 _____ put up with them for four weeks once every four years.

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| 1 A looks | B seems |
| C starts | D comes |
| 2 A opponents | B records |
| C trophies | D goals |
| 3 A as soon as | B when |
| C if | D until |
| 4 A Each of | B Most of |
| C None of | D Few of |
| 5 A have to | B can |
| C must | D could |

- 5 Uzupełnij drugie zdanie tak, aby oddać sens zdania wyjściowego.

- 1 I couldn't find permanent work, but this job is for two months.
 I've got a _____ the next two months.
- 2 You were robbed because you had your wallet in your back pocket.
 You wouldn't _____ you hadn't had your wallet in your back pocket.
- 3 They're cleaning up the oil from the oil spill, but it's taking a long time.
 The oil _____, but it's taking a long time.
- 4 There's exactly one week to go before we celebrate our 25th wedding anniversary.
 This time next week, _____ wedding anniversary.
- 5 I think you should replace all these worn out clothes!
 If I _____ all these worn out clothes.