Football World Cup

READING COMPREHENSION ACTIVITY

The FIFA World Cup is one of the most famous sports events in the world. It started in 1930 in Uruguay. Only 13 teams played in the first competition. The World Cup takes place every four years. Teams from all over the world try to qualify for the tournament. Today, 32 teams usually play in the final competition. During the World Cup, millions of people watch the matches on TV or online. The final match is the most important game. The winning team becomes the world champion. Over time, the tournament has grown a lot and is now a global celebration of football.

A. Read the text and decide whether the sentences are true or false.

1.	The first World Cup was in 1940.	True	False
2.	Uruguay hosted the first World Cup.	True	False
3.	Only 13 teams played in the first tournament.	True	False
4.	The World Cup happens every year.	True	False
5.	Teams must qualify to play in the World Cup.	True	False
6.	Today, 16 teams play in the final competition.	True	False
7.	Many people watch the World Cup around the world.	True	False
8.	The final match is not very important.	True	False
9.	The winning team becomes world champion.	True	False
10.	The tournament is smaller today than in the past.	True	False

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