

UNIT 8. SPORTS AND GAMES

TEST 01

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

Question 1. A. captain B. badminton C. active D. baseball

Question 2. A. member B. karate C. medal D. intelligent

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

Question 3. A. equipment B. fantastic C. karate D. marathon

Question 4. A. racket B. sporty C. goggles D. career

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

Question 5. I _____ born on the first of May.

A. Were B. was C. are D. is

Question 6. The enemy _____ last night.

A. Attack B. attacks C. attacked D. did attack

Question 7. _____ in this class!

A. Not smoke B. Don't smoke C. Smoke D. Doesn't smoke

Question 8. _____ carefully to avoid accidents!

A. Drives B. Drove C. Drive D. Driving

Question 9. _____ up or you'll miss the show!

A. Step B. Hurry C. Jump D. Listen

Question 10. Daisy _____ swimming with her friends last weekend.

A. went B. go C. is going D. goes

Question 11. At the weekend we can play a _____ of badminton or join in a football match.

A. sport B. game C. match D. ball

Question 12. Tom: "Did you have a good trip?" – " _____ "

A. Thank you B. Yes, it was fun C. Yes, it was delicious D. It's my pleasure

Read the following announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 13 to 16.

NEW SPORTS EVENT!

We are excited to inform you about the upcoming **City Sports Festival**! This event (13) _____ place at Greenfield Stadium next Saturday. Athletes from different schools will (14) _____ in various sports, (15) _____ football, basketball, and swimming. The prizes for the winners are (16) _____, so don't miss this amazing event!

Question 13. A. take B. takes C. taking D. taken

Question 14. A. compete B. complete C. compare D. compass

Question 15. A. such as B. so C. but D. or

Question 16. A. value B. valuable C. valueless D. values

Mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions 17.

Question 17.

- a. Then, the first raindrops fell – light at first, then heavier and heavier.
- b. At first, it was just a cool breeze, but soon, strong winds howled across the field.
- c. Last Saturday, we held a football match.
- d. But things didn't happen as we expected.
- e. Dark clouds gathered in the sky just as the game started.

A. b-d-c-a-e B. b-e-d-a-c C. c-d-e-b-a D. d-a-c-e-b

Question 18. Choose the sentence that can end the text (in Question 17) most suitably.

A. Lightning struck the goalpost, and we ran home.



- A. You can not swim here.
- B. You can go swimming here.
- C. You can not swim alone
- D. You can go fishing here.

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions from 31 to 36.

“Water polo is a new sport at our school, but we have a good team now. We practise after school on Thursday at the Northside Pool and we’re doing well in the National Schools Competition.

There are seven players in a water polo team. The game is a bit like football because each team tries to score a goal with a ball. But in water polo you don’t use your feet – you catch and throw the ball with one hand. And you never stop swimming. A game lasts 32 minutes, and in that time you swim up and down a 30-metre pool lots of times. If you aren’t fit, water polo isn’t the sport for you!

For me, it’s great, because I love being in the water and I can swim **fast**. I also enjoy being part of a team. We have some excellent players and we’re all good friends. So it’s fun, and it’s also a **fantastic** way to get fit.”

Question 31. Which is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Water polo is a difficult sport.
- B. The writer loves playing water polo.
- C. Water polo is a new but successful sport at the writer’s school.
- D. The writer wants to quit playing water polo.

Question 32. How many players are there in a water polo team?

- A. 5
- B. 6
- C. 7
- D. 8

Question 33. Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. The writer’s team practices every day
- B. Water polo is played in a swimming pool.
- C. Players use their hands to catch and throw the ball.
- D. The game lasts 32 minutes.

Question 34. The word “**fantastic**” is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. Amazing
- B. Boring
- C. Difficult
- D. Slow

Question 35 The word “**fast**” is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. Strong
- B. Weak
- C. Slow
- D. Fun

Question 36. What does the writer say about being part of he water polo team?

- A. It’s boring and tiring.
- B. It’s fun and a great way to get fit.
- C. It’s difficult and lonely.
- D. It’s expensive and time-consuming.

Four phrases/ sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, mark the letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet to indicate the correct option that best fits each of the numbered blanks from 37 to 40.

I love sports. (37) _____. Every Monday and Wednesday afternoon, at 5 o’clock, (38) _____. On Tuesday morning, I don’t have a class, (39) _____. I can’t do any sports on Thursday because I have too many classes at school. Every Friday morning, (40) _____. Saturday and Sunday afternoon are for exciting football matches. I am in a strong team, and we often win the matches.

- A - I go swimming with my closet friend
- B - so I play basketball from 7 am to 9 am
- C - I spend much of my time doing different kinds of sports
- D - I join a chess club at my school

Question 37

Question 38

Question 39

Question 40