

SPORTS

A. Missing Letters

Fill in the missing letters.

Sports		Other	
1olf	(4)	1. g_al	(4)
2. r _ g _ y	(5)	2. g m e	(4)
3. soer	(6)	3. sore	(5)
4. r w n g	(6)	4. plae	(6)
5. h c e y	(6)	5. w i e r	(6)
6. suf n g	(7)	6. cham on	(8)
7. ru in g	(7)	7. co_pet_t_on	(11)
8. v o e y b a l l	(10)	8. s orts o m a n	(11)

B. Odd One Out

<u>Underline</u> the word that <u>doesn't belong</u> with the rest.

- 1. sportsman, player, karate, winner
- 2. rowing, competition, surfing, swimming
- 3. football, hockey, baseball, boxing
- 4. diving, tennis, basketball, netball
- 5. whistle, match, sportswoman, game
- 6. coach, cricket, champion, player
- 7. badminton, volleyball, basketball, running
- 8. American football, athletics, rugby, soccer

C. Listen & Answer: My Friend Alex and His Sports

Your teacher will read a short passage to you. Listen carefully and answer the questions.

True or False Questions

- 1. True / False
- 2. True / False
- 3. True / False
- 4. True / False
- 5. True / False
- 6. True / False
- 7. True / False
- 8. True / False

Teacher's Key

Sports		Other	
1. golf	(4)	1. goal	(4)
2. rugby	(5)	2. game	(4)
3. soccer	(6)	3. score	(5)
4. rowing	(6)	4. player	(6)
5. hockey	(6)	5. winner	(6)
6. surfing	(7)	6. champion	(8)
7. running	(7)	7. competition	(11)
8. volleyball	(10)	8. sportswoman	(11)

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Odd One Out

- 1. sportsman, player, *karate*, winner (Not a person. The other three are people)
- 2. rowing, <u>competition</u>, surfing, swimming (Three sports you do on the water. Competition is not a Watersport)
- 3. football, hockey, baseball, **boxing**(Three (team) sports you play on a pitch. Boxing is not a team sport)
- 4. <u>diving</u>, tennis, basketball, netball (Three sports you play on a court. You go diving in a pool)
- 5. whistle, match, <u>sportswoman</u>, game (Sportswoman is a person, the rest are not)
- 6. coach, <u>cricket</u>, champion, player (Three people and cricket is a sport)
- 7. badminton, volleyball, basketball, <u>running</u>
 (Three sports you play on a court. Running is on a track)
- 8. American football, <u>athletics</u>, rugby, soccer (Three (team) sports you play on a pitch. Athletics is on a track)

C. Listen & Answer: My Friend Alex and His Sports

Instructions for Teacher: Read the passage below clearly and slowly to the students. You can read it twice if necessary. Then, read each True/False statement and have students circle their answer.

"My friend's name is Alex. He loves sports very much. Every Tuesday and Thursday, Alex goes to the park. He plays soccer with his friends. They play for about one hour. On Saturdays, Alex goes swimming. He swims at the big community pool in town. He usually goes in the morning, around 10:00 AM. Swimming is his favorite individual sport. Alex doesn't like to watch sports on TV very much. He prefers to play! He thinks playing sports is the best way to stay healthy and have fun."

True or False Questions - Answers

- 1. Alex likes sports a little bit. **False** (He loves sports "very much.")
- 2. Alex plays soccer on Mondays. **False** (He plays on "Tuesday and Thursday.")
- 3. He plays soccer with his family. **False** (He plays with "his friends.")
- 4. Alex plays soccer for two hours. **False** (They play for "about one hour.")
- 5. Alex goes swimming on Sundays. **False** (He goes swimming "On Saturdays.")
- 6. He swims at a small pool. **False** (He swims at the "big community pool.")
- 7. Swimming is Alex's favorite team sport. **False** (Swimming is his favorite "individual sport.")
- 8. Alex likes watching sports on TV more than playing. **False** (He "prefers to play!")