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Sports

- kick, pass,
shoot/shot,
beat, forwards,
backs, excellent,
as often as

LESSON 1



A. Listen and read.



A Football Match

Sami: Did you watch the Falcons - Lions football match yesterday?

Alia: I wanted to, but yesterday I was at my sister's wedding. I couldn't leave the party to watch the match. Did you watch the match?

Sami: Yes I did. It was an exciting match.

Alia: What was the score?

Sami: The Falcons beat the Lions one to zero.

Alia: How was the game?

Sami: The two teams played very well, but the Falcon's goalkeeper was better than the Lion's goalkeeper.

Alia: Who scored the Falcon's goal?

Sami: Nabhan scored the goal. Rami from the Falcon's team kicked the ball very high to Ramadan. Ramadan passed the ball quickly to Nabhan, and Nabhan shot it into the goal.

Alia: But the forwards on the Lion's team are excellent. Couldn't they score a goal?

Sami: They shot at the goal as often as possible, but the goalkeeper was very quick and always caught the ball.



B. Learn these words.

- forward:** In football, it is the person who takes the ball to the other goal.
I am good at scoring, That's why the coach made me a forward.
- back:** In football, it is the person that kicks the ball away from their goal.
I am good at kicking the ball far. That's why the coach made me a back.
- beat:** to win
We beat the blue team 3 to 1.
- excellent:** very, very good
Beckham is an excellent football player
- as often as:** It is how many times compared to another, or again and again
She practices football as often as she can. Ali visits his coach as often as Omar.
- kick:** To hit the ball with your foot
Samar can kick the ball really far.
- pass:** To transfer to a teammate [in sports]
Omar will pass the ball to Zaid when he gets near to the goal.
- shoot:** [in sports] to kick or move a ball suddenly towards the goal
Did you see him shoot the ball into the goal?

C. Listen and repeat, then listen and point to the words in exercise B.

D. Read the dialogue in exercise A, then answer the following questions.

1. Who watched the match, Sami or Alia?
2. Why didn't Alia watch the match?
3. Did She want to go to the match?
4. Who won the game, the Falcons or the Lions?
5. What was the score?
6. Were the Lions a bad team or a good team?
7. Who scored the goal?
8. How did the Falcons score the goal?
9. Were the Lions' forwards bad players?
10. Why couldn't they score a goal?

E. Act out the dialogue in exercise A.

F. Complete the sentences using one of the words in the list.

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1. They are good players, but we beat _____.
2. I am a strong player. He can't beat _____.
3. We have a good team. They can't beat _____.
4. I want to win. She can't beat _____.
5. We didn't play very well. They beat _____ last year.
6. She didn't play well. I easily beat _____.
7. Rajab can't play table tennis well. I always beat _____.

G. Form sentences as in the example using "as.....as possible".

1. Pass the ball fast.

If you want to win, you should pass the ball as fast as possible. _____

2. Kick the ball high.

In long passes, _____.

3. Run fast.

Football players _____.

4. Shoot at the goal often.

Forwards _____.

H. Listening

Listen, then write the letter/letters of the pictures showing the activity / activities done by each student.

a.



b.



Sameer:

Sameer's sister:

c.



d.



Ali:

Rabab:

1. Sameer likes skating. He goes skating at the weekends. Sometimes, if he doesn't have homework, he goes skating after school. His sister likes skating a lot, too. She goes skating as often as possible. She likes to go skating with Sameer.
2. Ali likes a lot of sports. He plays football on his school team. In the summer, he swims a lot. He likes to go swimming with his friend, Jamal.
3. Rabab goes swimming as often as possible. She can swim very well, but she is not on the swim team. Sometimes, she plays table tennis with her brother.

LESSON 2



A. Listen and read My Favourite Game

Khalid: What sports do you play, Ahmed?

Ahmed: I play football, basketball, volleyball, and table tennis, but my favourite game is volleyball.

Khalid: Why is volleyball your favourite game?

Ahmed: Because it is a team game, and you can play it with your friends and enjoy it as a team.

Khalid: When did you start playing this game?

Ahmed: Last year, when I was in the fourth grade. I am tall, and coach Hassan asked me to join the volleyball team and start training. I am fast and can jump high. I became a good player. Now I am on the school volleyball team.

Khalid: How many players are there on the team?

Ahmed: Six players.

Khalid: Is it the same as beach volleyball?

Ahmed: No, it's very different. Instead of six players on the team, there are only two in beach volleyball.

Khalid: What do you need to play this game?

Ahmed: Not much. You need a ball, a net, and a court. You also need kneepads because players fall on their knees a lot.

Khalid: How often do you play volleyball?

Ahmed: Twice a week, on one day we train, and on the other day we play a match.

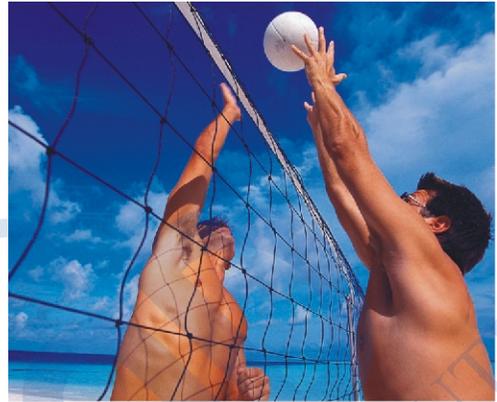
- coach, beach
volleyball, court,
kneepad, fit, train,
join the team, team
game



B. Learn these words.



coach



beach volleyball



volleyball court



kneepad

fit: healthy and in good physical shape
He is fit because he exercises everyday, and eats healthy food.

train: to prepare for an event
If you want to win a match, you should train a lot .

join the team: to become a player on a team
Only hard-working players can join the team.

team : when two or more players are on one side of a game
Football and basketball are team sports, but badminton and table tennis are usually one - on - one sports.

C. Complete the sentences.

Example:

1. A place for swimming is a swimming pool.
2. The place for playing football is a _____.
3. A group that plays football is a _____.
4. A group that plays volleyball a _____.
5. A group that plays for the school is a _____.
6. A group that plays for the class is a _____.
7. A game played on a table with paddles and a net is _____.
8. The protective gear you put on your knee is a _____.

D. Read the dialogue in exercise A. Then answer the following questions.

1. What sport does Ahmed play?
2. What is his favourite sport?
3. Why is volleyball his favourite sport?
4. Who is his coach?
5. Is Ahmed fit for the game?
6. What is he like?
7. What do you need to play volleyball?
8. Is volleyball the same as beach volleyball?
9. Why?
10. How often does he play volleyball?