

6.4 DO, PLAY OR GO WITH VARIOUS SPORTS

Use "play" with any competitive game that you can play, "go" with activities that can be done alone, and "do" with groups of related activities.

Decide between "do", "go" or "play". Sometimes the verb needs to be conjugated or put in the infinitive or gerund form.

1. He used to _____ jogging every day when he was at university.
2. I love _____ a good game of chess from time to time.
3. She _____ gymnastics for over five years now.
4. This summer we _____ windsurfing every day on our vacation.
5. He's quite the athlete. He _____ basketball, baseball and hockey, too.

6. My wife _____ horse riding twice a week.
7. Why don't we _____ a set of tennis?
8. Some people think that _____ aerobics four times a week is the best possible way of keeping fit.
9. His idea of the perfect summer holiday is to rent a sailboat and _____ sailing between the islands of the Tuscan archipelago.
10. He _____ athletics for his local track club.

6.5 HOW DO YOU MEASURE THINGS IN VARIOUS SPORTS?

Time, the score and distance are measured in various ways depending on which type of sport you are speaking about. Decide which time, score and/or distance measurement is used in each of the sports below. Some of the words are used more than once:

game, point, set, mile, inning, strokes, yard, round, move, match, meter, round, quarter, out, half, lap, down, length

- American Football: _____
- European Football: _____
- Tennis: _____
- Chess: _____
- Swimming: _____
- Ping Pong: _____
- Horse Racing: _____
- Ice Hockey: _____
- Boxing: _____
- Volleyball: _____
- Athletics: _____
- Motor Racing: _____
- Baseball: _____
- Racketball: _____
- Squash: _____
- Golf: _____

6.6 WHICH EQUIPMENT DO YOU USE TO PLAY VARIOUS SPORTS?

We use many various types of equipment and clothing to play different sports. Decide whether the sport is played with the following types of equipment and clothing. Some of the words are used more than once:

ball, puck, racket, stick, piece, paddle, gloves, board, bat, cleats, pads (knee-pad, shoulder-pad, etc.), clubs, saddle, suit

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