

VOCABULARY

Sports equipment

1 Match the photos A-E to the words in the box.

EP



bat ball board racket stick

12 Listen and check. Then repeat.

2 Complete the table with the sports in the box. Some sports can go in more than one column.

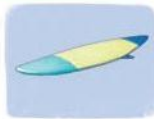
badminton	baseball	basketball
cycleball	cycling	football
gilli-danda	hockey	octopush
rugby	running	sailing
snowboarding	surfing	swimming
table tennis	tennis	volleyball



Use a stick,
a racket or a bat



Use a ball



Use a board

13 Listen and check. Then repeat.

3 Complete the information with the sports words in Exercise 1.

TABLE TENNIS

- One _____ for each player.
- One small, light _____ for the game.

BASEBALL

- One _____ for each team.
- One small, hard _____ for the game.

BADMINTON

- One _____ for each player.

OCTOPUSH

- One small _____ for each player.
- One heavy puck, like a flat _____ for the game.

LISTENING

1 Look at the photo of the sport. Match the words 1-2 to A and B in the photo.

1 handle

2 net



2 Listen to an interview with a boy about his unusual sport. What's the name of the sport?



3 Listen again, and choose the correct words.

- There are *four* / *six* players in each team.
- There are *six* / *eight* handles on the ball.
- Players *throw* / *give* the ball to each other.
- Players *throw* / *put* the ball in the net to score a goal.

SPEAKING

1 Think of a sport. Choose one from this unit or another sport that you know. In pairs, take turns to ask and answer the questions.

- Do people do this sport inside or outside?
- Is the sport on or under water?
- Is this sport on snow?
- What things do people need to do this sport?
- Do people play this sport in your country?
- What do you like about this sport?
- Who are some of the famous players of this sport?

Try and guess the sport.

1 Put the adverbs of frequency in the correct place on the line.

always never often sometimes usually

0%

100%

1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ 5 *always*

2 Rewrite the sentences with the adverbs of frequency in brackets in the correct place.

- 0 I watch sport on TV. (never)
I never watch sport on TV.
- 1 My sister goes cycling with my dad. (usually)
- 2 I play rugby with my friends. (never)
- 3 Snowboarding is dangerous. (sometimes)
- 4 My friends do gymnastics after school. (often)
- 5 My grandparents play table tennis on Sundays. (always)

3 Put the words in the correct order to make questions.

- 0 do / play / often / you / baseball / ?
Do you often play baseball?
- 1 you / in the city / usually / go / cycling / do / ?
- 2 badminton / parents / play / often / do / your / ?
- 3 you / go / often / do / snowboarding / how / ?
- 4 friends / your / rugby / school / do / play / sometimes / at / ?
- 5 do / go / always / sailing / you / in the summer / ?

4 Answer the questions in Exercise 3 for you.

- 0 *No, I don't. I never play baseball.*
- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

5 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

- 0 At school, usually we play volleyball on Friday.
At school, we usually play volleyball on Friday.
- 1 I go swimming always on a Sunday.
- 2 I often am tired in the evening.
- 3 People go sometimes cycling with their friends.
- 4 At the weekend, usually I do sports.
- 5 In the holidays, we go sometimes sailing.

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1 Find nine more words for sports equipment and sports.

a	b	e	s	g	b	h	k	b	d	i
f	o	o	t	b	a	l	l	n	p	l
e	a	c	i	d	t	r	u	g	b	y
i	r	a	c	k	e	t	m	y	a	g
g	d	a	k	f	b	e	g	s	l	c
m	r	h	p	r	t	n	h	d	l	i
h	o	c	k	e	y	n	a	o	c	e
c	b	s	u	r	f	i	n	g	n	f
l	d	k	e	f	a	s	u	n	f	b

2 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 Hockey players hit the ball with a *stick* / *bat*.
- 2 You use a small white *board* / *ball* when you play table tennis.
- 3 Tennis *balls* / *rackets* are usually yellow.
- 4 Baseball players hit the ball with a long *stick* / *bat*.
- 5 In badminton, players use a *racket* / *stick* to hit the ball.
- 6 When you go surfing, you use a *ball* / *board*.