

## Vocabulary

### Sporting verbs

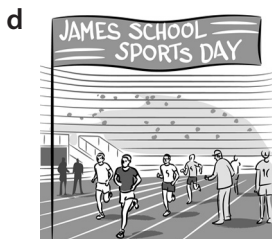
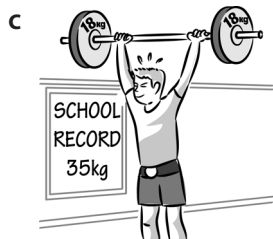
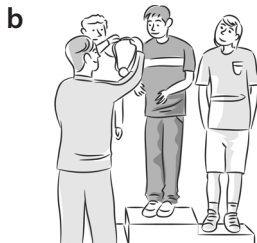
break a record   coach   draw   get a medal   hold (an event)   lose   score a goal  
set a (new) record   support a team   take up (a new sport)   televise   win

#### 1 Complete the sporting verbs with vowels.

- c \_ o \_ a \_ ch  
1 dr \_ \_ w  
2 w \_ \_ n  
3 l \_ \_ s \_ \_  
4 t \_ \_ k \_ \_ \_ p  
5 t \_ \_ l \_ \_ v \_ \_ s \_ \_

#### 2 Order the letters to complete the sporting verbs. Then match them with the pictures.

- 1 (abekr) b reak a record c  
2 (ceros) s \_ \_ \_ a goal \_ \_  
3 (pprosut) s \_ \_ \_ a team \_ \_  
4 (etg) g \_ \_ \_ a medal \_ \_  
5 (dlho) h \_ \_ \_ an event \_ \_  
6 (tes) s \_ \_ \_ a record \_ \_



#### 3 Circle the correct words.

help someone practise a sport before an event

take up / coach

1 both teams have the same result, eg 2-2

draw / win

2 start doing a new sport

score / take up

3 organize a competition

support a team / hold an event

4 show something on television

televise an event / hold an event

5 like a particular group of players

score a goal / support a team

#### 4 Circle the correct words to complete the sports report.

#### NEWS FROM THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS!

The last World Championships were ... in Athens. This year they are in Paris. Channel 7 are <sup>(1)</sup>... the event so you can watch all the races at home. Young athlete Pete Drummond set a new world <sup>(2)</sup>... in the 400m when he <sup>(3)</sup>... the race. Phil Spencer has been <sup>(4)</sup>... him for this event for the last two years. Pete <sup>(5)</sup>... athletics when he was 12. He got his first gold <sup>(6)</sup>... at the age of 14.

a) set

b) held

c) broken

1 a) holding

b) supporting

c) televising

2 a) medal

b) event

c) record

3 a) won

b) lost

c) drew

4 a) scoring

b) coaching

c) taking up

5 a) took up

b) supported

c) drew

6 a) team

b) medal

c) event

#### EXTRA!

Answer these questions so that they are true for you. Use your notebook.

1 Do you support any sports teams?

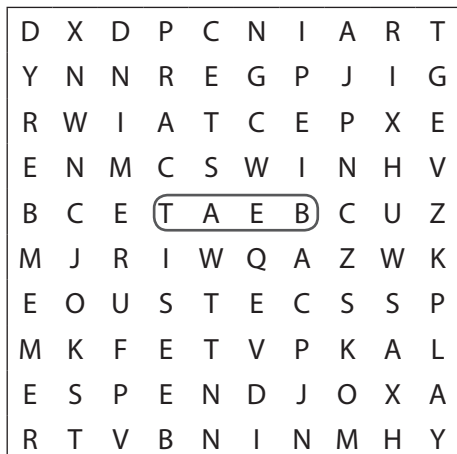
2 What sports do you play? Do you often win?

# 7 Basics

## Confusing verbs

beat – win   expect – hope   play – practise   remember – remind   spend – waste   teach – train

### 1 Find twelve verbs in the wordsquare.



### 2 Look at the pictures and circle the correct verbs.



football after school

a) play   b) practise

a race

a) win   b) beat



before an important match

a) teach   b) train

to take a sandwich

a) remind   b) remember



to win

a) hope   b) expect

time

a) spend   b) waste

### 3 Complete the list of verbs that are easily confused.

beat / w in

1 h \_\_\_\_\_ / expect

2 spend / w \_\_\_\_\_

3 rem \_\_\_\_\_ / remind

4 teach / tr \_\_\_\_\_

5 p \_\_\_\_\_ / practise

### 4 Complete the sentences with the correct verbs.

**remind / remember**

I always remind my brother to take his keys.

**1 beat / win**

The Spanish basketball team \_\_\_\_\_ Greece 72–69 last night.

**2 spend / waste**

I'm going to \_\_\_\_\_ my money on a new computer game at the weekend.

**3 teach / train**

When I'm older, I want to \_\_\_\_\_ English in a secondary school.

**4 hope / expect**

I \_\_\_\_\_ my dad will cook dinner tonight because my mum is going out.

**5 play / practise**

My team needs to \_\_\_\_\_ penalty shots. We're not very good at them.

## EXTRA!

Write true sentences so that they are true for you. Use *win*, *remember*, *practise* and *train*.

I hardly ever win races. I can't run very fast.

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

## Grammar

### The passive

#### The passive: present simple

Affirmative	Negative
I'm given	I'm not given
You're given	You aren't given
He / She / It's given	He / She / It isn't given
We / You / They're given	We / You / They aren't given

#### 1 Complete the sentences with the present simple passive.

Our street is cleaned every morning.

- The Olympics \_\_\_\_\_ held every four years.
- Solar panels \_\_\_\_\_ installed in all new houses.
- I \_\_\_\_\_ (not) invited to Harry's party.
- Oranges \_\_\_\_\_ (not) grown in London.
- This cheese \_\_\_\_\_ made from sheep's milk.

#### The passive: past simple

Affirmative	Negative
I was told	I wasn't told
You were told	You weren't told
He / She / It was told	He / She / It wasn't told
We / You / They were told	We / You / They weren't told

#### 2 Circle the correct words.

Our house was built / were built in 2005.

- My mum's purse **was stolen** / were stolen last night.
- My brother **wasn't paid** / weren't paid yesterday.
- We **was given** / were given a free ticket for the disco.
- The first prize **was win** / was won by Phil James.
- His biography **didn't be written** / wasn't written by his wife.

#### The passive: future with will

Affirmative	Negative
I'll be helped	I won't be helped
You'll be helped	You won't be helped
He / She / It'll be helped	He / She / It won't be helped
We / You / They'll be helped	We / You / They won't be helped

#### 3 Complete the sentences with the future passive form with will of the verbs in brackets.

The match will be held (hold) on Saturday.

- You \_\_\_\_\_ (give) your books tomorrow.
- He \_\_\_\_\_ (not tell) his result until next week.
- The match \_\_\_\_\_ (win) by Nadal.
- The first goal \_\_\_\_\_ (not score) by Cesc.
- That crime \_\_\_\_\_ (solve) soon.

#### The passive: future with be going to

Affirmative	Negative
I'm going to be phoned	I'm not going to be phoned
You're going to be phoned	You aren't going to be phoned
He / She / It's going to be phoned	He / She / It isn't going to be phoned
We / You / They're going to be phoned	We / You / They aren't going to be phoned

#### 4 Order the words to make sentences.

built / going to / A park / near / here / be / is .

A park is going to be built near here.

- Our exams / by university teachers / marked / be / going to / are .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- going to / recycled / That old paper / be / is .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- not / I / going to / interviewed / for the job / am / be .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- chosen / later today / Winners / be / are / going to .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- be / The match / going to / televised / is .  
\_\_\_\_\_

# 7 Basics

## Passive questions

### Present simple passive questions

Questions	Short answers
Am I invited?	Yes, I am. No, I'm not.
Are you invited?	Yes, you are. No, you aren't.
Is he / she / it invited?	Yes, he / she / it is. No, he / she / it isn't.
Are we / you / they invited?	Yes, we / you / they are. No, we / you / they aren't.

### 1 Match the question beginnings and endings.

- |                                   |               |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 How often are the Olympics      | a called?     |
| 2 Where are bananas               | b spoken?     |
| 3 What is Mars also               | c produced?   |
| 4 Where is French                 | d held?       |
| 5 When is Boxing Day              | e grown?      |
| 6 Where are Samsung mobile phones | f celebrated? |

### 2 Complete the answers to the questions in exercise 1 in the present simple passive.

- The Olympics are held every four years.
- Bananas are produced in Latin America.
- Mars is called the Red Planet.
- French is spoken in France, Canada and many other countries.
- Boxing Day is celebrated on 26th December.
- Samsung mobile phones are made in South Korea.

### Past simple passive questions

Questions	Short answers
Was I given a prize?	Yes, I was. No, I wasn't.
Were you given a prize?	Yes, you were. No, you weren't.
Was he / she / it given a prize?	Yes, he / she / it was. No, he / she / it wasn't.
Were we / you / they given a prize?	Yes, we / you / they were. No, we / you / they weren't.

### 3 Order the words to make questions. Then complete the short answers.

'We are the Champions' / Was / sung / by Freddie Mercury ? Was 'We are the Champions' sung by Freddie Mercury?

Yes, it was.

- 1 *Don Quijote* / written / Was / by Cervantes ?

Yes, it was.

- 2 by Steven Spielberg / the Harry Potter films / Were / directed ?

No, they were not.

- 3 Was / invented / modern pizza / in Italy ?

Yes, it was.

- 4 the 100m world record / Was / by Leo Messi / set ?

No, it was not.

### Future passive questions

Questions	Short answers
Will I be sent a message?	Yes, I will. No, I won't.
Will you be sent a message?	Yes, you will. No, you won't.
Will he / she / it be sent a message?	Yes, he / she / it will. No, he / she / it won't.
Will we / you / they be sent a message?	Yes, we / you / they will. No, we / you / they won't.

### 4 Complete the questions with the future passive form of the verbs in brackets. Then write the short answers.

Will you be questioned (question) by the police? No, I won't.

- 1 Will you attend the concert be held (hold) today? Yes, I will.

- 2 Will you give your dad be given (give) a promotion? Yes, he will.

- 3 Will you tell your friends be told (tell) the news? No, they won't.

- 4 Will you take we be taken (take) to the match? Yes, we will.

- 5 Will you pay I be paid (pay) for the work? No, they won't.

## Language reference

### The passive

We use the passive when we are interested in the recipient of an action, not the person or thing who does it.

- **ACTIVE:** A young boy stole my purse.  
(we're interested in the young boy)
- **PASSIVE:** My purse was stolen by a young boy.  
(we're interested in the purse)

We also use the passive when we don't know who is doing the action.

- **ACTIVE:** Someone broke the chair. (but we don't know who broke the chair)
- **PASSIVE:** The chair was broken.

We use the passive to describe a process.

- First an event is held. Then a race is won and medals are given to the winners.

We use the passive more in writing than in speaking, eg a news report.

- Money was stolen from several shops last night.
- Suspects were arrested and ...

### The passive: present simple

We form the present simple passive with the present tense of *be* + past participle of the verb.

- World records are broken every year.

### The passive: past simple

We form the past simple passive with the past of *be* + the past participle of the verb.

- The race was won by my brother.

### The future passive: will

We form the future passive with *will* by using *will be* + the past participle of the verb.

- You will be sent a text message.

### The future passive: *be going to*

We form the future passive with *be going to* by using the present tense of *be going to* + the past participle of the verb.

- We are going to be given an invitation to the party.

### The passive: questions

We can form questions in the passive by using the present:

- Are oranges grown in your country?

the past:

- When were the Olympics last held in Spain?

the future:

- Will you be given a dictionary?

### Wordlist

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take up (a new sport)	
televisе	
win	