

Sports Quiz



1. Which sport would someone be taking part in if they were doing the crawl and the butterfly?

a) 100m sprint

b) swimming

c) gymnastics



Correct! The slowest stroke swam at the Olympics is breaststroke.

2. In which city do Everton football club play?

a) Leeds

b) Leicester

c) Liverpool



Correct! Liverpool football club was formed after Everton FC.

3. What sport would you see in a velodrome?

a) javelin

b) high jump

c) cycling



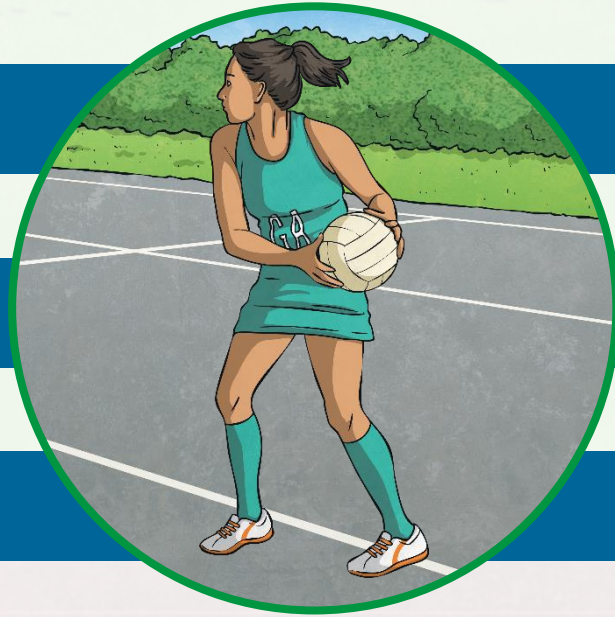
Correct! It comes from the French word for bike which is 'velo'.

4. In netball, what does GA stand for?

a) Goal Aimer

b) Goal Ace

c) Goal Attack



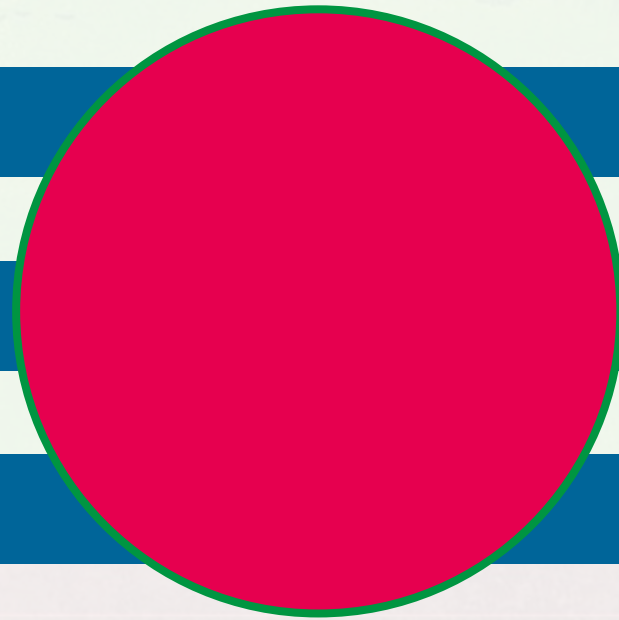
Correct! The GA can score goals but mainly feeds the ball to the Goal Shooter.

5. Which of these colours is not one of the belts in karate?

a) pink

b) gold

c) brown



Correct! The official colours are white, yellow, gold, orange, green blue, purple, brown, red, black.

6. What does LBW stand for in cricket?

a) Leg Behind Wicket

b) Leg Before Wicket

c) Lean Beside the Wicket



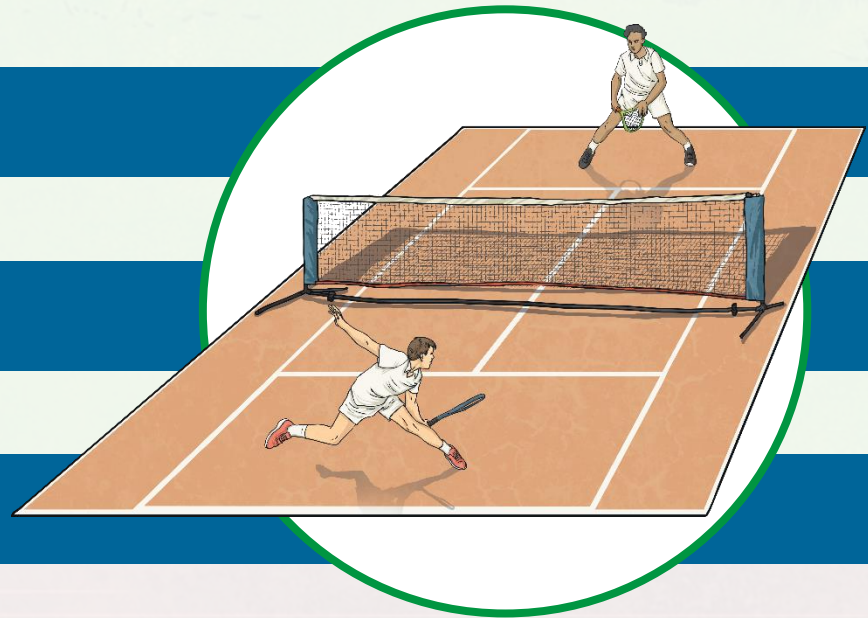
Correct! If a batsman is thought to have put their leg in front of the wicket, they will have to leave the match.

7. What sport is scored using the words love, deuce and advantage?

a) badminton

b) tennis

c) hockey



Correct! Love means nil, deuce means both players have scored 40 and advantage means that after both players are at deuce, the player who wins the next point has the advantage. They only need to win one more point to win the game.

8. In which sport would the leader wear a yellow jersey?

a) Tour de Yorkshire

b) Tour de Germany

c) Tour de France



Correct! The yellow jersey is given after each of the 20 stages, or race days, to the overall leader of the race so far.

9. In football, which part of the body must not touch the ball?

a) hands

b) shoulders

c) knees



Correct! Only the goal keeper is allowed to use his hands during a game.

10. How many players are each team allowed on the pitch in a game of basketball?

a) five

b) six

c) seven



Correct! There can be up to seven more sitting on the bench but only five in the game.

11. When you are trying to stop your opponent from scoring, what are you doing?

a) attacking

b) cheating

c) defending



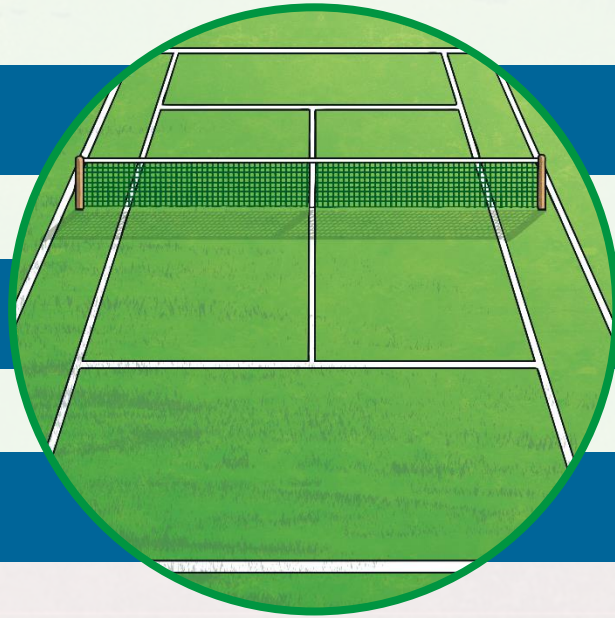
Correct! If you are defending, you are stopping them from scoring against your team.

12. What sport is played at Wimbledon?

a) ice hockey

b) tennis

c) cricket



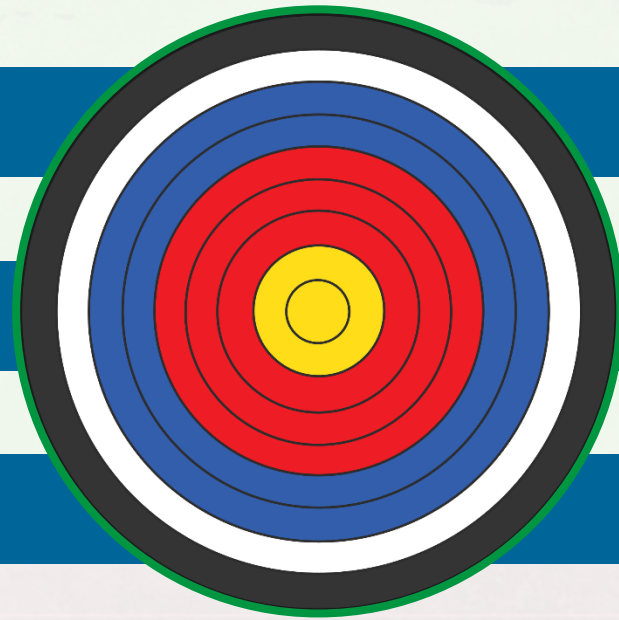
Correct! Tennis has been played at Wimbledon since 1877.

13. In which sport can you score points for a bullseye?

a) golf

b) badminton

c) archery



Correct! Archers score 10 for hitting the bullseye in the centre of the target.

14. What country's rugby team are called the All Blacks?

a) Australia

b) Wales

c) New Zealand



Correct! The New Zealand rugby team are called the All Blacks.

15. What object is hit into the goals in ice hockey?

a) a puck

b) a jack

c) a bic



Correct! An ice hockey puck is made of rubber.

16. How many holes are played in a standard game of golf?

a) nineteen

b) eighteen

c) seventeen



Correct! There used to be twenty-two holes played but in 1764 the rules changed to match the number of holes at the Old Course at St Andrews in Scotland, which has eighteen.

17. How many pockets does a snooker table have?

a) six

b) four

c) eight



Correct! There is one in each corner and one down each of the longer sides.

18. In a game of rounders, where should the best catchers stand?

a) near the batter

b) near the centre of the circle

c) fielding the furthest out



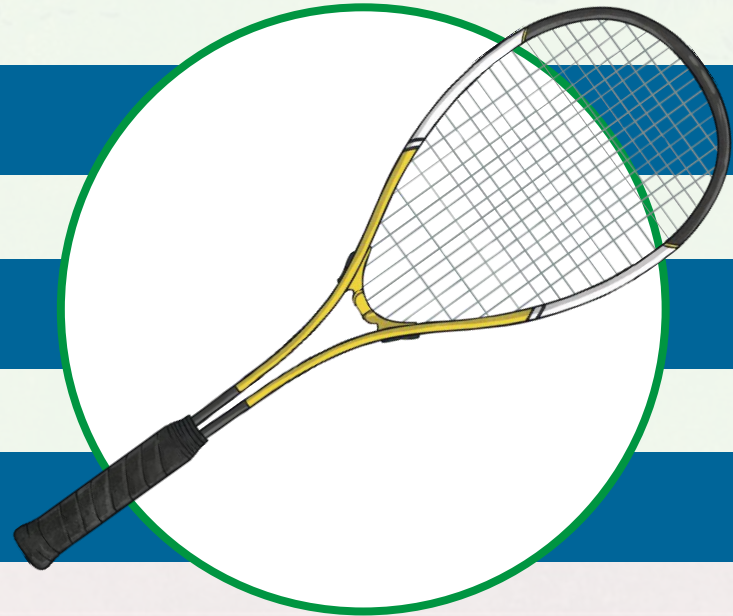
Correct! The best catchers need to be able to run and catch a ball hit a long way by the batter.

19. Which sport is in the Commonwealth Games but not the Olympic Games?

a) squash

b) long jump

c) javelin



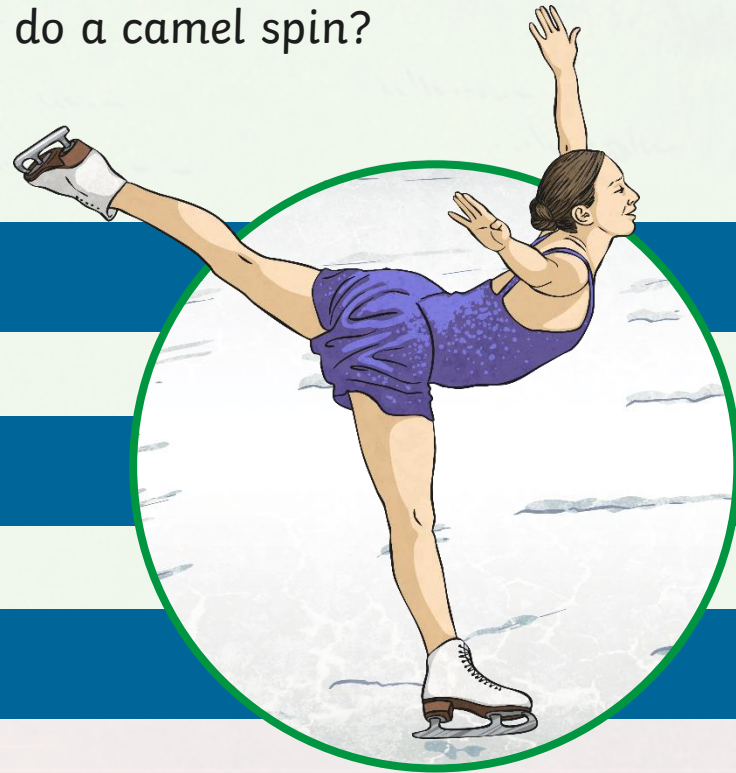
Correct! Squash has been played at the Commonwealth Games since 1998. Squash did not get the votes for entry into the Olympics.

16. What sport are you doing if you do a camel spin?

a) horse racing

b) ice skating

c) rugby



Correct! A camel spin is when the skater stands on one straight leg and stretches the other one out behind them, parallel to the ice.

