

Quick Games quiz

After reading about the sports of the Games, see how many correct answers you can get on the sports quiz!



- How many sports are included in the Games?
(a) thirty
(b) seventeen
(c) twenty
- Which of the following sports will not be contested at the Games?
(a) basketball
(b) netball
(c) lawn bowls
- Which of the following words are used in lawn bowls?
(a) kitty, jack and green
(b) spare, gutter and goal
(c) strike, ball and love
- Which of the following sports is not contested on a court?
(a) tennis
(b) wrestling
(c) badminton
- What is another name for table tennis?
(a) blade tennis
(b) bench tennis
(c) ping-pong
- Which of the following team sports events has fewer than seven players competing at one time?
(a) netball
(b) badminton
(c) rugby 7s
- Which of the following pieces of equipment is allowed to be thrown in its game?
(a) a hockey ball
(b) a tennis ball
(c) a netball
- How many different shooting events will be contested at the Games?
(a) three
(b) six
(c) four
- In which aquatic sport do team members need to move at exactly the same time?
(a) 4 x 100 freestyle relay
(b) synchronised swimming
(c) 4000 m team cycling pursuit

Answers: 1 (b), 2 (a), 3 (a), 4. (b), 5 (c), 6 (b), 7 (c), 8 (c), 9 (b)

What's my sport?



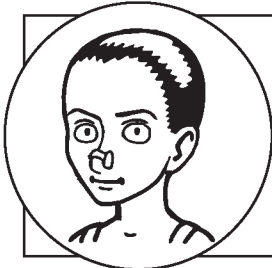
Read the description of each athlete's equipment.

Decide which sport each plays from the list below, then write the name of that sport in the space provided.

rhythmic gymnastics
clay target shooting

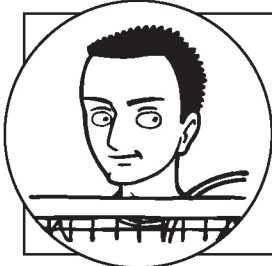
archery
badminton

synchronised diving
wrestling



I need a 10-m platform to jump off and a deep pool to land in. I also need my uniform to match my partners.

Sport:



I need a shuttlecock, a light long-handled racket with a small head, and a net set at 1.5 metres high. I also need comfortable, lightweight shoes.

Sport:



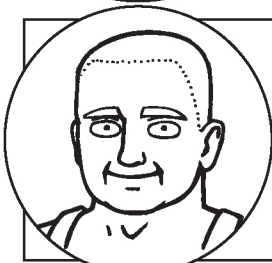
I need a soft rubber ball, a plastic or wooden hoop, a ribbon and a pair of slender bottle-shaped clubs of equal length.

Sport:



I need an armguard, chest guard and finger tab, with a good bow with a string stronger than steel. I also need a target and arrows.

Sport:



I need soft leather boots with no heels or studs. I also need a blue or red suit made of a stretch material.

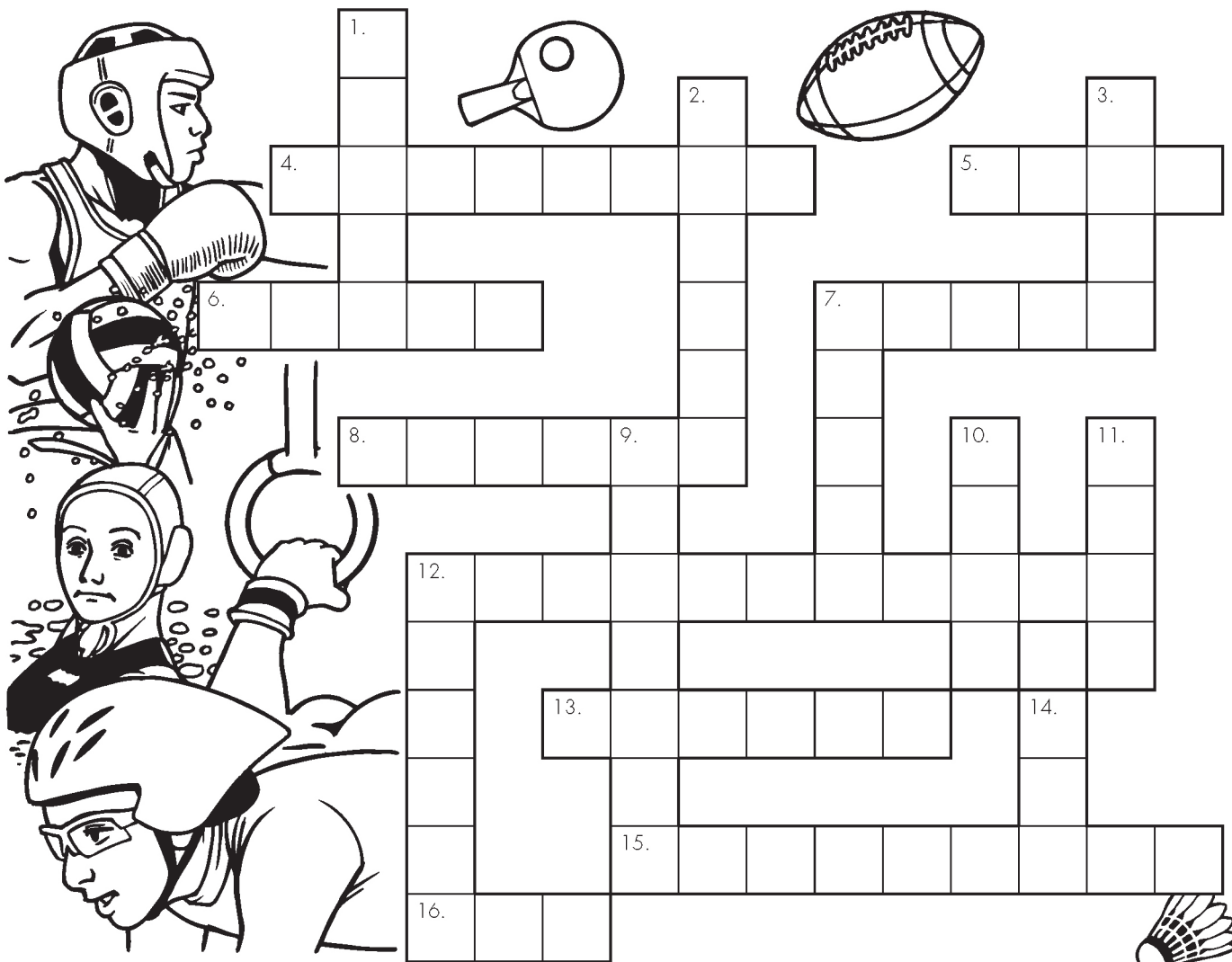
Sport:



I need safety glasses (usually tinted), earplugs or earmuffs, a shotgun, cartridges, a trap for throwing the targets, and a sleeveless padded vest.

Sport:

Games sports crossword



Down

1. The number of cycling disciplines.
2. The aquatic disciplines are swimming and _____.
3. In the shotgun shooting event, the targets are made of _____.
7. Used in some shooting contests
9. This game is played with two hoops and a round ball
10. Where the swimmers race.
11. Required by cyclists to race (abbrev.).
12. Sport played with a small rubber ball.
14. An archer needs one of these to shoot an arrow.

Across

4. The two gymnastics disciplines are rhythmic and _____.
5. The race _____ is one of the three athletics disciplines.
6. Track and _____ is an athletics discipline.
7. Robina Stadium is the venue for the _____ 7s.
8. Played with padded gloves at Oxenford Studios.
12. A badminton player hits one of these.
13. A table tennis racquet is sometimes called a _____
15. Played by rolling asymmetrical balls on grass.
16. What hockey players do with their sticks.