

Do these exercises to help you learn words for Olympic sports.

## 1. Check your vocabulary: picture matching

Write the correct word in the box below the picture.

gymnastics	boxing	diving	rowing	hockey	volleyball
fencing	wrestling	swimming	athletics	track	marathon

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## 2. Check your vocabulary: matching

Match the vocabulary with the correct definition and write a-j next to the numbers 1–10.

1	Sports that include running, jumping and throwing.	a.	boxing
2	Two people fight just using their hands. They wear special gloves.	b.	athletics
3	Jumping or falling into water.	C.	rowing
4	Two people fight using swords.	d.	diving
5	Similar to dancing. You need a lot of strength, balance, co-ordination and flexibility.	e.	hockey
6	A team sport. You have to move the ball into the opponent's goal with a stick.	f.	marathon
7	A long-distance running race. It's 42.195km!	g.	fencing
8	Athletes race in boats on rivers or lakes.	h.	swimming
9	Athletes race in the water.	i.	volleyball
10	A team sport with six players on each side. You hit the ball over the net with your hands.	j.	gymnastics

## Discussion

What's your favourite Olympic sport?

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