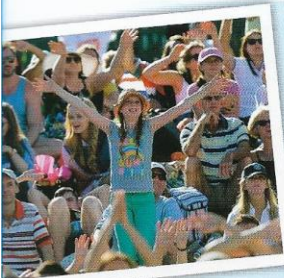


2 My favourite sports star!

Get going

- 1 Look at the photos. Which sport can you see?
- 2 25 Read and listen to the article. Who is the tennis player? Why does Amy like him?



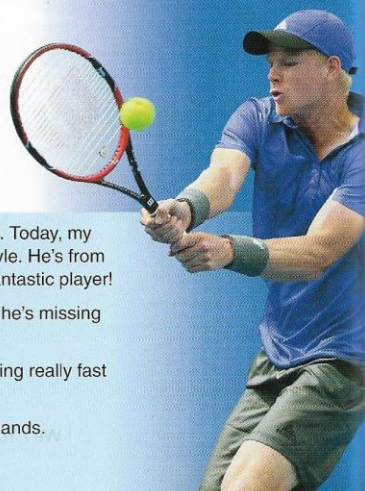
I'm Amy and I'm a fan of the tennis player Kyle Edmund. Today, my family and I are watching him in a match. We all love Kyle. He's from Yorkshire*, and we're from Yorkshire, too. And he's a fantastic player!

But things aren't going well. Kyle isn't playing well and he's missing a lot of balls. Is he losing?

Twenty minutes later, things are different. Kyle is running really fast and hitting every ball. He's winning!

The crowd are on their feet and they're waving their hands. 'Come on, Kyle! You can do it!'

*Yorkshire is a county in northern England.



Vocabulary Sports activities

- 3 Look at the pictures. Match the words to the sports.

do: athletics karate

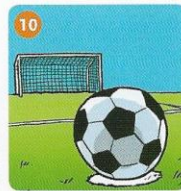
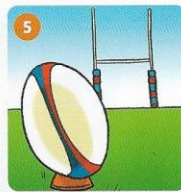
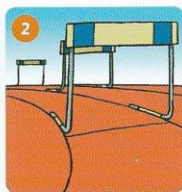
go: ice skating ~~skiing~~ swimming

Focus Ice skate, swim, and ski are verbs, too.

play: basketball cricket football rugby tennis



go skiing



- 4 26 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat.

- 5 Complete the sentences with the sports activities below.

do athletics ice-skate play football
play rugby ski swim

- 1 You ice skate to music.
- 2 You _____ in water.
- 3 You _____ in winter.
- 4 You run with a ball in your hands when you _____.
- 5 You run and jump when you _____.
- 6 You kick the ball with your feet when you _____.

Listening

- 6 27 Listen to four people talking about different sports. Match the speakers 1-4 to sports in Exercise 3.

1 athletics 3 _____
2 _____ 4 _____



Get together

Talk to a partner. What are your favourite sports? What sports do you do? Which sports do you watch on TV?

My favourite sports are football and cricket.

Sport for all

2

Grammar Present continuous: affirmative and negative

1 Read the examples. Then complete the table.

We **are watching** Kyle Edmund.

Kyle **isn't playing** well.

Present continuous	
Affirmative	Negative
I ¹ <u>am playing</u> .	I'm not playing.
You ² _____.	You ³ _____.
He / She / It ⁴ _____.	He / She / It ⁵ _____.
We / You / They ⁶ _____.	We / You / They ⁷ _____.

Now choose the correct answer to complete the rule.

We use the present continuous to ...

- a describe actions in progress now.
- b describe something that is always true.
- c describe habits.

2 Look at the photos. Write affirmative and negative present continuous sentences with the words in brackets.



- 1 She ^{'s} swimming. (swim)
- 2 We _____. (play / football)
- 3 You _____. (do / athletics)
- 4 I _____. (play / basketball)
- 5 They _____. (play / rugby)
- 6 He _____. (do / karate)

3 Write the verbs below in the correct columns in the table.

hit jump live move play run study

Present continuous spelling rules		
+ -ing	double consonant + -ing	-e + -ing
playing		

4 Complete Joe's blog post with the correct forms of the verbs below.

have not get ~~not sit~~ not win play watch

It's a Thursday evening, but I

¹ 'm not sitting at home. My dad and

I ² _____ a brilliant football

match. The players ³ _____

well, and we're happy. There is one problem:

our team ⁴ _____. The score

is 4-3, and the players ⁵ _____

the ball. But winning isn't always

important. Our team is fantastic and I

⁶ _____ a great evening!

5 Imagine you're doing one of these events. Write sentences about it with the verbs below. How many verbs can you use?

Events: cricket match football match
swimming race tennis match 100-metre race

Sports verbs: hit jump kick lose miss
move run stop win

I'm playing in a tennis match. I'm hitting the balls and ...



Get together

Think of a sport. Describe it with sports verbs in the present continuous. Your partner must guess the sport.

I'm running with the ball in my hands.

Rugby!

Grammar Present continuous: yes/no questions and short answers

1 Read the examples. Then complete the table.

Are you feeling OK? No, I'm not.

Yes/No questions			
Question		Short answer	
		Affirmative	Negative
Am I	playing?	Yes, I 1 <u>am</u> .	2 _____, I'm not.
Are you		Yes, you 3 _____.	No, you 4 _____.
Is 5 _____ / she / it		Yes, he / she / it 6 _____.	No, he / she / it 7 _____.
Are you / 8 _____ / they		9 _____, you / we / they 10 _____.	11 _____, you / we / they 12 _____.

2 Read the sentences. Write questions with the prompts. Then write short answers.

1 Usain Bolt is running very fast.
Is he winning _____?
(he / win)
Yes, he is _____.

2 The England football players are losing the match.
_____?
(they / play / well)
_____.

3 Heather Watson isn't doing very well in this tennis match!
_____?
(she / lose)
_____.

4 I'm watching an awful cricket match between England and Australia.
_____?
(you / enjoy / it)
_____.

5 Atlético Vélez is playing well, but Maximiliano Romero isn't there.
_____?
(Maximiliano / play)
_____.



Present continuous: Wh- questions

3 Read the example. Match 1-5 to a-e.

Why am I dancing so badly?

- | | |
|------------|------------------|
| 1 What are | a they running? |
| 2 Where is | b she going? |
| 3 How are | c he talking to? |
| 4 Who is | d we playing? |
| 5 Why are | e you doing? |

4 Ask and answer the questions in Exercise 3 with a partner. Think of your own answers.

Adverbs of manner

5 Read the examples. Then study the table.

You aren't ice skating very well today.

She's doing the routine perfectly.

Regular adverbs		Irregular adverbs	
Adjective	Adverb	Adjective	Adverb
amazing	amazingly	good	well
easy	easily	fast	fast
slow	slowly	hard	hard
bad	badly		

Now choose the correct answers to complete the rules.

- 1 Adverbs describe ...
a verbs. b nouns.
- 2 Adverbs describe ...
a who is doing things.
b how we are doing things.

6 Complete the text with the adverb or adjective forms of the correct words in brackets.

Cricket is a 1 slow (fast / slow) game – matches can take five days! But it's a 2 _____ (bad / good) game, too. 22 players play in two teams. One player throws the ball. Another player hits the ball 3 _____ (bad / hard) and runs 4 _____ (amazing / fast) from one end of the pitch to the other. It's important to throw the ball 5 _____ (easy / good). A player who throws the ball 6 _____ (bad / easy) is called a Dobbly Dobbly! Cricket is very popular in Australia. Their players are 7 _____ (amazing / hard) and they win their matches 8 _____ (bad / easy).



Pairwork

Work with a partner. Complete the activity.

- Student A: go to page 78. → Student B: go to page 92.

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Sport for all

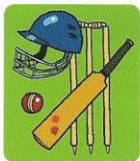
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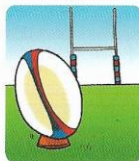
1 Write the sports activities.



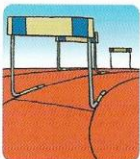
1 go s.kiing



2 play c.



3 play r.



4 do a



5 do k



6 go i

s.

2 Match the words below to the sentences.

do athletics do karate go skiing go swimming
play basketball play football play tennis

- 1 We're going to the pool today.
go swimming
- 2 He's good at running and jumping.

- 3 You can kick the ball or use your head.

- 4 Two players hit a ball.

- 5 This is a winter sport in the mountains.

- 6 You wear a white jacket and trousers to do this sport.

- 7 In this team sport, you can only touch the ball with your hands.

3 Complete the sentences with sports activities that are true for you.

- 1 _____ and _____ are popular sports in my country.
- 2 I'm good at _____ and _____.
- 3 Our school sports are _____ and _____.
- 4 I like watching _____ on TV.
- 5 I never play _____ or do _____.
- 6 I sometimes go _____.

I can talk about sports activities.



Opposite adjectives p.24

4 Find nine more adjectives in the wordsearch. Write them below.

A	W	F	U	L	R	N	A	D
N	W	V	E	M	U	E	T	I
B	S	H	G	I	F	W	L	F
E	A	S	Y	D	P	E	I	F
H	F	D	M	S	L	O	W	I
I	A	N	U	A	Q	L	B	C
L	S	S	G	O	O	D	T	U
G	T	K	E	C	Z	A	Y	L
A	M	A	Z	I	N	G	D	T

- 1 awful _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____

5 Write the opposites.

- 1 slow fast
- 2 awful _____
- 3 new _____
- 4 bad _____
- 5 difficult _____

6 Complete the sentences with adjectives in Exercise 4.

- 1 This exercise is really difficult. Can you help me?
- 2 I'm not going outside. The weather is _____.
- 3 Nadia likes art. She's very _____ at drawing animals.
- 4 Ferraris are very _____ cars.
- 5 Tom's parents are buying him a _____ bike for his birthday.
- 6 Don't eat at that restaurant. The food is _____.
- 7 He's losing because he's _____. The other player is very fast.
- 8 Skiing is _____ for us. We go every weekend in the winter.

I can use adjectives to describe things.



Grammar

Present continuous: affirmative and negative p.23

1 Choose the correct words.

- Joe is / are watching a match.
- Is / Are Kai winning?
- The players isn't / aren't scoring goals.
- I 'm not / is playing well.
- Is / Are the players running fast?
- Miley isn't / aren't feeling happy because her friends is / are losing.

2 Complete the telephone conversation with the correct present continuous forms of the verbs below or short answers.

chat do do have meet not come revise

- A: Hi. It's Dad. What ¹ are you doing ?
 B: I ² _____ for a history test.
 A: That's good. What about your brother?
 B: He ³ _____ his homework?
 A: No, he ⁴ _____.
 He ⁵ _____ on his phone.
 A: Oh dear! Is your mum there?
 B: No. She ⁶ _____ a friend in town.
 They ⁷ _____ lunch there.
 A: Well, I ⁸ _____ home for lunch
 because I've got a lot of work.
 B: OK. Bye.

Present continuous: questions p.25

3 Write the questions. Then write true answers. Use the present continuous.

- you / sit / at your desk right now?
Are you sitting at your desk right now?
Yes, I am.
- what / you / study?

- your teacher / speak / English?

- what / your parents / do / at the moment?

- you and your friends / wear / jeans?

I can use the present continuous to talk about now.



Adverbs of manner p.25

4 Reorder the letters to make adverbs. Match them to the adjectives below.

dalyb eatl lazamginy lewl radh
 saft wollys ysaeli

- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1 late <u>late</u> | 5 slow _____ |
| 2 bad _____ | 6 fast _____ |
| 3 easy _____ | 7 good _____ |
| 4 hard _____ | 8 amazing _____ |

5 Complete the sentences with the adverb forms of the adjectives below. There is one extra word.

amazing
 easy fast
 good hard
 late slow



- My sister sings amazingly. She's in a band.
- Joe gets good marks because he works _____.
- My dog can run very _____.
- The score is 4-0. Our team is winning the match _____.
- I don't often get to school _____.
- Julia speaks English very _____.

6 Complete the sentences with the adverb or adjective forms of the correct words in brackets.

- What a horrible noise! Sofia plays the piano very badly (bad / good)!
- Peter isn't _____ (bad / good) at athletics. He can't run _____ (slow / fast).
- He hates getting up, and he often arrives _____ (slow / late).
- The view from the top of the mountain was _____ (amazing / awful).
- Don't drive _____ (slow / fast). We're late.
- Tom doesn't study very _____ (easy / hard).

7 Write sentences about you with the adverbs in brackets.

- (well) I can swim well.
- (hard) _____
- (slowly) _____
- (badly) _____

I can use adverbs to talk about how we do things.

