Vocabulary Sports B1

Please familiarize yourself with the vocabulary provided below, and then proceed to the second page for the activity where you'll need to complete sentences by filling in the blanks.

- 1. **Amateur:** Someone who engages in a sport for enjoyment or passion rather than as a profession.
- 2. **Athlete:** A person who participates in sports, often possessing physical prowess and skill.
- 3. Award: Recognition or prize given for achievement in a competition or event.
- 4. **Champion:** The winner or top performer in a competition.
- 5. Compete: To take part in a contest or rivalry.
- 6. Competition: A contest between individuals or teams striving for superiority.
- 7. **Competitor:** A person or team taking part in a contest.
- 8. Cup: A trophy awarded to the winner of a competition.
- 9. **Defeat:** The act of losing in a contest or match.
- 10. **Draw:** A tied score or result in a game or match.
- 11. Medal: A reward or symbol of achievement given to winners in a competition.
- 12. **Record:** An established or highest achievement in a particular sport or event.
- 13. **Tournament:** A series of games or matches where participants compete for a championship.
- 14. Trophy: A physical object awarded as a prize for victory in a competition.
- 15. Victory: The achievement of winning in a game, match, or competition.

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Please fill in the blanks using the vocabulary given below.

talents on a global stage.

pressure of professionalism.

Cup - Trophy - Amateur - Champion - Draw - Competition - Award - Compete
Medal – Record – Competitor – Tournament – Athlete – Defeat - Victory
1. After years of hard work, she became the first of the tennis tournament.
2. He set a new world in the 100-meter sprint, leaving the crowd in awe of his speed
3. His exceptional performance earned him the prestigious "Player of the Year"in the league.
4. The golfattracted top players from across the country.
5. Each in the race pushed themselves to the limit to secure a podium finish.
6. Her outstanding performance in gymnastics brought her a gold in the international competition.
7. The Super Bowl, joined by every American football team, was proudly displayed in the winning team's locker room.
8. The chess tournament ended in a as both grandmasters exhibited great skill and strategy.
9. Despite their determination, they had to accept the in the final moments of the match
10. The underdog team celebrated a remarkable victory, stunning the favorites with their performance.
11. The dedicated trained tirelessly, focusing on both strength and endurance for the upcoming triathlon.
12. The fierce between the two rivals brought out the best in both teams.
13. Teams from around the world gathered to in the Olympics, showcasing their

14. She competed as an _____swimmer, experiencing the joy of racing without the

15. The team proudly lifted the championship ______, celebrating their hard-earned victory.

Key:

- 1. Champion
- 2. Record
- 3. Award
- 4. Tournament
- 5. Competitor
- 6. Medal
- 7. Cup
- 8. Draw
- 9. Defeat
- 10. Victory
- 11.Athlete
- 12. Competition
- 13.Compete
- 14.Amateur



Word	Meaning
Ballot	A system of voting, especially secret. To vote by ballot.
Bill	Draft of a proposed law to be discussed in parliament where it will be amended, passed or thrown out.
Bipartisan	Involving two political parties.
Campaign	Planned activities in an organised effort to win an election.
Coalition	Alliance of two or more political parties, usually to form a government.
Constitution	A statement of the fundamental principles and laws by which country or state is governed.
Coup d'etat	Sudden, often violent, change of government when a group, such as the military, takes control.
Democracy	A form of government where elections are held and people vote for the candidate of their choice to represent them.
Dictatorship	A form of government in which a single individual, who has often seized power by force, exercises political authority using arbitrary and oppressive methods.
Dissolution	The termination of the current parliament, which takes place before a general election.
Election	The process of voting for a candidate or representative.
Electorate	All the people who can vote in an election.
Government	A political body that exercises authority over a nation or state and has the power to make and enforce laws.
Incumbent	Person currently holding an official position.
Landslide victory	Win an election with a large majority of votes.
Law	A rule or regulation established by the government.
Lobby	Group of people who try to influence an elected official, or the

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Monarchy	System of government in which the head of state is a king or a queen.
Nominee	Person chosen by a political party to run for election.
Opposition	Political party or parties opposing the government.
Policy	Political party or parties opposing the government.
Political asylum	Protection given by a State to a person who has left their own country because they oppose its government.
Political party	A political organisation with stated beliefs, aims and policies, that puts forward candidates in elections.
Politician	Person who has been elected and works professionally in politics.
Politics	The ideas and activities associated with the governing of a country, region, city, etc.
Poll	1) Voting at an election.2) A survey of public opinion by questioning a selection of people.
Polling day	The day on which elections are held.
(The) polls Polling station	Place where people vote.
Prime Minister	The head of the government in a parliamentary political system
Regime	System of government: a communist, fascist, etc. regime.
Republic	System of government in which power is held by elected representatives and an elected president.
Run for election	Be a candidate in an election.
Spin doctor	A spokesperson who gives a favourable interpretation of event to the media, especially on behalf of a political personality or party.

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Word		Meaning		
Turnout	•	The number of people who go to vote in an	n election.	

Choose a candidate in an election.

Vote

