

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. **Fitness:** The state of being physically fit and healthy, crucial for athletic performance.
2. **Half-Time:** The break between two halves of a game or match.
3. **Judge:** An official who assesses and scores performances or enforces rules.
4. **League:** A group of sports teams that compete against each other.
5. **Leisure:** Free time or time spent in enjoyable activities.
6. **Performance:** The execution of skills or actions, often evaluated in a competition.
7. **Physique:** The physical appearance or build of an athlete or player.
8. **Practice:** Repeated exercise or training to improve skills or performance.
9. **Professional:** Someone engaged in a sport as a paid occupation or career.
10. **Rules:** Guidelines or regulations governing a sport or game.
11. **Strategy:** A plan or approach employed to achieve a particular goal in a game or competition.
12. **Tackle:** To stop an opponent in possession of the ball, often in contact sports.
13. **Tactics:** Detailed plans or maneuvers used to gain an advantage in a game or match.
14. **Talent:** Natural ability or aptitude for a specific sport or activity.
15. **Train:** To undergo physical conditioning or practice for sports.

Please fill in the blanks using the vocabulary given below.

Talent – Leisure – Tackle – Judge – Physique – Practice – Half-Time – Fitness – Performance – League -Rules – Strategy – Train – Tactics - Professional

1. Athletes cherish their moments of _____, finding relaxation between harsh training sessions.
2. The European _____ included top-tier teams from across the Europe.
3. The defensive player executed a perfect _____ to prevent the goal.
4. His muscular _____ helped him excel in the sport of weightlifting.
5. Teams strategize during _____ to discuss tactics and rest before the second half.
6. The gymnast's flawless _____ deserved a standing ovation.
7. The impartial _____ assessed the top competitors in the championship.
8. Athletes prioritize _____, ensuring they're in top shape for competitions.
9. Understanding the _____ is fundamental to fair play in any sport.
10. Continuous _____ is crucial for improvement in any athletic endeavor.
11. Athletes relentlessly _____ to hone their skills and improve their performance.
12. Coaches often employ specific _____ to exploit weaknesses in the opposing team's defense.
13. He decided to pursue a _____ career in basketball after excelling in college.
14. The team devised a clever _____ that caught their opponents off guard.
15. Her natural _____ for swimming became evident at an early age.

Key:

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2. League
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8. Fitness
9. Rules
10. Practice
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12. Tactics
13. Professional
14. Strategy
15. Talent



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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 a 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.

Word	Meaning
Turnout	The number of people who go to vote in an election.
Vote	Choose a candidate in an election.



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