

ENGLISH

Unit 19: Sports and Hobbies



English for Beginners with

THE INSPIRE ACADEMY



Talking about Sports and Hobbies

- A sport, in english, is some type of physical activity that usually involves competition.
- A hobby is usually an enjoyable activity that one does in their free time.
- Common questions about sports and hobbies are:
 - Do you play any sports?
 - Are you athletic?
 - Do you have any hobbies? What are they?
 - What do you like to do in your free time?
- Some common phrases in sports include:
 - "Knocked out of the park" (Baseball)
 - "The ball is in their court"
 - "Slam dunk" (Basketball)
 - "Get your head in the game!"
 - "Cmon!" (Come on) or "Let's go!"
 - "Dropped the ball"
 - "Get the ball rolling"
- There are many phrases that are used in sports.
- These phrases here can be used to cheer people on, "Let's go!", to tell people to do better, "Get your head in the game!", or they can be used to reference a specific action within a sport, "Slam dunk" and "Knocked out of the park" (Home-run)

Types of Team Sports



Bowling



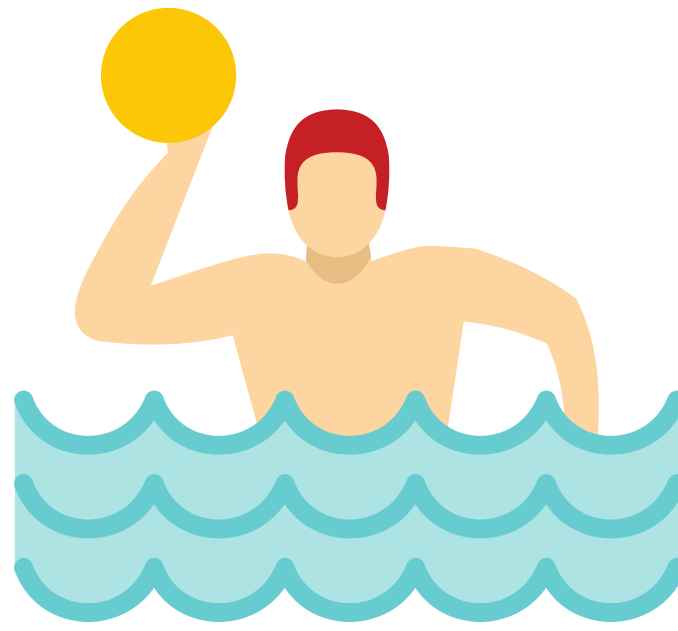
Soccer



Baseball



Basketball



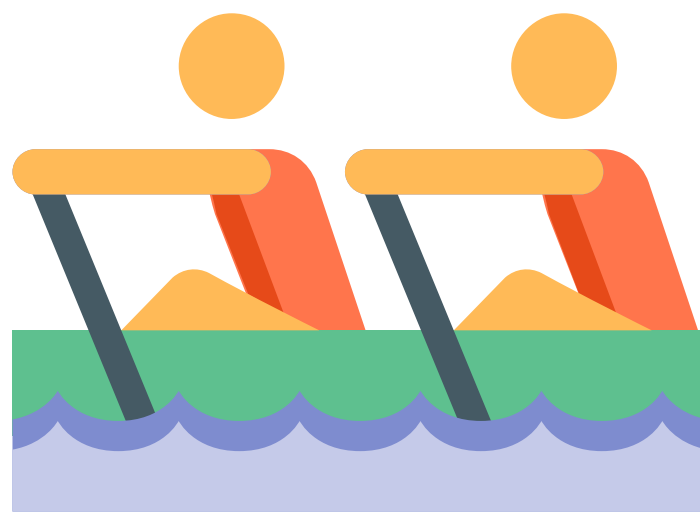
Water Polo



Ice Hockey



Cricket



Rowing



Volleyball



Lacrosse



American
Football



Curling

Other Types of Sports



Running



Swimming



Golf



Skiing



Surfing



Archery



Gymnastics



Boxing



Cycling



Tennis



Equestrianism



Skateboarding

Types of Hobbies



Reading



Watching Television



Fishing



Gardening



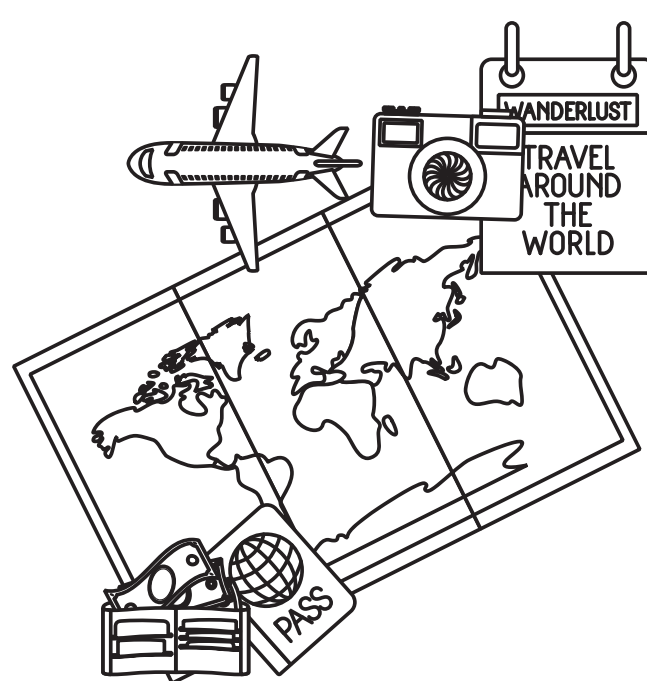
Walking



Listening to
Music



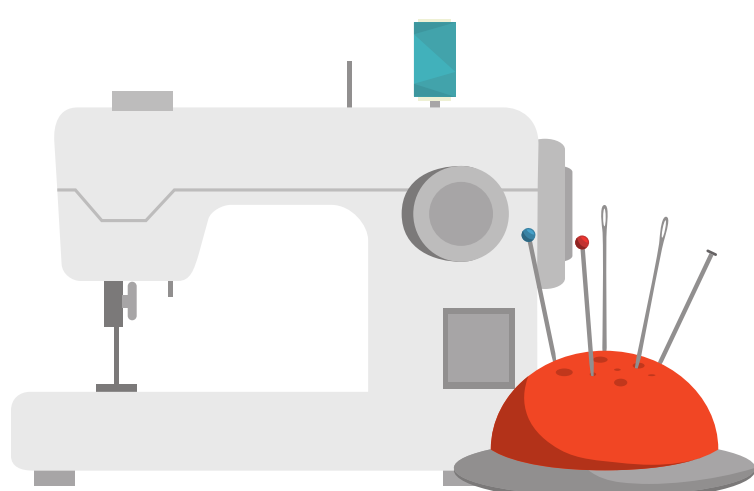
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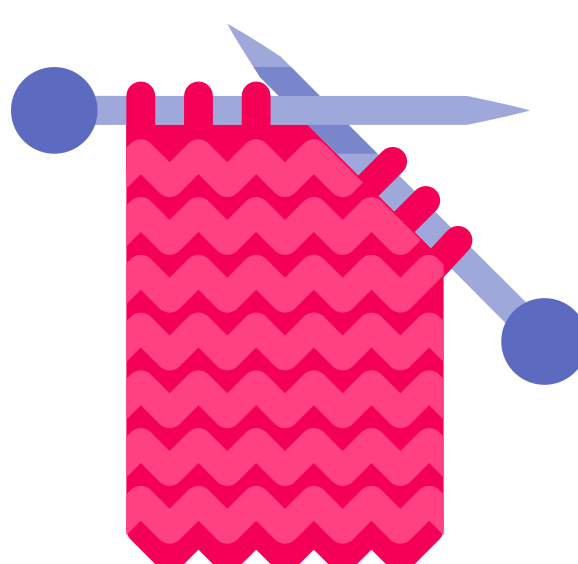
Traveling



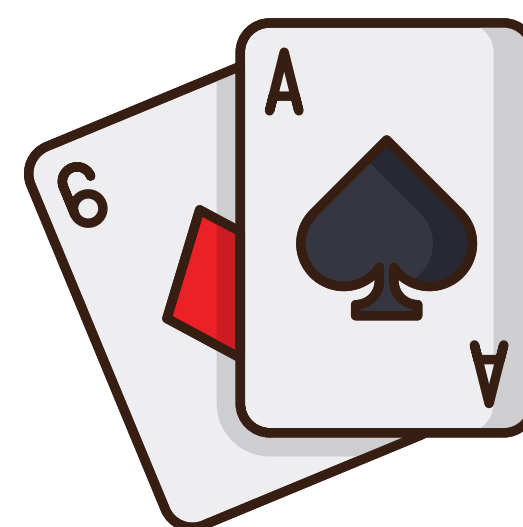
Socializing



Sewing



Knitting



Playing Cards

More Types of Hobbies



Hiking



Cooking



Camping



Writing



Sailing



Playing
Video Games



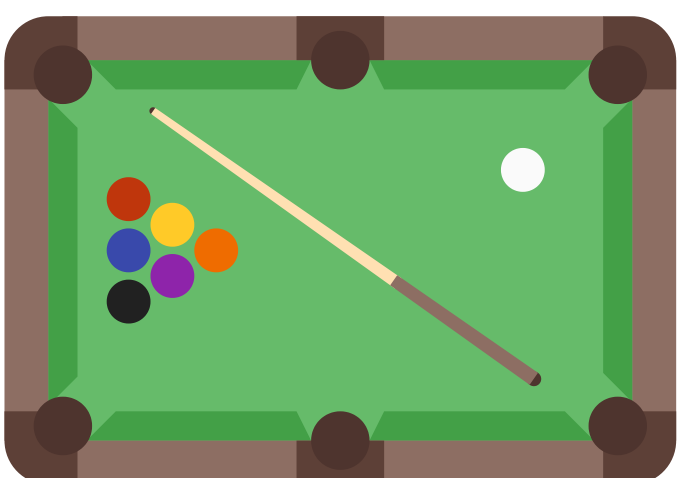
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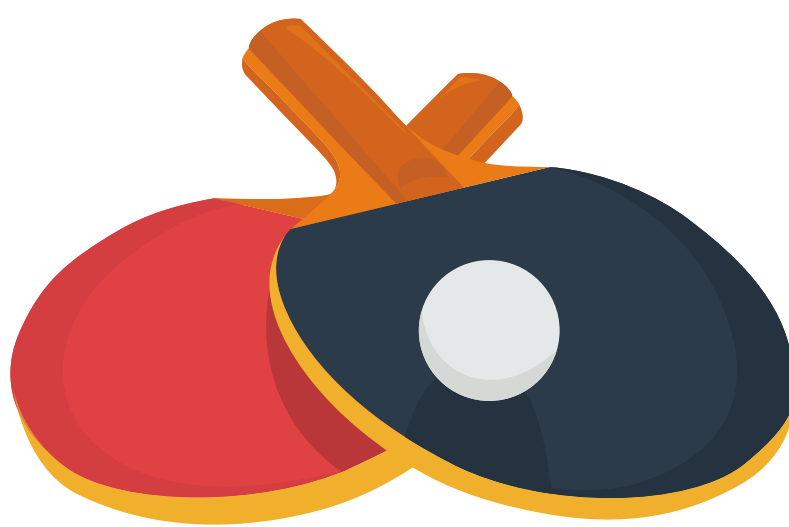
Dancing



Spending Time
with Friends



Billiards



Ping-Pong



Going to the
Beach

EXERCISE

Match the words with the correct objects:

A) Surfing



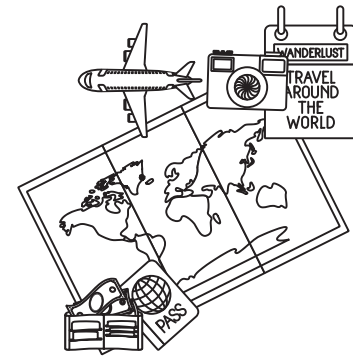
B) Cooking



C) Listening to Music



D) Baseball



E) Camping



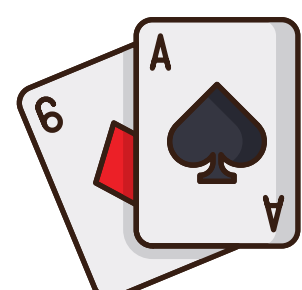
F) Cycling



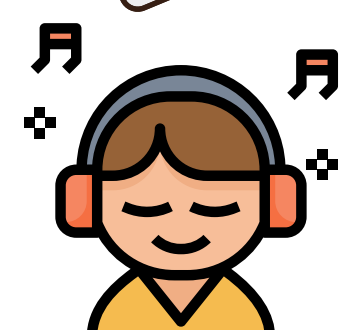
G) Playing Cards



H) Traveling



I) American Football



EXERCISE

Match the words with the correct objects:

A) Volleyball



B) Socializing



C) Basketball



D) Hiking



E) Playing Video Games



F) Soccer



G) Skiing



H) Running



I) Reading



FRIEND EXERCISE

For this friend exercise you and your friend must each take turns describing certain sports or hobbies, you may also draw them on the next page.

After they have described it, try to guess what it was. When you guess correctly you switch.

You can repeat this as many times as you would like but be sure to always use a different word.

Get creative and feel free to act it out as well as describing with words and pictures!

Good luck!

Bonne chance!



FRIEND EXERCISE

You may use this space for drawing.