



# Free Time Around the World

## Subject Area

The World of Arts & Social Studies

## Topics & Curriculum Links

sports and other free-time activities (Civics)

countries (Geography)

climate and the environment (Geography)

musical instruments (Music)

quantities and measurements (Mathematics)

## Vocabulary

sports; hobbies; weather; transportation; clothes; parts of the body; musical instruments; numbers; months; seasons; places; countries

## Grammar

present simple; past simple; question forms; imperative; adjectives; prepositions

## Teaching Ideas

See also [pages 6–7](#) for general ideas that you can adapt. Or go to [www.oup.com/elt/teacher/readanddiscover](http://www.oup.com/elt/teacher/readanddiscover)

### Land, Water, and Air Activities

After reading Chapter 9, in small groups or as individuals, students complete a chart like the one on page 40 of the Reader, listing all the land, water, and air activities that they can think of. Or they can write an activity for each letter of the alphabet. They then share their ideas with the class, and collect all the ideas on the board.



### Free-Time Activities

After completing Project 1, students do a survey to find out what activities the whole class does. They can do this by listening to each student giving information in turn, or by collecting the class information in a big chart on the board. Then they make a bar chart showing the different activities, and the number of students that do them, to find the most popular activity. They can talk or write about the chart like this: *The most / least popular free-time activity is ... A lot of / some / a few students do / play ... The favorite activity for girls / boys is ...*

### Free-Time Fact Files

Students do research, using books or the Internet, about a free-time activity in their country. Then they write about it and display the information with pictures. They can write about it like this: [Activity] *started in ... You need ... You wear ... It's ...* Students can then present their free-time activity to the class.

### Sports Around the World

Students do research, using books or the Internet, about sports around the world. They can choose a sport and find out where in the world it is popular, or they can choose a country and find out what sports are popular there. They display their findings on a poster with pictures, and they can label a copy of the world map on page 7. Students can work in groups, and posters can then be displayed together.

## Activities Answers

**Pages 24–25** 1 1 pitch 2 ball 3 player 4 team 5 boots 2 1 popular 2 street 3 boots 4 five 5 sand 3 1 soccer 2 futsal 3 soccer 4 futsal 5 futsal 6 futsal 4 1 Soccer is a very popular sport 2 People like watching and playing soccer 3 You don't need expensive boots. 4 Many Brazilian children play futsal. 5 There are five players in a futsal team. 6 The futsal ball is full of sand.

**Pages 26–27** 1 1 tobogganing 2 skiing 3 snowboarding 4 dog sledding 2 1 sunny 2 cloudy 3 windy 4 hot 5 cold 6 warm 3 1 colder 2 colder 3 hotter 4 hotter 4 1 Skiing, tobogganing and dog sledding 2 There's a big dog sled race. 3 No, you can't. 4 It is hot outside the snow dome. 5 free answer 6 free answer

**Pages 28–29** 1 1 India 2 always 3 fast 4 colorful 5 is 6 movies 2 1 bindi 2 earring 3 bangles 4 necklace 3 1 In India there are many different types of dance. 2 Bollywood dance is popular all around the world. 3 Bollywood dance is fast and colorful. 4 Bollywood makes about 1,000 movies every year. 5 Bollywood dancers wear colorful clothes and jewelry. 4 free answers

**Pages 30–31** 1 1 false 2 false 3 true 4 true 5 false 6 false 2 1 back kick 2 side kick 3 flying side kick 4 jumping back kick 3 1 white 2 yellow 3 green 4 blue 5 red 6 black 4 1 About 70 million people practice tae kwon do. 2 Students learn different moves with their hands and feet. 3 Students wear different-colored belts to show their level. 4 The black belt is the last belt. 5 In Taegilish lessons students learn tae kwon do and English.

**Pages 32–33** 1 1 book 2 newspaper 3 story 4 magazine 5 comic book 2 1 true 2 false 3 true 4 false 5 true 6 true 3 1 science fiction 2 comedy 3 magazine 4 adventure 5 cartoon 6 book 4 free answers

**Pages 34–35** 1 1 team 2 cheerleaders 3 court 4 gymnastics 2 1 fast 2 gardens 3 is 4 team 5 3; 6 isn't 3 1 basketball 2 cheerleading 3 basketball 4 cheerleading 5 basketball 4 1 Many students are in college basketball teams. 2 You can play basketball in a garden. 3 It's fun to watch basketball on television. 4 Cheerleaders are good at dance and gymnastics.

**Pages 36–37** 1 1 pipe (other) 2 bell (percussion) 3 rattle (percussion) 4 drum (percussion) 5 trumpet (other) 2 1 life 2 times 3 singing 4 instruments 5 plants 3 free answers

**Pages 38–39** 1 1 surfing (water) 2 snorkeling (water) 3 swimming (water) 4 kayaking (water) 5 volleyball (sand) 6 cricket (sand) 2 1 false 2 true 3 true 4 false 5 false 6 true 3 1 Volleyball and cricket 2 On some beaches, and also in the desert 3 free answer

**Pages 40–41** 1 sailing (water), walking (land), skateboarding (land), paragliding (air), camping (land), snorkeling (water), kayaking (water), climbing (land) 2 1 1907; 2 11, 18; 3 6, 25; 4 28; 5 216 3 1 It started in 1907. 2 The first Scouts were boys from 11 to 18 years old. 3 They learned how to read maps and make fires. 4 Anyone from 6 to 25 years old can be a Scout. 5 free answer

**Pages 42–43** 1 1 Cycling 2 good 3 paths 4 85% 5 bicycles 2 1 cycling 2 BMX 3 BMX 4 cycling 3 1 BMX riding is popular in many countries. 2 There are two types of BMX riding. 3 You can do BMX racing around a track. 4 The best place to practice BMX freestyle is in a skatepark. 4 1 free answers