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## **"Olympic Sports" Spelling Quiz**



*Directions: Below each definition, you will see four words. Choose the correct spelling of the word that matches the definition. Write the letter of your choice in the blank provided.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1) "athletes compete by shooting an arrow with a bow"  
A. archerie      B. archery      C. arkhery      D. arhcery
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2) "athletes compete by riding bicycles"  
A. cycling      B. cicing      C. cyclinng      D. cyclling
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3) "a beautiful sport where athletes plunge into water in style"  
A. diving      B. divinnng      C. diing      D. divixg
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4) "athletes compete by running and jumping over several frames"  
A. hurdless      B. hurdles      C. hurdlles      D. hurdl
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5) "a pitcher throws the ball and a batter hits the ball with a bat"  
A. baseba      B. basseball      C. baseball      D. baseballl
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6) "athletes serve, jump and spike the ball"  
A. vulleyball      B. volleyball      C. voleyball      D. volleiball
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7) "athletes compete by riding a horse over a barrier"  
A. equestrian      B. equestrain      C. equestriann      D. equestrian
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8) "athletes use a blunt rapier to hit an opponent"  
A. fencing      B. phencing      C. fenncing      D. fenking
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9) "athletes wear special gloves and punch each other"  
A. buxing      B. boxinnng      C. boxing      D. bocksing
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10) "a racquet sport where athletes hit a ball back and forth over a dividing net"  
A. tenis      B. tennnis      C. tenniss      D. tennis
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11) "athletes do several acrobatic stunts and are judge by a panel of judges"  
A. gimnastics      B. gymnastics      C. gymnastics      D. gymnasstics
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12) "a field sport where athletes throw a long spear"  
A. javelinn      B. javellin      C. javelin      D. javeiln
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13) "athletes dribble and kick the ball"  
A. phootball      B. fuotball      C. fotball      D. football
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14) "a popular sport in the USA where athletes slam and dunk with a ball"  
A. bascetball      B. basketba      C. bassketball      D. basketball
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15) "a field sport where athletes throw a heavy metal ball"  
A. shut-put      B. sshot-put      C. shot-put      D. shont-put
- \_\_\_\_\_ 16) "a water sport where athletes compete by swimming fast"  
A. swiming      B. swimminng      C. sswimming      D. swimming
- \_\_\_\_\_ 17) "athletes use a racquet to hit a feathered ball (shuttlecock)"  
A. badminton      B. badmintun      C. badminnton      D. badmintonn

