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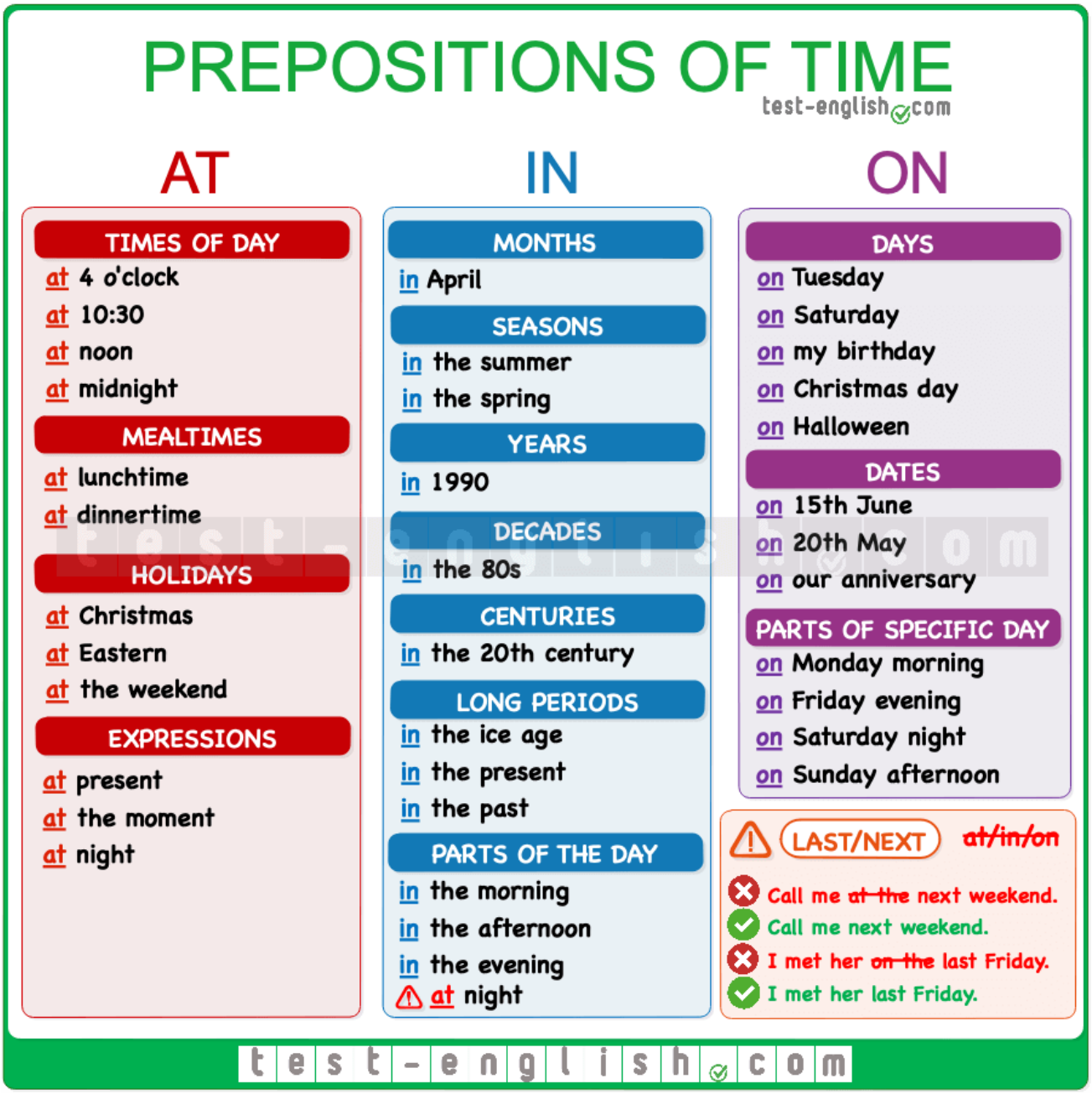
Students will learn some learning strategies. They will talk about hobbies, sports and activities.

MOTIVACIÓN:

Check this video

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hmFQqjMF_f0

EXPLICACIÓN:



Connectors in English

Opinion	Sequence	Addition	Emphasis	Contrast
I think	Firstly	And	Above all	However
I believe	Secondly	Also	Especially	Nevertheless
I feel	Then	In addition	More importantly	Alternatively
In my opinion	Next	Further	Indeed	Despite this
In my view	Afterwards	Furthermore	Significantly	On the contrary
As far as I know	Finally	As well as	Notably	Yet
It seems likely	Eventually	And then	In particular	Whereas
It seems to me	Previously	Too		Apart from

Conclusion	Comparision	Illustration	Cause & Effect	Persuasion
To conclude	Eqaully	For example	Because	Of course
In conclusion	As with	Such as	Since	Clearly
Finally	Likewise	For instance	For	Evidently
On the whole	In the same way	Such as	So	Surely
Summarising	Similarly	In other words	Consequently	Indeed
Overall	Like	An instance	Therefore	Undoubtedly
To sum up	Of contrast	As revealed by	Thus	Decidedly
Evidently	Despite this	To Show that	Hence	Certainly

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EXPRESSING OPINIONS

Agreement Expressions

- There is no doubt about it...
- I completely / absolutely agree with you.
- I agree with you entirely.
- I totally agree with you.
- I simply must agree with that.
- I am of the same opinion.
- That's exactly what I think.

Disagreement Expressions



- I don't agree with you.
- I'm sorry, but I disagree.
- I'm afraid, I can't agree with you.
- The problem is that...
- I (very much) doubt whether...
- This is in complete contradiction to
- With all due respect,...
- I am of a different opinion because
- I cannot share this / that / the view.
- I cannot agree with this idea.
- What I object to is...
- I have my own thoughts about that.

Partial Agreement Expressions

- It is only partly true that...
- That's true, but...
- I can agree with that only with reservations.
- That seems obvious, but...
- That is not necessarily so.
- It is not as simple as it seems.
- I agree with you in principle, but...
- I agree with you in part, but...
- Well, you could be right.

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EJERCICIOS:

EXERCISES

1. Please read carefully the exercises and solve them

ESL Sport Reading Comprehension Passage

There are many different kinds of sports that are undertaken by a wide variety of different people. Some people do sport for their career and other people purely do sport for enjoyment and recreation. Some sports, like cricket, require the use of a lot of equipment, while others need very little in order to successfully play a game in that sport. Some people use public playing fields to play sport for free, while other sports such as squash, tennis, badminton and table tennis are usually paid for on an hourly basis in the comfort of a local leisure centre.

Most sports are played with a round object often known as a ball. Some sports use more than one ball and snooker is one of the unique sports that make use of a number of balls while being played. The game itself is often controlled by an impartial individual known as an umpire in cricket and a referee in sports like football and rugby. Most sports have a duration of not more than a few hours, however some athletic tournaments can last for up to a week and a game of cricket can be five days in duration before a winner is announced.

Some people prefer to watch sport. This can either be done by going to a stadium, a local leisure centre, park or on the television. It is often cheaper to watch sport from the comfort of a person's home than to visit the stadium or a special event. Some sports, such as football and cricket, are really popular in the United Kingdom but not in the USA. In the USA people often play basketball and baseball. However, most countries put aside time to compete in world sporting events such as the football world cup or the Olympics, which occur every four years.

Nowadays, people who suffer from any kind of disability are also encouraged to participate in sport and most sport equipment is adapted to suit the needs of a disabled person. This means sport is something that can be enjoyed no matter the physical ability of the person. The para-olympics takes place a week after the main event and it is equally popular. Participation in sporting activity is encouraged by doctors and at schools given the beneficial impact it has on the health of the individual that participates, and it is for this reason and the competitive nature of individuals that sport remains a very popular activity worldwide.

Reading comprehension questions that go with the above reading passage.
1) Which sport requires the use of a lot of equipment?

a. Football
b. Athletics
c. Cricket
d. Rugby

2) What sport is popular in the United Kingdom?

a. Baseball
b. Cricket
c. Basketball
d. Athletics

3) What sport is popular in the United States?

a. Cricket
b. Baseball
c. Football
d. Squash

4) What sport can last longer than a day in duration?

a. Football
b. Baseball
c. Rugby
d. Cricket

5) How often is the Olympics held?

a. Every year
b. Every two years
c. Every four years
d. Every day

Inequality in sport

Women have made great strides in sports. And when I say strides, I mean this literally. Up until 1960's Olympics, women weren't allowed to compete in running races over 200 metres in distance. Now, since 2012, they can compete in every Olympic event. However, this race to equality is not a sprint, it's a marathon, and we're still not at the finish line.

Charlotte Edwards, Katy McLean and Kate Richardson-Walsh – these are the names of the female captains who brought their English teams to victory in the highest international cups of their sports. Have you heard of them? Mostly likely not. Yet when I mention names like David Beckham, Andy Murray and Lewis Hamilton, undoubtedly you will know of these sporting legends. So why is that? Because statistically speaking, male sport gets over 90 per cent of all sporting coverage in the UK. With no exposure to women's sport comes no demand and with no demand comes no exposure – it's a vicious circle and seemed to be a never-ending nightmare for female athletes.

However, new initiatives like 'This Girl Can', 'Girls Active' and 'Girls Make Your Move' shed a light on women in sport, who in the past didn't always seem to have the brightest of futures. These campaigns encourage every woman – small, tall, strong, graceful, flexible, sporty and not sporty (yet!) – to get involved in physical exercise and by doing so break stereotypes. Norway has become somewhat of a pioneer in its efforts to demonstrate gender equality in sport. It is playing a whole new ball game with the agreement to pay male and female football players equally. It means one can be a footballer and a feminist as equal play means equal pay.

So next time someone tells you that you throw like a girl, throw it right back at them because this girl can.

3. Look up the information about sports and write a short paragraph related to your favorite sport.

EVALUACIÓN:

What have you learnt?

What was easy for you?

What was difficult for you?

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