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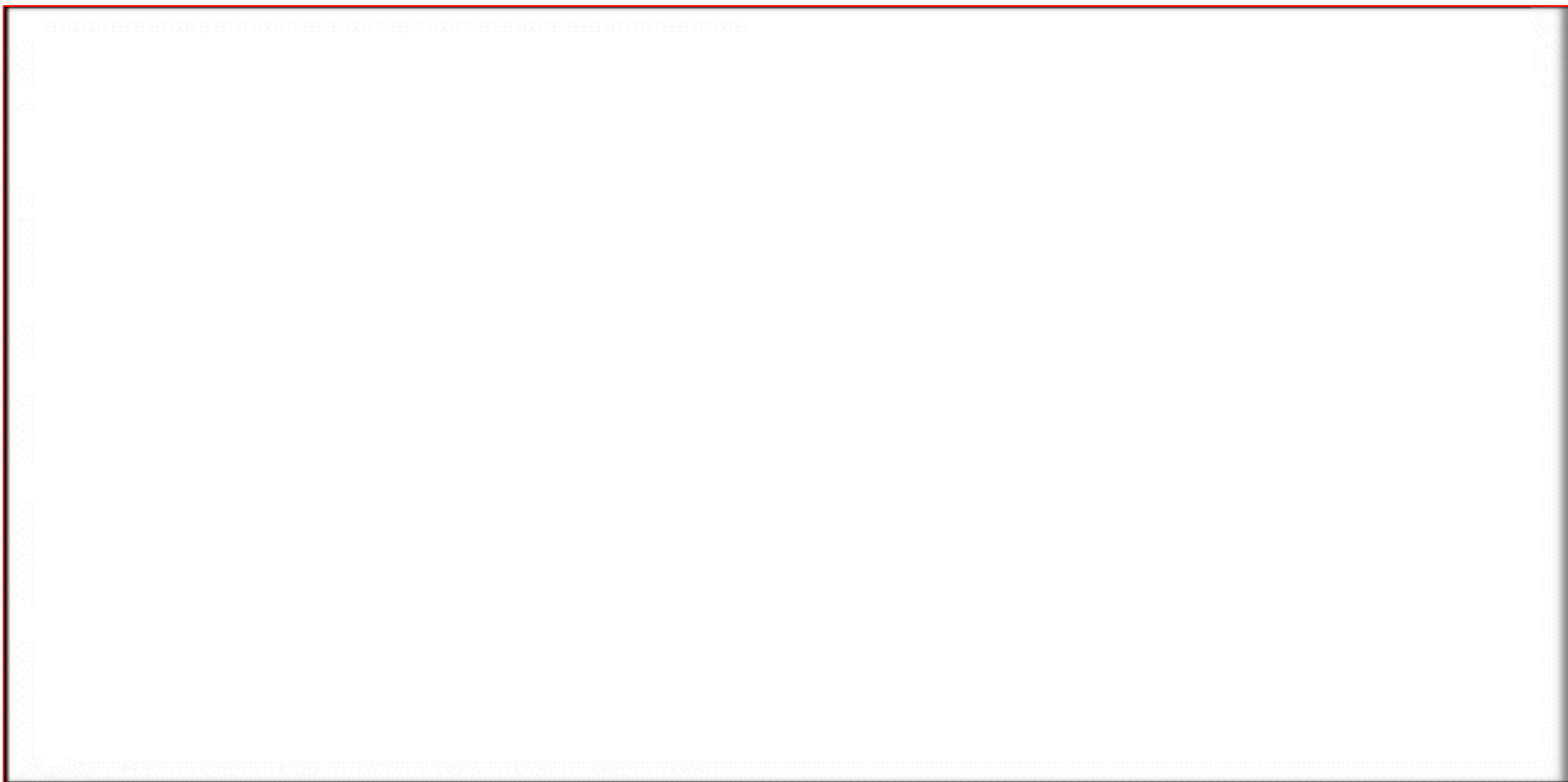
Chapter 17 Session B

1st
SECONDARY

SPORTS FOR ALL
Present Progressive



 **SACO OLIVEROS**



Adjectives of Opinion

- 1** Read the words in the box. How do you say them in your language?

Personal answer

amazing boring dangerous difficult
easy exciting fun interesting

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Listen and repeat.



3 Underline the correct words. Then match sentences a-d with pictures 1-4.

a I can't snowboard. It's too **easy** / **difficult**.

b I hate cricket. It's really **boring** / **exciting**.

c Many rugby players have accidents when they play. It's **dangerous** / **easy**.

d We love volleyball. It's **boring** / **fun**!

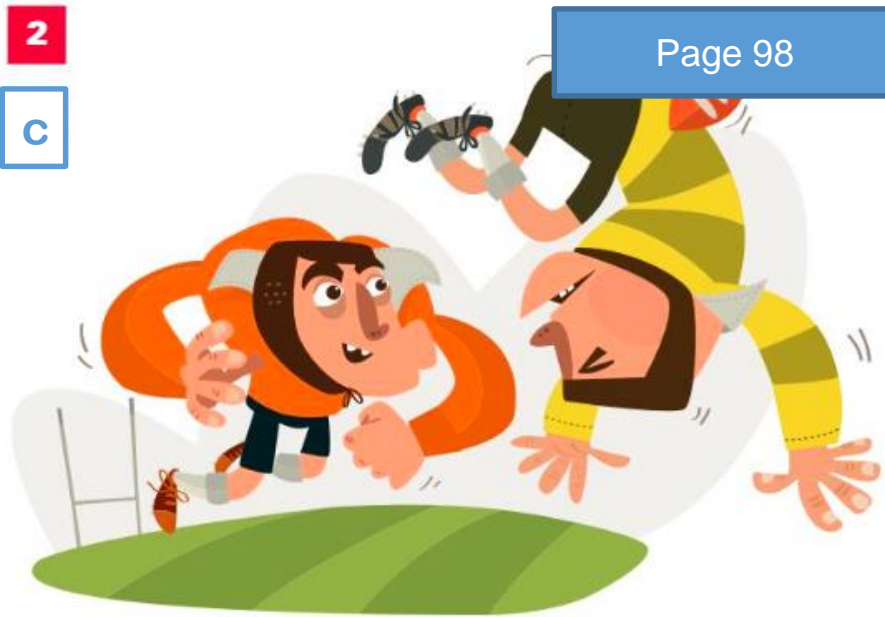
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b



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c



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a



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d



- 4  **INTERFACE** Work in pairs. Ask and answer questions about the sports in the box or use your own ideas.

Personal answer

track and field golf skateboarding
rugby snowboarding surfing

What do you think about judo?

I think it's very difficult and it's dangerous!



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Snowboarding blog

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Snowboarding is a fun winter sport, but it can also be dangerous. Read how our regular snowboarder Cathy is feeling at the moment and why she isn't going snowboarding with her friends this weekend.

Cathy — **March 16th**

This is so boring. In this picture I'm having an amazing time but at the moment I'm sitting on the sofa and relaxing ... on a Saturday! What do I usually do on the weekend? Well, I usually meet my friends at 7am and we take the bus to the mountains. We have breakfast on the bus and then we snowboard all day. So, why am I watching TV when my friends are snowboarding in the mountains? The doctor says I can't go because of my leg.



It's broken! He thinks snowboarding is dangerous but I don't - I think it's fun and exciting. So, I'm resting at the moment, but perhaps next weekend? Log in next weekend and find out!

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READING 2



1



Read and listen. What's Cathy's problem?

She broke her leg.

2

What type of text is it?

a a description

b

a narrative

3 Read the text again. Choose the correct answers.

a Cathy is _____

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in the mountains.

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at home.

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on a bus.

b Cathy usually _____ on Saturday.

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goes to the mountains

☐

relaxes

☐

watches TV

c On Saturday, Cathy normally has _____
on the bus.



breakfast



dinner



lunch

d Cathy thinks that snowboarding is a
_____ sport.



boring



dangerous



fun



GRAMMAR 2

Present Progressive (Questions and Short Answers)

- 1 Complete the chart below with the correct forms of the auxiliary verb.

questions and short answers

Am I **playing** football?

Yes, I am.

No, I am not.

Are you **swimming**?

Yes, you **are**.

No, you aren't.

Is he / she / it **running**?

Yes, he / she / it **is**.

No, he / she / it isn't.

Are we / you / they **cycling**?

Yes, we / you / they are. No, we / you / they **aren't**.

- 2** Look at the sentences in the chart. Complete the rules with the words in the box.

subject *be* (x2) verb + *-ing*

- a** The order for present progressive questions is
be + subject + verb + -ing + other words.
- b** We use the verb be with short answers.

- 3** Complete the questions with the present progressive form of the verbs in parentheses. Then give short answers that are true for you.

Is your teacher writing (write) on the board?

Yes, he or she is. / No, he or she isn't.

a Are your classmates speaking (speak) English?

Personal answer

b Are any students playing (play) soccer outside?

Personal answer

c Is your partner eating (eat)?

Personal answer

d Are you using (use) a green pen?

Personal answer

e Is your friend sitting (sit) next to you?

Personal answer



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- 1 Look at the pictures and complete the words with consonants.











2 Write the name of a sport you think is ...

a exciting _____

b easy _____

c difficult _____

d dangerous _____

Personal answer

3 Complete the sentences with the correct adjective in parentheses.

There's a lot of action in the game. It's really exciting. (boring / exciting)

- a The rules of the game are very _____. I don't understand them. (difficult / amazing)
- b This sport is _____. I love playing it! (fun / boring)
- c I can't hit the ball! It isn't _____. (easy / difficult)

- d** It's _____ to hit someone with a tennis racket. (interesting / dangerous)
- e** It's _____ when you win a competition. (amazing / easy)

4 Complete the sentences with an adjective.

- a** When you like doing something, it's
fun.
- b** When something isn't easy, it's
difficult.
- c** When something isn't interesting, it's
boring.
- d** When there is danger in something, it's
dangerous.

- e When lots of things are happening, it's
exciting.
- f When something is very, very good, it's
amazing.