



VOCABULARY

1. Write these sports in the correct category.

water skiing free fall diving water polo aeromodelism wind surfing
rock climbing caving orienteering paragliding rowing trekking

on land	on water	in the air

2. Match the sports with one piece of equipment you need to do the sport.

paraglider strong boots speed boat parachute cap remote control radio
rope aqualung helmet lamp oars wetsuit compass

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| 1. water skiing | _____ | 7. rock climbing | _____ |
| 2. free fall | _____ | 8. caving | _____ |
| 3. diving | _____ | 9. orienteering | _____ |
| 4. water polo | _____ | 10. paragliding | _____ |
| 5. aeromodelism | _____ | 11. rowing | _____ |
| 6. windsurfing | _____ | 12. trekking | _____ |



READING

1. Read about a diving incident.

One summer some friends and I decided to go on a diving course. We went to Alicante, where there is a good diving school. The first day they showed us how to use our aqualungs and we went for our first submersion. It was quite scary but after a few minutes you learn to breathe normally and then you begin to enjoy yourself.



The next day we went out on the boat towards a rocky island. There were a few other boats there too because it was the best place to go diving in that area. The instructor put us in pairs and we got into the water. One of the rules when you are diving is to stay with your partner. My partner was a girl I didn't know very well.

We followed the instructor towards the island. There were a lot of beautiful coloured fish and I stopped to watch them but when I looked around, I couldn't see my partner. I swam a bit further and found her. I followed her and we went into a cave. Then we swam into the dark water. I didn't have a light on my helmet but she did so I followed her.

We swam deeper and deeper into the cave. It was scary. After about fifteen minutes I started to get worried because I didn't have much oxygen left in my tank. I pulled on her leg and made the signal that I wanted to return. When she turned round, I realized that she wasn't my partner and she wasn't from my group!

We swam out of the cave, back towards the light. I was so glad to see the sunlight ahead. When we got to the surface, she told me she was from an advanced diving group. I had followed the wrong person!

My instructor and friends were very glad to see me. They had been looking for me for thirty minutes and they were very worried.

2. Complete the summary with words from the text.

This story is about a person who went **1** _____. On his second dive, the **2** _____ put them into pairs and they got into the water. He was looking at some **3** _____ when he realized that he couldn't see his **4** _____. He **5** _____ someone and went into a dark cave. At first he wasn't **6** _____ but then he realized he didn't have enough **7** _____ and he wanted to go out of the cave. Back at the surface he saw that his partner was a diver from an **8** _____ group.



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