



In almost every big university in the United States, football is a favorite sport.

American football is different. Players sometimes kick the ball, but they also throw the ball and run with it. They try to take it to the other end of the field. They have four chances to move the ball ten yards (码). They can carry it or they can throw it. If they move the ball ten yards, they can try to move it another ten yards. If they move it to the end of the field, they receive six points. It is difficult to move the ball. Eleven men on the other team try to stop the man with the ball. If he does not move the ball, his team kicks the ball to the other

team. Each university wants its own team to win. Many thousands of people come to watch. They all shout for their favorite team. Young men and women come on the field to help the people shout more. They dance and jump while they shout.

Each team plays ten or eleven games each season.

The season begins in September and ends in November. If a team is very good, it may play another game after the season ends. The best teams play again on January 1, the first day of the New Year. Many people go to see these games and many others watch them on TV.



一、根据背景文章选择最佳答案

- () 1. The passage talks about _____.
A. football B. how to play football
C. American sports D. American football
- () 2. We can _____ the football in both American football and Chinese football.
A. kick B. throw
C. run with D. catch
- () 3. Why is it difficult to move the ball? Because _____.
A. ten yards is a long way
B. many men on the other team try not to let the ball come near
C. the playing field is very large
D. eleven men have to catch the ball one by one
- () 4. If they _____, the teams will play on January 1.
A. receive six points B. play eleven games in the season
C. are the best teams D. move the ball to the end of the field
- () 5. Many people come to watch football. Which of the following is not their act?
A. Jumping. B. Dancing.
C. Crying. D. Shouting.



二、请配对下列关于体育的词汇

| | |
|-----------------------|-------|
| football (in America) | 足球 |
| football (in Britain) | 英式橄榄球 |
| rugby | 美式橄榄球 |
| attack | 防守 |
| defense | 进攻 |
| football field | 体育转播 |
| sports broadcast | 橄榄球场 |

三、用下列单词或词组造句

1. try to

2. If ...

3. thousands of

4. while

5. It is ... to ...

四、完型填空

All over the world people enjoy sports. Sports help people to keep __1__, happy and to live __2__. People play different games in winter and summer. __3__ is good for swimming. And in winter people often go skating. Some sports are very __4__ and people everywhere like them. For example, football is very popular. In China, most people, men, __5__ boys and girls, like to watch football games. They often talk about them __6__ and jumping began long, long ago. But basketball and volleyball are rather __7__. People began to play them not long ago. And people are __8__ new sports or games all the time. Water skiing is one of __9__. People __10__ different countries may not be able to understand each other, but after a game they often become friends.

- () 1. A. health B. busy C. healthy D. lazy
() 2. A. long B. longer C. happy D. happily
() 3. A. Winter B. Summer C. Autumn D. Spring
() 4. A. boring B. difficult C. expensive D. interesting
() 5. A. woman B. women C. old D. young
() 6. A. Run B. Runs C. Running D. To run
() 7. A. new B. interesting C. popular D. old
() 8. A. start B. play C. playing D. starting
() 9. A. oldest B. newest C. The oldest D. the newest
() 10. A. in B. of C. from D. at

参考答案:

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1-5 DABBC

二、请配对下列关于体育的词汇

美式橄榄球

足球

英式橄榄球

进攻

防守

橄榄球场

体育转播

三、用下列单词或词组造句

1. He tried to pass the exam, but he failed.

2. If you study hard, you won't fail.

3. Thousands of students failed in the final exam.

4. He was watching TV while his wife was bathing their baby.

5. It is easy to learn English.

四、完型填空

1-5 CBBDB

6-10 CACDC

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