

For Advanced Kids Learners

Book 2

Time to Talk

Lesson 8 Be a Good Sport



- Warm-up questions

What sports do you play?

What do you do when you lose in a game?



- Read and learn

Be a Good Sport

Just seconds before the **final whistle**, Ben kicked the ball hard and had the last try. Unfortunately, he **missed the goal** again.



final whistle

When the referee blows the final whistle, it is a signal that the game is finished.



- Read and learn

Ben was walking towards their **locker** room when he heard some players of the other team were laughing at him. Ben turned around and said, “You guys played a great game. I enjoyed it too though I didn’t win. I tried my best. I think I will have better luck next time.”



locker

- Read and learn

The good sport Ben **congratulated** his opponents.

And here are more things you can do to be a good sport:

If you lose:

- **Cheer** your team on.
- Don't **blame** others.
- Accept the **outcome** and learn from it.

congratulate

To praise and express pleasure at the achievement or good luck of.

outcome

A result of something.



cheer



blame

- Fill in the blank with the correct word.

blamed final whistle outcome congratulated lockers cheered

1. The losing team _____ the winners
2. I'm pleased with the _____ of your work.
3. He scored just before the _____.
4. The good news _____ them up.
5. There are rows of _____ along the walls at school.
6. The teacher _____ me for spilling the paint, but it wasn't my fault.

- Grammar



missed + noun

To fail to do, hit or catch.

Examples

- Ben **missed the goal** again.
- I **missed the train** this morning.



Make sentences using “**missed + noun**”.

1. He _____.
2. _____.



- Retell the story.



lost the game



heard; laughed
at



congratulated

- Answer the questions.

1. How can you show good sportsmanship?
2. In a match, why do players always need to be a good sport?