



History and Origins of Your Favourite Sport

Cast your mind back to yesterday's literacy and the mind map you created about the sport that especially interests you...

We want you to once again become **time travelling detectives**, and discover all there is to know about the history and origins of how your chosen sport began!

Can you conduct some detailed research and try to find the answers to these questions?

When did your chosen sport first originate?

Where in the world did it start?

What is the story of its beginnings?

Are there important sports men and women associated with it historically?

How did it grow in popularity?

Where in the world is it most popular/can be found now?

You could use **maps, atlases, information books, magazines, television, discussion** and the **internet** to help you with your investigations.

Remember to use skimming and scanning to locate key information. You will also need to record your findings in note form – for example bullet points or a mind map.

Once you have compiled your notes, please present your findings clearly. You could create a detailed information board or poster. You can use the computer or produce this by hand. It would be lovely for this to contain diagrams/illustrations and be bright, bold and eye catching.

We are really interesting in the discoveries you will make! Have fun and don't forget to share your work on J2E.

