

STREETBALL VS BASKETBALL

DOMAINE 1 :

Comprendre, s'exprimer en utilisant une langue étrangère.

Lire et comprendre l'écrit

Peut comprendre de courts textes simples sur des sujets concrets courants avec une fréquence élevée de langue quotidienne. **A2**



Streetball started in Rucker Park, Harlem, New York and in Venice Beach, Los Angeles, California in the 1970's.

Streetball is basketball, but with some differences. People play outdoors on smaller courts and they use only one basket. Streetball teams usually have only three players.

Streetball is a very popular variation of basketball where your style is essential. The rules are less strict because there is no referee. Of course, winning is important but players are more interested in the show than in the number of points. They also like to provoke their opponents with their spectacular moves and they are less disciplined than NBA players. Good players all have signature moves and nicknames. Streetball is usually more aggressive and rougher than basketball.



1. Referee : *arbitre*

2. NBA = *National Basketball Association*

◆ Read the first paragraph (l. 1-7) and find examples of differences between streetball and basketball.

...People play outdoors on smaller courts (l.5).....

...They use only one basket (l.6).....

...Streetball teams usually have only three players (l.7).....

◆ Read the second paragraph (l. 8-19). What is the topic of this paragraph?

...The style of players, the way of playing streetball.....

◆ What can you deduce about the streetball playing style?

Use the information from the mind map to choose the right answer.

- a. Streetball players are fun to watch because their game is a show. Right Wrong
 "Winning is important but players are more interested in the show than the number of points".
- b. Streetball is a very conventional form of basketball. Right Wrong
 "Streetball is usually more aggressive and rougher than basketball".
- c. NBA basketball is more inventive than streetball. Right Wrong
 "Good players all have signature moves and nicknames".
- d. There's a lot of freestyle in streetball. Right Wrong
 "Streetball is a very popular variation of basketball where your style is essential".
- e. Streetball players are less respectful of the rules. Right Wrong
 "They are less disciplined than NBA players".