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## Going to extremes

- Relative clauses
- Defining and non-defining relative clauses
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- Nouns in groups

### Language focus Relative clauses

#### Olympics quiz

1 Test your Olympics general knowledge. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

 8.1 Listen and check.

2 Underline the relative clause in each question.

1 The person who revived the Olympic Games in 1896 was ...

- a  Queen Victoria.
- b  Louis Napoleon Bonaparte.
- c  Baron Pierre de Coubertin.

2 A sport which has recently been included in the Olympic games is ...

- a  BMX Freestyle.
- b  basketball.
- c  gymnastics.

3 The country which has won the most events at the winter Olympics is ...

- a  Norway.
- b  Sweden.
- c  the US.

4 The five Olympic rings, which are blue, yellow, black, green and red, represent ...

- a  the five original Olympic sports.
- b  the five continents of the world.
- c  the five members of the Olympic committee.

5 The highest number of spectators at an Olympic event was in Atlanta in the US in 1996, where more than half a million people turned out to watch ...

- a  Roger Black in the 200 and 400 metres.
- b  Michael Johnson in the 200 and 400 metres.
- c  Allen Johnson in the 110-metre hurdles.

6 Usain Bolt, whose full name is Usain St Leo Bolt, has won \_\_\_\_\_ Olympic gold medals.

- a  eight
- b  five
- c  four

7 Spectators at Seonhak Stadium, which is in South Korea, ...

- a  witnessed the first unified North and South Korean ice-hockey team.
- b  witnessed the first mixed 100 metres race.
- c  experienced a 20-minute power cut during the men's ice-hockey final.

8 The person who has won the most Olympic medals is ...

- a  the gymnast, Larisa Latynina.
- b  the swimmer, Michael Phelps.
- c  the sprinter and long jumper, Carl Lewis.

