

OLYMPIC SPORTS TERMS QUIZ



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1> In which sport would you hear the terms "Tracking" and "Camber"?

- a. Bob sledding
- b. Figure skating
- c. Biathlon
- d. Ski jumping

2> In which sport would you hear the terms "Pod," "Steels" and "Kufens"?

- a. Curling
- b. Speed skating
- c. Luge
- d. Ice hockey

3> In which sport would you hear the terms "Biter," "Button" and "Lead"?

- a. Team figure skating
- b. Cross-country skiing
- c. Pair's figure skating
- d. Curling

4> In which sport would you hear the terms "Burn Out," "Attack" and "Drafting"?

- a. Ski jumping
- b. Short-track speed skating
- c. Snow boarding
- d. Men's figure skating

5> In which sport would you hear the terms "Slash," "Check" and "Line"?

- a. Ice hockey
- b. Luge
- c. Curling
- d. Alpine skiing

6> In which sport would you hear the terms "Bumpers," "Saddle" and "Run"?

- a. Men's half-pipe
- b. Skeleton
- c. Bob sledding
- d. Slalom

7> In which sport would you hear the terms "Lip," "Grab" and "Heel Drag"?

- a. Snowboarding
- b. Ski jumping
- c. Luge
- d. Downhill

8> In which sport would you hear the terms "Harness" and "Magazine"?

- a. Men's half-pipe
- b. Ski jumping
- c. Snowboard cross
- d. Biathlon

9> In which sport would you hear the terms "Boardercross" and "Slopestyle"?

- a. Dance figure skating
- b. Pairs figure skating
- c. Cross country skiing

d. Snowboarding

10> In which sport would you hear the terms "Death Spiral" and "Lasso Lift"?

- a. Bobsledding
- b. Short-track speed skating
- c. Ski jumping
- d. Pairs skating

11> In which sport would you hear the terms "Killian" and "Rotation Lift"?

- a. Skeleton
- b. Curling
- c. Ice hockey
- d. Dance

12> In which sport would you hear the terms "Driver," "Track" and "Time"?

- a. Ski jumping
- b. Ice hockey
- c. Cross-country skiing
- d. Bobsledding

13> In which sport would you hear the terms "Spin," "Axel" and "Flip"?

- a. Short-track speed skating
- b. Half-pipe
- c. Skelton
- d. Women's figure skating

Answers:

- 1> Ski jumping - In ski jumping, you might also hear the terms 'telemark position' and 'outrun'.
- 2> Luge - The term 'steels' refers to the blades on the sled.
- 3> Curling - You might also hear the terms 'hog line' and 'hacks'.
- 4> Short-track speed skating - You might also hear the terms 'blocks' and 'pushing'.
- 5> Ice hockey - You might also hear words like 'goal', 'puck' and 'forward'.
- 6> Skeleton - The average length of the track in skeleton is about 1,500 m.
- 7> Snowboarding - Snowboarding also uses terms like 'edge' and 'heel'.
- 8> Biathlon - The harness is used to hold the skier's rifle.
- 9> Snowboarding - These two terms refer to different snowboarding events.
- 10> Pairs skating - In this sport, you might also hear terms like 'side by side jumps' and 'pair spin'.
- 11> Dance - In this sport, you might also hear the terms 'pattern dance' and 'program'.
- 12> Bobsledding - In this sport, you might also hear the terms 'heat' and 'course'.
- 13> Women's figure skating - These terms are also heard in the men's discipline.