

### Preparing to Listen

Label the photograph with the words in the box.

helmet vest gloves competitor



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Read the paragraph below and match the underlined words (1–5) to the definitions (a–e).

Most sports need a <sup>(1)</sup> referee to make sure that the <sup>(2)</sup> score is correct. Most sports are <sup>(3)</sup> competitive so it is important that people believe they are fair. In football, for example, you can <sup>(4)</sup> kick the ball but you can't <sup>(5)</sup> hit it with your hand. But there have been some famous matches where one of the players used his hand to get a goal and the referee did not see. People were very upset.


- a use your foot quickly and hard to move something
- b use your hand quickly and hard to move something
- c a person who controls a match, checks the rules and counts the points
- d describes an event where someone tries to win
- e the number of points each person or team has in a game or match

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### While Listening

- 7  7.1 Listen to the discussion. Tap to match the name of the person with their job title. Who agrees with the use of computer sensors in Taekwondo and who disagrees?

Nam Ki Gam

Raina Akintola


Sunan Wattana

- 1 the Managing Director of Sports Technology Limited, the company which produces vest sensors
- 2 an international taekwondo champion
- 3 the head of the Referees Association

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- 8  7.1 Listen again. Write N (Nam), R (Raina) and S (Sunan) next to their statements (1–6).

- 1 Obviously scoring was causing a lot of problems before.
- 2 ... in recent years, the scores have caused arguments because the referees have made mistakes.
- 3 Actually the scoring has worked well compared to other sports.
- 4 It also doesn't work if there is a kick to the head. So it definitely isn't needed.
- 5 Well, it probably won't cause any problems if we have a new system.
- 6 In the past, there have been times when the referee hasn't seen all the hits.

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