# *Les stars du sport*

Read the texts and answer the questions in English.

## Article

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| Tennis racquets and balls | *Rafaël Nadal est espagnol. Il est né le 3 juin 1986. Il a une sœur qui s’appelle Maria. Il aime le football et le basket mais son sport préféré, c’est le tennis. À treize ans, il a gagné le championnat du monde des 13-14 ans ! Maintenant, c’est un grand champion de tennis.* |
| Hurdles on a running track | *Jessica Ennis-Hill est née le 28 janvier 1986 à Sheffield, en Angleterre. Sa mère est anglaise et son père est jamaïcain. Elle fait de l’athlétisme depuis l’âge de dix ans. Elle a participé aux Jeux olympiques de 2012 et elle a gagné la médaille d’or de l’heptathlon (sept épreuves).* |
| A picture containing person about to start a race on a running track. | *Usain Bolt est né le 21 août 1986 en Jamaïque. Il a commencé l’athlétisme à six ans. Il a joué aussi au football et au cricket. Il a gagné seize médailles aux Jeux olympiques de Londres de 2012.* |

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1. How old was Nadal when he won his first world championship?
2. What is Nadal’s nationality?
3. For what event has Jessica Ennis-Hill won a gold medal?
4. What is Jessica’s heritage?
5. How old is she?
6. How old was Usain Bolt when he began his training?
7. What other sports has he played?
8. How many gold medals did he win at the London Olympics in 2012?

## For the teacher

1. How old was Nadal when he won his first world championship? **13**
2. What is Nadal’s nationality? **Spanish**
3. For what event has Jessica Ennis-Hill won a gold medal? **Heptathlon**
4. What is Jessica’s heritage? **Her mother is English and her father is Jamaican**
5. How old is she? **37**
6. How old was Usain Bolt when he began his training? **6**
7. What other sports has he played? **Soccer and cricket**
8. How many gold medals did he win at the London Olympics in 2012? **16**

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