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Level 0

Top soccer video game has women's teams

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THE READING

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1509/150911-fifa-16.html>

The best-selling FIFA video game now has women's teams.

Gamers can choose women's teams for the first time. FIFA 16

has 12 top international women's teams. The women's teams

can only play against each other, not against men. Gamers

who tested it said the games with women's teams were faster.

The game company said it was one of the most important

changes in the game's 22-year history. It called the changes,

"a massive event" that will bring millions of new fans to the

game. U.S. player Alex Morgan is in the game. She said: "I

always wondered what it would be like....It is very cool to know

that it is now a reality."

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VOCABULARY MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. The best- | a. other |
| 2. Gamers can | b. tested it |
| 3. for the first | c. selling FIFA video game |
| 4. international | d. men |
| 5. play against each | e. faster |
| 6. not against | f. women's teams |
| 7. Gamers who | g. time |
| 8. women's teams were | h. choose |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. one of the most important | a. fans |
| 2. the game's 22- | b. changes |
| 3. a massive | c. to know |
| 4. bring millions of new | d. like |
| 5. I always | e. reality |
| 6. what it would be | f. year history |
| 7. It is very cool | g. event |
| 8. it is now a | h. wondered |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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The best-selling FIFA video (1) _____ women's teams. Gamers (2) _____ women's teams for the first time. FIFA (3) _____ top international women's teams. The women's teams (4) _____ against each other, (5) _____. Gamers who tested it said the games with women's (6) _____.

The game company (7) _____ of the most important changes (8) _____ 22-year history. It called the changes, "(9) _____" that will bring millions (10) _____ the game. U.S. player Alex Morgan (11) _____. She said: "I always wondered what it would be like....It is (12) _____ that it is now a reality."

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

