Hangman Printable: Sports Words

The kid-friendly way: wrong guesses build a trophy, not a gallows.

How to Play

1. The word-giver picks a secret word (from the list or their own), writes the clue and draws one dash per letter.
2. The guesser says one letter at a time. Cross it off in the alphabet so nobody says it twice.
3. Right letter: write it on every dash where it belongs. Wrong letter: draw the next part of the picture.
4. Guess the whole word before the picture has all 7 parts to win. Then swap jobs.

Wrong letter? Add one part to the trophy.



Secret word ideas

for the word-giver: fold this box back so nobody peeks

GOAL (4)
TEAM (4)
SWIM (4)
BALL (4)
MEDAL (5)
SKATE (5)
TENNIS (6)
SOCCER (6)
HOCKEY (6)
KARATE (6)
HELMET (6)
TROPHY (6)
RACKET (6)
WHISTLE (7)
BICYCLE (7)
REFEREE (7)
STADIUM (7)
BASEBALL (8)
FOOTBALL (8)
MARATHON (8)
BASKETBALL (10)
VOLLEYBALL (10)
SKATEBOARD (10)
GYMNASTICS (10)

draw the trophy here

Game 1

Clue: _____

Word (one dash per letter):

A B C D E F G H I
J K L M N O P Q R
S T U V W X Y Z

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Game 2

Clue: _____

Word (one dash per letter):

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Game 3

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Word (one dash per letter):

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Game 4

Clue: _____

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