2 DOCUMENTARY Soccer in Soweto



Before watching

1 THINK & SHARE Work in groups. Look at the photo. What sports do you like watching? Find other people who like watching the same sport as you.

While watching

2 Watch the video and complete the sentence.

Young people in Soweto love football and …

A running **B** dancing **C** swimming

3 Watch the video again and circle true (T) or false (F).

1 Soccer City isn't a small football stadium. T F
2 9,000 people are at the Soweto Derby. T F
3 The fans play musical instruments to make a lot of noise. T F
4 People sit down and watch the match quietly. T F
5 Dan Magness is a famous British footballer. T F
6 In Soweto, freestyle is similar to dancing. T F
7 At school, children sing and dance before playing football. T F

After watching

4 Watch the video from 01.15 to 02.00 again. Work in pairs. Which parts of the body do the freestylers use? Write or draw.



5 Read this definition. Discuss your favourite football tricks. Use the phrases below to help:

trick a clever action that somebody / something does to entertain people

- I like the trick they do with their …
- They go like this! (use actions to help you describe the trick).

Writing

6 THINK & SHARE Read the fact file about Dan from the video. Discuss with a partner what other questions you want to ask him.



Name	Dan Magness
Sport	Football freestyle
Age	35
Nationality	British
Hometown	Guildford, UK
Achievements	He can keep a football in the air for 24 hours.
Other information	He is now a TV presenter. He does tricks at lots of sports events.

7 Choose a famous sports star. Find information about them, then complete the fact file. If you can, choose a photo to go with your fact file.

Name	
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Other information	

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