

Gymnastics for Boys and Girls

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PM writing

Information Report

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Levels 14/15 Green/Orange

Key Learning Area **Health and Physical Well-being**

Theme **Gymnastics**

Text Type *Information Report*

Text Form **Reference**

Genre **Non-fiction**

Purpose **To present information that classifies living or non-living things**

Text Structure

General Statement: Identifies and classifies the subject *(Pages 2–3)*

Description: Provides information about the subject's physical appearance and other characteristics *(Pages 4–15)*

Evaluation: Provides a summary statement about the subject *(Page 16)*

Language Features

- Nouns *(e.g. girls, sport, gymnastics)*
- Pronouns *(e.g. They)*
- Adjectives *(e.g. new)*
- Present tense verbs *(e.g. meet, jump, roll)*
- Adverbial phrases *(e.g. to a gym)*

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(Recount)

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(Information Report)

The Lost Kitten
(Narrative)

Make a Money Chart
(Procedure)

A School Concert
(Exposition)

How Gliders Fly
(Explanation)

Gymnastics is a sport for boys and girls.



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Lots of children go to a gym one or two days every week.

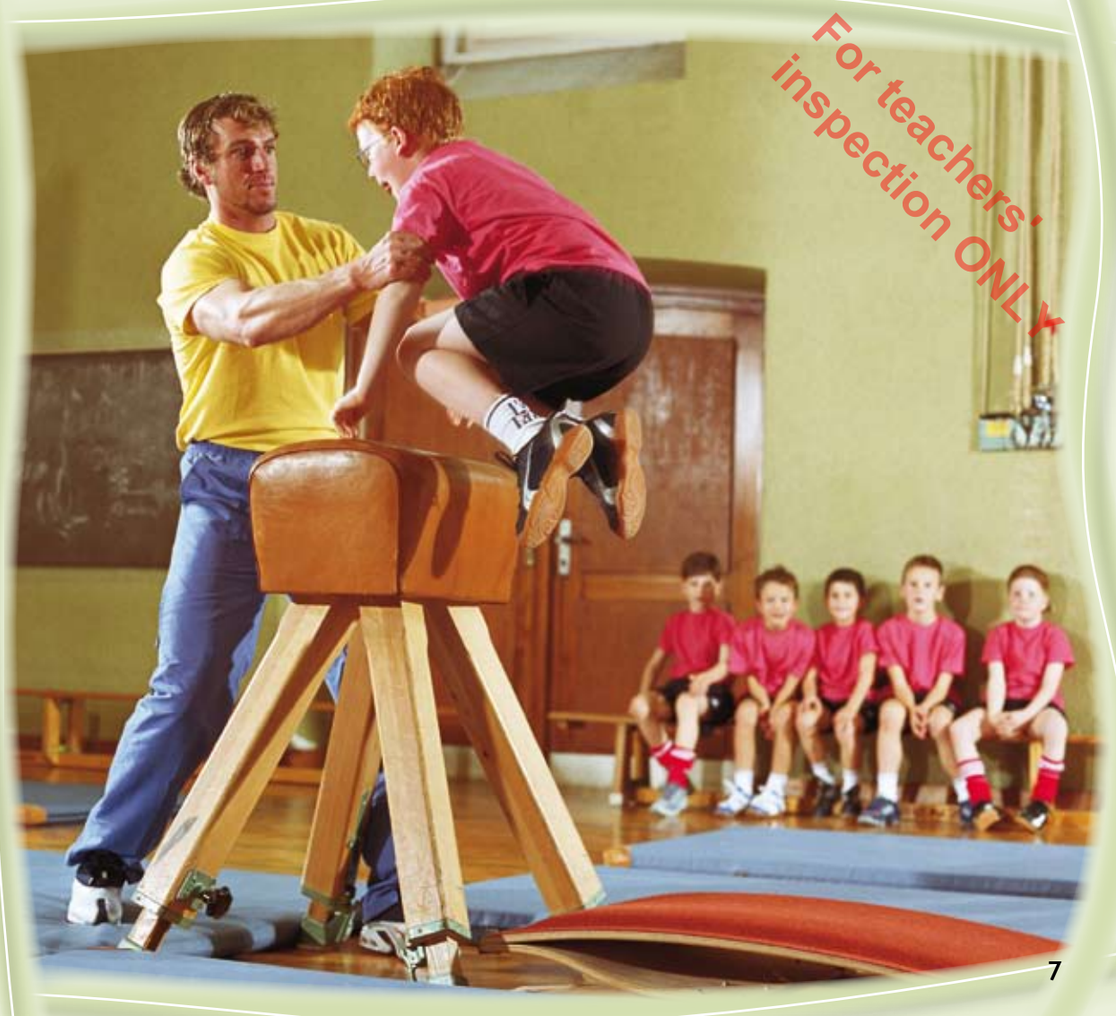
They go to the gym to get fit and have fun.

Sometimes they meet new friends at the gym.



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A coach teaches the children how to run, jump, roll and swing on the equipment.



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