

# Wide World of Sports

**Week 4**  
**June 27-30, 2011**



Sports and games have existed since ancient times. These physical activities are so imbedded in human civilization that two of today's largest global gatherings are sports related; The Olympics and FIFA World Cup.

There are over 500 kinds of sports and games played all over the world from every different country.

Take a week or two to research several different sports such as roykaking, pelotas, skibob, toe wrestling, bossaball and others. Learn and share information about a sport's origin and history, playing fields, equipment and of course rules of the game. Students will research athletic awards and other amazing facts.

## The game is on!!

**Middle School Emphasis:**  
**Physics of sporting activities, statistical analysis**

