

Unit 13

THE 22nd SEA GAMES

Lesson A: READING

Warm-up

Listen to the song and answer the questions



1. What is the name of the song?

It is “Vi mot the gioi ngay mai”

2. In what event was it first sung?

It was first sung in the 22nd Sea Games

3. When and where was this event?

It was held in 2003 in Hanoi ,Vietnam



UNIT 13

The 22nd Sea Games

1. Pre-reading

Horse racing



bodybuilding



badminton



Football



basketball



volleyball



karatedo



wushu



Table tennis



Diving



wrestling



swimming



athletics



Women's football



Weight lifting





1. pre-reading

Complete each sentence with the correct option.

1. The Sea Games is held

- a. every year b. every two years c. every four years

2. The Sea Games is the sports event which is held in.....

- a. Southeast American countries
b. Southeast African countries
c. Southeast Asian countries

3. The first Sea Games were held in.....

- a. Thailand/ 1959 b. Singapore/ 1960 c. Malaysia/ 1961

4. Vietnam has hosted the Sea Games...

- a. once b. twice c. three times



Vocabulary

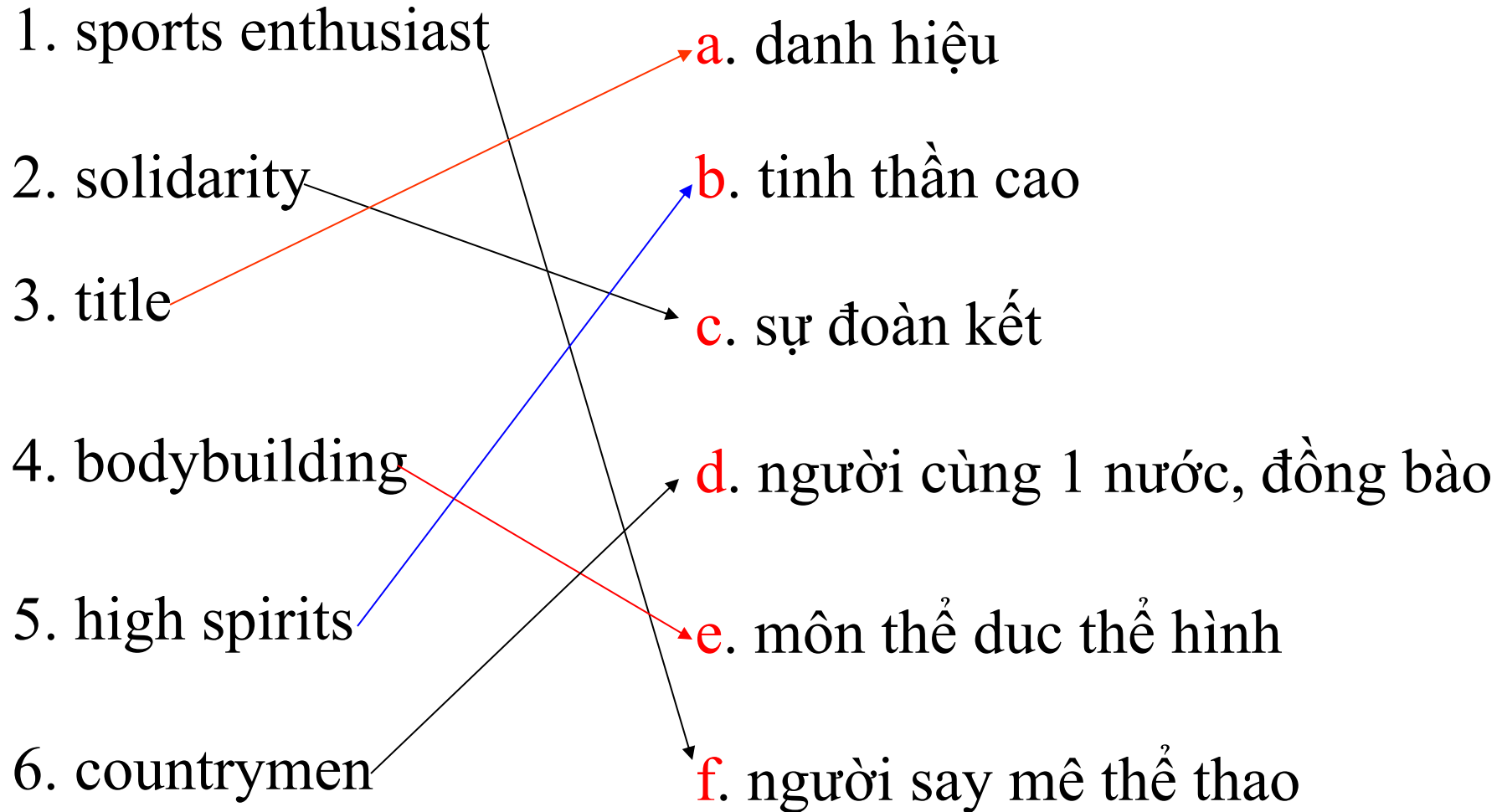
1. sports enthusiast (n) [in'θju:ziæst] người say mê thể thao
2. spirit (n) → high spirits ['spirit] tinh thần
3. solidarity (n) [,soli'dærəti] sự đoàn kết
4. bodybuilding (n) ['bɒdi,bildiŋ] môn thể dục thể hình
5. to be composed of... bao gồm

Eg: The 22nd Sea Games were composed of 32 sports


6. to rank (v) [ræŋk] xếp hạng, xếp thứ
7. outstanding (a) [aʊt'stændiŋ] xuất sắc
8. (to) defend (v) [di'fend] bảo vệ
9. countrymen (n) ['kʌntrɪmen] người cùng 1 nước, đồng bào
10. title (n) ['taɪtl] danh hiệu

Checking vocabulary

Give the Vietnamese equivalents to the following words and phrases

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| 1. sports enthusiast | a. danh hiệu |
| 2. solidarity | b. tinh thần cao |
| 3. title | c. sự đoàn kết |
| 4. bodybuilding | d. người cùng 1 nước, đồng bào |
| 5. high spirits | e. môn thể dục thể hình |
| 6. countrymen | f. người say mê thể thao |

I. WHILE YOU READ

 **Task 2.** Scan the passage and complete each of the following sentences.

1. The 22nd Sea Games were held in Vietnam from...



the 5th to 13th December 2003


While you read

Read the passage and do the tasks that follow.

The 22nd Southeast Asian Games were held in Vietnam from the 5th to 13th December, 2003. Although it was the first time Vietnam hosted such a big sports event, the Games were a great success. The Games really became a festival that impressed sports enthusiasts with its spirit: *solidarity, co-operation for peace and development.*

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Task 3. Answer the questions.

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4. Which Men's Football team won the gold medal?

The Thai team did.

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5. Why was Vietnam's first place finish not a surprise to everyone?

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After you read

SUMMARY

- Host country: Vietnam
 - Time: 5th to 13th December, 2003
 - Number of participating countries: 11
 - Number of sports events: 32
 - Total number of gold medals: 444
 - Number of gold medals Vietnam won: 158
 - The country was ranked first: Vietnam
 - The country was ranked second: Thailand
- Vietnamese Women's Football team defended the Sea Games title.
- Thai Men's Football team won the gold medals.
- The spirit of the 22nd SEA Games: **Solidarity, cooperation for peace and development**

DO YOUR HOMEWORK

- Prepare the next part of the lesson.
- Learn the vocabulary by heart.

