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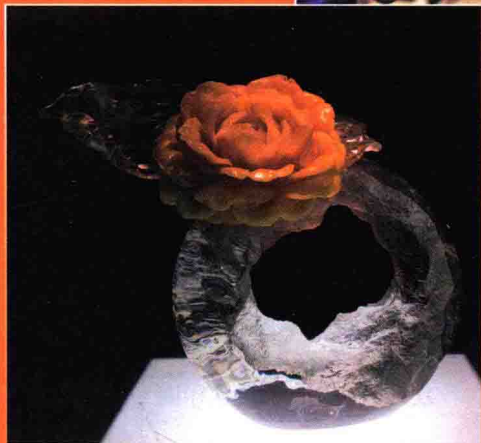
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《中学生百科英语 延伸阅读 1》为原版引进 *READ to Achieve* 系列英语读物中的第一本，书中包含了阅读文章与理解问题、重点词与关键词、单元试题库与阶段测试卷、各部分对应的答案及课文听读文件，资料翔实，精彩纷呈。

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除单元试题库外，本书还分三个阶段提供了包含多项话题的综合测试卷，每个阶段 2 套，共 6 套测试卷，为教师和学生阶段评测方面提供有力的帮助。

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**Sports: Extreme**

 **Track 001**

## Dare to Jump?

Some people like to play baseball. Others like basketball or soccer. However, for some people, those sports aren't fun enough. Some people think that the best sports are the scary sports. Sports that are very scary and dangerous are called extreme sports.

Bungee jumping is an extreme sport. When you go bungee jumping, you start at a very high place. For example, you might stand on a bridge. Bridges are probably the most popular places for bungee jumping. A very strong rope is attached to your feet. The other end of the rope is tied to the bridge. When you are ready, you jump off the bridge. For a few seconds, you fall toward the ground very fast. After that, people pull you up.

The first bungee jump was in 1979. That was in England. Later, the first bungee jumping company opened in New Zealand. The world's highest bungee jump happened in Mexico. A man jumped from a spot that was 962 meters high.

Most people say that bungee jumping is a very scary experience. They say that when they are falling, they really think that they're going to die. In fact, some people try to bungee jump, but they can't do it. When they stand on the bridge and look down, they get too scared, and they give up.

Why do people go bungee jumping? Some people want to **conquer** their fears. For example, maybe a person is afraid of being in high places. That person might think, "If I can go bungee jumping, I will never be afraid of being in high places again." Other people enjoy bungee jumping because they say it feels just like flying. Some people just want to try something new and exciting.

Bungee jumping is very dangerous. You should only do it with a **professional** teacher. You should also only go bungee jumping with good, safe companies.

Bungee jumping sounds crazy, but many people like it. Today, people do it in countries around the world. People don't just go bungee jumping from bridges, either. People bungee jump from buildings, mountains, and even **helicopters**!

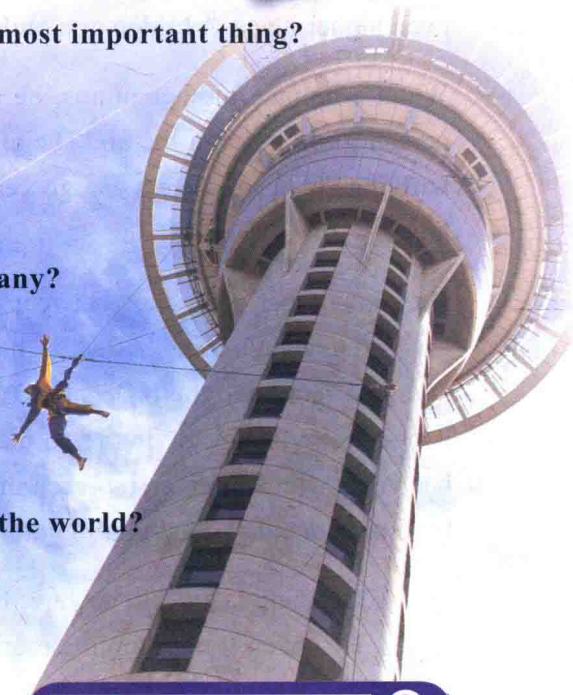
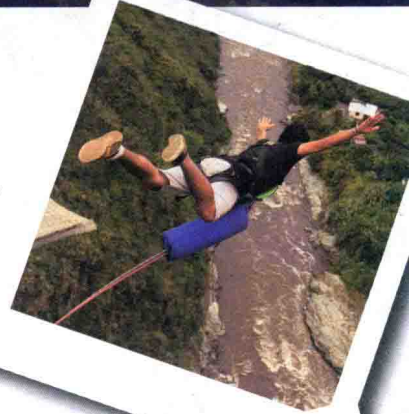




## Reading Comprehension

Choose the correct answer for each question.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What are the most popular places for bungee jumping?
  - (A) Bridges
  - (B) Helicopters
  - (C) Mountains
  - (D) Buildings
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Where did the first bungee jump happen?
  - (A) In the United States
  - (B) In New Zealand
  - (C) In Mexico
  - (D) In England
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. What is true about extreme sports?
  - (A) They are very safe.
  - (B) They are not popular.
  - (C) They are dangerous.
  - (D) They aren't scary.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. When you go bungee jumping, what is the most important thing?
  - (A) Saving money
  - (B) Being safe
  - (C) Finding a pretty place
  - (D) Having fun
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Where was the first bungee jumping company?
  - (A) In the United States
  - (B) In New Zealand
  - (C) In Mexico
  - (D) In Canada
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. How high was the highest bungee jump in the world?
  - (A) 872 meters
  - (B) 862 meters
  - (C) 952 meters
  - (D) 962 meters



Bungee jumping

