



## High Jump History

1. What is the main idea of today's *Sport Time*? Remember, the main idea gives more information about a topic.

- ☐ High jumping
- ☐ Eleanor Patterson's high jumping
- ☐ Eleanor Patterson wins Australia's first ever world high jump medal



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2. Which are the **three** most important details that support the main idea?

- ☐ The World Athletics Championships are taking place in Oregon, USA.
- ☐ Eleanor Patterson is 26 years old.
- ☐ Eleanor won the 2014 Commonwealth Games high jump gold medal.
- ☐ No Aussie had won a World Championship high jump medal before Eleanor did.
- ☐ Eleanor Patterson jumped 2.02 metres for the gold medal.
- ☐ Women's high jumping has been included at the Olympics since 1928.

3. Eleanor quit high jumping in 2018 because it was no longer fun. Then she decided to give it another go. She found a new coach, and loves jumping again. Draw or write how you think her feelings towards competition have changed.

**2018**

**2022**



## Keep it Coming with Commas

Yesterday we learned about three different uses of commas. Let's practice!

1. We use commas to **separate items in a list**. Add the commas where they belong in this sentence.

Eleanor Patterson has won medals at the Commonwealth Games World Championships World Indoor Championships and World Youth Games.



2. Use this list of athletic events to write **one or two full sentences**, adding commas where needed. Start it any way you like! (Need help? You could say which you like, and which you don't.)

pole vault

marathon

discus

javelin

hurdles

shotput

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3. We use commas to **add extra information, with an embedded clause**. Here are two sentences. Turn them into one sentence, using a comma and conjunction (a connecting word) to add the extra information.

John Winter won Australia's only Olympic high jump gold medal in 1948. He never won a World Championship.

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