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### What's the Best Sport?

Were you wondering what the best sport was? If you thought it was ice-skating, then you were right! It's the best for many reasons. First of all it's really fun. In addition to that it keeps you fit. Finally because it lets you into the "great outdoors."

The first reason ice-skating is the best sport is because it's really fun! It's fun because you can do lots of cool tricks and moves. My friend, Martha, told me that when she skated she thought, "This is so fun or I'm the best!" After surveying some fourth graders, 8 out of 11 said that they've felt like the king or queen of the world while ice-skating.

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Lea, a friend of mine, said "Every year my brother has a skating party at his school. I went one year, and every time I put my foot down I felt satisfied. This shows that ice-skating is very fun!"

Another reason ice-skating is the best sport is because it keeps you fit. After asking the question "Have you ever felt healthier after ice-skating?" 3 out of 6 people answered yes. Picture this, you go ice-skating 2 days in a row. You go home on the 2nd day and find out you lost  $2\frac{1}{2}$  pounds! This states that ice skating keeps you fit.

The final reason ice-skating is the best sport is because it lets you out into the "great outdoors." 4 out of 5 people said yes to the question "Do you ever feel alone

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while ice-skating in the "great outdoors?" I once went ice-skating in Prospect Park, then I went ice-skating in the woods the next day and it felt so different. In the park it was loud and so many people, there were places you could go and couldn't go. But in the woods it was quiet (except for birds chirping), you could go wherever you wanted, and there was only my dad, my mom, me and a couple other people. Therefore ice-skating is the best sport because it lets you out into the "great outdoors."

Now you can see, my fellow Park-Slopers, ice skating is the best sport for many reasons. It's really fun, it keeps you fit and it lets you out into the "great outdoors."