

**1. Are the statements true (T) or false (F)? Correct the false statements.**

- a. It takes a short time to become a top sumo wrestler. ....
- b. Life is easy in a sumo school. ....
- c. Sumo wrestling is a very new sport. ....
- d. A top-rank sumo wrestler is like a hero. ....
- e. The matches don't last long. ....

**2. Answer the questions about the text.**

- a. What age do you have to be to enter a sumo school?  
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- b. What happens after you join a sumo school?  
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- c. Why do some men in Japan want to become sumo wrestlers?  
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- d. What is the first thing that sumo wrestlers do in a match?  
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- e. What things must a sumo wrestler not do in a match?  
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