

## COLLOCATIONS (KOLOKACIJE)

Neke se riječi pojavljuju zajedno toliko često da kada ugledamo jednu, očekujemo ugledati i drugu (ili druge). Primjerice, riječ *nesportski* se vrlo često pojavljuje s riječju *ponašanje* – dakle, *nesportsko ponašanje*, riječ *prekršaj* se očekuje zajedno s, primjerice, riječju *počiniti* – *počiniti prekršaj* - ili s riječima *napad* te *obrana*, odnosno *prekršaj u napadu*, *prekršaj u obrani*.

Kolokacija je način na koji se riječi supojavljaju u nekome tekstu na statistički značajan način (M. Lewis (Ed.) (2001) *Teaching Collocation. Further Developments in the Lexical Approach*. (p. 132). Hove: Language Teaching Publications).

1. *a difficult match* (adjective + noun)
2. *take possession (of the ball)* (verb + noun)
3. *basketball court* (noun + noun)
4. *examine thoroughly* (verb + adverb)
5. *statistically significant* (adverb + adjective)
6. *conduct the exploratory research* (verb + adjective – noun)
7. *bloodtest* (compound noun)
8. *back and forth* (binomial)
9. *To put it another way* (discourse marker)

## BALL

**Verb:** hit/kick/throw the ~, play ~

## CHARACTERISTIC

**Adjective:** anthropological ~, anthropometric ~,

## POSSESSION

**Verb:** gain ~, win ~

## RECORD

**Verb:** break the ~, hold the ~

**Adjective:** European ~, Olympic ~

**Noun:** world ~

## **SPORT**

**Verb:** be fond of/keen on ~, do ~s, play ~s

**Adjective:** competitive ~, individual ~,  
professional ~, recreational ~

**Noun:** amateur ~, combat ~, contact ~, water ~, winter ~

## **TRAIT**

**Noun:** personality ~

## **MOTOR**

**Noun:** ~ ability, ~ behaviour, ~ function, ~ knowledge, ~ skill, ~ system

## **MUSCLE**

**Noun:** ~ action, ~ activation, ~ tonus, ~ work