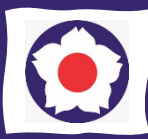


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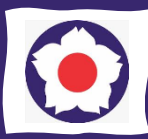
A story about the past *intermediate I,*
class V



When I was a student in secondary school, there was one **subject** that I **hated** most: **physical education**. I **was never good at** running and I could not **catch** balls.

subject	= matéria
(to) hate	= odiar
physical	= educação
education	física
(to) be good at	= ser bom em
(to) catch	= pegar

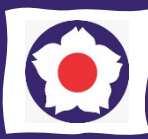




When we trained basketball, I didn't **hit** the basket.

(to) hit = acertar





When we trained volleyball, my arms **hurt** and the ball **flew below** the **net**.

(to) hurt	= doer
(to) fly	= voar
below	= embaixo de
net	= rede





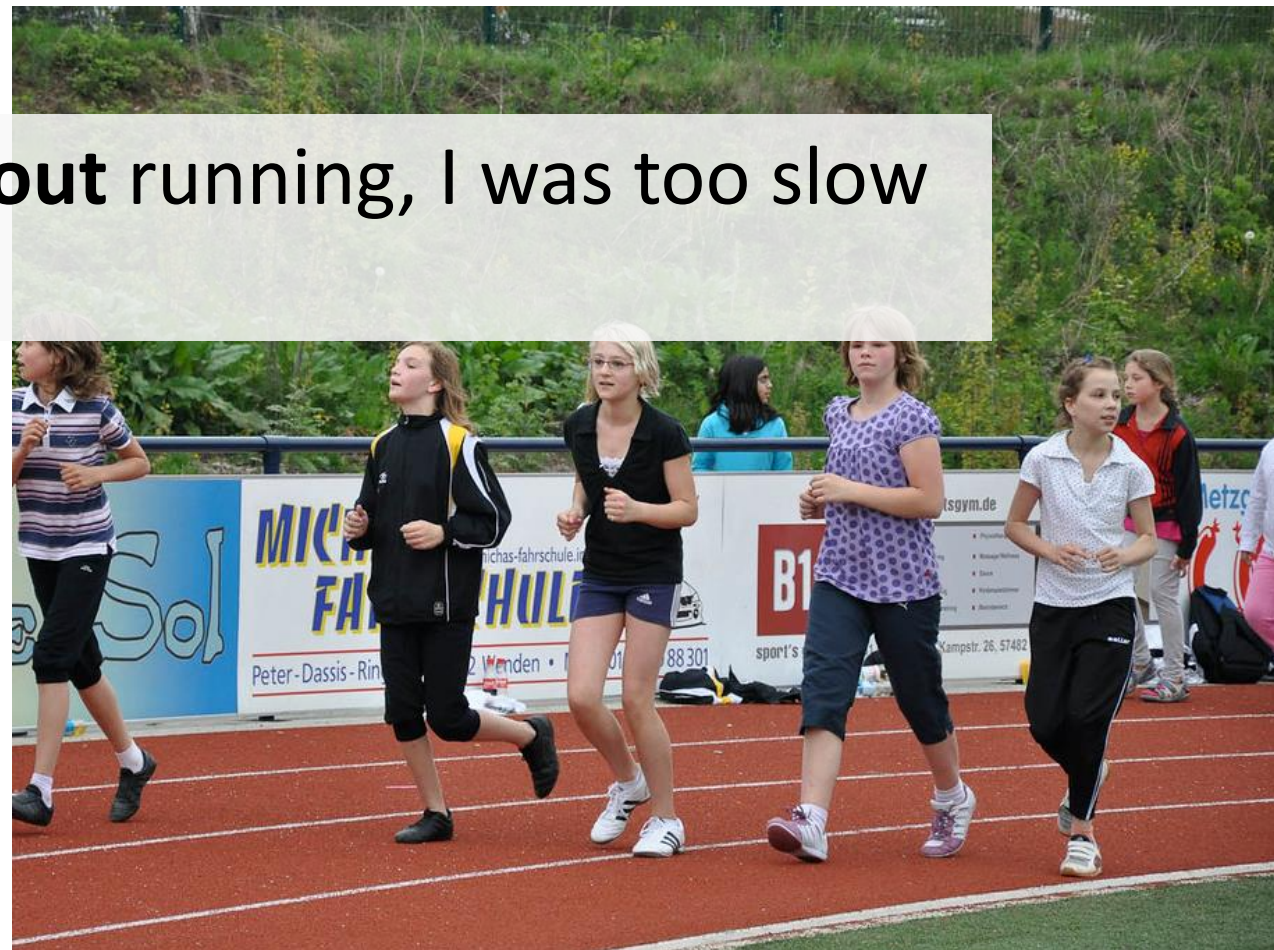
And when the class **was about** running, I was too slow and did not **pass the exam**.

(to) be about... = tratar de...

slow = lento

(to) pass an exam

= passar numa
prova





The worst thing was the **team selection**. I was always the last person that people **chose** for their team. This **made me feel so bad**.

team selection = seleção dos times
(to) choose = escolher
(to) make someone feel bad = deixar alguém triste





Finally, when school **was over**, I was **convinced** that I was simply unathletic. I decided: sport, never again!

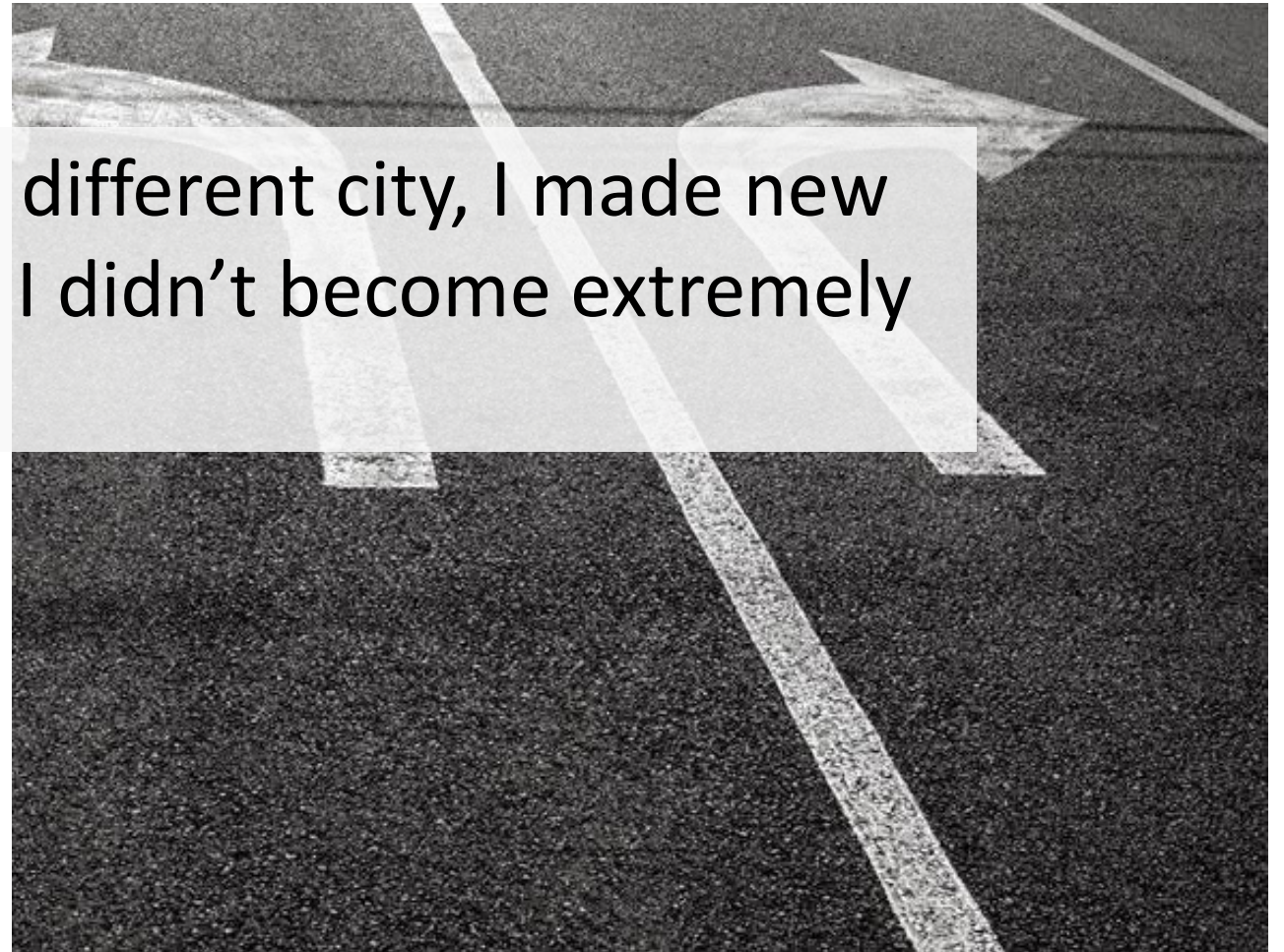
It is over.	= Acabou.
convinced	= convencido





A year passed, I moved to a different city, I made new friends. And I began to run. I didn't become extremely fast or strong.

(to) move = mudar





But when I ran my first half marathon, I **remembered** my physical education teacher and the running exam. And I **laughed**.

(to) remember = lembrar
(to) laugh = rir





Did you notice...

physical education

different

group

marathon

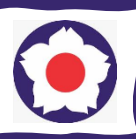
convinced

simply

selection

Many words are similar in English and Portuguese.

Use this advantage when you learn them!



Hoje aprenderam:



A escutar e entender uma história sobre o passado



Novas palavras como “convinced”, “subject”, “(to) laugh” or “to be good at”



Verbos irregulares e regulares no passado





Write down your story!

Ideas:

A bad day

Your silliest accident

How you met your friend/boyfriend/girlfriend

...





Write down your story!

■ About five sentences

■ In the simple past

■ Send it to me until Tuesday, 7th of July, 15:00

