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Writing skills practice: A blog – The X Games – blog



## The Barcelona X Games

Yesterday was the fourth day of our end-of-year trip to Barcelona and we had a really amazing day!

My friends Chris, Jules, Sam and me paid 30 euros each for tickets to see the Barcelona X Games. We thought it was really pricey but we wanted to go so much so we paid. The X Games are like the world championships of skateboarding, BMX bikes and motorbike Moto X riding. We saw the BMX bike Big Air final which was really cool. The riders went down a huge ramp at top speed, then shot upwards and did a trick in mid-air before landing on another ramp. They flew over a gap of more than 15 metres! The guy who won the gold medal was called Zack Warden and he did an awesome jump that had to be seen to be believed. We had seats near the action so we had a brilliant view of it. Check out the photo I took!



My friend Chris is a BMX rider and he knew one of the guys who was competing – he and Chris are from the same neighbourhood. Because of this contact, we got to meet some of the riders after the competition! We even got to talk to Zack Warden for a few minutes while he was chilling out after winning. He was super-friendly to us!

It was such a great day, so much fun! Can't wait to hang out with these guys again.

## Top Tips for writing

- 1. Blog about something you really love.
- 2. Write like you talk! Blogs tend to have a conversational style.
- 3. Learn to take good pictures and share them with your readers.
- 4. Share your personal experiences and your opinions.
- 5. Be original and try to show your own personality and style.
- 6. Only include your own work and never copy content without saying where it's from.

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