

### True/False Questions:

1. **Nikola Jokić was born in the United States.**
    - False (He was born in Serbia.)
  2. **Jokić loved riding horses when he was young.**
    - True
  3. **Nikola Jokić was the first Serbian player to win the NBA MVP award.**
    - True
  4. **Jokić was picked in the first round of the NBA Draft.**
    - False (He was picked in the second round, 41st overall.)
  5. **The Denver Nuggets won their first NBA championship with Jokić.**
    - True
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### Open-Ended Questions:

1. **Where was Nikola Jokić born, and what was his childhood like?**
  - Nikola Jokić was born in Sombor, Serbia. He grew up in a small town with his family and loved sports, especially horse riding. His family was close, and his brothers helped him practice basketball.
2. **What makes Nikola Jokić different from most other centers in the NBA?**
  - Jokić is different because he has excellent passing, shooting, and ball-handling skills, which are usually skills for smaller players. He plays like a point guard even though he is a center.
3. **How did Jokić's family help him become a better basketball player?**
  - Jokić's older brothers, Strahinja and Nemanja, played basketball with him when he was young. They helped him practice and improve his skills, making him stronger and better at the game.
4. **What major award did Nikola Jokić win in 2021, and why was it special?**
  - Nikola Jokić won the NBA Most Valuable Player (MVP) award in 2021. It was special because he was the first Serbian player to win this award, and he was the first Denver Nuggets player to receive it.
5. **What is Nikola Jokić's personality like off the basketball court?**
  - Jokić is humble, quiet, and down-to-earth. He prefers spending time with his family and loves horses. He is not someone who enjoys being in the spotlight.

### Multiple-Choice Questions:

1. **What sport did Jokić love besides basketball?**
  - a) Soccer

- b) Tennis
  - c) Horse riding
  - d) Swimming
- (Answer: c)*

**2. Which team drafted Nikola Jokić in the NBA?**

- a) Los Angeles Lakers
  - b) Denver Nuggets
  - c) Miami Heat
  - d) Chicago Bulls
- (Answer: b)*

**3. In what year did Jokić win his first NBA MVP award?**

- a) 2020
  - b) 2021
  - c) 2022
  - d) 2019
- (Answer: b)*

**4. How many championships did Nikola Jokić win with the Denver Nuggets by 2023?**

- a) 1
  - b) 2
  - c) 3
  - d) 0
- (Answer: a)*

**5. What role does Nikola Jokić play on the Denver Nuggets?**

- a) Point guard
  - b) Shooting guard
  - c) Center
  - d) Small forward
- (Answer: c)*