STUDENT RESPONSE PACKET **TABLE TENNIS**

NAME DATE

WHAT TO DO

The following questions will help you to have a greater appreciation and understanding of table tennis. Write your answers in the spaces below the questions. If there is not enough room, write on the backs of these sheets. Be neat, spell correctly, and write in complete sentences.

1. How does a player try to outscore his opponent?

2. What is the object of the game?

3. What was the earliest known form of table tennis? Who played it and where was it played?

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4. Who was James Gibb?

5. What invention is E. C. Goode credited with for the game of “ping pong?” What change did his invention bring to the game?

6. When did table tennis become an Olympic sport? What type of competition was offered?

7. How are points scored in table tennis?

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8. How is the ball served in a doubles game?

9. How many serves does each player get?

10. What are some of the strategies used to win a game of table tennis?

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