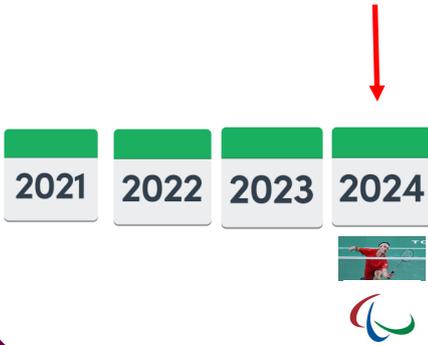




The Paralympics

The Paralympics is a sports event that happens every 4 years



The Paralympics are for sports people with a disability

- Sometimes sports people are called athletes



The Paralympics this year starts on **Wednesday 28 August 2024** until **Sunday 08 September 2024**



The Paralympics this year are in Paris in France





This is the mascot for The Paralympics 2024

it is called **Phryges**

- You say it like **Free Jes**



A Paralympic mascot is meant to bring good luck and shows the world what the country is like that the Paralympics are at



There are 215 sports people in the Paralympics GB team for this years Paralympics

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Lots of sports people from around the world take part in the Paralympics



There are 22 sports in the Paralympics like

- Para badminton
- Wheelchair basketball
- Goalball



You can watch the Paralympics on Channel 4



The next Paralympics will be on **Tuesday 22 August 2028** until **Sunday 03 September 2028**



The next Paralympics will be in Los Angeles in the USA

- A lot of people call this LA 2028

