



International School of Monterrey

Junior High School

8th Grade

Trimester _____

Literature

Name _____ Date _____ List # _____ - _____

I. DIRECTIONS: In the space, at the left of the number, write the letter of the correct answer.

1. Unable to pay attention: Bob Dylan was too _____ to do his job.

A inherent

B distracted

C anxiety

D prejudiced

2. Narrow-minded and forms negative opinions about the facts: At first, Teresa is living proof of _____ people, she judged Valentin's ability before knowing him.

A tragedy

B survivor

C distracted

D prejudiced

3. A terrible event or disaster, misfortune: Pablito almost suffered a _____ at the pool.

A distracted

B survivor

C inherent

D tragedy

4. A person who overcomes some hardship or manages to live through a disaster:

Captain Smith was a _____ of the Vietnam War.

A survivor

B inherent

C inhibit

D prejudiced

5. A feeling of being nervous and worried: Teresa and Valentin both had _____ about working together.

A inherent

B prejudiced

C anxiety

D distracted

6. In "A Job for Valentin", who tells the story about Valentin?

A Teresa

B Bob Dylan

C Valentin

D Mrs. O'Brien

7. In "A Job for Valentin", who are the heroes?

A Teresa and Bob Dylan.

B Bob Dylan & Maricela.

C Teresa & Valentin.

D Mrs. O'Brien & Valentin.

8. In "A Job for Valentin", how does Teresa's attitude toward Valentin change in the story?

A She quits her job to stop seeing Valentin.

B She gets even more annoyed by him.

C She doesn't feel bothered anymore and starts understanding him.

D She gets attracted to him instead of to Bob Dylan.

9. What is the theme of the story

A Heroes are unique people. Heroism is inherent.

B Heroes like Mrs. O'Brien are very understanding.

Don't judge a book by its cover.

Even an ordinary person can be a hero.

D Heroes are well-looking people who attract many girls.

10. What is the definition of a situational hero?

A A regular person who can do more than they think.

B Someone who has super strength.

C A person who likes the attention.

D Someone who is a thrill-seeker.

11. How does Teresa feel about Maricela?

A Teresa likes Maricela because of Pablito.

B Maricela is her friend.

C Maricela has a 2-year-old son.

D She thinks Maricela is irresponsible.

12. What did Mrs. O'Brien ask Teresa to do in her new job?

A To keep an eye on Bob Dylan.

B To keep an eye on Pabilto

C To keep an eye on Maricela.

D To keep an eye on the pool.

13. Teresa's mother is _____ about her new job because she cannot swim and the job is 45 minute from her house.

A sad

B happy

C ecstatic

D concerned

14. What is Valentin's goal by selling his rubber animal art? To _____

A buy a bicycle.

B but an unicycle.

C buy a tricycle.

D buy a motorcycle.

15. What type of art does Valentin make?

A Sculpting.

B Rubber band.

C Wood craving.

D Coloring.