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**TELANGANA, HYDERABAD.**

**TEACHING AND LEARNING WORKSHEET 11**

**LEVEL - II**

**SUBJECT : ENGLISH,**

**CLASS : IX**

**UNIT : 2 A READING (GAMES AND SPORTS)(Segment 2)**

There are 20 MCQs in section I, II and III (Reading Comprehension, vocabulary and grammar)

Section -IV is for Home Assignment (Creative Writing)

**SECTION I**

**(READING COMPREHENSION )**

**(Q. No. 1-10) Read the following passage from the lesson "True Height"**

From the age of fourteen, Michael did just that. He began a very careful and regimented weightlifting programme. He worked out every other day with weights, with some kind of running work on alternate days. The programme was carefully monitored by Michael's coach, trainer and father. Michael's dedication, determination and discipline was a coach's dream. Besides being an honest student, Michael Stone continued to help his parents with their farm chores. Michael's persistence in striving for perfection was not only his obsession but his passion.

Mildred Stone, Michael's mother, wished that he could relax a bit more and be that 'free dreaming' little boy. On one occasion she attempted to talk to him and his father about this, but his dad quickly interrupted, smiled and said, "You want something, work for it!"

All of Michael's vaults today seemed to be the reward for his hard work. If Michael Stone was surprised, thrilled or arrogant about clearing the bar at 17 feet, you couldn't tell. As soon as he landed on the inflated landing mat, and with the crowd on its feet, Michael immediately began preparing for his next attempt at flight. He seemed oblivious of the fact that he had just surpassed his personal best by three inches and that he was one of the final two competitors in the pole-vaulting event at the National Junior Olympics.

Michael cleared the bar at 17 feet and 2 inches and 17 feet 4 inches; again he showed no emotion. Constant preparation and determination were his vision. As he lay on his back and heard the crowd groan, he knew the other vaulter had missed his final jump. He knew it was time for his final jump. Since the other vaulter had fewer misses, Michael needed to clear this vault to win. A miss would get him second place. Nothing to be ashamed of, but Michael would not allow himself the thought of not winning first place.

He rolled over and did his ritual of three finger-tipped push-ups. He found his pole, stood and stepped on the runway that led to the most challenging event of his seventeen year-old life.

1. A coach's motto must be....  
 A) dedication. B) determination.  
 C) discipline. D) all the above.
2. He began a very careful and regimented weightlifting programme. The word "He" refers to...  
 A) Bertston. B) Michael stone.  
 C) Milderd stone. D) a coach.
3. Which is not true about Michael stone?  
 A) Michael stone was an honest person.  
 B) He helped his parents.  
 C) He was persistent in showing perfection.  
 D) He always dreamed to win in cricket.
4. You want something, work for it' This was the motto of....  
 A) Michael's mother. B) Michael's father.  
 C) Michael's brother. D) Michael's sister.
5. Milderd stone was.....  
 A) Michael's father. B) Michael's brother.  
 C) Michael's son D) Michael's mother.
- 6) Michael stone used to.....after achieving a goal  
 A) shout loudly B) take rest  
 C) enjoy with friends. D) prepare for next attempt
7. Oblivious means.....  
 A) famous B) unaware  
 C) strong D) large
8. Michael's records today seemed to be the rewards for his.....  
 A) height B) blindness  
 C) kindness D) hard work
9. ....and ..... were his vision.  
 A) discipline and dedication  
 B) constant preparation and determination  
 C) honesty and obedience  
 D) all of the above
10. Michael would not allow himself the thought of .....  
 A) winning first place. B) not winning the first place  
 C) practicing more. D) becoming champion.

**SECTION - II**  
**(VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR)**

(Q. No. 11-15) Some words or phrases in the given passage are underlined and numbered. Follow the direction for each question and choose the correct answer.

All of Michael's vaults today seemed to be the reward (11) for his hard work. If Michael Stone was surprised, thrilled or arrogant (12) about clearing the bar at 17 feet, you couldn't tell. As soon as he landed on the inflated land (13) mat, and with the crowd on its feet (14), Michael immediately began preparing for his next attempt at fly (15).

11. Choose the opposite word for the underlined

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| A) payment    | B) award |
| C) punishment | D) help  |

12. Find out a synonym for the underlined

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| A) humble | B) proud  |
| C) modest | D) simple |

13. Replace the underlined word with other form of the word

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| A) landing | B) landed   |
| C) lands   | D) landlord |

14. Choose the singular form for the underlined.

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| A) feets | B) foots |
| C) foot  | D) leg   |

15. Pick out the correct form of the word

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| A) flight | B) flow |
| C) flying | D) flew |

**SECTION III**  
**(EDITING)**

(Q.No. 16-20) Read the following passage, each of the numbered sentences from 16- 20 has an error. Choose the right answer to make it a correct sentence.

Michael cleared the bar at 17 feet and 2 inches and 17 feet 4 inches; (16) Again he show no emotion. (17) Constant preparation or determination were his vision. (18) As he lay on his back and hear the crowd groan, (19) he knew the other vaulter have missed his final jump. (20) He knew it was time for his final jumping.

16) Again he show no emotion.

- A) Again he shows no emotion..  
B) Again he will show no emotion..  
C) Again he had showed no emotion..  
D) Again he showed no emotion..

17. Constant preparation or determination were his vision.  
A) Constant preparation and determination were his vision. .  
B) Constant preparation but determination were his vision.  
C) Constant preparation with determination were his vision.  
D) Constant preparation are determination were his vision.
18. As he lay on his back and hear the crowd groan,.  
A) As he lay on his back and hears the crowd groan,  
B) As he lay on his back and heard the crowd groan,.  
C) As he lay on his back and will hear the crowd groan,.  
D) As he lay on his back and here the crowd groan,
19. He knew the other vaulter have missed his final jump.  
A) he knew the other vaulter had missed his final jump.  
B) he knew the other vaulter has missed his final jump..  
C) he knew the other vaulter is missed his final jump.  
D) he knew the other vaulter was missed his final jump.
20. He knew it was time for his final jumping.  
A) He knew it was time for his finally jumping.  
B) He knew it was time for his finally jump.  
C) He knew it was time for his final jump.  
D) He knew it was time for his final jumps.

**SECTION - IV**  
**HOME ASSIGNMENT**  
**CREATIVE WRITING (DISCOURSES)**

As we all know most of the parents want their children to prefer studies to games. They think playing games is a time wasting and unfruitful activity. Imagine your uncle has the same opinion. Now it's your turn to explain the importance of games in the form of dialogues. Make a conversation with him.

**Note: The answer to this question is to be submitted to your teacher on whatsapp or in a notebook**

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