



OLYMPIC GAMES QUIZ



Activity 1: Choose the correct option.

- 1** Where were the first Olympic Games held?
 - a) Athens
 - b) Olympia
 - c) Rome
 - d) Paris
- 2** In which year did the modern Olympic Games begin?
 - a) 1900
 - b) 1896
 - c) 1912
 - d) 1980
- 3** The idea of the modern Olympic Games was to promote...
 - a) competition among different countries.
 - b) tourism in the hosting countries.
 - c) peace and friendship among countries through sports.
 - d) team sports.
- 4** How many countries participated in the first modern Olympics?
 - a) 10
 - b) 14
 - c) 20
 - d) 43
- 5** Which of these sports was NOT included in the first modern Olympic Games?
 - a) Basketball
 - b) Athletics
 - c) Swimming
 - d) Cycling
- 6** Which Olympic sport requires amazing strength, balance and agility?
 - a) Swimming
 - b) Cycling
 - c) Gymnastics
 - d) Long jump
- 7** Which athlete holds the record for the most Olympic gold medals?
 - a) Simone Biles
 - b) Katie Ledecky
 - c) Usain Bolt
 - d) Michael Phelps
- 8** Who is known as the fastest man on Earth?
 - a) Michael Phelps
 - b) Usain Bolt
 - c) Jesse Owens
 - d) Tommy Smith



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9 Which athlete won four gold medals in the 1936 Olympics?

- a) Simone Biles
- b) John Carlos
- c) Michael Phelps
- d) Jesse Owens

10 What do the five rings on the Olympic flag represent?

- a) The five oceans in the world.
- b) The union of the five inhabited continents.
- c) The fact that the first Olympic Games included only five sports.
- d) The fact that the Olympic Games are held every five years.

11 What does the Olympic flame symbolize?

- a) Friendship and solidarity
- b) Patience and commitment
- c) Light of spirit, knowledge and life
- d) Strength and perseverance

12 What is the motto of the Olympics?

- a) Stronger - Faster - Better
- b) Faster - Higher - Stronger
- c) Stronger - Braver - Faster
- d) Faster - Stronger - Smarter

13 In which year were women allowed to compete in the Olympic Games for the first time?

- a) 1896
- b) 1936
- c) 1900
- d) 2008

14 At present time,

- a) the Olympic Games celebrate ethnic and racial diversity.
- b) the Olympic Games continue to inspire and unite people around the world.
- c) nearly half of the participants in the Olympic Games are women.
- d) the information in options "a", "b", and "c" above are correct.

Activity 2: True or false? Choose the correct option.

1 The first Olympic Games were held in ancient Greece in 776 AD.

TRUE FALSE

2 Simone Biles is known for her incredible gymnastics skills.

TRUE FALSE

3 The Olympic flame is lit in the host city.

TRUE FALSE

4 The Olympic Summer Games are held every two years.

TRUE FALSE

5 The country that holds the record for the most Olympic medals overall is Germany.

TRUE FALSE