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TEACHING AND LEARNING WORKSHEET-4LEVEL – II

SUBJECT : ENGLISH **CLASS : X**
UNIT-1 : A Reading (Attitude is Altitude) Segment-3
There are 20 MCQs in section I, II and III (Reading Comprehension, Vocabularyand Grammar)
Section –IV is for Home Assignment (Creative Writing)

SECTION I (READING COMPREHENSION)

(Q. No.1-10) Read the following passage from the lesson "Attitude is Altitude",

At age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful. 'I felt there was no purpose when you lack purpose and strength. It is hard to hold on,' he said. But with the help of his religion, friends and family, Nick managed to pull through to become an international symbol of triumph over adversity.

'When I was 13, I read a newspaper article about a disabled man who had managed to achieve great things and helped others,' said Nick.

'I realised why God had made us like this - to give hope to others. It was so inspirational to me that I decided to use my life to encourage other people and give them the courage that the article had given me. '

'I decided to be thankful for what I do have, not get angry about what I don't. '

'I looked at myself in the mirror and said: 'You know what the world is right that I have no arms or legs, but they'll never take away the beauty of my eyes.' I wanted to concentrate on something good that I had.'

"The challenges in our lives are there to strengthen our convictions. They are not there to run us over", said Nick. In 1990 Nick won the Australian Young Citizen of the Year award for his bravery and perseverance.

'And once I was in a car and a girl at traffic lights was looking at me interestingly. She could only see my head so I decided to do a 360 degree spin in the car seat to freak her out. Her face was like wooooooooah what is going on? She sped off really quickly.'

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Now, answer the following questions. Each question has four choices. Choose the correct answer.

1. What was the luckiest thing mentioned in this passage?
   A) Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful
   B) Nick tried to write an exam, luckily his attempt was successful.
   C) Nick tried to bath but luckily the attempt was successful
   D) Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was successful

2. How did Nick overcome his adversity?
   A) with the help of his classmates.
   B) with the help of his religion, friends and family.
   C) with the help of his neighbors.
   D) with the help of his teachers.

3. The newspaper article was about……..
   A) a disabled man who had managed to achieve great things and helped others.
   B) a disabled man who had achieved great things but not helped others.
   C) a disabled woman who had managed to achieve great things and helped others.
   D) a disabled man who had not achieved great things but helped others.

4. How did Nick get inspired by the newspaper article?
   A) Nick decided to use his life to encourage other people and give them the courage.
   B) Nick decided not to use his life to encourage other people and give them the courage
   C) Nick decided to use his life to discourage other people and give them the courage
   D) Nick decided to use his life to encourage other people and not to give them the courage

5. 'I decided to be thankful for what I do have, not get angry about what I don't.'
   What does this sentence tell about the speaker?
   A) The speaker's positive attitude.
   B) The speaker's negative attitude.
   C) The speaker's disappointed mood.
   D) The speaker's humorous attitude.

6. The purpose of Nick's life is to give .....to others.
   A) hope
   B) speeches
   C) money
   D) strength

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7. How are the challenges useful in our life?

A) The challenges strengthen our convictions
B) The challenges weaken our convictions
C) The challenges strengthen our body
D) The challenges discourage us.

8. What type of text is this passage?

A) Narrative
B) News article.
C) Autobiography
D) Description

9. Nick won the Australian Young Citizen of the Year award….

A) for his positive attitude
B) for his bravery and perseverance
C) for his speeches
D) foe his helping nature

10. What helped Nick do a 360 degree spin in the car seat?

A) his positive attitude.
B) his limbless body.
C) his humorous nature
D) his fighting nature.

SECTION II VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

(Q. No.11-15) Read the passage given below. Five of the words are underlined and numbered. Follow the direction and choose the correct answer from the given choices.

Nick's father was a computer programmer and accountant and he taught his little **sun** (11) how to type with his toe at just 6 years old. His mum **discovered** (12) a special plastic device that meant he could hold a pen and pencil. Despite the risk of being bullied, his parents insisted Nick **by** (13) attending Mainstream school. 'It wasthe best decision they could have made for me,' adds Nick, who later **achieved** (14) adegree in Financial Planning and Real Estate. 'It was very hard but it gave me **independence**' (15).

11. Replace the underlined word with a correct one.

A) son
B) daughter
C) niece
D) nephew

12. Replace the underlined word with a correct one.

A) invented
B) bought
C) found
D) inventing

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13. Replace the underlined word with a suitable one.

A) on B) of

C) to D) from

14. Write the word that gives the same meaning in the context.

A) carried out successfully B) accomplished

C) A & B D) failure

15. Write the antonym of the underlined word.

A) independent B) responsible

C) dependence D) slavery

SECTION – III
(EDITING)

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

Nick, who was teased and bullied, had an electric wheelchair for mobility, and a team of carers to help him.(16) 'I was deep depressed when I was eight years old,' he said. 'I went to my mum crying and told her I wanted to kill myself. I felt cold and bitter.(17) I hated God at doing this to me and was terrified of what would happen when my parents were there to look after me. (18) 'I brush could my own teeth witha wall mounted brush and wash my own hair with pump action soap, but there wasso much that was impossible for me. (19) From age ten Nick tried to drown himselfin the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful. 'I felt there was no purpose when you lack purpose and strength. It is hard to hold on,' he said. (20) But with thehelp of his religion, friends and family, Nick managed to pull through to become aninternational symbol of triumph over adversity.

16. 'I was deep depressed when I was eight years old,' he said.

A) 'I was deeply depressed when I was eight years old,' he said

B) 'I am deeply depressed when I was eight years old,' he said

C) 'I was deeply depress when I was eight years old,' he said

D) 'I am deep depression when I was eight years old,' he said

17. I hated God at doing this to me.'

A) I hated God by doing this to me.

B) I hated God for doing this to me.

C) I hated God for doing this for me

D) I hated God on doing this to me.'

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18. 'I brush could my own teeth with a wall mounted brush.

A) 'I brush my own teeth could with a wall mounted brush.

B) 'I my own teeth could brush with a wall mounted brush.

C) 'I could brush my own teeth with a wall mounted brush.

D) My own teeth 'I could brush with a wall mounted brush.

19. From age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful.

A) At age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful.

B) On age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful.

C) When age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful.

D) By age ten Nick tried to drown himself in the bath but luckily the attempt was unsuccessful.

20. Nick managed to pull through to become a international symbol of triumph over adversity.

A) Nick managed to pull through to become an international symbol of triumph over adversity.

B) Nick managed to pull through to become the international symbol of triumph over adversity.

C) Nick managed to pull through to become international symbol of triumph over adversity.

D) Nick managed to pull through to become of international symbol of triumph over adversity.

SECTION – IV HOME ASSIGNMENT
CREATIVE WRITING (DISCOURSE)

The answer to this question is to be submitted to your teacher on whatsappor in a note book.

In this segment you have read that Nick tried to commit suicide but his attempt was unsuccessful. Later he read a newspaper article that changed his mind.

Now, describe Nick's thoughts after the attempt became unsuccessful.

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