

CREST English Olympiad (CEO) Worksheet

Class 9

Topic

Spoken and Written Expressions













Worksheet on Spoken and Written Expressions

Direction for questions (1-3): Read the given dialogue and answer the questions:

John: Hi there! I'm John. Is this your first day at this school too?
Martin: Hey, John! Yeah, it is. I'm Martin. Just moved here recently. Where were you before?
John: Oh, I used to go to Maplewood High. How about you?
Martin: I was at Oakridge Middle School. Quite different from here, I think.
John: Yeah, I heard Oakridge is bigger. How are you finding this new school?
Martin: It's different but in a good way. Everyone seems friendly. What do you like doing
outside of school?
John: I'm really into sports, especially basketball. You?
Martin: Nice! I play soccer and I love sketching in my free time?
John: Math and science, definitely. How about you?
Martin: I enjoy history and art. What do you think of our new teachers so far?
John: They seem pretty cool, especially Mr Thompson, the science teacher. What about
you?
Martin: Yeah, I liked Mrs Davis, our history teacher. Seems like we might have some fun
classes this year.
John: Definitely! Hey,(2) Maybe play some basketball or sketch at the
park?
Martin:(3), John! Let's exchange numbers after class.

1. What will come in blank 1?

- a. Do you have any favourite subjects
- b. Do you like to play volleyball
- c. Do you have an interest in guitar
- d. Do you like swimming

2. What will come in blank 2?

- a. we should fall apart more often
- b. we should split our time and money
- c. we should hang out sometime
- d. let's have a meeting

3. What will come in blank 3?

- a. That sounds great
- b. That sounds funny
- c. Really! should we?
- d. Ok, if you say so

Direction for questions (4-8): Read the given dialogue and answer the questions:

Coach: Hey there, Jake. I noticed you were a bit ____(4)____ after missing that goal today. Everything alright?

Jake: Coach, I blew it! I should've scored that goal. I let the team down.

Coach: It happens, Jake. Even the best players miss shots sometimes. Remember, it's not about the missed shot, it's about ______(5)____.

Jake: But it was such an important chance. I feel terrible about it.

Coach: I understand your disappointment, but dwelling on it won't change the outcome. What's important is how you use this as ____(6)____ for the next game.

Jake: I don't want to let the team down again.

Coach: You won't, Jake. You're a valuable player. Your dedication and skill are what the team needs. Use this setback as fuel to work even harder in practice.

Jake: Alright, Coach. I'll give it my all next time. I promise ______(7)____.

Coach: That's the spirit, Jake! Remember, every game is a new opportunity. Learn from today, keep practising, and stay_____(8)____. You've got what it takes, I believe in you.

Jake: Thanks, Coach. I'll give my best in the next match.

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4. What will come in blank 4?

- a. Satisfied
- b. upset
- c. overwhelmed
- d. en route

5. What will come in blank 5?

- a. how you take revenge
- b. how you react
- c. fight fire with fire
- d. how you bounce back

6. What will come in blank 6?

- a. measurement
- b. motivation
- c. an excuse
- d. pretext

7. What will come in blank 7?

- a. I won't let you down
- b. settle the scores this time
- c. draw somebody's fire
- d. fight fire with fire

8. What will come in blank 8?

- a. tuned
- b. updated
- c. focused
- d. aligned

Direction for questions (9-10): Read the dialogue given and answer the question:

Son: Dad, I failed my math test. I don't know what to do.

Father: Hey, it's okay. We all face setbacks sometimes. What happened?

Son: I thought I understood the material, but I couldn't solve the problems in the test.

Father: It happens, son. Math can be tricky. But failing once_____(9)_____. It's a chance to learn and improve.

Son: I feel like I disappointed you, Dad.

Father: No, not at all. I'm here to support you, not judge you. Remember, success is often built on failures. It's how we learn and grow.

Son: I'm just afraid of failing again.

Father: Don't be. Use this as motivation. Work on the areas you found difficult. Seek help if needed. You're capable of much more than one test result.

Son: I'll try harder next time, Dad.

Father: _____(10) _____ ! I'm proud of you for wanting to do better. Remember, it's

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not about the setback but how you rise from it. You've got this, son. I believe in you.

9. What will come in blank 9?

- a. can't be permanent
- b. can't limit you
- c. doesn't define your abilities
- d. can't stop you

10. What will come in blank 10?

- a. That's the fundamental aspect
- b. That is absolutely right
- c. That's more of like my son
- d. That's the spirit

Answer Key

5. d 6. 7. 1. а 2. С 3. а b b а 8. С 9. С 10. d

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