



8. Gavin Featherstone has a wide variety of sporting ..... He started as an apprentice Footballer at Chelsea F.C. in London and moved on into Hockey, captaining England at every Level.

- a. involvement      b. classification      c. athletics      d. literature

9. World Wrestling ....., Inc. (WWF) is a media, sports and entertainment company dealing primarily in the professional wrestling industry.

- a. Fund      b. Federation      c. Feature      d. Function

10. There is a need for a more ..... review of our training sessions over time.

- a. system      b. systematic      c. systematize      d. systematically

11. The term ..... refers to a written statement of the principles and aims of an organization.

- a. delegate      b. charter      c. segment      d. structure

12. There should be a spirit of ..... in international contests.

- a. lethargy      b. character      c. goodwill      d. enterprise

13. A short sentence or phrase giving a rule on how to behave, which expresses the aims or beliefs of a person, school, or institution is referred to as .....

- a. symbol      b. emblem      c. motto      d. cliché

14. The gym was closed on Friday and Saturday for routine.....

- a. material      b. Member      c. moderation      d. maintenance

15. It is very important that athletes, coaches, and parents each choose to have an attitude that will promote the level of ..... that is required for a program to be successful.

- a. Excellence      b. Excellently      c. Excellent      d. Excel

## Part 2

**Directions:** Select the best choice (a, b, c, or d) with the nearest meaning to the underlined word, and mark it on your answer sheet.

16. Sports-related spectator violence is, however, often more strongly associated with social group than with the specific nature of the sport itself.

- a. someone who is familiar with the nature of sports
- b. a violent person who watches sports all the time
- c. a person who is watching an sport event
- d. someone who is from a low social class

17. Steroids are thought to increase muscle mass and muscular strength, but the side effects include damage to various organs and, in the case of women, masculinization (e.g., facial hair, deeper voices).

- a. an effect that a drug has on your body in addition to curing pain or illness
- b. both the negative and positive effects that a drug has on your body
- c. the effect that a drug has on you that is significant to your recovery
- d. the way that a drug affects your body to make you feel better

18. This center is a modern multi-sport facility with a large gym hall and two studios for fitness and martial arts.

- a. the material which are suitable or useful for a particular work
- b. the tools and machines that you need to start a specific activity
- c. buildings, equipment, etc. that are provided for a particular purpose
- d. something that is absolutely necessary for doing something significant

19. It is often extraordinarily difficult for sports in developing countries to create a system to develop top level coaches, but, this challenge must be faced because **failure** to do so, means limiting the program to a lower level.

- a. the success you obtain when you win a contest
- b. lack of success in achieving or doing something
- c. not having what you want or what you need
- d. the way you fail to achieve what you desire

20. Training coaches is a long-term project requiring a systematic **approach**. The plan must also be flexible and sensitive to the ever-changing needs of the coaches.

- a. a formal demand for a project
- b. written request for a crucial plan
- c. an quick move for hiring coaches
- d. a way of dealing with something

### Part 3

**Directions:** Read each passage carefully and then select the best answer to each question that follows the passage.

#### Passage 1

In modern times, association football is certainly less violent than rugby, but soccer hooliganism is a worldwide phenomenon, while spectator violence associated with the more upper-class but rougher sport of rugby has been minimal.

21. According to the above passage which statement is **TRUE**?

- a. soccer is as violent as rugby is.
- b. compared to rugby, soccer is a higher-class sport.
- c. spectator violence is more common in rugby than it is in soccer.
- d. spectator violence is at a lower level in rugby than it is in soccer.



### Passage 2

Most comprehensive programs recognize that training must be provided for different levels of experience —usually 2-4 levels are established. The first level may be very basic, and be oriented towards encouraging individuals to become involved and to be reasonably competent in working with beginners. In addition, Coaches training must relate to three needs —sport specific technical knowledge, coaching theory, and practical experience. Sport specific knowledge includes subjects such as technique, strategy, and training plans. Theoretical knowledge includes subject areas such as psychology, physiology, biomechanics, principles of training, athletic injuries, diet, and so on.

22. What is the main focus of the above passage?

- a. the characteristics of a coaches training program
- b. recognition of the most comprehensive program
- c. the two experience levels established in a program
- d. the specific needs of coaches in a training program

23. Based on the above passage, which statement is **TRUE**?

- a. theoretical knowledge covers less than seven subject areas.
- b. training plans is a major component of practical experience.
- c. one of the aims of the first level of experience is to help coaches in developing skills needed for working with beginners
- d. technique, strategy, and training plans are the three main needs to which every coaches training programs must be related

## Passage 3

## What Is the Olympic Movement?

Pierre de Coubertin and others **founded** the International Olympic Committee and the modern Olympic cycle on June 23, 1894 at a meeting at the Sorbonne in Paris. De Coubertin developed his proposals for the modern Games in response to deep-seated political and social crises in his native France. Like many of his contemporaries, he came to believe that the solution was educational reform, and his proposals —initially for the development of sports clubs, and subsequently for a modern Games —were drafted with this end in view. He believed the creation of a system of highly competitive sport could inspire and invigorate the youth and thereby shake France out of its lethargy. Eventually, he applied these aspirations to the entire world and argued that the shared pursuit of excellence would build an international movement which could contribute to the peaceful resolution of international conflict.

In de Coubertin's view, the Olympic Games were not simply to be an athletic event, but the focal point for a broadly based social movement, which, through the activity of sport and play, would enhance human development and international understanding.

More than 160 National Olympic Committees (NOCs) have joined the Olympic Movement. Some are large and others are small; some represent all the sports in the summer and winter Olympic Games and others represent just those Olympic sports which are practiced in their countries. The IOC Charter stipulates that there must be at least five sports practiced in a country before an NOC can be formed.

All NOCs have accepted certain constitutional principles laid down by the International Olympic Committee and all of them have joined a great cooperative enterprise to promote the Olympic Games and to develop in their own countries the ideas and ideals upon which the Olympic Movement is based.

24. In the first line of the passage, the word '*founded*' is closest in meaning to .....

- a. started                      b. searched                      c. discovered                      d. came across

25. In regard to a highly competitive sport system, Pierre de Coubertin believed that it .....

- a. will surely shake France out of its lethargy
- b. would build an international movement
- c. could inspire and invigorate the youth
- d. will develop an international conflict

26. Based on the view point of Pierre de Coubertin, the Olympic Games were .....

- a. just to be an athletic event and the focus of a social movement
- b. to enhance human development through communication
- c. to be the focal point for a broadly based social movement
- d. to start international communication

27. Based on the above passage, which statement is **TRUE**?

- a. Only large NOCs represent sports in winter Olympic Games.
- b. Not all the NOCs represent sports both in summer and winter Olympic Games.
- c. All NOCs represent all the sports in the summer and winter Olympic Games.
- d. Each NOC is allowed to represent sports either in winter Olympic Games or in summer

Olympic Games.

28. According to the above passage, we can say that if a country wants to form an NOC it must have ..... sports practiced.

- a. fewer than five
- b. more than five
- c. five or fewer
- d. five or more

29. Based on the above passage, which statement is **TRUE**?

- a. It is the job of the IOC to join the NOCs in promoting the Olympic Games.
- b. All NOCs are involved in setting the constitutional principles for the IOC.
- c. The Olympic Movement develops ideas and ideals in NOCs' countries.
- d. The IOC sets certain constitutional principles and all NOCs follow them.

30. In the last paragraph of the passage, what does the pronoun **them** refer to?

- a. enterprise
- b. all NOCs
- c. constitutional principles
- d. International Olympic Committee