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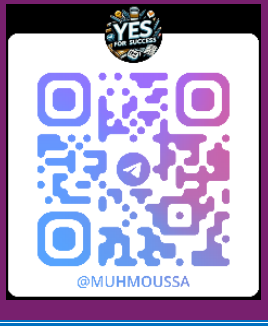
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Unit One

Kuwait: Stories Of Success



Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
curious (adj)	شغوف	merely (adv)	بشكل مجرد
talent (n)	موهبة	mindset (n)	عقلية
explorer (n)	مستكشف	consistently (adv)	باستمرار
proudly (adv)	بفخر	efficiently (adv)	بكفاءة
highlight (v)	يُظهر – يسلط الضوء	give up (ph.v)	يتخلى عن - يستسلم
represent (v)	يمثل	tough (adj)	قاسي – صعب
inspire (v)	يلهم	positive (adj)	إيجابي
remarkable(adj)	ملحوظ – بارز	trust (v)	يثق
fulfil (v)	يحقق	progress (n)	تقدم – تطور
expedition (n)	رحلة استكشافية	trait (n)	سمه – صفه
will (n)	إرادة	remain (v)	يظل – يبقى
survive (v)	ينجو	equally (adv)	بشكل متساوي

**** Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d:***

1. Explorers must have a strong _____ to face challenges.

a) will **b) tale** **c) axe** **d) progress**

2. The scientists completed a dangerous _____ in the Arctic.

a) expedition **b) mindset** **c) talent** **d) will**

3. Her strong will helped her to overcome every obstacle and to work_____.

a) equally **b) efficiently** **c) merely** **d) proudly**

4. One important _____ of a leader is trust.

a) trait **b) explorer** **c) expedition** **d) mindset**

5. To achieve success, it is important to remain _____.

a) positive **b) curious** **c) energetic** **d) tough**

6. He continued working _____ even when the task was difficult.

a) consistently **b) toughly** **c) merely** **d) equally**

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7. It is never smart to _____ when facing problems.

a) give up **b) trust** **c) inspire** **d) remain**

8. A leader should always _____ the people around them.

a) survive **b) fulfill** **c) highlight** **d) inspire**

9. The government treats all citizens _____.

a) efficiently **b) equally** **c) consistently** **d) proudly**

10. The students stayed _____ during the PE class.

a) energetic **b) curious** **c) positive** **d) remarkable**

**** Fill in the gaps using words from the list:***

(expedition – explorer – will – trait –tough)

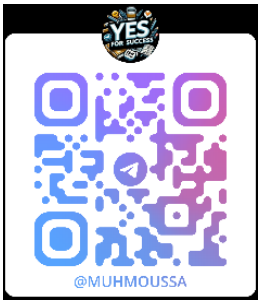
1. The _____ wanted to learn about every unknown animal in the forest.
2. Their team completed a dangerous _____ across the desert.
3. Her strong _____ and determination helped her pass the test.
4. Climbing the mountain was very_____, but they succeeded.

**** Fill in the gaps using words from the list:***

(inspire– mindset – remain– fulfil – highlight)

1. A positive _____ helps you achieve your goals.
2. A teacher can _____ students to do their best.
3. He tried hard to _____ his dream of becoming a doctor.
4. The report will _____ the main points of the experiment.

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Grammar

- Past Simple
- Past Continuous
- Both...and / neither .....nor

1. Past Simple

**** Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d:***

1. The scientist _____ his theory in a famous journal in 1928.

a) publish **b) published** **c) is publishing** **d) publishes**

2. Last year, my family _____ to Turkey for a cultural trip.

a) travel **b) are traveling** **c) travels** **d) traveled**

3. The students _____ their project before the deadline.

a) finished **b) finish** **c) finishes** **d) are finishing**

4. The writer _____ three novels before he died.

a) write **b) writing** **c) writes** **d) wrote**

5. They _____ the accident on last evening's news.

a) report **b) reported** **c) reports** **d) reporting**

6. Our teacher _____ us about World War II yesterday.

a) tell **b) tells** **c) told** **d) is telling**

7. She _____ her keys, so she couldn't enter the house.

a) lose **b) lost** **c) loses** **d) losing**

8. The company _____ hundreds of workers last month.

a) employ **b) employed** **c) employs** **d) employing**

9. The plane _____ late because of the storm yesterday.

a) arrive **b) arrived** **c) arrives** **d) arriving**

10. He _____ his phone at school, but luckily a teacher found it.

a) forget **b) forgot** **c) forgets** **d) forgetting**

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Do as the shown between brackets:

1. They completed the assignment on time. **'Change to negative'**

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2. The scientists discovered a new planet last month. **'Form a question'**

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3. The students (prepare) for the debate last week. **'Correct the verb'**

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4. She (buy) a new laptop yesterday. **'Correct the verb'**

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5.They traveled to Spain last summer. **'Form a question'**

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2. Past Continuous

Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d:

1. The students _____ their presentations when the principal entered the hall.

a) gave **b) were giving** **c) give** **d) giving**

2. She _____ an email when the internet connection was lost.

a) was writing **b) wrote** **c) writes** **d) writing**

3. They_____ chess while their classmates were watching.

a) played **b) were playing** **c) play** **d) plays**

4. I _____ to the lecture when I saw an old friend.

a) walked **b) walk** **c) was walking** **d) walking**

5. As the teacher _____ the instructions, the students took notes.

a) explaining **b) was explaining** **c) explains** **d) explained**

6. The lights went out while we _____ our homework.

a) did **b) do** **c) were doing** **d) doing**

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7. When the accident happened, people _____ photos instead of helping.

a) took **b) are taking** **c) take** **d) were taking**

8. As he _____ a speech, the audience started clapping.

a) delivered **b) was delivering** **c) delivers** **d) delivering**

9. While the children _____ in the park, it suddenly started to rain.

a) played **b) were playing** **c) plays** **d) play**

10. I _____ about the exam when the fire alarm rang.

a) thought **b) was thinking** **c) think** **d) thinks**

**** Do as the shown between brackets:***

1. The students (discuss) the topic when the bell rang. **'Correct the verb'**

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2. She (write) an email while her sister was cooking. **'Correct the verb'**

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3. Ali started studying. Omar was playing video games. **'Join using while'**

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4. He explained the lesson. We were listening carefully. **'Join using when'**

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3. Both…and / Neither…nor

**** Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d:***

1. _____ the teacher and the students were happy with the exam results.

a) Both **b) Neither** **c) Either** **d) Not only**

2. She speaks both English _____ French fluently.

a) and **b) nor** **c) or** **d) so**

3. _____ my brother nor my sister attended the ceremony.

a) Both **b) Either** **c) Neither** **d) Not only**

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4. Both the principal and the teachers _____ in the meeting room.

a) is **b) be** **c) was** **d) are**

5. I met two tourists, but ___ of them knew Arabic. They spoke in English only.

a) both **b) neither** **c) either** **d) all**

**** Do as the shown between brackets:***

1. Ali plays football. Omar plays football. **'both…….and'**

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2. Sara didn't attend the meeting. Mona didn't attend the meeting.

'neither…….nor'

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3. The movie was funny. The movie was exciting. **'both…….and'**

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4. The answer is not correct. The answer is not clear. **'neither…….nor'**

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5. The teacher praised both Ali and Sara. **'Make neative'**

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Reading

Read the following passage and answer the questions:

Success is rarely achieved by one person working alone. Throughout history, teamwork has been the driving force behind many great **accomplishments**. Building a bridge, launching a spacecraft, or winning a championship all require people with different skills working together toward the same goal. Each member contributes something unique, and when combined, these efforts produce results that no single person could achieve.

One of the main advantages of teamwork is the sharing of ideas. When people brainstorm together, **they** often discover solutions that would not have been possible individually. Teamwork also provides support; when challenges arise, members can encourage one another and divide responsibilities to reduce pressure. In this way, cooperation not only increases efficiency but also strengthens relationships.

However, effective teamwork is not automatic. It requires communication, respect, and trust among members. Disagreements may occur, but when handled with patience, they can lead to even better outcomes. Good leaders play an important role by guiding the group, ensuring fairness, and motivating everyone to give their best.

In today's interconnected world, teamwork is more important than ever. From classrooms to companies, success depends on people working together. Whether solving problems, creating innovations, or facing challenges, teamwork proves that unity is strength.

**** Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d:***

1. The best title for the passage is:

a) The Importance of Leaders b) The Power of Teamwork

c) Working Alone d) Building a Bridge

2. The underlined word "**accomplishments**" in line 2 means:

a) achievements b) mistakes c) difficulties d) plans

3. The underlined word "**they**" in line 8 refers to:

a) responsibilities b) challenges c) people d) solutions

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4. According to the passage, all the following are **true** EXCEPT:

a) Teamwork helps share ideas.

b) Cooperation reduces pressure.

c) Teamwork happens automatically without effort.

d) Leaders help guide and motivate groups.

5. Why is teamwork important in solving problems?

a) Because it avoids communication

b) Because it combines skills and ideas

c) Because it removes leaders

d) Because it makes work slower

6. What does the passage suggest about disagreements?

a) They always harm teamwork.

b) They can lead to better results if managed well.

c) They should be ignored completely.

d) They stop leaders from working.

**** Answer the following questions:***

1. Mention two advantages of teamwork explained in the passage.

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2. What qualities are necessary for effective teamwork?

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Writing

It is better to see something once than to hear about it a thousand times.

Plan and write a two-paragraph report not less than (12 sentences) about *the preparations needed before expeditions* and *the challenges explorers might face.*

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