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English Class: VIII

Worksheets for Summer Break Lessons: No More Steps to Climb & Sweet Success

Case Study – 1 (Based on 'No More Steps to Climb')

A school organised an inclusive sports day where students with different physical abilities participated in races, indoor games, and cultural activities. The organisers ensured that ramps, wheelchairs, and volunteers were available so that every student could participate comfortably. At the end of the programme, everyone realised that determination and confidence matter more than physical limitations.

Answer the following questions.

1. What was the main purpose of organising the inclusive sports day?
a) To select the best athletes b) To encourage equal participation for all students
c) To organise entertainment only d) To raise money for the school
2. Which value is highlighted through this event?
a) Selfishness b) Equality and empathy
c) Competition only d) Carelessness
3. How does the lesson 'No More Steps to Climb' teach us that courage can overcome challenges?
4. If one of your classmates had difficulty participating in school activities due to a physical disability, what would you do to help him or her feel included?

Case Study – 2 (Based on the poem "Sweet Success" by Paul King)

Read the case study carefully.

A group of Class VIII students participated in the District Science Exhibition. Their first model did not work properly, and they were disappointed. Instead of giving up, they identified their mistakes, improved their model, and practised their presentation every day. Their hard work and determination helped them win the first prize. They realised that success becomes sweeter when it is achieved after overcoming difficulties.

Answer the following questions.

1. What helped the students achieve success?
a) Good luck alone b) Hard work and determination
c) Copying others' ideas d) Avoiding practice

2. Which value is highlighted in the case study?

- a) Laziness
- b) Perseverance
- c) Carelessness
- d) Impatience

3. How does the case study reflect the central idea of the poem *Sweet Success*?

4. Describe an experience when you worked hard to achieve a goal. What did you learn from it?

PROJECT-BASED QUESTIONS

Project 1: Success Story from Kashmir

(Based on "No More Steps to Climb")

Identify a person from **Kashmir** who has overcome challenges through determination and courage. It could be a teacher, sports person, entrepreneur, artist, doctor, social worker, or any inspiring personality.

Prepare a **250–300-word report** including:

- Introduction to the person
- Challenges faced
- Achievements
- Qualities that inspired you
- Lessons students can learn
- Attach a photograph (if available).

Project 2: My Journey Towards Success

(Based on the poem "Sweet Success")

Every success begins with a dream and continuous effort.

Prepare a **creative project** titled "**My Road to Success.**"

Your project should include:

- A goal you want to achieve in the next five years.
- Five steps you will take to achieve this goal.
- Challenges you may face and how you will overcome them.
- The values that will help you succeed (hard work, patience, honesty, discipline, perseverance, etc.).
- A motivational quote or slogan related to success.
- A flowchart, mind map, or illustrated roadmap showing your journey towards success.