



**RAMAGYA SCHOOL, NOIDA**  
**CLASS: X/SUBJECT-ENGLISH/2018-19**  
**OLYMPIAD PRACTICE WORKSHEET**

**Choose the most appropriate option.**

1. One of my friends ..... .. gone to France.  
a) is    b) has    c) have
2. Oil and water ..... .. not mix.  
a) do    b) does    c) had not
3. Neither the Minister nor his colleagues ..... given any explanation for this.  
a) has    b) have    c) did
  
4. The aural component of balance is critical for postural control during ambulation. **Aural** means related to the...  
  
a) Eyes.  
b) Ears.  
c) Nose.
  
5. The official exhibited a heedless attitude when dealing with the dignitaries. **Heedless** means...  
  
a) Thoughtless.  
b) Pleasant.  
c) Bitter.
  
6. The winning team of the World Series often has a jovial attitude. **Jovial** means...  
  
a) Merry.  
b) Sombre.  
c) Laborious.
  
7. A lyre was played in ancient Rome. The **lyre** is a...  
  
a) Stringed instrument in the harp class.  
b) Percussion instrument.  
c) Wind instrument in the wind class.

**Choose the most appropriate modal.**

8. She ----- pass this time.  
  
a) ought to    b) has to    c) have to
  
9. He works hard lest he----- fail.  
  
a) should    b) must    c) need

10. He ----- buy a car.

- a) need                      b) had to                      c) must

**Choose the most apt Preposition.**

11. I was amazed ----- her brilliant performance.

- a) at                      b) by                      c) with

12. She is anxious ----- hear from her daughter.

- a) to                      b) for                      c) about

13. I am anxious ----- his health.

- a) for                      b) about                      c) with

14. He apologized ----- her for his rude behaviour.

- a) from                      b) to                      c) for

15. They appealed ----- us for help.

- a) with                      b) for                      c) to

**Choose the best option.**

16. The bridge across the river ..... (build) some two hundred years ago.

- a) was built                      b) was build                      c) built

17. The wicked people who smuggled brown sugar into the town ..... (arrest) yesterday.

- a) arrested                      b) was arrested                      c) were arrested

18. Last night, the clouds ..... (thunder) in the sky.

- a) thundered                      b) had thundered                      c) were thundered

19. The delivery man \_\_\_\_\_ the parcel already. (delivery)

- a) is delivering                      b) has delivered                      c) delivered

20. Aida \_\_\_\_\_ her room for the past hour. (paint)

- a) painted                      b) has been painting                      c) was painting