

## Quick Check

## Summer Olympics Events

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. How often are the Summer Olympics held?
  - Ⓐ every ten years
  - Ⓑ every year
  - Ⓒ every two years
  - Ⓓ every four years
2. Which is not an event of the Summer Olympics?
  - Ⓐ diving
  - Ⓑ ice skating
  - Ⓒ gymnastics
  - Ⓓ basketball
3. Which of the following is a water sport?
  - Ⓐ diving
  - Ⓑ basketball
  - Ⓒ hockey
  - Ⓓ archery
4. What is most important for a **marathon** runner to have?
  - Ⓐ strong legs
  - Ⓑ skinny arms
  - Ⓒ a fast car
  - Ⓓ a long jump
5. In jumping events, athletes need to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Ⓐ jump very high or far
  - Ⓑ run very fast
  - Ⓒ out swim others
  - Ⓓ jump over people
6. Only women gymnasts perform on the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Ⓐ pommel horse
  - Ⓑ rings
  - Ⓒ balance beam
  - Ⓓ parallel bars
7. What are athletes?
  - Ⓐ People who take pictures during the Summer Olympics.
  - Ⓑ People who write newspaper articles.
  - Ⓒ People who compete in sporting events.
  - Ⓓ People who write books about the Summer Olympics.

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8. How are throwing events won?

- Ⓐ whoever throws the farthest wins
- Ⓑ whoever throws the most times wins
- Ⓒ whoever throws the most weight wins
- Ⓓ whoever doesn't step over the line wins

9. What is the author's purpose for writing this book?

- Ⓐ to list all the Summer Olympics events
- Ⓑ to tell about her favorite sport
- Ⓒ to tell about the many different events in the Summer Olympics
- Ⓓ to tell the reader about gymnasts

10. How are the marathon and dashes alike?

- Ⓐ Athletes swim in both events.
- Ⓑ Athletes jump in both events.
- Ⓒ Athletes run in both events.
- Ⓓ Athletes throw in both events.

11. **Extended Response:** Write one fact you learned about the Summer Olympics from this book and tell why it interested you.

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*Main Comprehension Skill: Classify Information*

1. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
2. Ⓑ *Classify Information*
3. Ⓐ *Classify Information*
4. Ⓐ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
5. Ⓐ *Main Idea and Details*
6. Ⓒ *Main Idea and Details*
7. Ⓒ *Vocabulary*
8. Ⓐ *Main Idea and Details*
9. Ⓒ *Author's Purpose*
10. Ⓒ *Compare and Contrast*
11. Answers will vary.