



INDIAN SCHOOL NIZWA - WORKSHEET

	ENGLISH Deep Water-Class Test	
Name: _____	Date: _____	Class: XII

Read the questions and circle the correct option:

1. What is the story Deep Water speaking about?
A) Fear of water and the way to overcome it
B) Fear of people
C) Fear of dogs
D) Fear of swimming

2. How did the author's fear vanish?
A) With determination
B) With care
C) With mother's words
D) With guidance

3. Y.M.C.A. stands for?
A) Young Men's Christian Authority
B) Young Men's Christopher Association
C) Young Men's Christian Army
D) Young Men's Christian Association

4. Where did the writer go when he was 3 or 4 years old in the story?
A) Washington
B) New Zealand
C) California
D) Canada

5. How did the author learn swimming?
A) With the help of a rope
B) With the help of a friend
C) With the help of his mother
D) With the help of a swimming instructor

6. What did William O Douglas desire for?
A) Visit to California
C) To be a judge
C) To learn swimming
D) To be with his mother

7. Deep Water is an excerpt from which book?
A) Fear of water
B) Of Men and Mountains
C) How to Swim
D) Fearless



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8. "I crossed to oblivion, and the curtain of life fell". What does oblivion mean?
- A) pavilion
 - B) changing room
 - C) unconsciousness
 - D) death
9. At the age of 3 or 4 Douglas visited the beach with his father. What caused a terror in his heart then?
- A) The sight of the sea waves
 - B) The overpowering force of the waves
 - C) The colour of the water
 - D) All of these
10. What lesson did Douglas learn from his experience of drowning and then learning to swim?
- A) Learnt swimming
 - B) Love for swimming
 - C) Swimming is not difficult
 - D) Face the fear
11. How did the instructor make Douglas a good swimmer?
- A) Planning
 - B) With the help of ropes
 - C) By pushing him into the pool
 - D) With the help of ropes and belts
12. What does Douglas do to save himself in the pool?
- A) Used his mind and pushed himself up
 - B) Shouted aloud
 - C) swam upto the shallow end
 - D) Tried to reach the edge of the pool
13. What was the impact of the pool incident?
- A) He developed a fear
 - B) Became confident to swim
 - C) Developed anxiety
 - D) The old fear was reinforced
14. How many times did Douglas try to come to the surface of the pool?
- A) Twice
 - B) Once
 - C) Five times
 - D) Thrice
15. Why did Douglas hate to walk with bare legs?
- A) He had ugly looking legs
 - B) He had fat legs
 - C) Because of skin color
 - D) Because of skinny legs