

Worksheet - 6

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Chapter:

Q1: Find below 11 ruling monarchs. By using the answer options given in the help box, identify the countries they belong to.

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| 1. Qaboos Bin Said | Oman |
| 2. Abdullah II | Jordan |
| 3. Queen Margrethe II | Denmark |
| 4. Felipe VI | Spain |
| 5. King Hamad Bin Isa Al Khalifa | Bahrain |
| 6. Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck | Bhutan |
| 7. King Salman | Saudi Arabia |
| 8. Sir Haji Hassanah Bolkiah Mulazzaddin Waddaulah | Brunei |
| 9. Sheikh Tamim ibn Hamad Al Thani | Qatar |

Chapter: Sports Legends

Let us read about legendary sportspeople whose performances have thrilled us and inspired millions of others to strive hard and excel.

1. Nicknamed 'Lightning Bolt', Jamaican sprinter Usain Bolt won three gold medals (in the 100 m race, the 200 m race, and the 4 × 100 m relay race) in an unprecedented three straight Olympic Games (2008, 2012, and 2016), and he is widely considered the greatest sprinter of all time.



2. Pelé, famous as 'Black Pearl', was gifted with great vision, speed, and balance. He led the Brazilian national football team to three world cup victories, in 1958, 1962, and 1970. He mastered control over the ball and could score precisely using either foot or even his head. Throughout his career he played 1,363 matches in total and was able to score 1,281 goals.

3. Michael Schumacher is a German race-car driver, who holds the record of winning the most Formula 1 (F1) Grand Prix race victories (91) and F1 series championships. He won five consecutive F1 world championships (2000– 2004) and seven in total.



4. American basketball player Michael Jordan, nicknamed as 'Air Jordan', is among the greatest players in the history of the game. Jordan was the top scorer of the National Basketball Association (NBA) for a record-breaking ten seasons. He was named the NBA's most valuable player (MVP) in 1988, 1991, 1992, 1996, and 1998.

5. American swimmer Michael Phelps is the most successful athlete in Olympic history. At the 2008 Beijing Olympics, he won eight gold medals. At the 2016 Olympic games in Brazil, he won five gold medals and one silver medal. In his entire career he has won 28 medals, which include 23 gold.



Q2: Can you identify the sportspersons who have been exceptional in the sports given below?

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| 1. Track and Field: | a) Tiger Woods | b) Lance Armstrong | c) Jesse Owens |
| 2. Football: | a) Hank Aaron | b) LeBron James | c) Diego Maradona |
| 3. Boxing: | a) Sugar Ray Robinson | b) Carl Lewis | c) Jim Thorpe |
| 4. Basketball: | a) Magic Johnson | b) Bobby Fischer | c) Joe Frazier |
| 5. Swimming: | a) Maurice Greene | b) Mark Spitz | c) Jack Nicklaus |

Answer:

1. Jesse Owens
2. Diego Maradona
3. Sugar Ray Robinson
4. Magic Jhonson
5. Mark Spitz