



HISTORY OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES

Watch the [video](#) and answer the questions.

Team : _____

1) Athletes from all parts of the world can compete in the Olympics.

True False

2) The first Olympics took place in 776 BC in...

The Roman Empire Greece Egypt

3) The athletics competitions were held in honour of the king of the Gods :

Zeus Athena Hermes

4) The Olympic Games were a period of peace.

True False

5) Originally the Olympic games included running, jumping and throwing.

True False

6) The winners were awarded olive oil.

True False

7) The International Olympic Committee (IOC) was created in 1894, by Baron Pierre de Coubertin. What was his nationality ?

Greek English French

8) The first games organized by the IOC were held in 1896 in :

Paris Tokyo Athens

9) In 1896, there were _____ athletes, from _____ countries.

10) Women first competed in the Olympics in :

1898 1900 1910

11) How old are the athletes competing in Youth Games ?

From _____ to _____

12) There are :

- Spring Olympics
- Summer Olympics
- Fall Olympics
- Winter Olympics

13) In which country did the summer Olympic Games take place in 2016 ?

In _____

14) In modern Olympics the winners receive medals :

First place : a _____ medal

Second place : a _____ medal

Third place : a _____ medal

15) How many rings are there on the Olympic flag ?

4 5 6

16) What does each ring of the Olympic flag represent ?

Each ring represents a _____

17) What is the other important symbol of the Olympics ? _____

18) Where is the torch lit before travelling to the hosting city ?

19) What is the goal of the Olympics ?

20) What is the most important thing in the games ?

Our team's score : _____ / 20