**GOOD SHERHERD CENTRAL SCHOOL**

**CLASS VII BELAGAVI**

**DATE 20/8/25 WOPRK SHEET**

In a bustling town lived a girl named Meera, who possessed an insatiable **thirst for knowledge**. Unlike many of her companions, who were content with playing or gossiping, Meera spent her afternoons in the town library. The dusty shelves, filled with books on history, science, and literature, became her world of adventure.

One afternoon, while reading about great inventors, she came across the story of Thomas Edison. His perseverance, despite repeated failures, fascinated her. She realized that genuine success is not the result of sudden brilliance, but of continuous effort and determination. Inspired by this, Meera decided never to be disheartened by setbacks.

Her dedication soon bore fruit. During a school debate competition, when others faltered, Meera spoke with confidence and clarity. Her arguments, supported by facts she had gathered from her wide reading, impressed the judges. She won the competition, but instead of being arrogant, she remained humble and grateful.

As time passed, Meera became a role model for her classmates. They admired not only her knowledge but also her discipline and modesty. Her story conveys that wisdom is not merely memorizing facts but applying them with patience, humility, and courage in real life.

**A. Comprehension Questions (5 × 1 = 5 Marks)**

1. Where did Meera spend most of her afternoons?
2. What inspired Meera in the story of Thomas Edison?
3. What did Meera realize about genuine success?
4. How did Meera win the debate competition?
5. What qualities made her a role model?

**Synonyms (5 × 1 = 5 Marks)**

**1. Choose the synonym of *Perseverance***  
 a) Weakness b) Laziness c) Determination d) Failure

**2. Choose the synonym of *Fascinated***  
 a) Uninterested b) Captivated c) Careless d) Confused

**3. Choose the synonym of *Confidence***

a) Fear b) Doubt **c)** Self-assurance d) Anger

**4. Choose the synonym of *Dedication***  
a**) Devotion** b) Laziness c) Neglect d) Weakness

**5. Choose the synonym of *Wisdom***  
 a) Knowledge b) Foolishness c) Ignorance d) Error

**Antonyms (5 × 1 = 5 Marks)**

**1. Choose the antonym of *Arrogant***  
a) Proud b) Humble c) Rude d) Harsh

**2. Choose the antonym of *Disheartened***  
a) Discouraged b) Encouraged c) Sad d) Weak

**3. Choose the antonym of *Ancient***  
a) Modern b) Old c) Historic d) Past

**4. Choose the antonym of *Generous***  
 a) Selfish b) Helpful c) Kind d) Noble

**5. Choose the antonym of *Victory***  
 a) Achievement b) Defeat c) Success d) Gain