INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
MIDDLE SECTION
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Class VII ____Name:_____ Roll No: ___ Date: _____ Worksheet 4

BIO-SKETCH

I. Use the information given below to write a short bio-sketch on the life and achievements of Jessie Owens, one of the greatest track and field competitors of all times.

JESSIE OWENS

Birth	: Danville , Alabama 1913
Father	: poor farmer
Career	: Athlete
Achievements	: i) Participated in athletics meeting in Michigan (1936 beat or equalled world records for 100 yards, 220 yards, 220 yards hurdles and long jump ii) his long jump record lasted for 25 years iii) four gold medals – 100 meters , 200 meters , 4x100 meters relay race and long jump (Berlin Olympics 1936)
Death	:1980

II. Use the information given below to write a short bio-sketch in about 80- 100 words of Sudha Chandran, one of the most acclaimed dancers of India.

SUDHA CHANDRAN

Birth : 1964

Education : BA, MA Economics (Mithibai College, Mumbai)

Major mishap in her life : met with an accident in 1982 ; right leg amputated

Role Model : Helen Keller

Moment of glory : using 'Jaipur Foot' gave a thunderous dance performance in 1984; immortalised in movie 'Naache Mayuri' (1986)

Profession : Dancer , film and TV actor

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