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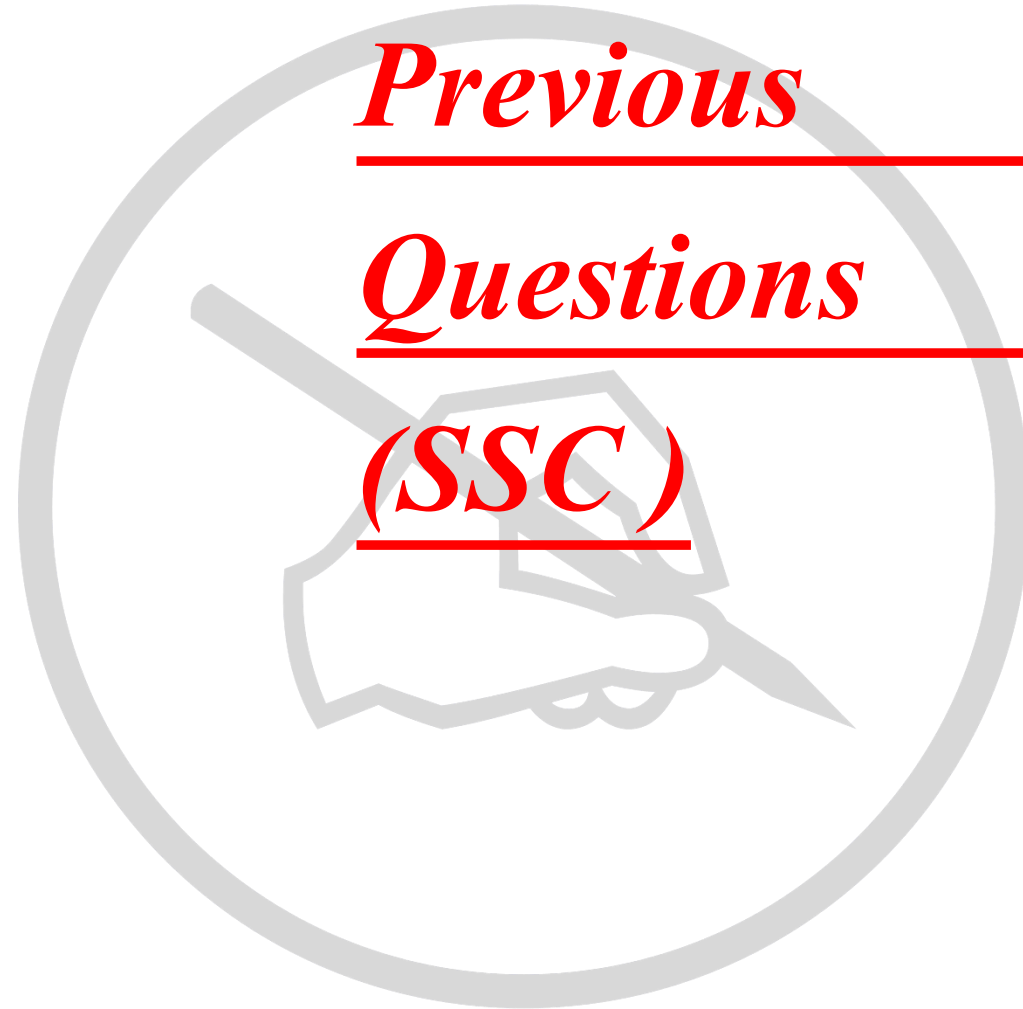
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# ERROR DETECTION



**1. Such rules (a)/ do not apply to (b)/ you and I.  
(c) / No error (d).**

**A Such rules**

**B do not apply to**

**C you and I.**

**D No error**



**Answer: C replace I with me**

2. The river (a)/ has overflown (b)/ its banks. (c)/ No error (d).

A The river

B has overflown

C its banks.

D No error



**Answer: B replace overflown  
with overflowed**

3. One of the most (a)/ widely spread (b)/ bad habit is the use of tobacco. (c)/ No error (d).

A One of the most widely spread

B widely spread

C bad habit is the use of tobacco.

D No error



**Answer: C replace habit with habits**



4. The whole block of flats (1)/ including two shops were (2)/ destroyed in fire. (3)/ No error (4)

A The whole block of flats

B including two shops were

C destroyed in fire

D No error



**Answer: B replace  
were with was**

5. The priest emphasised (a) / that it is the duty (b)  
/ of all Christians to love each other (c)./ No error  
(d)

A The priest emphasised

B that it is the duty

C of all Christians to love each other

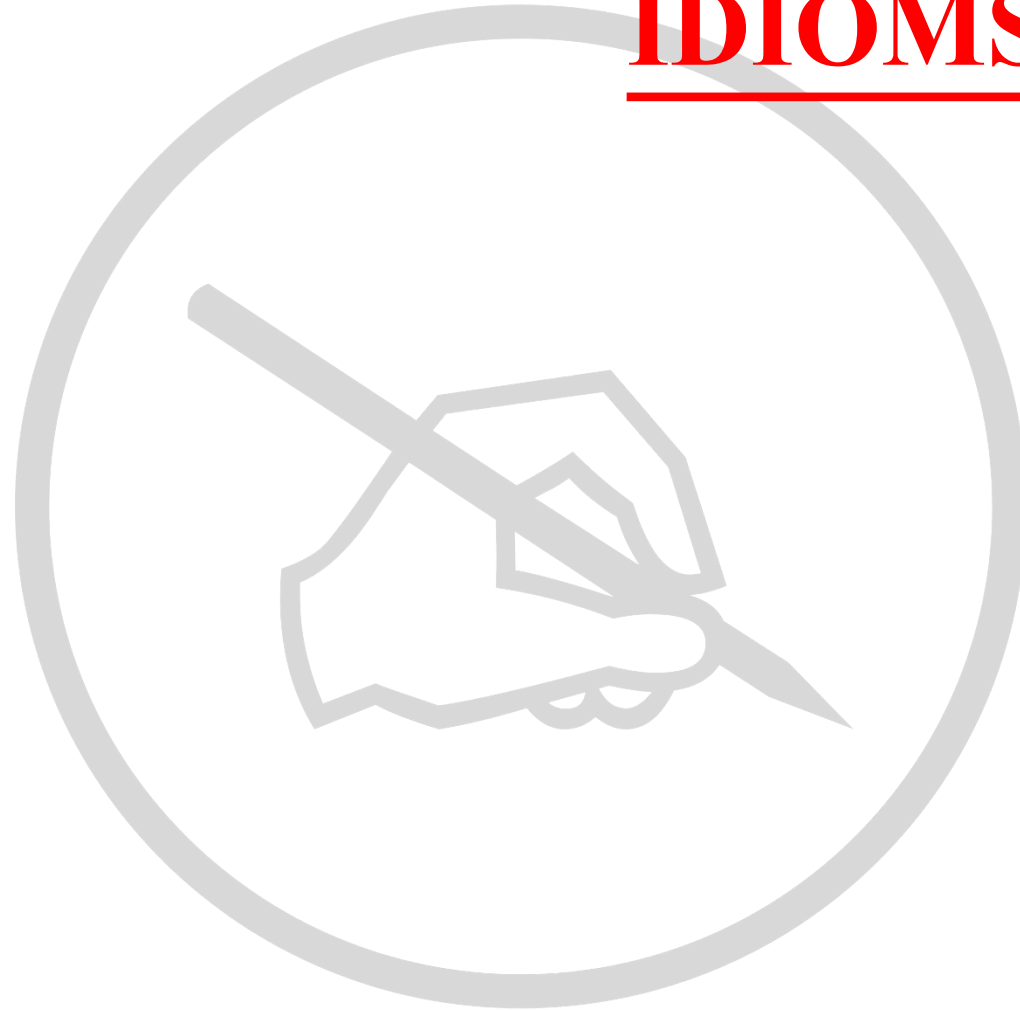
D No error



**Answer: C replace each  
other with one another**



# IDIOMS & PHRASES



6. Tagore was **a man of letters**.

(1) of wide contacts

(2) an excellent letter dictator

(3) a great writer of letters

(4) proficient in literary art

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**(4) a man of letters: a scholar and a writer .**

**He was a distinguished states man and a man of letters.**

**The best option is proficient in literary art.**



7. His friends beat the boy **to pay off old scores.**

(1) to refund old dues

(2) to take revenge

(3) to force him to be a scorer in a match

(4) because he had not scored well earlier

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**(2) to pay off old scores: get revenge  
on someone for some grievance**

8. Chintan is so innocent that he **wears his heart on his sleeve.**

(1) wears dress that does not match

(2) expresses his feelings openly

(3) wears colourful dresses

(4) expresses his feelings with the shape of a heart printed on its sleeve

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**(2) wears his heart on his sleeve: to allow your feelings to be seen by other people .**

## 9. **A cuckoo in the nest**

(1) one who likes to stay at home

(2) a view from a high place

(3) an unwelcome intruder

(4) one who is chosen as the leader of the group

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**(3) an unwelcome intruder a cuckoo  
in the nest : an unwelcome intruder  
in a place or situation.**

**10. Let the grass grow under one's feet**

**A. to accept responsibility**

**B. to engage in useless talk**

**C. to be trifled with**

**D. to remain idle**

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# FILL IN THE BLANKS





**11.**The president's coterie of advisers was unable to offer him a \_\_\_\_\_ to the national problem.

- (a) solvent
- (b) solute
- (c) solution
- (d) Mixture

**Ans - (c)Solution**



**12.** If you are caught using a calculator in the exam then it will be \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) taken
- (b) confiscated
- (c) Confisticate
- (d) under possession

**(b); Confiscate means take or seize (someone's property) with authority.**



**13.** \_\_\_\_\_ and my younger brother went to the movies all by ourselves.

- (a) I**
- (b) Mine**
- (c) Myself**
- (d) My own self**

**(a); I is the correct option. In the subjective case subjective pronoun should be used, thus "I" should be used.**



# ONE WORD SUSTITUTION



**14. A person who thinks only of himself**

- 1. Egoist**
- 2. eccentric**
- 3. proud**
- 4. boaster**



**Answer: Option A**

**Explanation:- Egoist means a person who is preoccupied with his own interests. Eccentric means irregular, erratic or peculiar.**

## 15. A government run by a dictator

- a) **Democracy**
- b) **Autocracy**
- c) **Bureaucracy**
- d) **Aristocracy**

**b) Autocracy**



# HOME WORK

**A great lover of books**

- a) **Biography**
- b) **Bibliography**
- c) **Bibliophile**
- d) **Biblical**



