



TOPIC WISE ENGLISH

Sentence Improvement & Fillers

Most Expected Questions

ALL COMPETITIVE EXAMS

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FILLERS



1. The judge _____ him because he was found _____ on the basis of the evidence.

- A. acquitted, criminal
- B. punished, guilty
- C. sentenced, innocent
- D. suspended, involved
- E. pardoned, innocent



Answer: Option B

2. If you do not _____, all your monthly expenses would _____ your income.

- A. spend, gain
- B. save, outwit
- C. economise, exceed
- D. think, swallow
- E. realize, enhance



Correct Answer: B

3. How do you expect us to stay in such a _____ building even if it can be hired on a nominal rent ?

- A. scruffy
- B. desperate
- C. fragmented
- D. robust
- E. damaging



Answer: Option A

Scruffy- shabby and untidy or dirty.

4. Had the driver been _____ the accident could have been _____.

- A. alert, averted
- B. negligent, avoided
- C. expert, escaped
- D. drunken, averted
- E. precautions, prohibited



Correct Answer: A

5. She hadn't eaten all day, and by the time she got home, she was _____.

- (A) blighted
- (B) confutative
- (C) ravenous
- (D) ostentatious
- (E) blissful



Answer: Option (C)

Explanation: Ravenous means extremely hungry.

6. I had the _____ experience of sitting next to an over-talkative passenger on my flight home from Brussels.

- (A) satisfactory
- (B) commendable
- (C) galling
- (D) acceptable
- (E) acute



Answer: Option (C)

Explanation: Galling

means irritating, annoying

7. Prince Phillip had to choose: marry the woman he loved and _____ his right to the throne, or marry Lady Fiona and inherit the crown.

- (A) reprimand
- (B) upbraid
- (C) abdicate
- (D) winnow
- (E) extol



Answer: Option (C)

Explanation: To abdicate means to formally relinquish or surrender power, office, or responsibility.

SENTENCE IMPROVEMENT



Q8. Please report to me when you're turn back
from Delhi.

- A. you have returned back from
- B. you return from
- C. you returned back from
- D. No Improvement



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Answer: (b)

Q9. He paid the caretaker for his board and lodging.

- A. room
- B. furniture
- C. boarding
- D. No improvement



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Answer: (c)

Q10. Instead of teaching abstracted concepts, the new and improved textbooks tell stories of real people so that the children can identify with the characters.

- A. In spite of taught abstract
- B. Instead of teaching abstract
- C. Instead of taught abstract
- D. In spite of teaching abstracted



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Answer: (b)

Q11. He was so tired that he could barely keeping his eyes open while driving.

- A. can bare keep
- B. can barely keep
- C. could barely keep
- D. could bear to keep



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Answer: (c) After modals (such as could, should, would.....etc). The verb takes V1 form, hence 'keeping' should be replaced with 'keep'.



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Q12. The boss said, “I shall look at the matter”.

- A. into
- B. about
- C. in
- D. No improvement

Answer: (A) Look at = to examine something closely; to think about; to consider

Look about = to try to locate someone or something.

Look in = to make a short visit to a place; especially somebody's house when they are ill/sick or need help.

Look into = to enquire into something.

Q13. She was uneasy because she never be on a plane before.

- A. had never been
- B. never been
- C. is never been
- D. No improvement



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Answer: (a) When two actions are in the past tense, first action is expressed in past perfect tense i.e. had + past participle of be (been)

Q14. We are quite sure that he will have proved his merit in any forthcoming competition.

- A. will prove
- B. will have to prove
- C. will be prove
- D. would be proven



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Answer: (a) The real intention of writing the given sentence is to express a hope that he will become successful in the forthcoming examination, ie, he will prove his merit.

Q15. One of the main function of the State is maintenance of law and order.

- A. main functions off
- B. main functions for
- C. main functions of
- D. main function for



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Answer: (c)

Home Work Answer

**Mature people behave (1)/with others in a
(2)/very gentle way and (3)/ **always respect**
other's feelings(4)/ No error (5)**

Home Work

No sooner had he entered the room when the lights went off and everybody began to scream.

- A. as the lights went off
- B. than the lights went off
- C. then the lights went off
- D. No improvement

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