



SBI PO 2022

REASONING • ENGLISH • MATHS

03 HOURS
MAHA
MARATHON

LIVE @ 09:00 AM TO 12:00 PM

FINAL
MATCH





SBI MEMORY BASED PAPER DISCUSSION



WORD OF THE DAY

GALL

(VERB): (खिजाना): irritate

Synonyms: annoy, vex

Antonyms: mollify





Directions: In the given question, a word has been mentioned and there are three ways in which the word has been used in either similar or different ways. You are required to check which of the sentences have correctly used the highlighted word, and mark that as your answer.



1. **Change**

I. **Social structures will **change** soon enough and the purpose of education will finally be to learn to reason and find one's passion.**

II. **The negotiations would lead to a **change** of lands between the parties in the presence of the judge to put an end to the dispute.**

III. **I asked the conductor to keep the **change** because I was carrying loose coins in my purse.**

A. **Only I**

B. **Only I and III**

C. **Only I and II**

D. **Only III**



Correct Option: B



2. Temper

I. I hope he can control his **temper** today because this deal matters a lot to me.

II. My enthusiasm for the venture was **tempered** by my knowledge of the hard work that would be involved.

III. If you are allowed to mess with a computer everything is fine, but if you are prohibited you cannot **temper** with it without repercussions.

A. Only I

B. Only I and III

C. Only I and II

D. Only III

E. All are correct

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Correct Option: C



Rearrangement of Sentences



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Rearrange the following sentences (A), (B), (C), (D) and (E) to make a meaningful paragraph and then answer the questions which follow.

- (A) In fact, the other day, the President lauded IISc , Bengaluru, and IIT-Delhi for making it to the Top 200 of QS World University Rankings 2015-16 and advocated more government funding to achieve better results.**
- (B) Quite a few premier educational institutions in India are billed “islands of excellence.”**
- (C) And, not surprisingly, almost all of them belong to the Nehruvian era and continue to be funded by the taxpayer.**
- (D) Of late, many of them have been getting international recognition.**
- (E) Naturally, it has triggered a new race for breaking into global**



3. Which of the following sentence should be the 4th after rearrangement?

- a) A**
- b) E**
- c) B**
- d) C**
- e) D**

Answer: b)



4. Which of the following sentence should be the 3rd after rearrangement?

a) D

b) E

c) B

d) A

e) C

Answer: a)



5. Which of the following sentence should be the 5th (Last) after rearrangement?

- a) B**
- b) C**
- c) D**
- d) E**
- e) A**

Answer: e)



6. Which of the following sentence should be the 1st after rearrangement?

- a) C**
- b) D**
- c) E**
- d) B**
- e) A**

Answer: d)

The proper sequence of sentences to make a meaningful paragraph will be 'BCDEA':



Each question below has a blank indicating that something has been omitted. Choose the set of words for the blank which best fits the meaning of the sentence as a whole.



7. Bankers expect corporate loan demand to rise in the third and fourth quarters with a _____ in economic growth.

- a) Renewal**
- b) Revival**
- c) Survival**
- d) Suppression**
- e) None of the above**



Answer: b)

Explanation: As per the meaning of the sentence, the word 'revival' fits in the blank which means an improvement in the condition, strength, or fortunes of someone or something.



8. Crowd-funding is defined by SEBI as the gathering of funds from _____ investors through a web-based platform for a specific creative project, business venture or for some social cause.

- a) Single**
- b) Double**
- c) Multiple**
- d) Zero**
- e) None of the above**

Answer: c)

Explanation: As per the meaning of the sentence, the word 'multiple' fits in the blank.



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9. Smart Vault is India's first _____ locker facility with high-end robotic technology.

- a) Liberated**
- b) Diverted**
- c) Rated**
- d) Automated**
- e) None of the above**



Answer: d)

Explanation: As per the meaning of the sentence, the word 'automated' fits in the blank which means to convert (a process or facility) to be operated by largely automatic equipment.



10. Finance Ministry has come up with rules for information reporting under the Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA), spelling out the timelines that the _____ have to comply with the new requirements.

- a) Entities**
- b) Countries**
- c) Enemies**
- d) Adversaries**
- e) None of the above**



Answer: a)

Explanation: As per the meaning of the sentence, the word 'entities' fits in the blank which means things with distinct and independent existence.



CLOZE TEST



In the following passage, there are blanks each of which has been numbered. For each number some words are suggested below the passage, one of which fits the blank appropriately. Find the appropriate words.



Government employees have been __11__ for pay parity with private sector on the grounds that pay __12__ were leading to the best talent abandoning government service. After the implementation of the last couple of Pay Commission recommendations, there has been a concerted effort to make pay __13__ of government employees comparable with that of the corporate sector. In fact, government employees pay, especially if job __14__, periodic revision of pay, and other invisible benefits are considered, is far better than that of large sections of private sector employees. But, there has not been a commensurate __15__ in government services and the time has come to impress upon government employees to ensure service parity with the efficient and professional private sector.



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No. 11 blank of the passage:

a) Pulling

b) Sobbing

c) Lobbying

d) Halting

e) None of the above

Answer: c)

Explanation: The appropriate word should be ‘Lobbying’ which means the activity of trying to persuade someone in authority.

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No. 12 blank of the passage:

- a) Equalities b) Disparities c) Similarities**
d) Clarities e) None of the above



Answer: b)

Explanation: The appropriate word should be ‘Disparities’ which means situation in which two or more things are not equal or similar, especially when this is thought to be unfair.



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No. 13 blank of the passage:

- a) Houses b) Banks c) Rulers**
d) Scales e) None of the above



Answer: d)

Explanation: The appropriate word should be 'Scales'.



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No. 14 blank of the passage:

- a) Security b) Insecurity c) Authority**
d) Opportunity e) None of the above



Answer: a)

Explanation: The appropriate word should be 'security'.



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No. 15 blank of the passage:

- a) Failure b) Improvement c) Degradation
d) Stagnation e) None of the above**

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Answer: b)

Explanation: The appropriate word should be 'Improvement'.



In each of the following questions there are four parts a, b, c and d, among which one part is erroneous. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and mark 'e' if no error is found. Ignore punctuation errors.



16. I going there (a)/ will not (b)/ resolve this (c)/ complicated issue (d). / No error (e)

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Answer: a)

Explanation: Replace 'I' by 'My'.



17. He is the writer (a)/ whom the reporter (b)/ agree was most popular (c)/ with the young audience (d). / No error (e)

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Answer: b)

Explanation: Remove 'whom' by 'who'.



**18. There is no (a)/ chance of (b)/ me passing
in (c)/ the examination (d). / No error (e)**

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Answer: c)

Explanation: Replace 'me' by 'my'.



19. For gaining reputation among your clients (a)/ you ought to complete (b)/ every work you undertake, (c)/ after the stipulated time. (d) / No error (e)

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Answer: d)

Explanation: Add 'after' after 'by'.



20. How that we have (a)/ completed all the (b)/ legal formalities, let's get (c)/ the show on the road (d). / No error (e)

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Answer: a)

Explanation: Replace 'How' by 'Now'.

Important questions for Reasoning Ability and Numerical Ability will be available shortly.



HOME WORK

Accomplished

I. He is such an accomplished striker that he does not need anybody to give him pass from the midfield as he can create goals for himself.

II. It is an accomplished fact that the Sun always rises in the east and sets in the west.

III. The whole job was accomplished well within time and that is why the students got appreciation from the Principal as well.

A. Only I B. Both I and II C. Only III

D. Both I and III E. All of the above



HOME WORK ANSWER

Broken

I. Most heart attacks are broken by blood clots.

II. She had an X-ray to see if any of her ribs were broken.

III. If there's anything you don't understand, I'll be happy to break.

A. Only I B. Only II C. Only III

D. Both I & II E. None of the above

