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# **RBI GRADE B & ASSISTANT**

**English Language**

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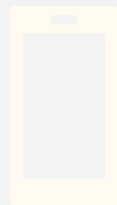
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# INTRODUCTION





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Post	RBI Assistant
Conduction Body	RBI
Full-Form	Reserve Bank of India
Stages of Selection	<div><div>Preliminary Examination</div><div>Mains Examination</div><div>Language Proficiency Test</div></div> <div>Stage 1</div> <div>Stage 2</div> <div>Stage 3</div>

# Exam Pattern (Stage-1)

Sr. No	Name of the Test	Number of Questions	Maximum Marks	Duration
1	English Language	30	30	20 Minutes
2	Numerical Ability	35	35	20 Minutes
3	Reasoning Ability	35	35	20 Minutes
Total		100	100	60 Minutes

# Exam Pattern (Stage-2)

Sr. No	Name of the Test	Number of Questions	Maximum Marks	Duration
1	Test of Reasoning	40	40	30 Minutes
2	Test of English Language	<del>40</del>	<del>40</del>	<del>30 Minutes</del>
3	Test of Numerical Ability	40	40	30 Minutes
4	Test of General Knowledge	40	40	25 Minutes
5	Test of Computer Knowledge	40	40	20 Minutes
Total		200	200	<del>135 Minutes</del>

# Language Proficiency Test(Stage-3)

- Ahmadabad – Gujarati
- Bhopal – Hindi
- Chandigarh -Punjabi/Hindi
- Guwahati -Assamese/Bengali/Khasi/Manipuri/Bodo/Mizo
- Hyderabad –Telugu
- Jammu -Urdu/Hindi/Kashmiri
- Kolkata -Bengali/Nepali
- Nagpur -Marathi/Hindi
- Patna -Hindi/Maithili
- Bengaluru – Kannada
- Bhubaneshwar –Odia
- Chennai –Tamil
- Jaipur –Hindi
- Kanpur and Lucknow –Hindi
- Mumbai -Marathi/Konkani
- New Delhi –Hindi
- Thiruvananthapuram -Malayalam



# SYLLABUS

RBI Assistant English Language Syllabus	
Reading Comprehension (RC)	Synonyms
Antonyms	Sentence Corrections — Errors
Cloze Test	One word Substitution
Sentence Rearrangement	Sentence Completion
Phrases	Active and Passive voice

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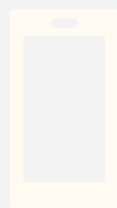
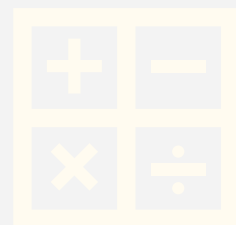
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Voc

Searching

Newspapers ✓

daily - 10 words



Voc → Pluto = ?

→ Money / Wealth

— ① Plutomania. = one who is crazy for money + Craze money.

- ① Theocracy
- ② Politomania
- ③ Claustrophobia

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**Directions (1-5):** Read the sentence to find out whether there is any error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. If the given sentence is correct as it is, mark E i.e. No error as the answer. Ignore the errors of punctuation, if any.

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## QUESTION 1

hasspread.

There have been news circulating among the members, / of the student body and their representatives, / that this year there is going to be a new theme /for the annual day in the college.

1. There have been news circulating among the members
2. of the student body and their representatives
3. that this year there is going to be a new theme
4. for the annual day in the college.
5. No error

vile ✓

Single syllabic

## QUESTION 2

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The most vile creature in a novel that / I have ever come across has to / be the Hunchback of Notre Dame / because of his physical features.

good — best ✓  
most good ✓

- ✓ 1. The most vile creature in a novel that
2. I have ever come across has to
3. be the Hunchback of Notre Dame
4. because of his physical features
5. No error

Vilest

➤ He is more quicker than accurate.

$S_1$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} S_1 \\ S_2 \end{array} \right\}$  more + positive degree.

Vile = foul

## QUESTION 3

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The archery team did not (1)/ account for the change in the (2)/ wind speed and eventually lost in (3)/ the competition against their arch rivals (4)/.

1. 4

2. 3

3. 2

4. 1

5. No error

look into = to check/  
verify/  
Investigate-

and conj  
yet ↗

Contrast

## QUESTION 4

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Looking at the horizon (1)/, a few years back,  
I often wonder (2)/ about our proximity to the  
almighty (3)/(and/yet) the distance between us  
(4)/.

— these two will not  
appear together.

1. 2
2. 4
3. 1
4. 3
5. No error

Level - easy ✓

## QUESTION 5

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The decline of old-fashioned' values such, (A)/ as honesty, tolerance, empathy, compassion, respect, (B)/ and reciprocity were identified as, (C)/ having damaging consequences for society. (D) in

1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D
5. No error

present participle

Continuous

Need

Zero

Nounwith  
respect  
to  
question

**Directions (6-10): In the following question, four words are given, of which, one word may be wrongly spelt. If all the four words are correctly spelt, mark 5). i.e "All correct", as the answer.**



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## QUESTION 6

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1. Acquirement
2. ~~Comemoration~~
3. Solemnity
4. Ordinance
5. All are correct

*Commemoration**↓  
celebration*

# QUESTION 7

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1. Solemnness ✓

— very serious / formal

2. Bequest ✓

— legacy.

3. Lethargy ✓

— Couch potato

4. Liturgy ✓

— ritual

5. All are correct

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## QUESTION 8

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1. Deteriorate
2. Pauperize
3. Flounder
4. Conive ??
5. All are correct

Conceive

Connive

[ ignore / overlook.

## QUESTION 9

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1. Prodigious
2. Heteroclit
3. Flamboyant — lively
4. Absurd
5. All are correct

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## QUESTION 10

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1. Sparce — *thinly dispersed*.
2. Outlandish — *weird*.
3. Eccentric — *Uncommon*
4. Bizarre —
5. All are correct.

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**Direction (11-15): Rearrange the following six sentences A, B, C, D, E and F in a proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph then answer the questions that follow.**

## QUESTION 11-15 ✓

**A.** The farmer called his neighbours and asked them to help him put mud into the well but the mule thought that he was calling the neighbours to help him get out of the well.

**B.** A farmer wanted to get rid of his old mule and buy a new one but the mule always came back from wherever the farmer left him.

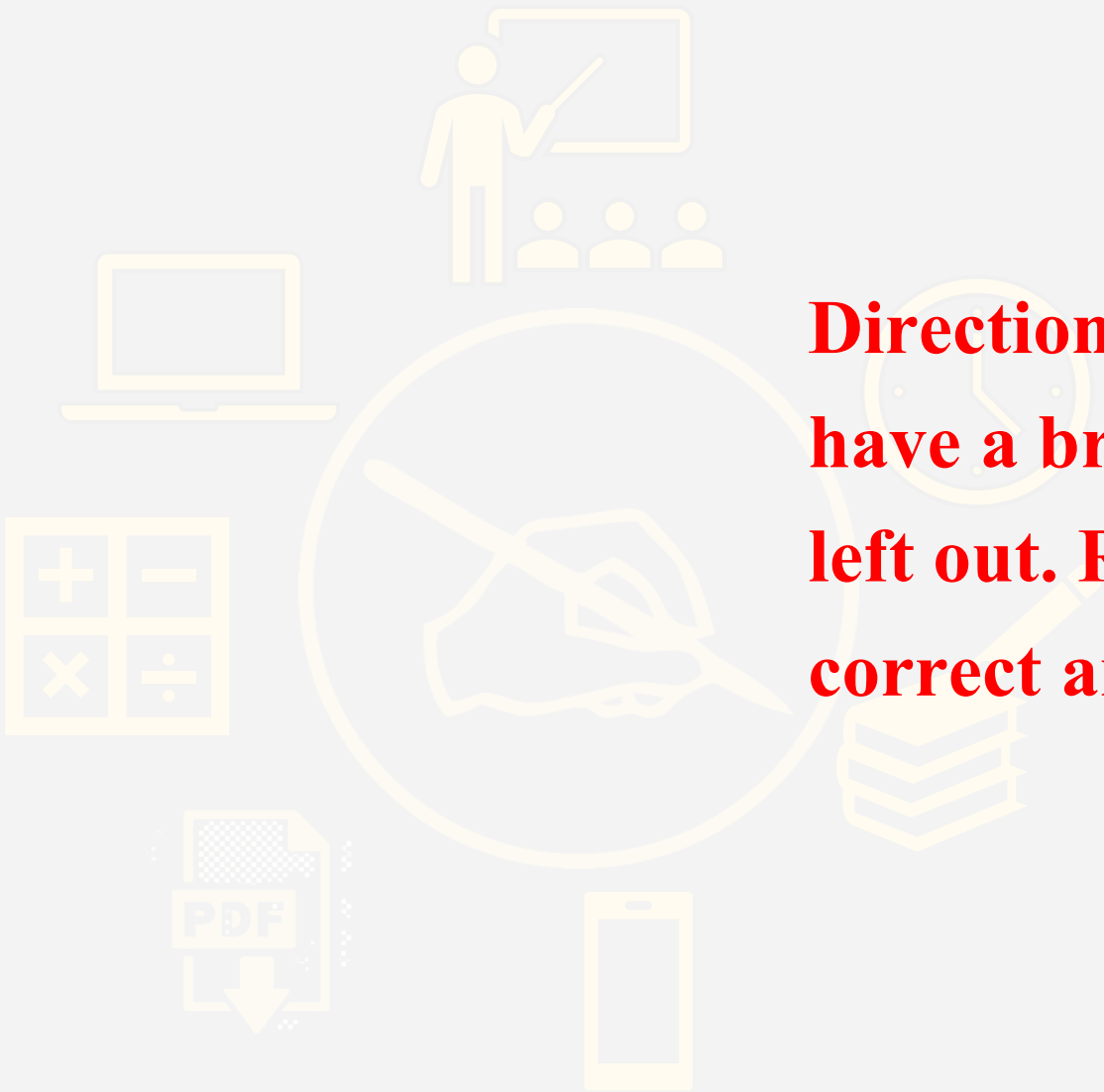
**C.** He walked away from his cruel master and never returned.

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**D.** One day the mule fell into a well and the farmer thought, “Why not bury it there so that I don’t have to worry about getting rid of it?”

**E.** The mule started shaking off all the mud that fell on him and kept climbing on the heap of mud as it fell into the well, soon he was on top of the mud heap and he easily got out of the well.

**F.** When they started putting mud in the well the mule realized his master’s plan and started thinking of ways to save himself.



**Direction (16-22): In the following question, you have a brief passage where some words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answer to each blank.**



## QUESTION 16

1. Arrival
2. Depart
3. Leave
4. Departure
5. Exit

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## QUESTION 17

1. Asked
2. Commented
3. Said
4. Made
5. Question

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## QUESTION 18

1. Pass
2. celebrated
3. Imagined
4. Wished
5. Thought

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## QUESTION 19

1. Must
2. Could
3. Should
4. Will
5. Willing

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## QUESTION 20

1. Appear
2. Decrease
3. Diminishes
4. Reduce
5. vanish

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## QUESTION 21

1. Proclaimed
2. Show
3. Restored
4. Promised
5. Announce

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## QUESTION 22

1. Sure
2. Fixed
3. Growing
4. New
5. Increase

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20 - Intro  
21 - Noun (basic to advance) - 1 ✓  
22 - " " " " " " 2  
23 - Pronoun - - -

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