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# ADJECTIVE

(BASIC TO ADVANCE)

**PART-3**



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# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

## 1) Late (as an adverb and an adjective)

• **Late** can be an adjective or an adverb that means after the correct time.

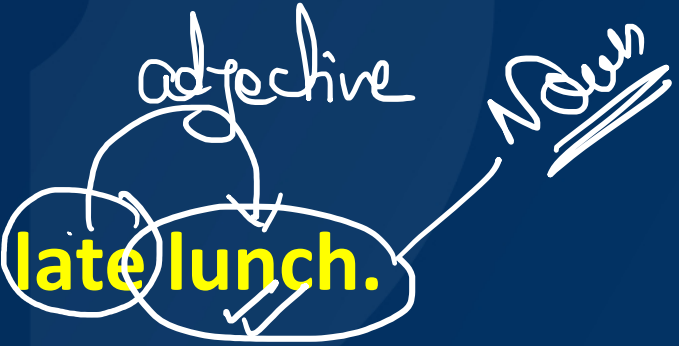
given time  
↳ after



• Here's an example.

@ I'm not hungry because I had a **late lunch.**

(adjective)



@ He **slept late** and missed his first class. (adverb)

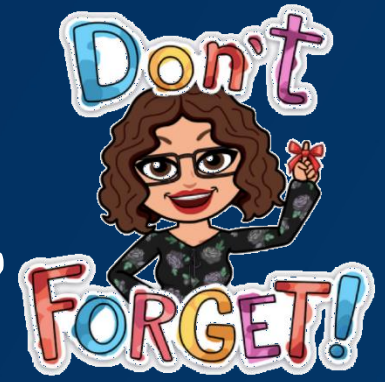
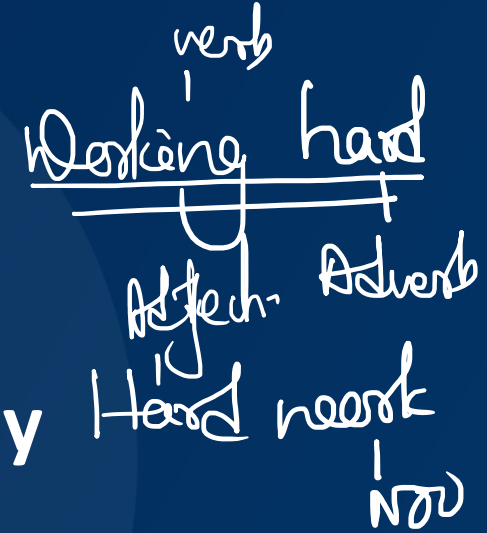




# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

2) Hard can be an adjective or an adverb.

- This book is too hard for me.
- She's working hard to finish the project by tomorrow.



Hardly - Negative term.

NOTE- Hardly has a completely different meaning. It means "almost not."





# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

## 3) Some and Any

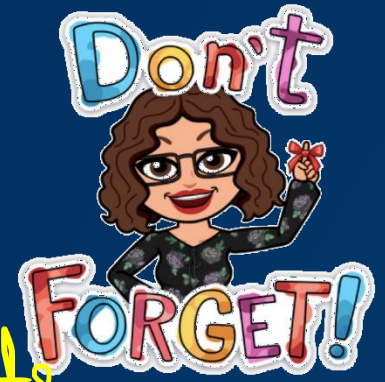
• With countable subjects.....

Some + Plural subject. + Plural Verb.

Any + Singular subject.

One that can be counted.

51 viewers  
Students



① Some students ~~has~~ <sup>have</sup> done this.

② Any student can do this.



# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

## 3) Some and Any



### In Sentences....

a) **Statements ( Assertive Sentence)**

(+) Some

(-) any.

Opposite.

b) **Questions (Interrogative Sentence)**

(+) any

(-) Some

1) Can't you spare ~~any~~ <sup>some</sup> time for the poor?

2) There is not any student present here.

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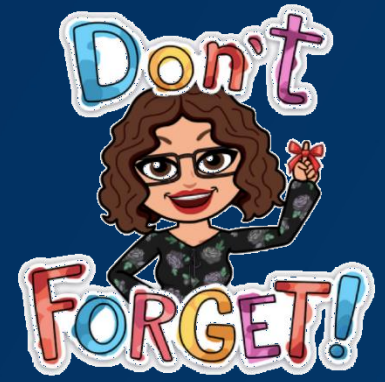


# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

## 4) Elder and Older

- Elder- Blood Relation in Human Beings.
- Older- Anything other than Blood Relation

A B



S --- than --- S  
 O --- than --- O  
 P --- than --- P

**NOTE-** In case of comparision.....

- Elder — is followed by (to) + Obj
  - Older = " " " than
- Sub ————— Obj ————— Possessor



# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

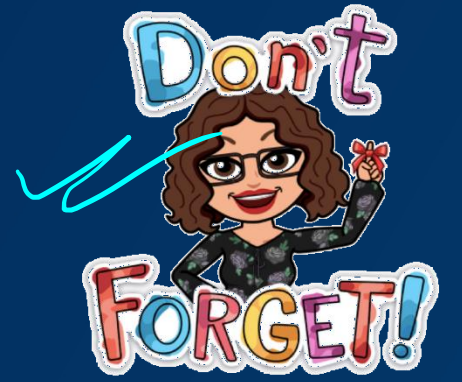
## 5) First and Foremost.

- First- indicates **position**
- Foremost – indicates **importance**

### NOTE-

When to use “**First and foremost**” as a phrase

*it is used for such actions that are executed 1st due to importance.*







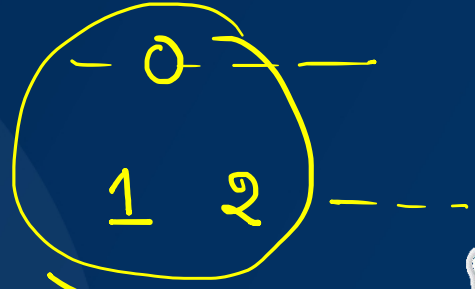
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Nearby

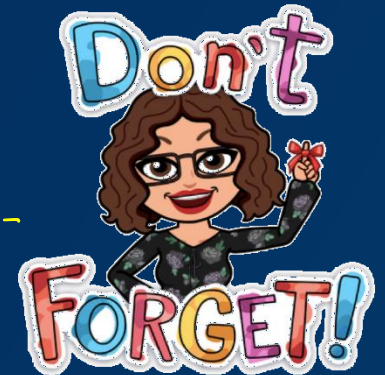
## 6) Near and Next

Idiom - at a stone's throw.

- Near- indicates **short distance**
- Next - indicates **position**



house 2 is next to house 1



NOTE-

His house is ~~near~~ ~~by~~ ~~to~~ my house

What are the prepositions that must be used after **near and next**?

→ near is never followed by any preposition

→ next is followed by **to**

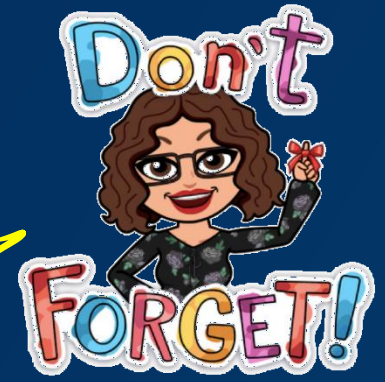
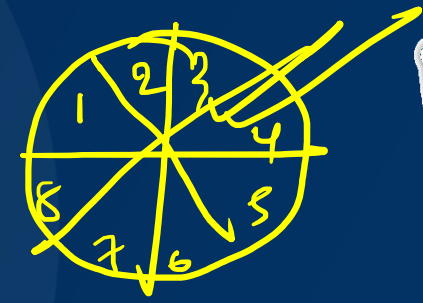


# Use of some Confusing adjectives...

7) Whole and All. *always use the before it.*

*always use the after it.*

- Whole- is used for uncountable subjects
- all- is used for countable subjects



Examples.... ?

I have been working for all the seven days in the whole week. for years



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- 8) Sick and ill
- 9) Oral and Verbal
- 10) Mutual and Common
- 11) Each and Every
- 12) Either and Both



*Public Comment.*



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Each sentence given below contains a blank followed by 4 phrases. Determine that which of the phrases given will fill the blank giving the correct/appropriate meaning of the sentence. Choose option (E), if all phrases fill the blank.

Spelling  
Error





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## QUESTION 1

*Comparative.*

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In an attempt to go greener and also given the fact that electricity is cheapest, (1)/ the national transporter has started modifying electric engines in order to use electricity from overhead lines for running appliances in LHB coaches, known as HeadOn-Generation (HOG). (2)/ As per calculations by Indian Railways, the power car needs 40 litres of diesel per hour per non-AC coach (3)/ while an AC coach needs 65-70 litres of diesel per hour. (4)/ No error (5)

*Cheaper.*

*→ same degree is used before & after "and"*



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## QUESTION 2

Peak

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The airport currently operates 75 flights every day, of which 67 are domestic flights and eight, international. The expansion project needs to be seen against a backdrop of heavy congestion that the airport (1)/ has been witnessing during peaking hours. The number of flights operating from Lucknow is expected to go up to 200 per day after the airport is remodelled, (2)/ AAI officials say. In fact, work on increasing the length of the existing runway from 2.2 km to 3.1 km is underway. This is being done to allow operations of bigger aircraft like the Dreamliner, (3)/ says Sharma, adding that the apron area would also be increased in size to allow parking of at least 22 aircraft. (4)/ No error (5)



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# QUESTION 3

*HW*

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The airport's upgrade is a part of AAI's larger plan to spend Rs 20,500 crore on aviation infrastructure (1)/ over the next five years. Indian airports currently handle around 300 MPPA and have a terminal capacity of 334 mppa, (2)/ which is likely to be breached in the next two years. (3)/ India boasts the fast growing domestic air travel market in the world, which grew 17% in FY18. (4)/ No error (5)



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## QUESTION 4

HW

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In a joint operation carried out by the military intelligence and Uttar Pradesh Police, an official associated with the Nagpur unit of (1)/ Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO) has been taken into custody. Sources say Nishant Aggarwal, who has been employed with DRDO (2)/ for few years, is being questioned on the suspicion of being a spy and leaking sensitive information to a hostile neighbouring country. (3)/ Aggarwal is likely to be booked with provisions under the Official Secret Acts, 1923. (4)/ No error (5)





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# QUESTION 5

*H/S*

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The number of metro commuters registered for sitting on metro stations and trains was 10,155. It also became the most common offence among metro users. (1)/ Between the months of January and August, the DMRC has collected an amount of Rs. 24.13 lakh in fines from metro commuters, the report stated. (2)/ Meanwhile, many Delhi Metro commuters argued that that these kind of offences of sitting on the floor of the trains does not make sense (3)/ for those who travel long distances in packed coaches, especially during peak hours. (4)/ No error (5)



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## Question 6



When he fell off the horse, he \_\_\_.

- A) ~~blacked out~~ - faint.
- B) blocked off
- C) bailed out
- D) backed out
- E) All are Correct

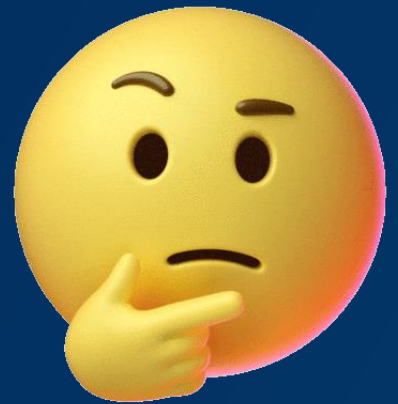
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# Question 7

As soon as I got to the airport, I \_\_.

- A) Joined in
- ~~B) Moved in~~
- ~~C) Checked in~~
- ~~D) Dive in~~
- E) All are Correct



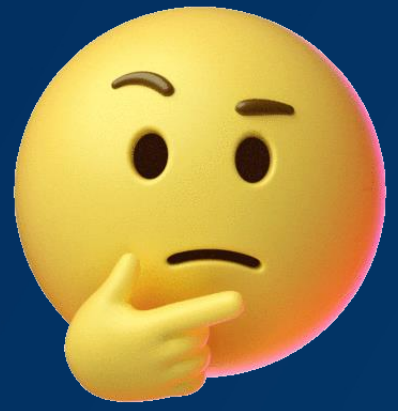
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Enter





# Question 8



I hate to \_\_ the meeting, but I have to go to the bathroom.

- A) left out
- B) hung up ✓
- C) held up
- ~~D) hold up~~
- E) All are Correct

*call*

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# Question 9



We asked the boss to \_\_\_ the meeting until tomorrow.

- A) put out
- B) put on
- C) put off
- D) put away
- E) All are Correct

*discard*

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# Question 10



She \_\_ fifteen dresses before she found one she liked.

- A) tried out
- B) ~~tried on~~
- C) tried down
- D) tried up
- E) All are Correct

*used & throw*

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*trial / wear -*



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## Question 11

I will buy this bag since it is exactly what I have been —.



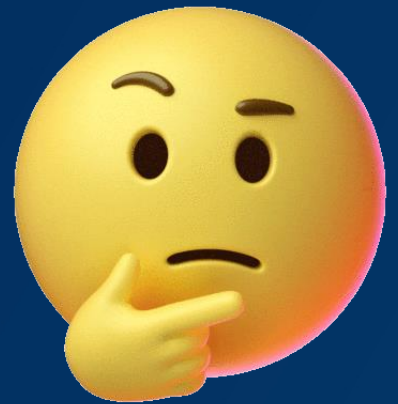
- (a) calling off
- (b) giving away
- (c) taking after
- (d) making out
- (e) looking for

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# Question 12

As we have been informed that the weather will get worse soon, we have decided to —- the tennis match.



(a) take out

~~(b) put off~~ —

*Cancel*

(c) make up

(d) Go by

(e) hand out

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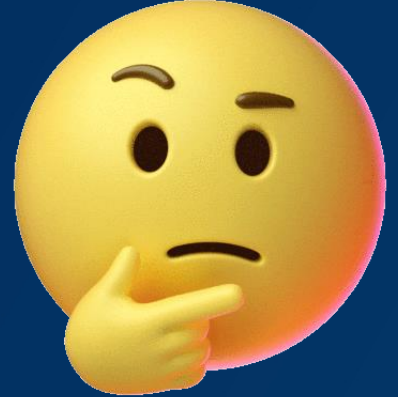
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## Question 13

Before —- for Los Angeles, it is urgent that I get my car serviced today.



- (a) holding on
- (b) letting down
- (c) giving out
- (d) finding out
- ~~(e) setting off~~

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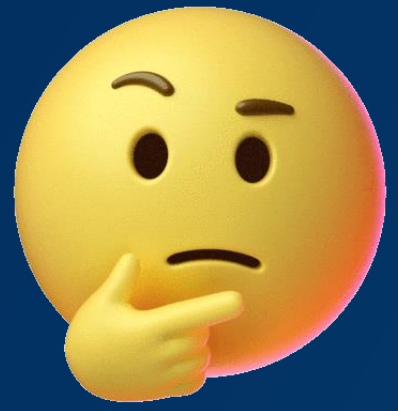
*Start.*



# Question 14

give back = Return

I am trying to —- from my roommate since I don't want him to be infected as I am.



- (a) take on
- (b) keep away
- (c) clear up
- (d) turn down
- (e) give back

accept directly.

~~Return back~~

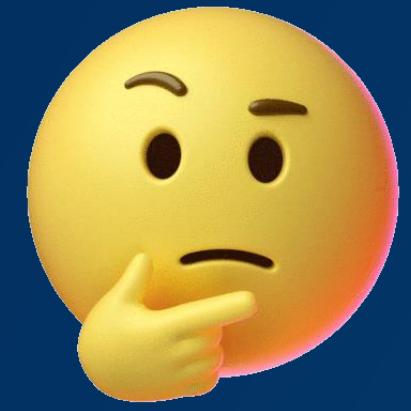
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Return



# Question 15

A lot of plant and animal species are in danger of — at the moment.



- (a) dying out
- (b) paying off
- (c) turning on
- (d) setting out
- (e) running over

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