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### ERROR DETECTION BASED ON PREVIOUS YEAR EXAM



Q1. As a person who believes (1)/ that honesty is the best policy (2)/ I feel that politics are not my cup of tea. (3)/ No error (4)



Ans: (3) is will replace are because – Politics is a Singular Subject and it will agree with a Singular Verb.



### Q2. Though the police tried all sorts of methods to illicit (1)/ information from the public (2)/ they remained silent. (3)/ No error (4)



 (1) elicit will replace illicit elicit (Verb) : to get information or a reaction from somebody, often with difficulty illicit (Adj) : not allowed by law; illegal



## Q3. Neither of the two (1)/ candidates have(2)/ paid his subscription. (3) No error (4)



**Ans: (2) either of/neither of agree with Singular/ Plural** Verb.



### Q4. I am really disappointed (1)/ in not having saw my friends (2)/ while I was in New Delhi on vacation this summer. (3)/ No error (4)



Ans: (2) in not having seen will replace in not having saw disappointed



Q5. The company have (1)/ thousands of customers (2)/ happy with its service. (3)/ No error (4)



 (1) has will replace have because – The Company (Singular Subject) agrees with Singular Verb.



# **Q6.** They are residing (1)/ in this city (2)/ for the last two decades. (3)/ No error (4)



Ans: (1) have been residing will replace are residing.



# Q7. Each one of you (1)/ must make up their mind (2)/ as I did. (3)/ No error (4).



Ans: (2) your will replace their because – your is the Possessive Case of you



Q8. During the last few years (1)/ the company works hard (2)/ to modernise its image. (3)/ No error (4).



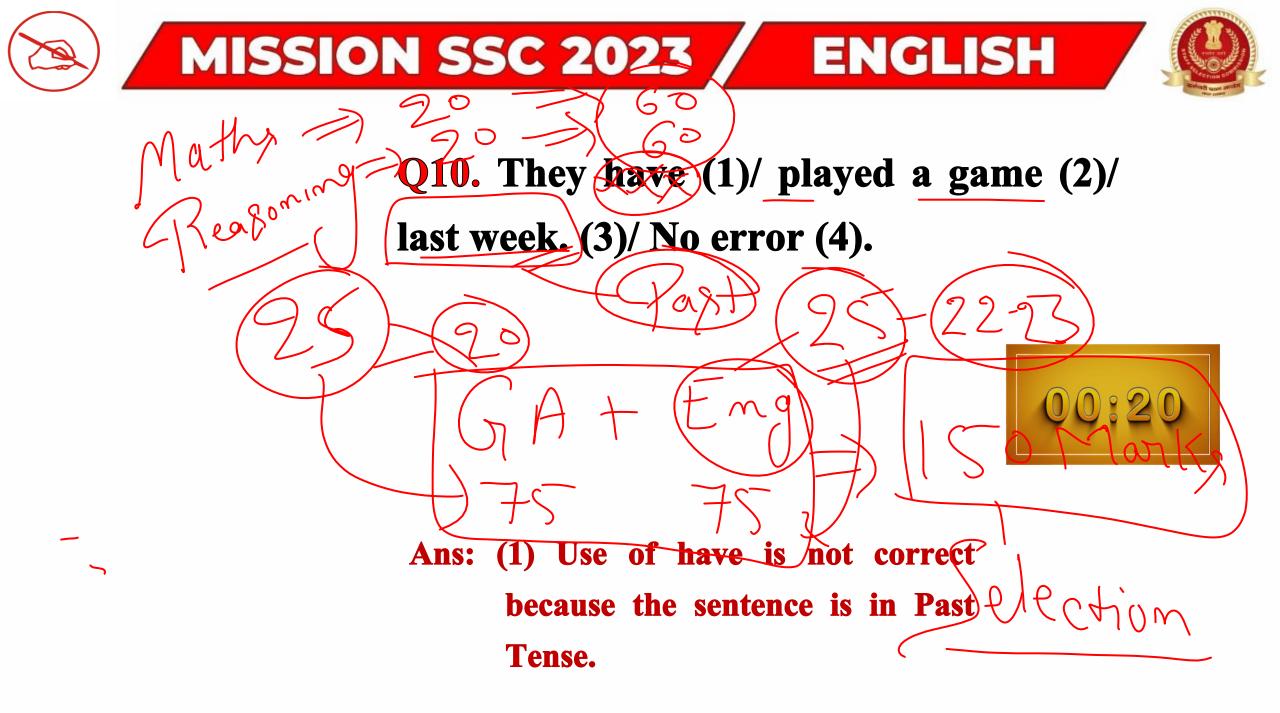
Ans: (2) worked will replace work. The sentence indicates a Past action.



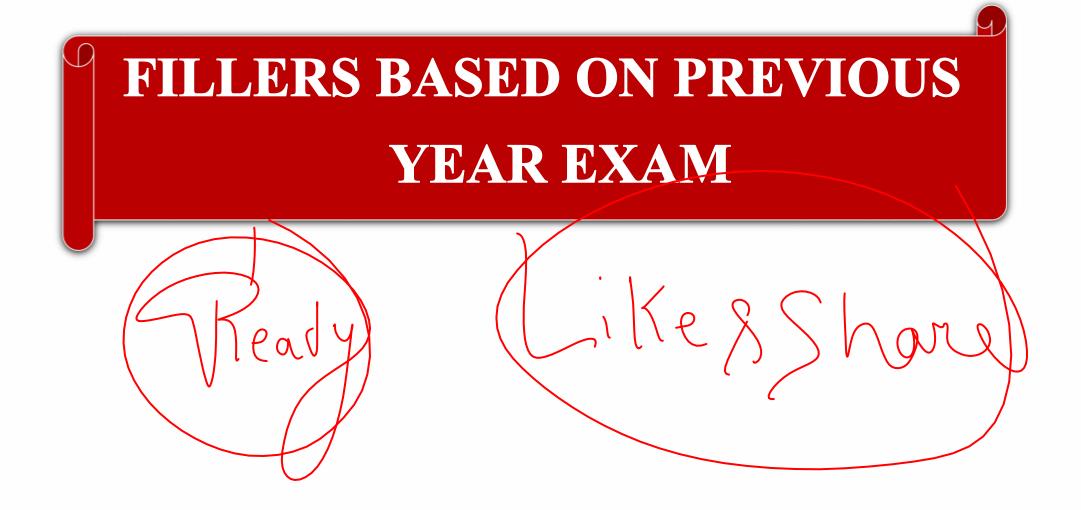
### **Q9.** In India (1)/ working woman lead a life of dual responsibilities(2)/ if they are married and have a family.(3)/No error (4).



Ans: (2) women will replace woman because – the sentence indicates a sense about many women.









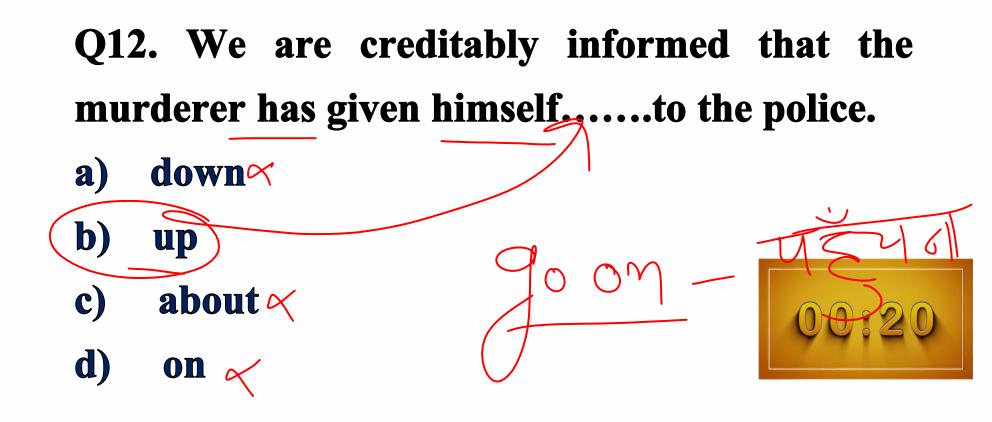
Q11. This is the bag in....the money was kept.

a) who
b) which
c) whose
d) whom

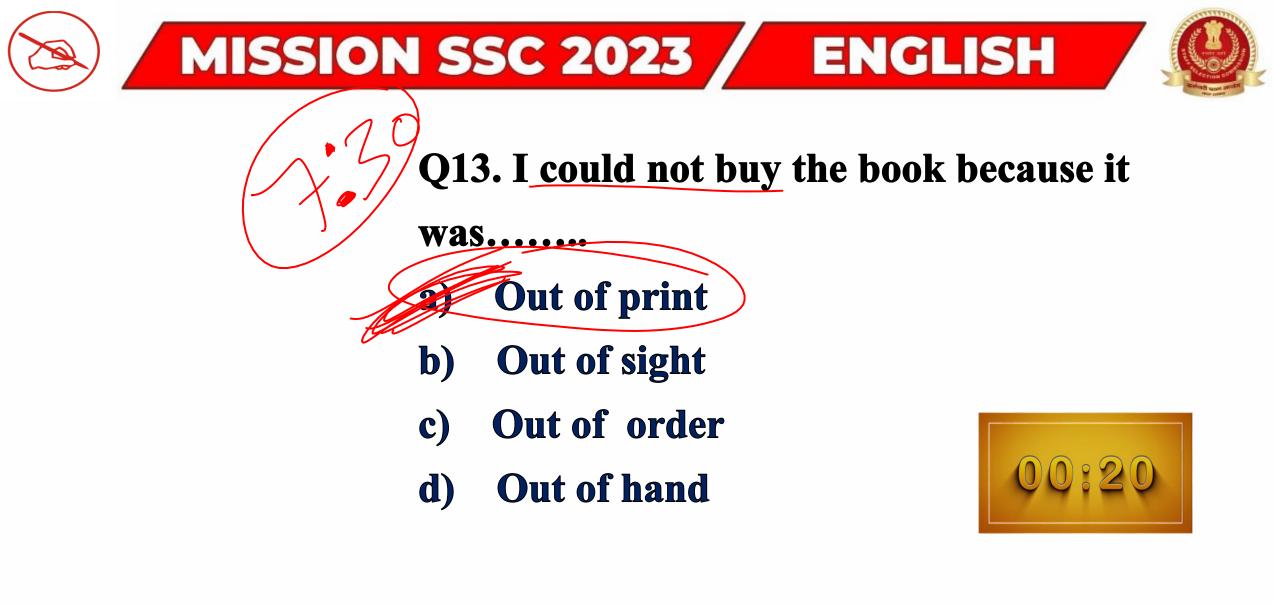


#### b) which





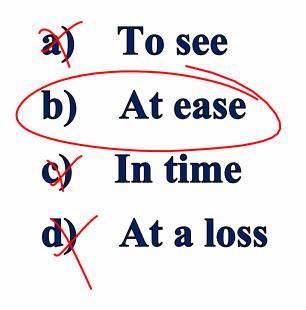
#### b) up



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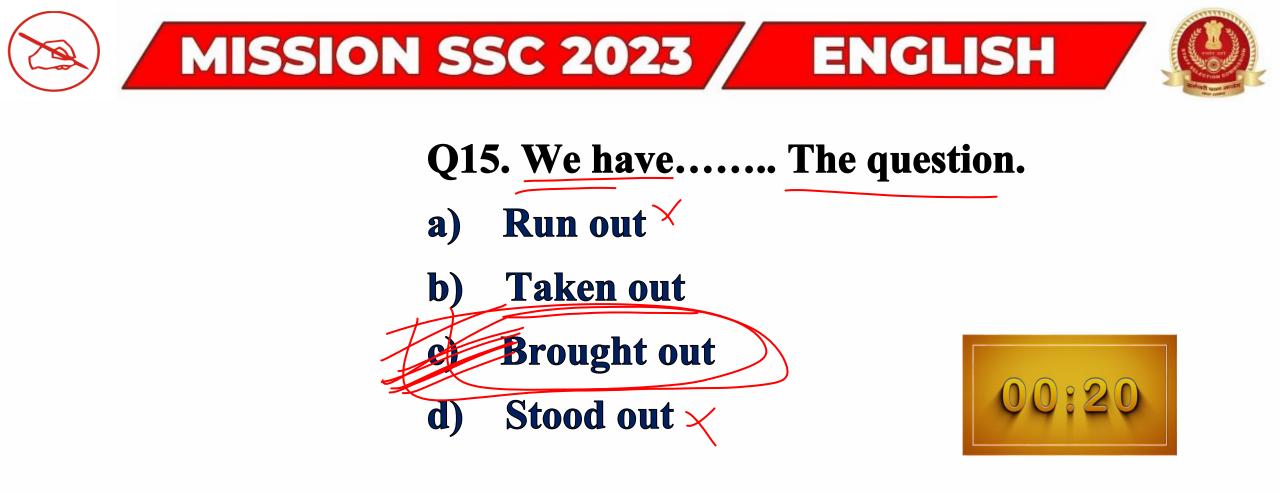


Q14. I never feel..... among strangers.





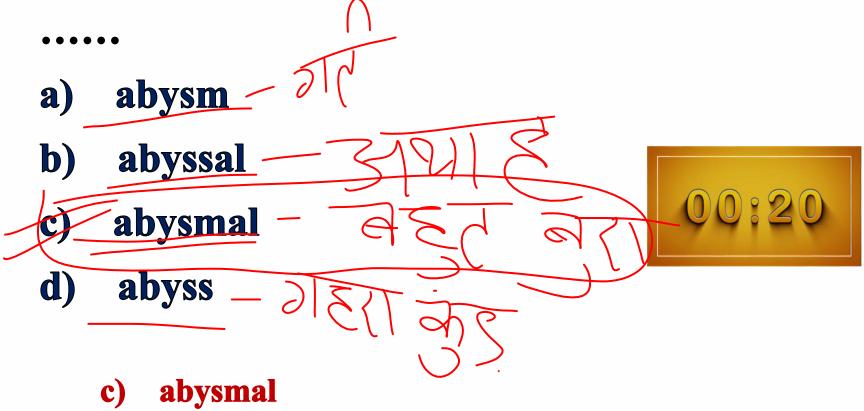




#### c) Brought out

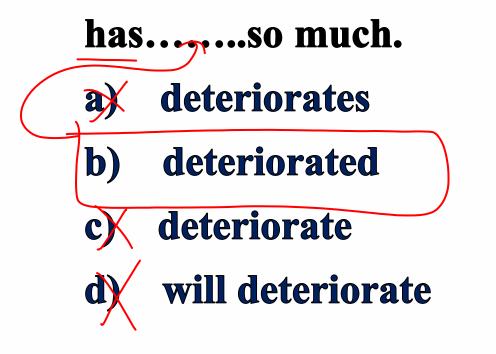


Q16. The quality of the construction work is





Q17. Today the standard of education









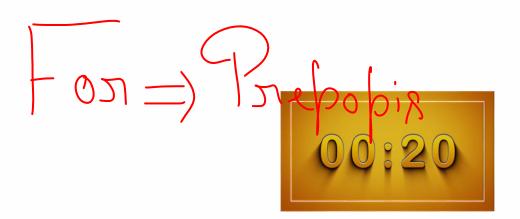
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Q18. Proper grammar, spelling and
punctuation.....essential.
a) is \left| \right\rangle
b)
     was
c)
    much
d)
     are
        d)
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are



## Q19. Let us not go on foot.....it is already late.

- a) so
- b) for
- c) until
- d) when



b) for



Q20. I have been waiting for you.....nine o' clock. **a**) on **b**) at till **c) d**) since









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(21). A. on B. about

C. off D. away

**Answer: Option (C)** 



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(22). A. tired B.

exhausted

C. annoyed D. relieved Answer: Option (D)



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(23). A. before B. with

C. behind D.

against

**Answer: Option (A)** 



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(24). A. up B. around C. along D. at

**Answer: Option (B)** 



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(25). A. imagine B. understand It was very hot in the small court-room and everybody was feeling sleepy. After a tiring C. see **D. view** morning, the clerks were anxious to get.... (21) .... to lunch and even the judge must have felt.... (22) .... when the last case came up before the court. A short-middle-aged **Answer: Option (B)** man with grey hair and small blue eyes was now standing .... (23) .... him. The man had a foolish expression on his face and he kept looking .... (24) .... stupidly as if he was trying hard to.... (25) .... what was going.... (26) ....



(26). A. on B. away C. about D. up

**Answer: Option (A)** 



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(27). A. going B. movingC. entering D. breaking

**Answer: Option (D)** 



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C. account D. explanation

**Answer: Option (C)** 



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(29). A. forced B. threatened

C. pulled D. questioned

**Answer: Option (D)** 



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(30). A. found B. discoveredC. charged D. called

**Answer: Option (A)** 



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# SPELLING ERRORS BASED ON PREVIOUS YEAR EXAM



Q31. Find the correctly spelled word a. terminated b.termenated c. terrminated d.termanated





Q32. Find the correctly spelled word

- a. persecution
- **b.** pursecution
- c. presecution
- d.persecusion



a. persecution



Q33. Find the correctly spelled word

- a. peculior
- **b.** peculiar
- c. peculliar
- d.piculear



**b. peculiar** 



Q34. Find the correctly spelled word a. psycology b. psycholigy c. psychollogy d.psychology

d.psychology



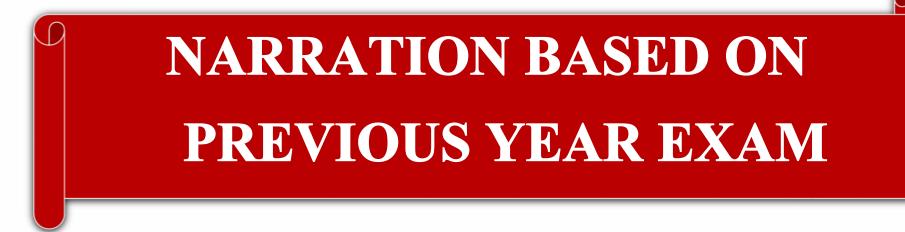


Q35. Find the correctly spelled word a. extraordinary **b.** extraordinery c. extrordinary d. ecstraordinary



#### a. extraordinary









Q36. Sonal said to Sushmita, "I shall leave Mumbai soon." a)Sonal told Sushmita that she should leave Mumbai soon. b)Sonal told Sushmita that she would leave Mumbai soon. c)Sonal told Sushmita that she should have left Mumbai soon.

d)Sonal told Sushmita that she would have left Mumbai soon.

Solution :b It doesn't refer to any advice so 'would' will be used ,not should.





Q37. Priyanka said to me, "We are to leave for temple early".a) Priyanka told me that they were to leave for temple early.b)Priyanka suggested me that they were to leave for temple early.

c)Priyanka told me that we were to leave for temple early.

d) Priyanka told me that they left for temple early.

Solution : c RULE – 'We' remains unchanged when object 'me' is included in the subject.







- Q38. The Times of India said, "We are not responsible for any error".
- a)The Times of India said that they are not responsible for any error.b)The Times of India said that they were not responsible for any error.
- c)The Times of India said that it was not responsible for any error.
- d)The Times of India said that it were not responsible

**Solution : c** 







Q39. Sheetal said, "well, I shall accompany you".
a)Sheetal told that she would accompany me.
b)Sheetal said that she is well to accompany me.
c)Sheetal said that It is fine for her to accompany me.
d)Sheetal said that she would accompany me.



Solution : d





- Q40. My mother said to me, "Have you completed the project"?
- a) My mother asked me if I have completed the project.
  b) My mother asked me if I had completed the project.
  c) My mother asked me had I completed the project.
  d) My mother asked me had I completed the project or not.



### Solution : b





Q41. The teacher said to me, "Why are you late"?

- a) The teacher asked me why I am late.
- b)The teacher asked me why I was late.
- c)The teacher asked me whether I was late.
- d)The teacher asked me whether I was late or not.





Q42. Aditya said to me, "whether I will pass is not certain?"a) Aditya asked me whether he would pass or not was not certain.

b) Aditya told me whether he would pass or not is not certain.c)Aditya told me that whether he would pass was not certain.d)Aditya asked me whether he would pass was not certain



**Solution : c** 





Q43. Deepika said, "I must leave at once".

- a) Deepika told that she must leave at once.
- b) Deepika said that she must leave at once.
- c) Deepika said that she had to leave at once.
- d) Deepika said that she has to leave at once.







Q44. She said , "Netaji was born in Kolkata".
a) she told that Netaji was born in Kolkata.
b)she said that Netaji was born in Kolkata.
c)she said that Netaji had been born in Kolkata.
d) None of these.

Solution: b



RULE – Past indefinite doesn't change when it expresses historical past.Say/said without object remains unchanged in the indirect speech.





Q45. He said to me, "Please be kind and help me."

- A. He told me to kindly help him.
- **B.** He requested me to be kind to help him.
- C. He requested me to be kind and help him.
- D. He requested to me to help him kindly.



# Solution: C. He requested me to be kind and help him.



# IDIOMS & PHRASES BASED ON PREVIOUS YEAR EXAM



Q46. Rat-race

**A)** Corruption

**B)** Misery

C) Unpleasant sightD) Fierce competition



**D)** Fierce competition





Q47. By fits and starts A) Irregularly B) Slowly C) Continuously D) Quickly







Q48. Sit tight and wait

A) Keep sitting for ever
B) Wait for the right opportunity
C) Keep waiting forever
D) Do nothing useful

**B)** Wait for the right opportunity





Q49. Fit of the blues

A) Steroid or drugs

**B)** Depression

**C) Stimulants** 

**D) Entertainment** 



**B)** Depression



Q50. Sick at heart

A) Suffering from heart problem
B) Bed-ridden
C) Very disappointed
D) Miserly



**C) Very disappointed** 





**Q51. Single blessedness** 

A) The state of being unmarried **B)** Blissful delight **C) Belief in monism D)** Introvert



A) The state of being unmarried





Q52. Cut the Gordian knot

- **A) Remove the difficulty**
- **B)** Add to the difficulty
- **C)** Lessened the difficulty
- **D)** Let the difficulty remain as it was



A) Remove the difficulty





Q53. Rub him the wrong way A) Annoy him B) Abuse him C) Flatter him D) Encourage him



A) Annoy him



Q54. To drive home

A) To emphasisB) To find one's roots

**C) Back to original position** 

**D)** To return to place of rest

A) To emphasis



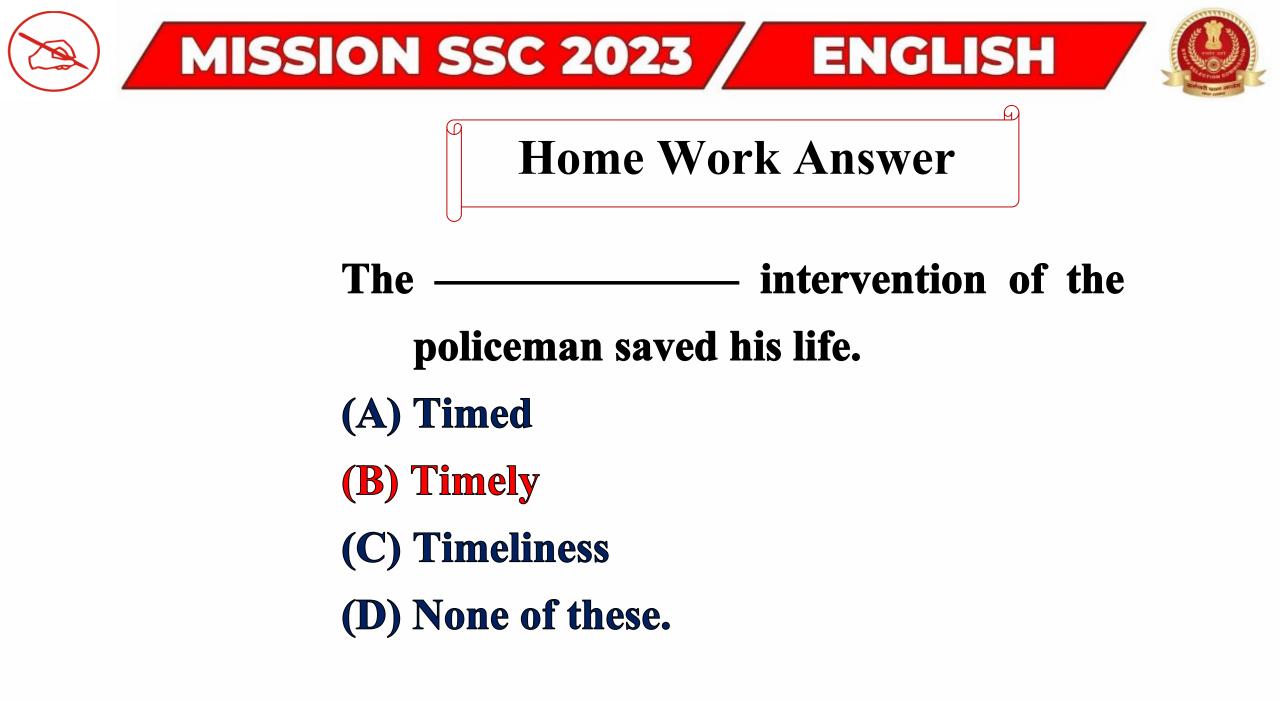


Q55. To take with a grain of salt

A) To take with some reservation
B) To take with total disbelief
C) To take whole heartedly
D) To take seriously



A) To take with some reservation





### Home Work

He decided to bury the hatchet.

(1) to keep a secret

(2) to make peace

(3) to fool someone

(4) to bury the wealth