



# Mission Selection - SSC 2024



## सफलता का महामंत्र

### DAY-13

# ERROR DETECTION & PHRASE REPLACEMENT



## ENGLISH

LIVE 06:00 PM

**PHRASE  
REPLACEMENT  
BASED ON PREVIOUS  
YEAR EXAMS**

**Q1. The matter must be considered in every point of view.**

**(1) at every**

**(2) on every**

**(3) from every**

**(4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (3) Here, appropriate Preposition i.e. from every point of view is the right usage.**

Q2. The poor villagers have waited in the bitter cold for more than two hours now.

- (1) had waited
- (2) have been waiting
- (3) has been waiting
- (4) No improvement



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**Ans: (2) Here, period of time is evident. Hence, Present Perfect Continuous should be used. Here, have been waiting is the right usage.**

Q3. You must accustom yourself with new ideas.

- (1) accustom to
- (2) accustom yourself to
- (3) accustomed with
- (4) No improvement

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**Ans: (2) accustom yourself to something : to make yourself familiar with something or become used to it.**

**Q4. Each self is unique,  
and therefore cannot be  
compared.**

- (1) incomparable**
- (2) non-comparable**
- (3) incomparably**
- (4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (1) incomparable (Adj) : so good  
or impressive that nothing can  
be compared to it; matchless.**

**Q5. She cut a sad figure in her first performance on the stage.**

- (1) made a sorry figure**
- (2) cut a sorry face**
- (3) cut a sorry figure**
- (4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (3) cut a sorry figure (Id) : to be ashamed**

Q6. He is one of those who likes to help others.

- (1) those persons who like to help others
- (2) those who like to help the other
- (3) those who like to help others
- (4) No improvement

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**Ans: (3) Here, Antecedent of Relative Pronoun-who is those (Plural). Hence, Plural Verb i.e. those who like to help others is the right usage.**



**Q7. Both of them have not  
apologized yet.**

- (1) Neither of them has**
- (2) Any of them have**
- (3) None of the two**
- (4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (1) Here, Neither of them has neither  
: not one nor the other of the two  
things or people.**

Q8. He did not know how to solve the problem and I did not either.

- (1) neither do I.
- (2) neither did I.
- (3) either did I.
- (4) No improvement

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Ans: (2) Here, neither did I is the right usage.

**Q9. Lying in my room, the music could be heard.**

- (1) I could hear the music**
- (2) the music can be heard**
- (3) the music can be heard by**
- (4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (1) Here, Active Voice i.e., I could hear the music is the right usage.**

**Q10. Maharana Pratap killed many enemy soldiers through his sword.**

- (1) by his sword**
- (2) with his sword**
- (3) across his sword**
- (4) No improvement**

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**Ans: (2) Here, Preposition-with should be used. Hence, with his sword is the right usage.**

Q11. Had Alizee been well, she could participate in the competition.

- A. will have participated
- B. would participate
- C. would have participated
- D. No improvement

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Answer: (C)

Q12. My sincere advice to him is in pursuit of his education instead of taking up a job.

- A. in pursuing
- B. to pursue his
- C. in the pursuit of his
- D. to pursuit in his

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Answer: (b)

Q13. English opens the window upon the worlds knowledge.

- A. the English
- B. the English language
- C. the English land
- D. No improvement

**Answer: (B)**

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**Q14. There is no money in (1)/  
the bank in Rajesh's and (2)/  
Reena's joint account. (3)/ No  
Error (4)**

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**Solution: 2**

**when two nouns “possess” the same entity, only the  
second takes an apostrophe ( ’ )**

**Q15. Because copper prices are going down (1)/ demand for alternative (2)/ products to copper are lessening. (3)/ No Error (4)**

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**Solution: 3**

**subject 'demand' is singular – use singular verb 'is' instead of 'are'**

**Q16. The two men were (1)/  
quarrelling with one another  
(2)/ claiming the same watch as  
their own. (3)/ No Error (4)**

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**Solution: 2**

**For two – each other**

**And for more than two – one another**

**Q17. The company reports (a)/  
that the demand for their  
Mobiles (b) / are growing  
everyday (c) / No error (d)**

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**Ans.(c)**

**Sol. In sentences structured as Noun + Preposition +  
Noun. 'verb' is used according to the number and  
person of the noun used before the preposition.**

**Q18. (1) The power supplying in /  
(2) Many states has been  
badly affected because / (3) of  
the shortage of coal. / (4) No  
error**

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**(1) Replace 'supplying' with 'supply'.**

**Q19. (1) The rate of interest / (2) offered by banks to customers who / (3) has savings bank accounts was decided by RBI early. / (4) No error**

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**(3) Replace 'has' by 'had'.**

**Q20. (1) According to newspaper reports / (2) there is more internet users / (3) in small towns than in metros. / (4) No error**

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**(2) Replace 'is' by 'are'.**

**Q21. The majority of the computer professionals (1)/ recommends that effective measures (2)/ should be taken against software piracy. (3) / No error (4)**

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**2) As we are referring to a 'majority', implying 'many', 'recommend' is the right word to be used.**



**Q22. By all standards, he is a best soldier (1)/ our military school (2)/ has produced so far. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**(1) Where the superlative is used, 'the' is the article that must precede it.**

**Q23. One of the most (1)/ widely spread bad habit (2)/ is the use of tobacco. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**2) The reference is to a plural noun, as 'one of the' implies. 'Bad habits' should be used as the sentence refers to 'one' of the most widely spread bad habits.**

**Q24. Had I came (1)/ to know about his difficulties, (2)/ I would have certainly helped him. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**1) Replace came with come**

**Q25. The detective says that (1)/  
there is no chance for (2)/  
finding the person who wrote  
these letters. (3)/ No error (4)**

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**(2); 'Of' is the correct preposition; it should  
replace 'for'.**

# Home Work

He fixed a metal ladder (1)/ for  
the wall below his window (2)/  
so as to be able to escape if  
there was a fire. (3)/ No error  
(4)

