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## Maha Mock Paper Discussion



## QUESTIONS BASED ON FILLERS



**Q1. I sat \_\_\_\_\_ my life as nothing seemed to be working for me.**

**1.blessing**

**2.cursing**

**3.tormenting**

**4.invoking**

**Solution : 2**



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**Q2. The accident victim \_\_\_\_\_ to his injuries before he could be taken to the hospital.**

**1.surrendered**

**2.submitted**

**3.succumbed**

**4.subscribed**



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**Solution : 3**

**Succumb- to die,to yield to an overpowering force,hence it makes the sentence contextually correct.**



**Q3. A \_\_\_\_\_ speech is certainly more effective than one which is verbose.**

**1.laconic**

**2.sullen**

**3.lengthy**

**4.surly**



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**Solution : 1**

**Laconic- brief,to the point,hence it makes the sentence contextually correct.**





**Q4. The ship sailed smoothly owing to \_\_\_\_\_ winds.**

- 1.turbulent**
- 2.tempestuous**
- 3.favourable**
- 4.boisterous**



**Solution : 3**



**Q5. She got a lucrative job of a translator because she was \_\_\_\_\_ in French.**

**1.sufficient**

**2.efficient**

**3.deficient**

**4.proficient**



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**Solution : 4**

**Proficient- skilled,fluent, hence it makes the sentence contextually correct.**





## QUESTIONS BASED ON SENTENCE IMPROVEMENT



**Q6. The matter must be considered in every point of view.**

- (1) at every**
- (2) on every**
- (3) from every**
- (4) No improvement**



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



**Q7. 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**



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



**Q8. You must accustom yourself with new ideas.**

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



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



**Q9. Each self is unique, and therefore cannot be compared.**

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



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



**Q10. 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**



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





**Q11. 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.**



**Q12. 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**



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



**Q13. 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**



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



**Q14. 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 me**
- (4) No improvement**

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



**Q15. 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.**

