







ERROR DETECTION PREVIOUS YEAR QUESTIONS



Q.1. The majority of (a) / writers never (b) / passes (c) / this stage. (d) A. The majority of **B. writers never** C. passes **D. this stage. Answer: (c) Replace 'passes'** by 'pass'.





Q.2 Five quintals of wooden coal (a) / are (b) / his annual requirement

- (c) / for the unit. (d)
- A. Five quintals of wooden coal
- **B.** are
- C. his annual requirement
- D. for the unit.



Answer: (b) Replace 'are' by 'is'. 'five quintals' refers a definite quantity (as collective noun) so verb will be singular.





- Q.3 Because of (a)/ extenuating circumstances (b)/ the court acquitted him from the crime. (c)/ No error.(d)
- A. Because of
- **B. extenuating circumstances**
- C. the court acquitted him from the crime.
- **D. No error.**



Answer: (c) Replace 'from' with 'of'.



Q.4 No sooner had (a) /he arrived then (b) /he was asked to leave again. (c) /No error.(d) A. No sooner had **B.** he arrived then C. he was asked to leave again.

D. No error.



Answer: (b) Replace 'then' with 'than'.





Q.5 With a fresh coat (a)/ of paint, (b)/ the school can (c)/ look much nice. (d)

- A. With a fresh coat
- **B. of paint,**
- C. the school can
- **D. look much nice.**



Answer: (d) we need to use 'more nice' or 'much nicer' not 'much nice'





Q.6 The quality of construction (a)/ of our building was (b)/ highly appreciable by (c)/ most of the visitors. (d)
A. The quality of construction
B. of our building was
C. highly appreciable by
D. most of the visitors.



Answer: (c) The word should be 'appreciated' (v.) (praised) and not 'appreciable' (adj.) (considerable).



Q.7 I know nothing (a)/ about chess because (b)/ my games teacher also (c)/ was not knowing nothing about it. (d) A. I know nothing **B. about chess because** C. my games teacher also **D. was not knowing nothing about it.** Answer: (d) 'Was not knowing nothing' = 'did not know anything'





Q.8 I was (a)/ baffled with (b)/ the instructions he gave me. (c)/ No error. (d) A. I was **B. baffled with** C. the instructions he gave **D.** No error. **Answer: (b) Replace 'with' with**







Q.9 The question is often raised (a) /that whether it is desirable to send Indian students abroad (b) /since they rarely return. (c) /No error. (d)

- A. The question is often raised
- B. that whether it is desirable to send Indian students abroad
- C. since they rarely return.
- **D. No error.**

Answer: (b) Delete 'that'.



Q.10 If you don't start behaving properly, (a)/ I will be forced to (b)/ tell to your supervisor. (c)/ No error. (d)

- A. If you don't start behaving properly,
- **B. I will be forced to**
- C. tell to your supervisor.
- D. No error.



Answer: (c) Delete 'to'.



DIOMS & PHRASES PREVIOUS YEAR QUESTIONS





11. Dowry is <u>a burning</u> **question** of the day. A. a widely debated issue B. a dying issue C. a relevant problem D. an irrelevant issue

Answer: Option A





- 12. The popularity of the yesterday's superstar is <u>on the wane</u>.
- A. at its peak
- B. at rock bottom
- C. growing more
- **D. growing less**



Answer: Option D





13. A snake in the grass

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- A. a secret enemy
- B. a treacherous person
- C. an unforeseen danger
- **D.** an unexpected misfortune



Answer: Option A





- 14. Sanjay was the real **power behind the throne** and all politicians were aware of this.
- A. The person who had the real control and power
- **B. The acknowledged leader**
- **C.** The person who controlled the monarch
- **D.** The person who advised the queen



Answer: Option A



- 15. We were in hurry. The road being zigzag we had to cut off a corner to reach in time.
- A. To cut a portion of the road
- B. To take a short cut
- C. To go fast
- **D. To take an alternative route**



Answer: Option B



FILLERS BASED ON QUESTION





Q16. Tomorrow we will attend our college..... (A) shall we (B) will we (C) won't we (D) shouldn't you





Q17. Everyone wanted **a** ticket,....? (A) didn't they (B) didn't he (C) didn't she (D) haven't they



Ans. A





Q18. Anjali dances very well,....? (A) does she (B) doesn't she (C) aren't she (D) isn't she

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Ans. B



Q19. He knows nobody in the colony,.....? (A) does he (B) did he (C) doesn't he (D) didn't







Q20. I am looking after the garden,....? (A) amn't l (B) aren't l (C) isn't l (D)don't l



Ans. B



Angela was an evil mother who wanted to get of her step-daughter.

- A. freed
- **B. relieve**
- C. rid
- **D.** lost



HOME WORK

Everyone was pleased to learn the actor would.....his role as the captivating pirate. (a) reprise raccija



