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Editorial Analysis

Grammar

Reading Skills

Vocab

Spoken English

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THOUGHT OF THE DAY

"YOUR VALUE DOES NOT
DECREASE
BASED ON SOMEONE'S
INABILITY TO SEE YOUR
WORTH"

UNKNOWN



TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- 
- i. **GRAMMAR SKILLS**
 - ii. **ARTICLE ANALYSIS**
 - iii. **VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE**
 - iv. **LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES**
 - v. **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**
 - vi. **ENGLISH SPEAKING TIPS**



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GRAMMAR SKILLS

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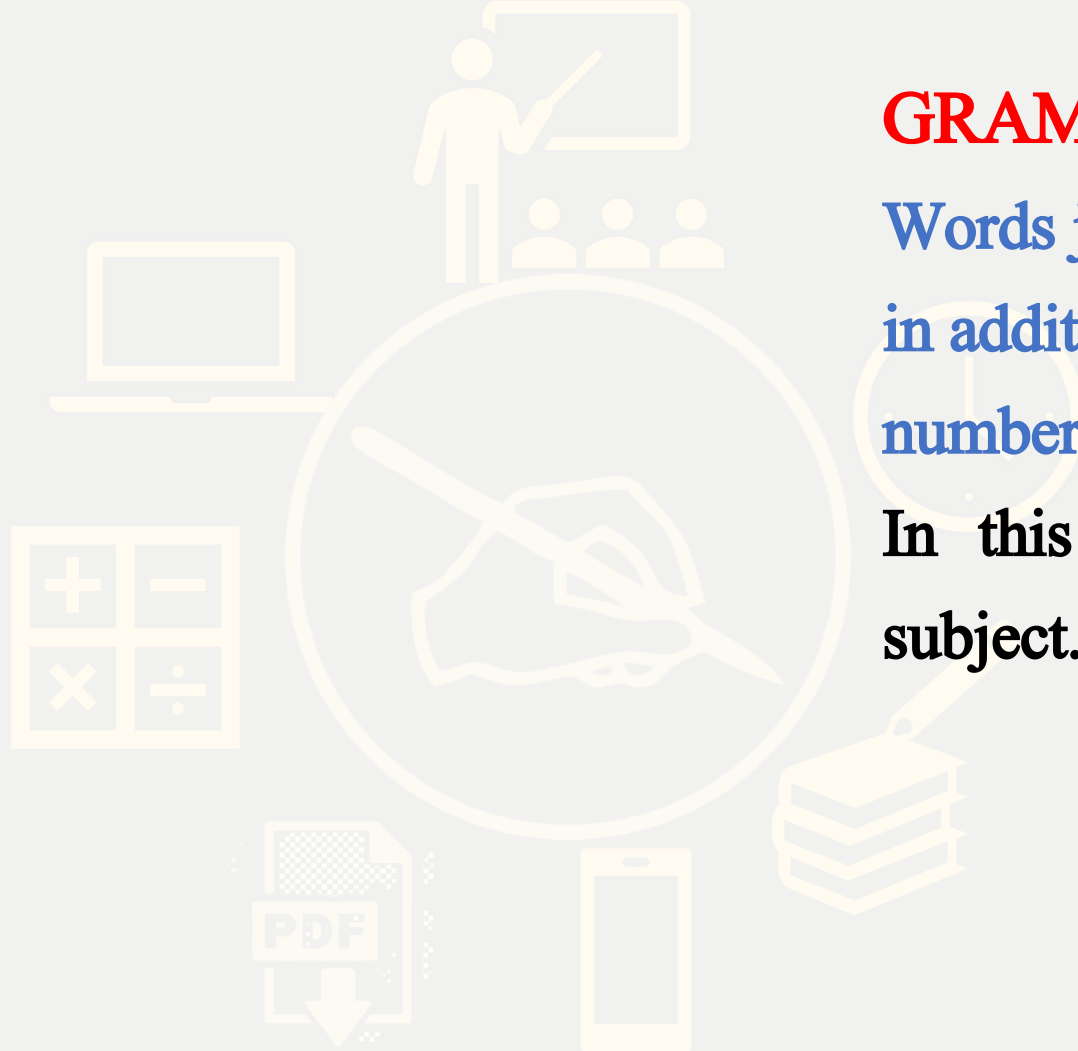




GRAMMAR SKILL - 1

Words joined to a Subject by with, together with, in addition to, or, as well as, etc. do not affect the number of the Verb.

In this case use the verb according to first subject.





The Chief, with all his men, were present.

The student along with his parents have come.



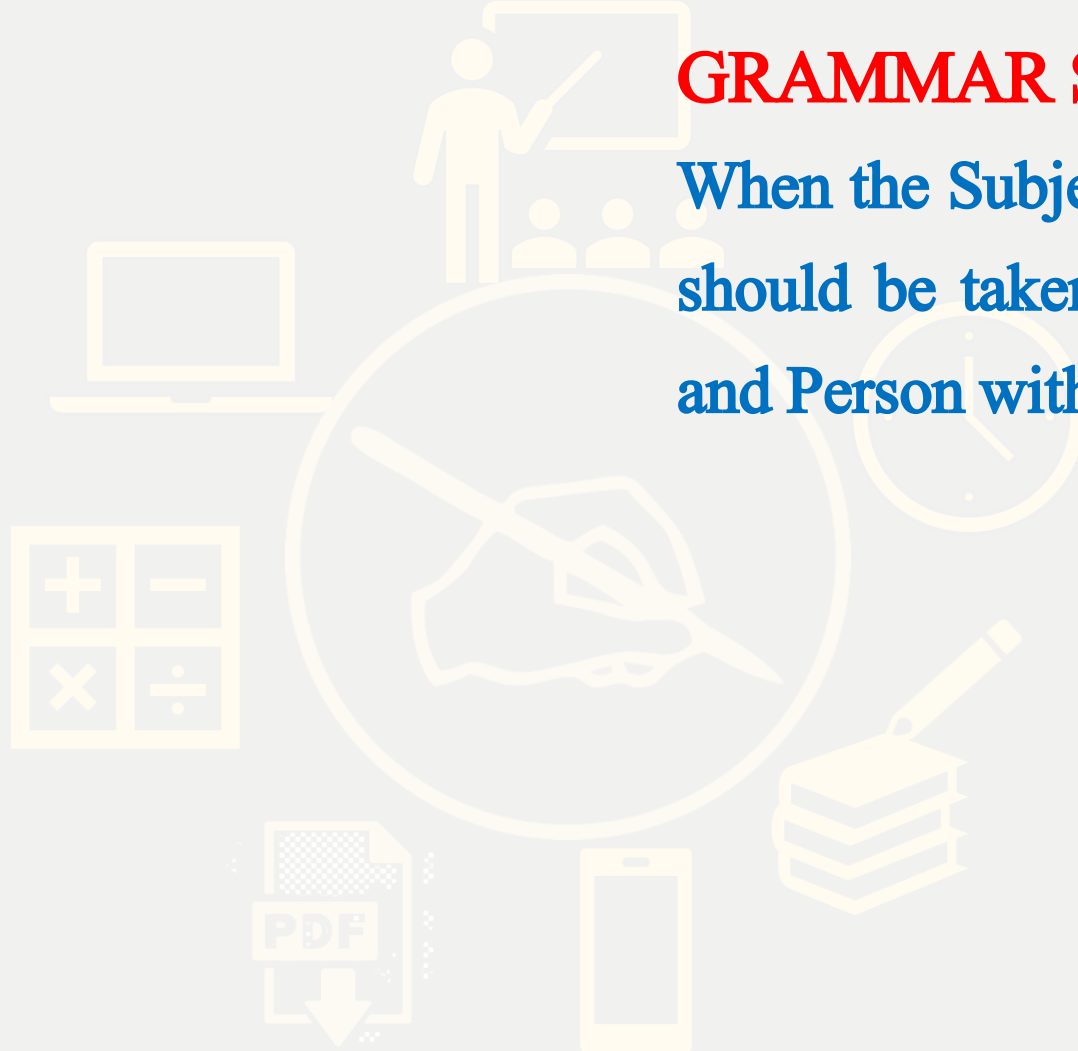


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GRAMMAR SKILL - 2

When the Subject of the Verb is a Relative Pronoun care should be taken to see that the Verb agrees in Number and Person with the Antecedent of the relative.





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I, who is your friend, will guard your interests.

You, who is a player, should work hard.





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SO IT'S TIME

Let's start





ARTICLE

'CO₂ emissions in 2020 above decadal average'

Unclean air

Key greenhouse gas emissions rose faster in 2020 than the average for the previous decade. A comparison of the key trends to pre-industrial levels:



Parameter	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O
2020 global mean abundance	413.2 ± 0.2 ppm	1889 ± 2 ppb	333.2 ± 0.1 ppb
Pre-industrial levels	278 ppm	722 ppb	270 ppb
2020 abundance relative to 1750	149%	262%	123%
2019-2020 absolute increase	2.5 ppm	11 ppb	1.2 ppb
Mean annual absolute increase over past 10 years	2.4 ppm	8 ppb	0.99 ppb

ARTICLE

A report from the World **Meteorological** Organisation (WMO) on Monday said the increase in CO2 from 2019 to 2020 was slightly lower than that observed from 2018 to 2019 but higher than the average annual growth rate over the past decade. This is despite the approximately 5.6% drop in fossil fuel CO2 **emissions** in 2020 due to restrictions related to the pandemic.

Ahead of the **crucial** talks in Glasgow next week, where the countries will attempt to **negotiate** ways to **stem** global greenhouse gas emissions, updated data shows that the pandemic **disruption** in 2020 didn't significantly **dent** overall greenhouse gas emissions.

ARTICLE

For methane, the increase from 2019 to 2020 was higher than that observed from 2018 to 2019 and also higher than the average annual growth rate over the past decade. For nitrous oxides also, the increase was higher and also than the average annual growth rate over the past 10 years. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Annual Greenhouse Gas Index (AGGI) shows that from 1990 to 2020, **radiative** forcing by long-lived greenhouse gases (LLGHGs) increased by 47%, with CO₂ accounting for about 80% of this increase.



ARTICLE

Concentration of carbon dioxide (CO₂), the most significant greenhouse gas, reached 413.2 parts per million in 2020 and is 149% of the pre-industrial level.

Methane (CH₄) is 262% and nitrous oxide (N₂O) is 123% of the levels in 1,750 when human activities started **disrupting** earth's natural **equilibrium**.

half of the CO₂ emitted by human activities today remains in the atmosphere. The other half is taken up by oceans and land ecosystems.



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THE HINDU VOCABULARY



Modicum (noun) — थोड़ी मात्रा

Meaning: a small quantity of a particular thing,
especially something desirable or valuable.

Synonyms: little bit, small amount, particle

Antonyms: A Lot



Fugitives (noun) — भगोड़ा

Meaning: a person who has escaped from captivity or is in hiding.

Synonyms: escaper, runaway, deserter, refugee

Usage: “fugitives from justice”



Detracted (verb) –कम करना

Meaning: diminish the worth or value of (a quality or achievement).

Synonyms: take away from, diminish, reduce, lessen

Antonyms: enhance



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LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES

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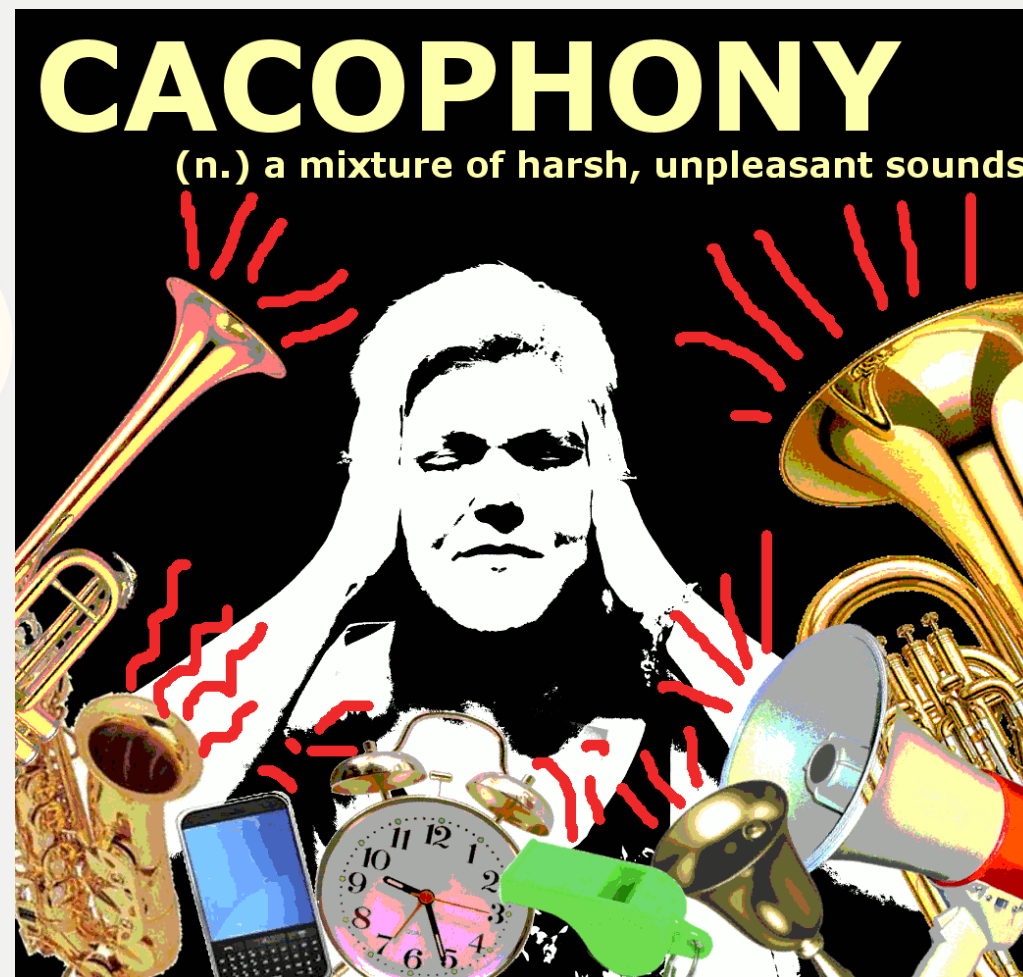
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LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

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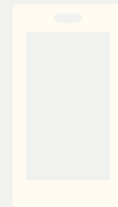


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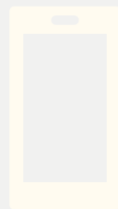
Time for IDIOMS



Question 1- To have a finger in every pie

- (a) To Fight with everybody
- (b) To be involved in a large and varied number of activities or enterprises
- (c) To make fun of everybody
- (d) To leave every job unfinished

Ans- (b) To be involved in a large and varied number of activities or enterprises



Question 2- **Spick and Span**

- (a) High and low
- (b) Dark and light
- (c) Neat and clean
- (d) Happy and sad

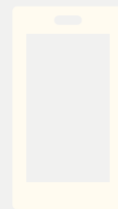
Ans- (c) Neat and clean



Question 3- **To draw the longbow**

- (a) To nullify
- (b) To exaggerate
- (c) To underrate
- (d) To demarcate

Ans- (b) To exaggerate



Question 4 - **All agog**

- (a) Avoid
- (b) Contentment
- (c) Amazed
- (d) Unsystematically

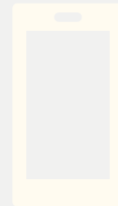
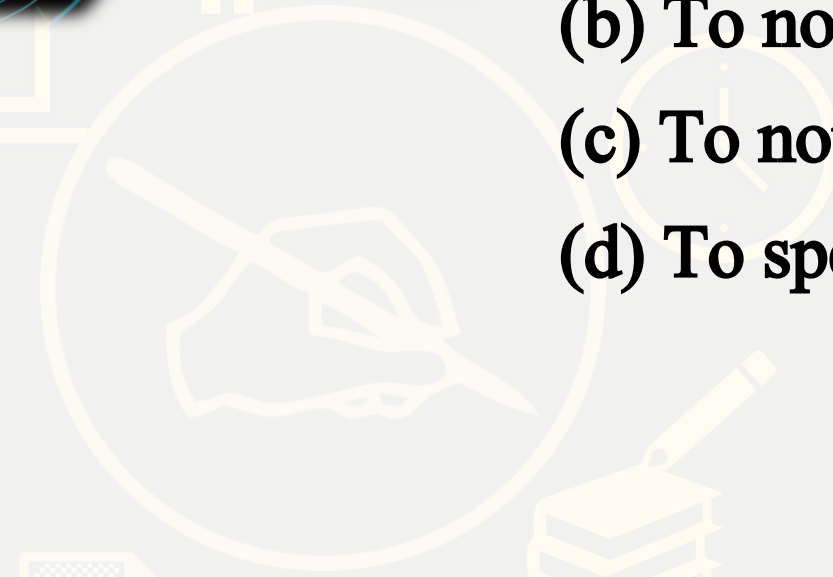
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Ans- (c) Amazed



Question 5 - Not to mince matters

- (a) To be at ease**
- (b) To not confuse others**
- (c) To not interfere in others affairs**
- (d) To speak out politely**



Ans- (d) To speak out politely



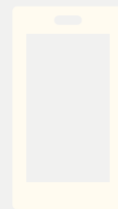
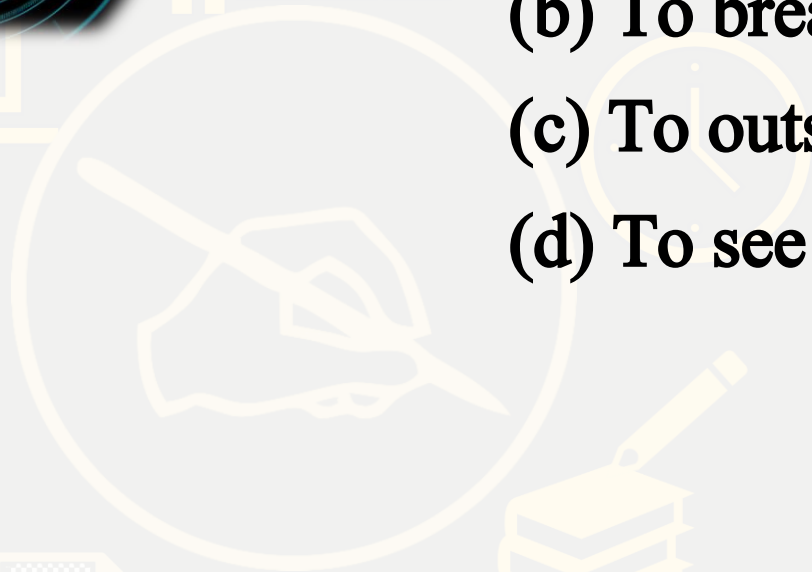
Question 6 - To steal a march

(a) To act in a foolish way

(b) To break something

(c) To outshine

(d) To see a hidden meaning



Ans- (c) To outshine



Question 7- In a jiffy

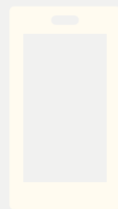
- (a) Fail to win appreciation**
- (b) In an appropriate manner**
- (c) Something that is done very quickly**
- (d) To fall in love**

Ans- (c) Something that is done very quickly



Question 8 - Ended in a fiasco

- (a) A complete failure**
- (b) A successful event**
- (c) Changed one completely**
- (d) Twisted around**

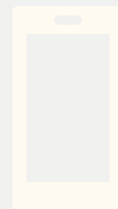
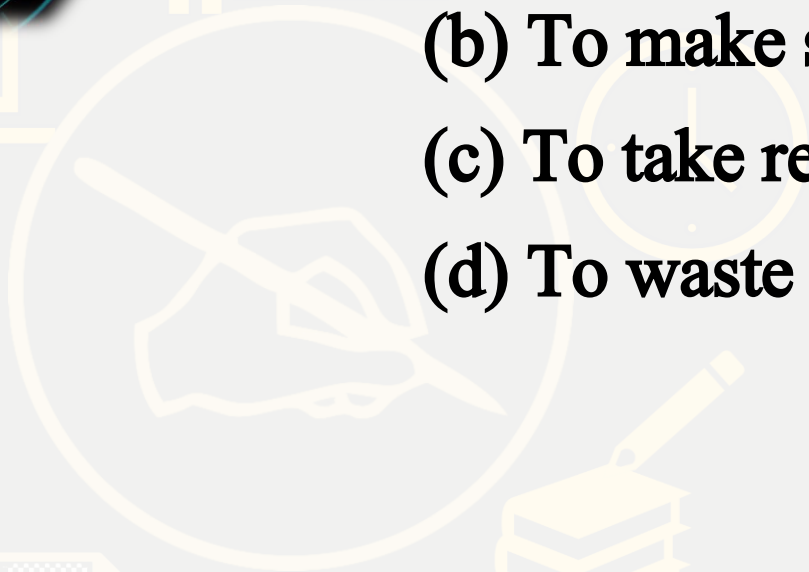


Ans- (a) A complete failure



Question 9 - **Sow wild oats**

- (a) To make someone fool
- (b) To make space to red
- (c) To take revenge
- (d) To waste time by doing foolish things

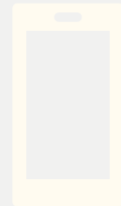
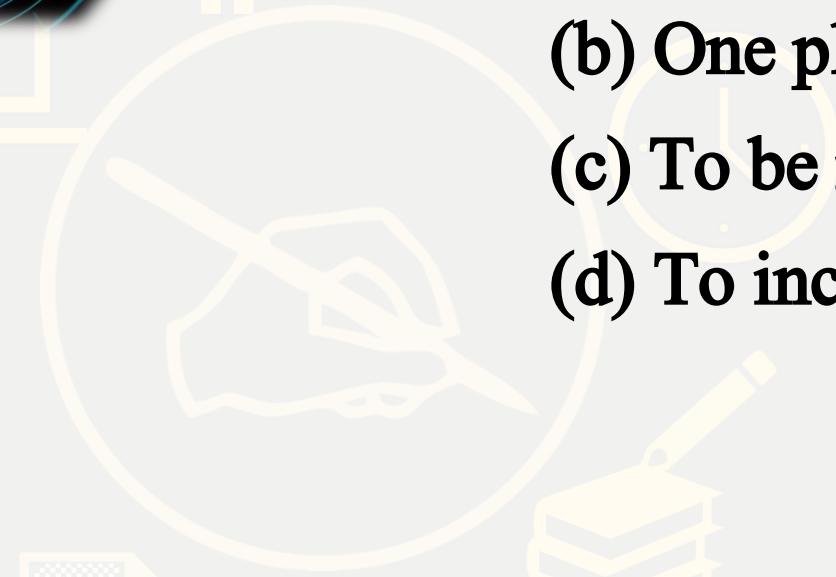


**Ans - (d) To waste time
by doing foolish things**



Question 10 - **Pillar to post**

- (a) Main support of an object
- (b) One place to another
- (c) To be reluctant
- (d) To incite others



Ans - (b) One place to another



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ENGLISH SPEAKING TIPS

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1) Of no use/avail

I went to doctor but of no use.

2) Worthwhile

It is not worthwhile.

Is it worthwhile going there?

3) After a long

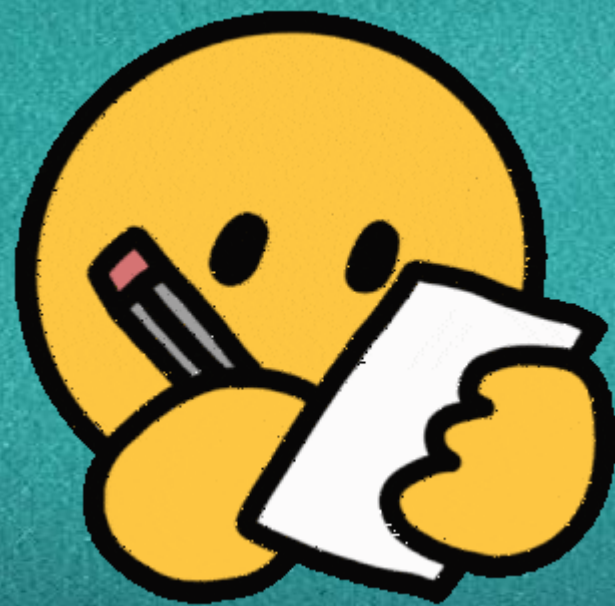
Ram came after a long.

4) Cup of tea

It is not my cup of tea.

5) All the while I kept on studying all the while.

Homework





Home Work ANSWER

There was a time (1)/ and generation
when people rejoiced (2)/ at the
slightest prospect (3)/ of **achieved
employment.** (4)

A) 1

B) 2

C) 3

D) 4

E) No Error



Home Work

My brother has (1)/ a good many
(2)/friend who often keep (3)/ calling
him at odd hours. (4)

A) 1

B) 2

C) 3

D) 4

E) No Error



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