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THE HINDU

Editorial Analysis

Grammar

Reading Skills

Vocab

Spoken English

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02 March 2022



"The best way to
predict your
future is to create
it." —Abraham
Lincoln

TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

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- i. GRAMMAR SKILLS**
 - ii. CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**
 - iii. ARTICLE ANALYSIS**
 - iv. THE HINDU VOCABULARY**
 - v. LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES**

GRAMMAR SKILLS

ARE
YOU
READY??

GRAMMAR SKILL - 1

'Either' or 'neither' is used only in speaking of two persons or things; 'any', 'no one' and 'none' is used in speaking of more than two

**(a) Anyone of these two roads leads
to the railway station**

**(b) Neither of these three boys did
his homework.**



GRAMMAR SKILL - 2

A Pronoun must agree with its antecedent in person, number and gender.





A. Each of these boys has done their homework.

B. Each of the girls have done his homework.



LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

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Time for Idioms & Phrases



1. Spick and span

- A. In order**
- B. Disorder**
- C. All qualities**
- D. No quality**



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Answer: Option A

2. Turn the tables

- A. give warning**
- B. to welcome**
- C. to reverse the condition**
- D. to take revenge**



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Answer: Option C

3. Take up the cudgels

- A. to disturb
- B. to support
- C. to follow
- D. to appreciate



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B) to support

4. Turn the corner

A. to be at one side

B. to pass a critical stage

C. to make some one feel happy

D. to make space to rest



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B) to pass a critical stage

5. Tall talk

- A. Exaggerate the matters**
- B. Free Advice**
- C. Nonsense**
- D. Lengthy talk**



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Answer: Option A



Time for
ERROR
DETECTION

6. Glimpses to the religious side of his nature appear in the majority of his plays.

(a) Glimpses to

(b) the religious side of his

(c) nature appear in the majority of his plays.

(d) No error

Ans.(a)

Sol. Use 'of' in place of 'to'. As 'Glimpse of/ Get or catch a glimpse of is the right usage.



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7. Numerous people in India are dying from hunger but the Government seems to be ignorant of this fact.

(a) Numerous people in India

(b) are dying from hunger

(c) but the Government seems to be ignorant of this fact.

(d) No error

Sol. Use 'of' in place of 'from' as 'die of a disease or die of hunger is the right usage.



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8. During his tour to the north he visited not only to Delhi but also Agra.

(a) During his tour

(b) to the north he visited

(c) not only to Delhi but also Agra.

(d) None of these



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Ans.(c)

Sol. Remove 'to' when 'visit' is used as a verb, then it takes a direct object after it.

9. My brother is moving hither and thither uselessly, because he has no other job but back biting of others.

(a) My brother is moving hither and thither

(b) uselessly, because he

(c) has no other job but back biting of others

(d) No error

Ans.(c)

Sol. Conjunction 'than' is used after 'other'. Hence use 'no other job than' in place of 'no other job but'.



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10. I do not know who you consider to be the best dancer.

- (a) I do not know**
- (b) who you consider**
- (c) to be the best dancer**
- (d) No error**



Ans.(c)

Sol. Use of 'to be' is unnecessary.

Hence, 'the best dancer' is the right usage

SO IT'S TIME

Let's start



ARTICLE

Reporting cyber attacks



ARTICLE

The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology is likely to come out with new cyber security **regulations**, as **indicated** by Minister of State Rajeev Chandrasekhar at a recent cyber security event. The **essence** of this regulation will be to put the onus on organisations to report any cyber crime that may have happened against them, including data leaks. Clause 25 in the Data Protection Bill 2021 says that data **fiduciaries** should report any personal and non-personal data **breach** incident within 72 hours of becoming aware of a breach. Even the golden standard for data protection, namely the European Union General Data Protection Regulation (EU GDPR), has a clause for reporting data breach incidents within a **stringent timeline**.

ARTICLE

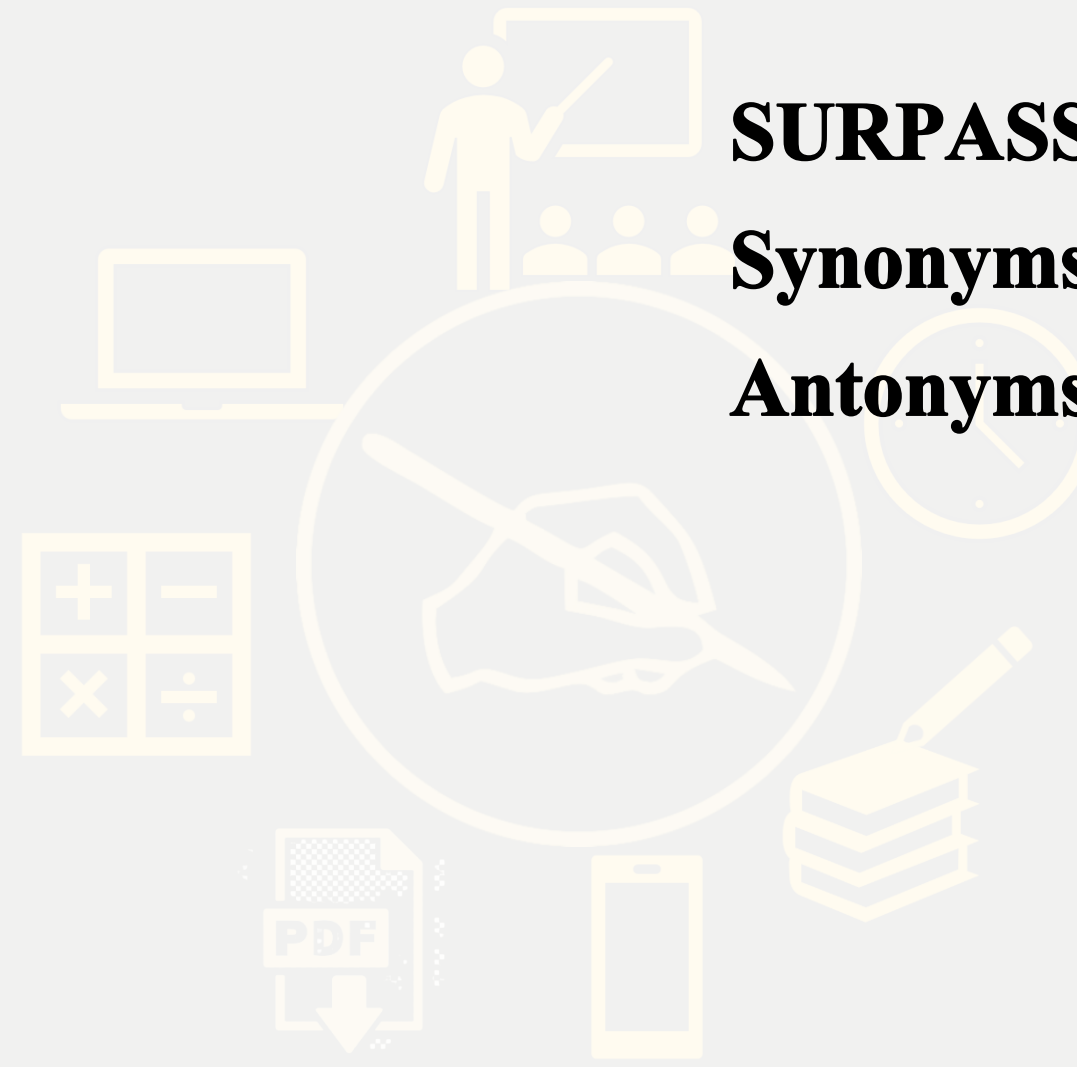
While this, **in principle**, is likely to improve cyber security and reduce attacks and breaches, why are there continuing breach incidents every minute? According to Cybercrime Magazine, if it were **measured** as a country, then cyber crime which is predicted to **inflict** damages totalling \$6 trillion **globally** in 2021 would be the world's third largest **economy** after the U.S. and China. Apart from private firms, government services, especially critical utilities, are **prone to** cyber attacks and breach incidents. The **ransomware** attack against the nationwide gas pipeline in 2021 in the U.S. virtually **brought down** the transportation of about 45% of all petrol and diesel **consumed** on the east coast. Hence it is important that even cyber attacks on government and state-owned enterprises be reported so that corrective actions can be taken on the security of **critical infrastructure** of the nation.

ARTICLE

Given the above complex nature of **disclosure**, what could be the possible solutions **apart from enacting rules**? The first is that the government **empanel** third party cyber security auditors for the conduct of **periodical** cyber security impact assessments, primarily amongst all the government departments, both at the national and State level, so that security **threats** and incidents can be detected **proactively** and incidents **averted**. The government can also **mandate** that periodic security audit reports be published by private firms and arrange to conduct surprise security audits towards **enforcements**.



THE HINDU
VOCABULARY



SURPASS (VERB): (श्रेष्ठ होना): Excel

Synonyms: Exceed, Outdo

Antonyms: Fail

BAR (VERB): (ताला लगाना): Bolt

Synonyms: Lock, Fasten

Antonyms: Unbar



DESPARATE (ADJECTIVE):

(बेताब): Despairing

Synonyms: Hopeless, Anguished

Antonyms: Cheerful



STAGNANT (ADJECTIVE): (निष्क्रिय):

Inactive

Synonyms: Sluggish, Slow

Antonyms: Active

LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES

ARE
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Recipient



Definition a person who receives something

Substantial



Definition large in amount, value, or importance | large and solid

Beguile



Definition to trick someone into doing something, especially by being nice to them | to attract or interest someone

Homework



Home Work

Take the floor

A. to dismiss

**B. take land of
someone**

C. make a speech

D. pretense

Home Work Answer

Jaundiced eye

- A. Weakness**
- B. In trouble**
- C. Prejudice**
- D. Having doubt**



UPCOMING ONLINE BATCHES

March 2022

02 March 2022

05:30 PM to 07:30 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

BILINGUAL

09 March 2022

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

03:00 PM to 05:00 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

05:30 PM to 07:30 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

BILINGUAL

16 March 2022

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

07:30 PM to 09:30 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

03:00 PM to 05:00 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

BILINGUAL

23 March 2022

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

01:00 PM to 03:00 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

BILINGUAL

30 March 2022

08:00 AM to 10:00 AM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

05:30 PM to 07:30 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
SSC ONLINE LIVE CLASS

BILINGUAL

07:30 PM to 09:30 PM
BANK ONLINE LIVE CLASS
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