



# MISSION BANK 2024



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## ENGLISH

# CLOZE TEST

## PART 1

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Day-13

LIVE 10:00 AM





3 things you cannot  
recover in life: the  
**WORD** after its  
said, the  
**MOMENT** after its  
missed, and the  
**TIME** after its  
gone.



## VOCABULARY

**Meaning :** very serious; not smiling

**Synonyms :** Frowning , Austere

**Antonyms :** Lax , Flexible

**Sentence :** He had a stern love of justice, and a determined hatred of everything savouring of jobbery or dishonesty.

**STERN**





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## **PART 1**



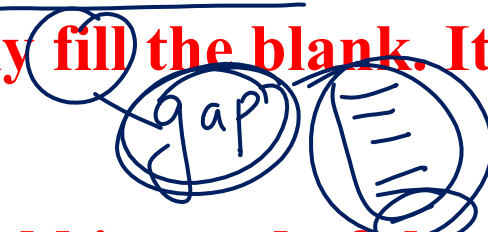
## TIPS

- Read the Passage Thoroughly
- Link the Phrases Together
- Find the Word Type to Fill in
- Check Out the Tone of Passage
- Eliminate Options
- Go with Specific Keywords
- Enhance Your Language Skills
- Do Practice as Much as You Can

Grammar



## TYPES

- **Basic Fill in the Blanks Format:** A passage is given with multiple blanks and candidates need to choose one correct answer from the given options, which would be appropriate and logically fill the blank. It is the most common and simplest type of Cloze Test. 
- **Replacing words:** Multiple words are given in bold instead of the blanks to fill, in the passage. You will be required to tell if the word given in bold is appropriate or if it can be replaced with another word from the given options. This is a new pattern for cloze test that frequently appears in Bank exams.



In the following passage, some of the words have been left out, each of which is indicated by a letter. Find the suitable word from the options given against each letter and fill up the blanks with appropriate words to make the paragraph meaningful.



Agriculture in India needs to become more sustainable even as small and marginal farmers A to build resilience against many threats. First, they remain price-takers and economically vulnerable, B to traders who set prices, and with limited opportunities to sell at a time of their choice. Further, decades of C agriculture have added to water stress and decline soil health. Farmers rely on ground water for more than 60% of D needs. Chemical fertilizers once used to E soil nutrients have been applied to so intensively that the long-term health of soils is now of deep concern.





Agriculture in India needs to become more sustainable even as small and marginal farmers   A   to build resilience against many threats.

A.

1. Need
2. Supervise
3. Struggle
4. Negotiate
5. Address





First, they remain price-takers and economically vulnerable, B to traders who set prices, and with limited opportunities to sell at a time of their choice.

**B.**

1. Naive

2. Beholden *duty*

3. Favourable

4. Unbound *X*

5. Dominating *✓*





Further , decades of C agriculture have added to water stress and decline soil health.

C.

1pm Vocab  
Article Analysis

2pm Raftaar  
Batch

- 1. Superficial
- 2. Tiring
- 3. ~~Fearless~~
- 4. ~~Undeveloped~~
- 5. Intensive





Farmers rely on ground water for more than 60% of  
\_\_\_D\_\_\_ needs.

D.

1. Irrigation

2. Energy

3. Drink

4. Cultivate

5. Sow







Chemical fertilizers once used to E soil nutrients have been applied to so intensively that the long-term health of soils is now of deep concern.

E.

1. Grow

2. Deplete

3. Accelerate

4. Spread

5. Boost

reduce

to increase the rate/amount

increase





In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.



The podcasting business \_\_\_\_\_ (A) \_\_\_\_\_ on conversation — short takes, mid-sized, and long, unfurling like the mythical tail of Hanuman. These must be distinguished from interviews, which have a discrete and \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ purpose, with a clear boundary between seeker and giver of information and insight. Journalistic interviews may \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ the purposes of extracting or confirming the news of the day, or as a platform for portraiture, where we watch, listen or read someone drawing out personality. But the conversational podcast does something different; it \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_ the listener into a closed room to hear the wheels of two minds as they turn.



The best conversational podcasts are those where the host and the guest meet on a level platform — not so much in terms of domain expertise, but as two (or more) people who share a \_\_\_\_\_ (E) \_\_\_\_\_ that is jointly explored as they speak. There is a genuine sense of listening to questions and carefully crafted answers that in turn \_\_\_\_\_ (F) \_\_\_\_\_ more questions, both for those within the conversation and those listening to it. Even as the exchange is being recorded, the participants do not seem to be performing. They are so \_\_\_\_\_ (G) \_\_\_\_\_ involved in the interchange that the sense of an audience is completely absent.





The podcasting business \_\_\_\_\_ (A) \_\_\_\_\_ on conversation — short takes, mid-sized, and long, unfurling like the mythical tail of Hanuman.

A.

1. Boom → resonant sound.
2. Prosper → Succeed
3. Thrives → grow vigorously
4. Commence → to start
5. Arrive





These must be distinguished from interviews, which have a discrete and Specific(B) purpose, with a clear boundary between seeker and giver of information and insight.

adj

B.

1. Universal ✓
2. Calculated ✓
3. Traditional ✓
4. Specific ✓
5. Confidant ✓

clearly defined





Journalistic interviews may \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_ the purposes of extracting or confirming the news of the day, or as a platform for portraiture, where we watch, listen or read someone drawing out personality.

C.

1. Serve ✓
2. Delete ✓
3. Sneak ✓
4. Unravel ✓
5. Pretend

*move in a stealthy way*





But the conversational podcast does something different; it \_\_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_\_ the listener into a closed room to hear the wheels of two minds as they turn.

D.

1. Invites

2. Experiment

3. Exhibits

4. Conflicts

5. Flood







The best conversational podcasts are those where there the host and the guest meet on a level platform — not so much in terms of domain expertise, but as two (or more) people who share a (E) that is jointly explored as they speak.

E.

1. Mechanism ✓

2. Deluge

flood

3. Glut

4. Progression

5. Curiosity





There is a genuine sense of listening to questions and carefully crafted answers that in turn \_\_\_\_\_ (F) \_\_\_\_\_ more questions, both for those within the conversation and those listening to it.

F.

1. Retire
2. Communicate
3. Generate
4. Select
5. Indulge





They are so \_\_\_\_\_ (G) \_\_\_\_\_ involved in the interchange that the sense of an audience is completely absent.

Homework

G.

1. Fancy
2. Conclude
3. Ruthful
4. Deeply
5. Bully



