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Directions: Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. Kindly find the errorless combination in the given sentences

Error
└─ ~~Mark~~
└─ Errorless ✓



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Options

Question 1

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Verbal Noun

As SBI Chairman Arundhati Bhattacharya put it: (a) / "In case of a farm loan waiver, (b) / there is always a falling in credit discipline ~~(c)~~ / because the people who get the waiver have expectations of future waivers. (d)

Part

- a. abc
- b. bcd
- c. acd
- d. abd
- e. no error

Verb Noun - Verb acting as a noun → they always prefer a/an before it.

Exceptions

→ Gerund - V₁ + ing
→ Infinitive. - to + V₁

LIFO - last in first out



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Question 2

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After two blistering knocks in the (a)/ early stages of the ongoing ICC Women's Cricket World Cup (b)/ in England, left-handed opening player (c)/ Smriti Mandhana grabbed most ~~on~~ the headlines. (d)

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

d. abd

e. no error



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Question 3

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Past Tense

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Her 72-ball 90 helped India floor England, (a)/ host and favourites, in the opening match (b)/ on June 24, and she ~~follow~~ this (c)/ up with an elegant, unbeaten, match-winning 106 against the West Indies. (d)

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

☒ d. abd

e. no error

followed

3rd Person
Singular:

√5

(Present)

↑
Past

√2



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Question 4

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The 20-year-old's attacking style, marked by (a)/ ~~delightfully~~ drives and punishing pulls, (b)/ has ushered in a new wave of fans (c)/ to the often forgotten world of women's cricket. (d)

- a. abc
- b. bcd
- c. acd
- d. abd
- e. no error

Delightful

Qualify
NOUN
Adjective.



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Question 5

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There were a few people who (a)/ didn't think much of a girl playing cricket,
but I (b)/ was not bothered by this (c)/ sort in negativity," Tambwekar
recalls. (d)

☒ a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

d. abd

e. no error

kind of } types
sort of }

of.



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Question 6

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Sub (Singular)

Mandhana did not consider moving to (a)/ a big cricket centre like Mumbai because she (b)/ was convinced that their hard work and (c)/ focus would pay off even if she stuck to facilities in a small town, says Tambwekar. (d)

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

d. abd

e. no error

her

pronoun (Singular)



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Question 7

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At the age of 15, Mandhana displayed (a)/ a penchant for big scores, recording three centuries (b)/ and double-century for the Maharashtra ~~(c)/~~ under-19 team in the West Zone one-day tournament. (d)

One/a

fondness

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

☒ d. abd

e. no error



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Question 8

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Later that year, Mandhana became the (a)/ second Indian, after all-rounder Harmanpreet Kaur, (b)/ to sign ups for the Women's ~~(c)/~~ Big Bash League in Australia. (d)

sign up

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

d. abd

e. no error



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Question 9

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*The best student
is the best friend*

*Rule - We don't put any article
after possessive cases.*

Tambwekar admits Mandhana was hugely (a)/ demotivated during that period and (b)/ says his only ~~the~~ task was to make her ~~(c)~~ mentally strong through constant positive reinforcement. (d)

- a. abc
- b. bcd
- c. acd
- ☒ d. abd
- e. no error

Adjective + ~~Article~~ + Noun
Quality

Article + Adjective + Noun.

the only task ✓

~~only the task.~~



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Question 10

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Newspaper ✓

Style of all her own

Mandhana has a playing style all her own, (a)/ but cricket fans might be reminded of (b)/ two great timers of the ball when they (c)/ see her cover drives and pull shots — Sourav Ganguly and Sri Lanka's Kumar Sangakkara. (d)

a. abc

b. bcd

c. acd

d. abd

e. no error





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Directions: In the following questions, two sentences are given. There may be an error in the sentence(s). Read them as identify the suitable option.





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Question 11

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Rule — Yesterday / Last day
previous year
Adverb of Past Time
always takes
Simple Past Tense

- ~~I. Yesterday I have ^{wrote} written a letter to my friend.~~
~~II. My letter ought to have reached him this morning.~~

- ~~(a) if there is an error only in the first sentence;~~
(b) if there is an error only in the second sentence;
(c) if there are errors in both sentences; and
(d) if there is no error in either of the sentences.
(e) None of the above



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Question 12

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- I. He was ~~so~~ ^{So} stammering ~~that~~ he stopped his speech between each word.
II. I shall give you sweets when you ~~will~~ pass the examination.
Latter *Former*

- (a) if there is an error only in the first sentence;
(b) if there is an error only in the second sentence;
☒ (c) if there are errors in both sentences; and
(d) if there is no error in either of the sentences.
(e) None of the above

Rule - Never use two future tense in the same sentence

— rather use Simple Present for the former action



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Question 13

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amount of
money = sum

I. I came to borrow a small sum of money from you.

II. Do you object to my sitting in your room for a while?

what General

Possessive

- (a) if there is an error only in the first sentence;
- (b) if there is an error only in the second sentence;
- (c) if there are errors in both sentences; and
- ~~(d) if there is no error in either of the sentences.~~
- (e) None of the above

~~Rule - Any Noun or pronoun related to a General is always used in possessive case.~~



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Question 14

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Show pity on
Feel pity for.

Pityful

I. When I see these pity children my eyes get filled with tears.

II. She expected me to feel pity on her and help her.

for

- (a) if there is an error only in the first sentence;
- (b) if there is an error only in the second sentence;
- ☒ (c) if there are errors in both sentences; and
- (d) if there is no error in either of the sentences.
- (e) None of the above



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Question 15

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Rule - let } Active Voice
Passive Voice } + V₁

~~I. They are always complaining about something or the other.~~

~~II. Do you think your parents will let you to go to England?~~

- ~~(a) if there is an error only in the first sentence;~~
- ~~(b) if there is an error only in the second sentence;~~
- ~~(c) if there are errors in both sentences; and~~
- ~~(d) if there is no error in either of the sentences.~~
- (e) None of the above



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