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REASONING



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In the question given below, a statement has been divided into four fragments, one of which may contain an error. You have to mark the fragment containing error as your answer. If no fragment has an error, mark (E) as your answer.



The trains are often (A) / late, so getting to (B) / work in time is (C) / a fairly hit-and-miss affair. (D) / No error (E)

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. E



We could run off (A) / together, but neither of us
(B) / wants to live the rest (C) / of our lives abroad.
(D) / No error (E)

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. E

The proposed new structure (A) / is notable for not only (B) / its height, but also (C) / for its shape.(D) / No error (E)

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. E

Our ethnic, cultural and linguistic (A) / diversity has been greatly influenced (B) / by the unique features of (C) / our land, climate and geography.(D) / No error (E)

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. E

The question was so (A) / unexpected that, for (B) / a moment, she was (C) / at loss how to act up properly.(D) / No error (E)

- 1. A
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. E

In the following question, one part of the sentence may have an error. Find out which parts of the sentence do not contain an error and select the appropriate option. If the sentence is free from error, select 'No error'. Ignore errors of punctuation, if any.

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Although my father could neither read (A) / or write, he was reputed to be an excellent orator (B) / who captivated his audiences by (C) / entertaining them as well as teaching them.(D) / No error (E)

- 1. ABC
- 2. BCD
- 3. ACD
- 4. ABD
- 5. No error

In eating the plants we combine the carbohydrates (A) / with oxygen dissolved in our blood because of (B) / his penchant for breathing air, and (C) / so extract the energy that makes us go. (D) / No error (E)

- 1. ACD
- 2. ABC
- 3. BCD
- 4. ABD
- 5. No error

The thickets of ironwood that had once grown (A) / there had been harvested centuries ago, to (B) / created a broad swath of open ground through (C) / which no enemy could hope to pass unseen.(D) / No error (E)

- 1. ABC
- 2. BCD
- 3. ACD
- 4. ABD
- 5. No error

In the following question, a sentence is given with a blank. You have to fill the blank with one of the words given as options in order to make the sentence contextually and grammatically correct.

The recent protests in China happened for a variety of

reasons _____ from unfavourable working

conditions to bank failures.

- 1. Span
- 2. Extended
- 3. Vary
- 4. Scoping
- 5. Ranging



Nobody rules out another surge of the diabolical pathogen, but research and resilience have readied us to ______better.

- 1. Contest
- 2. Assuaging
- 3. Lull
- 4. Mitigate
- 5. Appeasing

During the pandemic, many insured found that a / an ______ portion of their hospital bills fell

outside the purview of insurance.

- 1. Obvious
- 2. Crucially
- 3. Significant
- 4. Petty
- 5. Particular

The great emperor is ______ for streamlining the irrigation system through systematic land surveys and reorganization of the kingdom into governable units.

- 1. Honour
- 2. Remembered
- 3. Neglected
- 4. Saluted
- 5. Know

- 1. From
- 2. About
- 3. With
- 4. Upon
- 5. At

In the following question, a sentence is given with some part of it marked in bold. You have to identify the option that would replace the bold part and make the sentence contextually and grammatically correct. If no correction is required, mark option (E) as your answer.



I had a brief <u>look into</u> the report before the meeting.

- 1. look in
- 2. look on
- 3. look through
- 4. look over
- 5. No correction required



Even his lawyer cannot <u>get out</u> the fact that he knew he was lying.

- 1. get at
- 2. get in
- 3. get into
- 4. get over
- 5. No correction required



We can <u>get away</u> with four computers at the moment, but we'll need a couple more when the new staffs arrive.

- 1. get off
- 2. get along
- 3. get by
- 4. get on
- 5. No correction required

The community centre scheme has <u>run in</u> strong local opposition.

- 1. run out on
- 2. run up against
- 3. run into
- 4. run off with
- 5. No correction required

You are required to match statements from columns 1 and 2 and find which of the following pairs of statement make sense meaningfully and grammatically.

COLUMN 1

COLUMN 2

A. Italian doctors claim that WHO	D. to enter a market that currently
has hatched a conspiracy	evaluates in billions and growing
	rapidly.
B. A new bunker is now being	E. in the finger area the Chinese

constructed by the side along the Pangong Tso lake.

C. On-demand delivery apps have F. mislead people about the become a new gatewayG. On-demand delivery apps have F. mislead people about the disease, vaccinate everyone and reduce world population.

1. Only A-F, B-E

- 2. Only B-E
- 3. Only C-D
- 4. A-F, B-E and C-D
- 5. None of the above

COLUMN 1

COLUMN 2

A. Efforts must be made to significantly increase	D. which were allotted at higher rates by the previous government.
B. Our country has improved its transportation landscape over the	E. the number of uniformed women personnel in the UN peacekeeping missions.
C. The state has benefited to the tune of Rs 2,082 crore by reverse	F. last two decades, much remains to be done to meet the increasing

tendering contracts

demand now.

1. Only B-F

2. Only A-E

- 3. Only A-E, C-D
- 4. B-F, A-E and C-D
- 5. None of the above

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2		
A. With President Donald Trump	D. a move that will see the e-	1.	Only A-E, B-F
warning chances of a detente	commerce giant compete against	2.	Only A-E, C-D
	major players like Zomato.	3.	Only C-D
B. Whether you are a startup in the	E. from last year's trade war are	4.	A-E- B-F, C-D
Medical field developing a mobile app	fading.	5.	None of the above
C. Amazon is launching its food	F. medical purposes can be tricky and		
delivery platform,	a responsible task.		

COLUMN 1

COLUMN 2

A. China and India were also two	D. to plant at the right time, you
of the richest	need.
B The explanation for current	E and most advanced nations on

scenario of India-Nepal diplomacy the planet for staggering periods of time.

C. In order to bring your produceF. the dirty politics and foreignto your table,intervention in Nepal's affairs.

1. Only A-E, B-F

2. Only A-E

3. Only C-D

4. A-E-B-F, C-D

5. None of the above

Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions.

Spirituality entails looking inwards to assess our thoughts, shed negativity and work toward imbibing purity and positivity, moment to moment. Self-control, quest for truth, and intuitive wisdom are all embellishments that one gathers during the course of one's spiritual evolution. Over a period of time, spirituality paves way for a mind that thinks on the lines of inclusiveness and is full of love. These virtues are at the core of all religions. Acceptance of the fact that all religions lead to the common goal puts an end to all differentiation.

The spiritual journey starts with the acceptance that there is one ____(A)___ energy, power and beauty, a single reality called 'Sat', the Truth, which has no name, but people call it by different names as per their perception. Every other thing, in its essence, is just a different manifestation of the same unifying reality. We are just one of the various variables in the equation of reality.

We humans have two abstract identities – the soul and mind – distinct from our physical entity but related by the divine thread of god. The consciousness of universal oneness of mankind is complete and pure by default, though it may at times be shadowed by our mind that is full of desires and in constant search of outwardly pleasures through senses.

Inward reflection in our mind is essential to minimise attachment to outwardly attractions. This can help in piercing the wall of illusion to reach the Truth. In detachment, your love can be directed to the whole and the whole includes its parts.

Oneness is the deep understanding that we are all interconnected and interdependent. While this is a simple truth, oneness is also profound and powerful, because it's so different from the belief that we are separate and that we need to struggle and compete against each other to survive. We are much better off when we work together to survive.

In Oneness, there are no winners or losers. All of us become winners. Once one starts living and acting in this manner, life moves towards its aim and success. Oneness is not a religion, but it is at the core of every religion. And more than a belief, it's a scientific fact. Scientifically also, at the subatomic level, we are all connected. The same energy that powers me powers you. Consider the light bulb. It doesn't matter where that light bulb is made or what it looks like, it is electricity that lights all light bulbs.

The 'Law of Purpose' is another important spiritual law, and it tells us that everyone shares exactly the same impetus in life, which is to add the highest value to everyone at all times. When we understand that this is our purpose in life, it is like having the power of the Universe on our side. After all, the 'Law of Purpose' is the way to achieve permanent bliss, joy, and harmony in society.



Which of the following features of mind is/are mentioned in the passage?I. It is full of desires.II. It is in constant search of materialistic pleasures.III. It is in constant search of mental peace.

- 1. Only II
- 2. Both I and III
- 3. Only I
- 4. Both I and II
- 5. All I, II and III

According to the passage, which of the following defines 'oneness'? I. It is a belief that we should compete against each other to survive. II. It is not a religion, but it is at the core of every religion. III. It the deep understanding that we are all interconnected and interdependent.

- 1. Both II and III
- 2. Only II
- 3. Both I and II
- 4. All I, II and III
- 5. Both I and III

What does a person gather during his spiritual evolution?
I. Self -control
II. Intuitive wisdom
III. Quest for truth

- 1. Both I and III
- 2. Only III
- 3. Only I
- 4. Both II and III
- 5. All I, II and III

According to the passage, which of the following can be achieved by the 'Law of Purpose'? I. Harmony in society II. Permanent bliss III. Joy

- 1. Both I and III
- 2. Only II
- 3. Both II and III
- 4. All I, II and III
- 5. Only I

According to the passage, which of the following is/are true?I. The 'Law of Purpose' is a spiritual law.II. We all are connected at the subatomic level.III. Oneness leads to aim and success.

- 1. Only I
- 2. Only III
- 3. Both I and II
- 4. Both II and III
- 5. All I, II and III

Which of the following can be inferred from the passage?I. Spirituality makes one's mind full of love.II. Law of purpose is just a different manifestation of the same unifying reality.III. Same energy empowers everyone.

- 1. Only II
- 2. Both II and III
- 3. Only I
- 4. Both I and III
- 5. All I, II and III

Which of the following statements is/are false according to the passage?

I. Accepting the fact that spirituality is everything puts an end to all differentiation.

II. The soul and the mind are two abstract identities of humans.III. Materialistic desire is essential to minimize attachment to outwardly attractions.

- 1. Both II and III
- 2. Both I and II
- 3. Only II
- 4. Both I and III
- 5. All I, II and III

Which of the following words can fill the blank marked as (A) in the passage?

- 1. Power
- 2. Originate
- 3. Supreme
- 4. Courage
- 5. None of these

Which of the following is the nearest synonym of the word 'impetus' as given in bold in the passage?

- 1. Inspiration
- 2. Indifference
- 3. Enthusiast
- 4. Gloom
- 5. None of these

Which of the following is the nearest antonym of the word 'entail' as given in bold in the passage?

- 1. Necessitate
- 2. Require
- 3. Cause
- 4. Exclude
- 5. None of these

THANK YOU