



**Q.1) Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**

The students are in great \_\_\_\_\_ of their teachers.

X 1. praise

2. awe -

X 3. respect

4. gusto (D)

respect with fear

आदर, डर

**Q.2) Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.**

**The servant was beaten through his master with a stick.**

with + non living

- 1. No error
- 2. with a stick
- 3. ~~through his master~~
- 4. The servant was beaten

through  
के माध्यम से  
से  
By + person

by

**Q.3)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No Improvement.

Many accidents at the factory are caused of workers who don't read warning signs.

- ✓ 1. are caused because of
- X 2. is the cause of
- X 3. is caused by
- 4. No Improvement

because

because of

Not

**Q.4)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The origin of ice-cream dates back \_\_\_\_\_ nearly half-a-century.

*back* — *to*

1. to
2. at
3. from
4. into

**Q.5)** In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the **Idiom/Phrase**.

**Birds of the same feather**

1. People with a generous heart
2. To get into trouble together
3. To be in a totally helpless condition
4. People with similar character

**Q.6)** Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

Gloomy (गदग)

विलोम शब्द  
3414

1. Cloudy —
2. Bright ✓
3. Dull
4. Greedy

**Q.7)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No Improvement.

The wound on her hand is now heal completely.

Handwritten notes: is - vi g - A/v  
tv 3 + (by)

- X 1. has now healing
- 2. No Improvement
- ✓ 3. is now healed
- X 4. is healing now



**Q.8)** Select the most appropriate **synonym** of the given word.

Immense

पर्यायवाची शब्द  
- बहुत ज्यादा

अर्थ

1. Insignificant

लहका

2. Dull

3. Minute

4. Massive



**Q.10)** Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.

**Unless you prepare well, you will not get a first class.**

unless + not  
until

- ~~1. No error~~
2. a first class
3. Unless you prepare well
4. you will not get

**Q.10)** Choose the word that can substitute the given sentence.

**An internal or external framework of bones**

1. Spine
2. Skull
3. Skeleton
4. Skin

**Q.11)** Choose the word that can substitute the given sentence.

**An area of grassland where animals graze**

1. Forest

2. Park

3. Meadow

4. Garden

(3) घास का मैदान

**Q.12)** Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.

The child always goes for sleep with his teddy bear.

*for + v/gf*

1. with his teddy bear
2. goes for sleep
3. No error
4. The child always

**Q.13)** Choose the **correctly spelt** word.

1. Exausted <sup>Q</sup>
2. Intelligent ✓
3. Equaly ✓
4. Amigrate <sup>E</sup>

**Q.14)** In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the **Idiom/Phrase**.

Cat's whiskers

1. A very easy matter
2. To be highly impressive
3. To be very determined
4. Difficult to understand

**Q.15)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

I            very busy lately.

*recently -  $\frac{D}{H}$*

*has / have been + v<sup>3</sup>*  
*has / have + v<sup>3</sup>*

1. would be
2. have been
3. will be
4. should be



Mr. Oliver was taking a shortcut **16.** \_\_\_\_\_ the pine forest which was making sad, **17.** \_\_\_\_\_ sounds because of strong winds. He **18.** \_\_\_\_\_ a lonely boy sitting on a rock. **19.** \_\_\_\_\_ boy was weeping soundlessly. There seemed to be **20.** \_\_\_\_\_ terribly wrong with the boy.

16) ~~1. Through~~ 2. by 3. along 4. of

through -  $\frac{2}{H}$   $\frac{2}{H}$   $\frac{2}{H}$

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17) **1. awesome** **2. eerie** **3. banging** **4. aloud**  
SRIDH

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18) 1. recorded 2. noticed 3. pointed 4. remarked

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19) **1.One**

**2.Each**

**3.A**

**4.The**

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20) 1.anything 2.nothing 3.everything **4.something**

**Q.21) Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**

**Former** -

पूर्व

1. Inferior
2. Superior
3. Regular
4. Previous

**Q.22)** Select the most appropriate **antonym** of the given word.

**Impartial** - (अद्वैत)

जो पक्षपाती  
नहीं


**1. Biased** - पक्षपाती

**2. Judicious**

**3. Involved**

**4. Impractical**

Q.23) Choose the **correctly spelt** word.

- 
1. Genuine
  2. Geniune
  3. Ganuine
  4. Jenuine



**Q.24)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Sarthak            everything that a leader should be.

*be example of*  
**1. epitomizes** —

*आदर्श होना*

**2. adores** —


*द-दर करेगा*

**3. worships** —

**4. clones**

**Q.25)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

It is quite tough to \_\_\_\_\_ which candidate will win the presidential elections.

1. pretend
  2. elect
  3. predict
  4. argue
- 







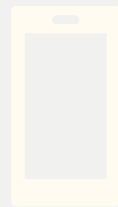
1) A person pretending to be somebody he is not

A: Magician -

B: Rogue - डक ,

C: Liar -

D: Imposter - वहसुपिता



## 2) A person who insists on something

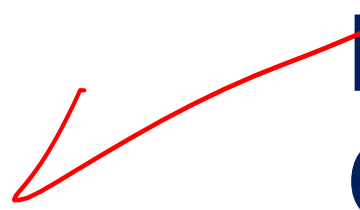
A: Disciplinarian -

B: Stickler -

C: Instantaneous -

D: Boaster -

हो, सिद्ध सिद्ध  
तत्कालीन  
हो, मान दिला



### 3) Extreme old age when a man behaves like a fool

सोढ्यापन

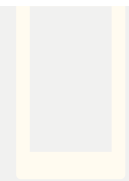
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A: Imbecility <sup>न</sup> दुर्बलता

B: Senility <sup>न</sup> ~~सम्राज्य~~ बुढापन

✓ C: Dotage <sup>न</sup> सोढ्यापन

D: Superannuation <sup>न</sup> सेवा हेतु



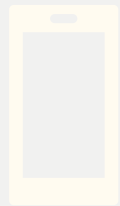
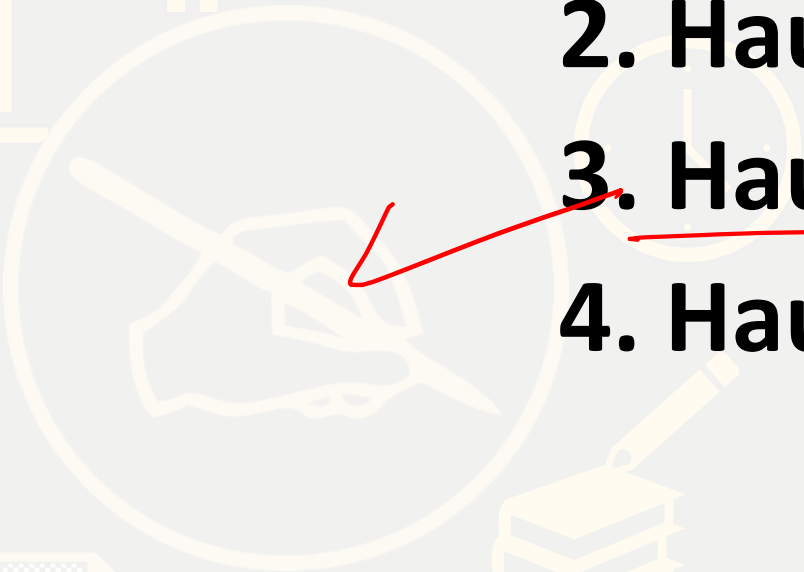
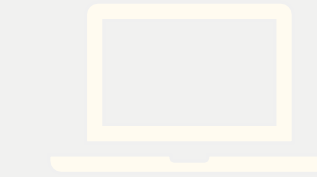


**Q.4) Choose the correctly spelt word.**

1. Hotiness
2. Haughtyness
3. Haughtiness
4. Hautiness

ness - Noun  
ness - Adj

Haughtiness



**Q.5)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Her parents always \_\_\_\_\_ her in her studies.

1. encouraged

2. interested

3. impressed

4. expected

**Q.6) Choose the correctly spelt word.**

1. Gramar

2. Gramer

3. Grammar

4. Grammer

Q.7) Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

Fertile - adj  
- ३५-५११३७

1. Barren - adj दंशक

2. Civilized

3. Sane - adj sensible

4. Tough

**Q.8)** Choose the most appropriate word that can substitute the given group of words.

**One who pretends to be what he is not**

imposter  
उपकार

1. Director

2. Hypocrite

उपकार

3. Creator

4. Acrobat

**Q.9)** Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

**Acute**

*adj*

*- sharp*

*sharp mind @*

1. Dark

2. Clever

3. Grave

4. Blunt

*adj*

*जिज्ञासु*

*धुंध*

**Q.10)** Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Deepen - (✓) - गहरा करना

1. Soothe (✓) - शान्त करने का

2. Neutralize - (✓) - शून्य करना

3. Relieve - (✓) - शान्त कर देना

4. Intensify (✓)

**Q.11)** Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

**The ball is in (one's) court**

- 1. To be responsible for further action**
- 2. To pass the responsibility to another**
- 3. To be fearful of taking any action**
- 4. To risk everything in one venture**



**Q.12)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The entry gates were closed \_\_\_\_\_ we could enter in.

1. till

- तब तक

2. before

- पहले

3. after

- बाद में

4. until

- तब तक कि

**Q.13)** Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.

I told the tailor /to make a new /dress for me . /No error .

to + VI (V<sup>2</sup> V<sup>1</sup> / V<sup>2</sup> / V<sup>1</sup> / V<sup>2</sup>)

1. dress for me

2. I told the tailor

3. No error

4. to make a new

**Q.14)** Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.

The lady/standing in /corner is fat. /No error.

*in the corner*  
*position*

1. corner is fat

2. No error

3. standing in *the*

4. The lady

**Q.15)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No Improvement.

Please tell the story in a nutshell - *संक्षेप में*

1. at a nutshell

2. in the nutshell

3. in nutshells

4. No Improvement

**Q.16)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No Improvement.

Negative

He did not like the novel, nor I did.

nor + H.V. + sub

not  
no  
Hardly

1. nor did I

2. No Improvement

3. nor I like it

4. nor did I likes it

H.V. + sub

inversion

**Q.17)** Choose the most appropriate word that can substitute the given group of words.

**A place where nuns live and work**

1. Convent

2. Dormitory

3. Hostel

4. Quarter

**Q.18)** Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.

It was not possible / ~~to us~~ <sup>for</sup> / to understand her. / No error.

1. to us

2. to understand her

3. It was not possible

4. No error

**Q.19)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Humble request

would you like some water?

1. Do

2. Would

3. Shall

4. Can



**Q.20)** Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Courage -

(n) वीरता nera

1. Meekness

(n) दुर्बलता, शर्म  
सकोच

2. Valour

(n) विह्वल, वीर्य

3. Humility

(n) अपन

4. Timidity

- कायकता

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21) 1. ~~define~~ 2. ~~defining~~ 3. defined 4. ~~defines~~

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22) 1. of 2. in 3. at 4. to

*of - or*

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23) 1. along

2. for

3. by

4. from

*Distinguish*  
*from*

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24) 1. ~~had~~ 2. does 3. ~~has~~ <sup>+V3</sup> ~~has~~ 4. ~~did~~

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25) 1. more      2. many      3. most      4. much











Q.1) Select the word which means **the same as** the group of words given.

A place where wild animals live

1. Cage

2. Kennel

3. Hutch

4. Lair

- Dog

- घर/घर

Q.2) Select the alternative that will improve the underlined part of the sentence. In case there is no improvement select '**No improvement**'.

There was no sign of recognition on his face when they met after ten years.

1. no sign to recognise

2. no any sign of recognition

3. No improvement

4. no sign for recognition

**Q.3) Select the segment in the sentence, which contains the grammatical error.**

**We were busy at the work and went for lunch only at 2.30 pm.**

1. only at 2.30 pm

2. at the work

3. and went for lunch

4. We were busy

at ~~the~~ work

at work

with

**Q.4) Select the most appropriate meaning of the idiom.**

**Back in saddle**

- 1. Resume duty**
- 2. Put a new saddle**
- 3. Teach someone riding**
- 4. Learn how to ride**

**Q.5) Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.**

**A. Just before the sacrifice, however, he noticed that one of the king's fingers was missing.**

*once*

**B. Once when travelling across a forest, the king was captured by a powerful tribe.** **C. Since it was not acceptable to sacrifice an incomplete person to God, the king was released.**

**D. The tribal priest decided to sacrifice the king to their God.**

**1. BDAC**

**2. CDBA**

**3. ADBC**

**4. DACB**

**BDAC**

**Q.6) Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**

By accelerating digitisation and leveraging next generation technologies, the life insurance sector can double its \_\_\_\_\_ to Rupees 70 lakh crores, a study said.

1. funding

2. reports

3. policies

4. assets



Q.7) Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.

**Tidy** - (adj)

शुद्ध, स्वच्छ, सज्ज  
व्यवस्थित

1. Principle
2. Intellectual
3. ~~Disordered~~
4. Mature

Q.8) Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

**EXHALE** - सांस छोड़ना

1. Expel

2. Inspire

~~3. Inhale~~ - सांस अंदर लेना

4. Respite - राहत

**Q.9) Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.**

**A. Problems in absorption of vitamins is the main cause of vitamin deficiency.**

**~~B.~~ This is the reason why people with metabolic disorders such as obesity, often suffer from vitamin deficiency.**

**~~C.~~ Hence, digestion and the absorption mechanism in the body is very important.**

**D. Vitamin deficiency is not just caused by lack of vitamins in the diet.**

**1. BCAD**

**2. CBDA**

**3. DABC**

**4. ACBD**

Q.10) Select the word with the incorrect spelling

1. Denounce - (V) दण्डित

2. Ascertain - (V) पता लगाना

3. System<sup>a</sup>etic

4. Combination

Q.11) Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**RESILIENT**

1. **Supple**

2. **Furious**

3. **Lazy**

4. **Baseless**

००२ अरुणा

Q.12) Select the alternative that will improve the underlined part of the sentence. In case there is no improvement select 'No improvement'.

*was + vig / v<sup>3</sup>*

Carrots and sweet potatoes were airdrop for animals starving during the tragic bushfires in Australia.

1. are airdropped for animals starved
- ✓ 2. were airdropped for animals starving
3. No improvement
4. will be airdropping for animals starving

Q.13) Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

When they read about the proposed strike of buses they said, "We'll cross that bridge when we come to it."

1. Call them for talks
2. Cancel our plans
3. Prevent them
4. Solve the problem

**Q.14) Select the segment in the sentence, which contains the grammatical error.**

**No matter ~~what that~~ the mother did the baby didn't stop crying.**

*conjunction*

*if why that is*

- ~~1. the mother did~~
- 2. what that
- 3. No matter
- 4. the baby didn't stop crying



**Q.15) Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**

**OCCUR** -

**1. Hasten**

**2. Happen**

**3. Hinder**

**4. Hamper**

घटना को होना

जा रूढ़ बाजी करना

काम करना

**Q.16)** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Madhuri is bringing \_\_\_\_\_ her sister's daughter after the death of the child's parents.

1. in

2. out

3. up

4. over

bring up

nurture

foster

Q.17) Select the word with the correct spelling.

1. Avalanche - (n) हिमपात

2. Capricious - (adj) झुंझी,

3. Ecstasy - (n) <sup>s</sup>कमलद, अति  
आनंद

4. Complacent - (adj)   
- आत्मनिर्भर

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18) 1. That 2. These 3. This 4. Which

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19) 1. of    2. to    3. with    4. in

होमर सो -  
का एर ई! 11

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20) 1. ~~finding~~    2. are found    3. found    4. findX

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21) 1. high    2. flight    3. far

4. soaring

soar - उड़ना

उड़ना - उड़ना

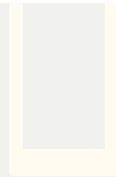
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22) 1. shore    2. scene    3. movement    4. landscape



**23) Extreme old age when a man behaves like a fool**

- A: Imbecility**
- B: Senility**
- C: Dotage**
- D: Superannuation**



**24) A person who insists on something**

**A: Disciplinarian**

**B: Stickler**

**C: Instantaneous**

**D: Boaster**

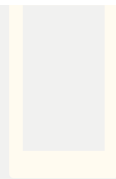
**25) A person pretending to be somebody he is not**

**A: Magician**

**B: Rogue**

**C: Liar**

**D: Imposter**







**Q.1) Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.**

**MALIGNANT**

ଅର୍ଥ - ହିକ୍ଷା

1. Benign

ଅର୍ଥ ଦୟାଳୀ

2. Hesitant

3. Indignant

4. Fatal

**Q.2)** Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank in the given sentence.

Some people think that the credit card culture encourages people to shop compulsively and merely \_\_\_\_\_ debts.

✓ **1. accumulate**

**2. stimulate**

**3. formulate**

**4. simulate**

**Q.3)** In the given sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

A Royal Bengal tigress and her three cubs were poison and their carcasses left to rot in the Wildlife Sanctuary in Goa.

*poisoned*

*was  
were  
is  
am  
are*

*V1*

*V3*

*ALV.*

*P.N.*

1. A Royal Bengal tigress
2. and her three cubs were poison
3. in the Wildlife Sanctuary in Goa
4. and their carcasses left to rot



4) The government has warned the traders not to.....  
onions.

1. gross
2. bulk
3. hoard
4. combine

5) She.....on paying the bill at the restaurant.

- X 1. offered
- X 2. suggested
- ✓ 3. insisted — on
- X 4. requested

insist on

6) The government should take stringent steps against terrorists and foil their.....designs.

1. malicious -

हानिकारक

2. conducive -

सहायक

3. benevolent -

दयालु

4. exemplary -

समूह

7) A reward is a ..... which motivates a person to achieve excellence in his field.

1. memorial
2. recognition
3. collection
4. monument

**8) Children under five years are \_\_\_\_\_ from passport biometrics.**

1. acquitted
2. exempted
3. escaped
4. allowed

## 9) Touch and go

(Idiom)

1. Unimportant
2. Undoubted
3. Uncertain
4. Unchanging

# 10) Till the cows come home

(Idiom)

1. For a large part
2. For a long, long time
3. In the evening
4. Till the work is finished

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11) (a) sat (b) crossed (c) leaned (d) lay



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12) (a) into (b) down (c) at (d) for

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13) (a) semblance (b) family (c) volume (d) number

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14) (a) an (b) a (c) one (d) single

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15) (a) bank (b) peak (c) pit (d) pile

## 16) That which cannot be heard

1) Inaudible

2) Invisible

3) Incurable

4) Incredible

**17) A previous case that might serve as an example or guide in a subsequent situation**

**1) Precedent**

**2) predecessor**

**3) president**

**4) precursor**

**18) The old man has lost his memory. He is suffering from \_\_\_\_\_**


**1) acacia**

**2) anesthesia**

**3) amnesia**

**4) ambrosia**

## 19) A remedy for all diseases

- 
- 1) Panacea
  - 2) antidote
  - 3) antibiotic
  - 4) patent



## 20) One whose hobby is stamp collection

- 1) phonologist
- 2) philanthropist
- 3) Philatelist
- 4) panegyrist

21) Five summonses have been (1)/ issued by the district court (2)/ but he has not turned up yet. (3)/ No Error (4)

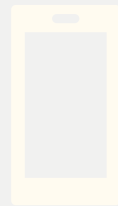
one  
a  
summon ✓  
summons - ①  
singular  
summonses ②  
two

दो  
summons - ①  
दो  
summonses ②

22) Acceptance is not about allowing everything to occur or to go on, (1)/ it is neither related to passivity and weakness, (2)/ nor is it about confirmation or mediocrity. (3)/ No error (4)

it is

it is -  
is it ?



23) She was (1)/ quite amused (2)/ in that story. (3)/ No error (4)

amused

at

at



24) She has (1)/ reduced her (2)/ consumption  
considerable. (3)/ No error (4)

He speaks clearly  
verb adv

She says nice  
verb adv

verb + Adv

25) I saw (1)/ that it (2)/ is getting dark. (3)/ No error (4)

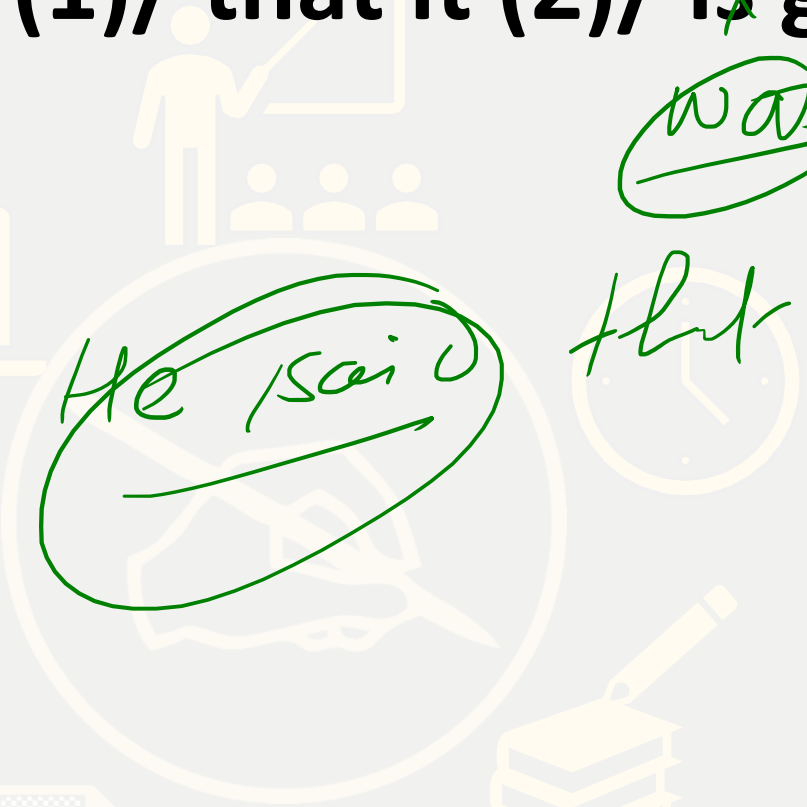
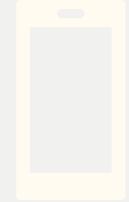
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was

He said

that isle

will - would  
can - could  
may - might





**Q.1) Select the wrongly spelt word.**

1. Judiciary
2. Virtual
3. Ambassador
4. Appreciate



**Q.2) Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**

AGILE - <sup>adj</sup> उत्तम

1. Visible <sup>adj</sup>

2. Guile <sup>n</sup> - एक कपट

✓ 3. Nimble <sup>adj</sup>

4. Docile - <sup>adj</sup> सुशील

**Q.3) Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.**

**Actions speak louder than words**

1. What you don't say is what you are
2. What you do is your own business
3. What you do reveals the real you
4. What you can see may not be true

**Q.4)** Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**FURTIVE**

गदज

रहस्यमय

1. Adhesive

2. Positive

3. Secretive

4. Abortive

**Q.5) Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.**

**A piece of cake**

- 1. Something serious**
- 2. Something difficult**
- 3. Something easy**
- 4. Something amusing**

The choices we make in life determine who we are. One's life is (6) \_\_\_\_\_ marked by the exemplary choices one has made (7) \_\_\_\_\_ one's journey. The mega icon Ratan Tata has described his journey (8) \_\_\_\_\_ being a seven-year-old boy who played his (9) \_\_\_\_\_ the freedom struggle to being moved by the plight of a family on a two-wheeler which became the genesis of the world's most (10) \_\_\_\_\_ car the Tata Nano.

Q.6) 1. rarely ~~X~~ 2. often ✓ 3. seldom ~~X~~ 4. never ~~X~~

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7) 1. toward      2. into      3. along      4. upon

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8) 1. above    2. for    3. though    4. from

from ————— to

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9) 1. part in 2. part of 3. part from 4. part with



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10) 1. economical 2. economize 3. economic  
4. economist (adj)

plight - कष्ट, पीडा

**Q.11)** Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.

**RESERVED** - शिष्टाचार, शिष्टाचार

1. Cowardly

2. Friendly

3. Forgiving

4. Reticent

**Q.12)** Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

**A.** Behind them come camels carrying drums and small guns.

**B.** The Emperor is escorted by two decorated elephants who head the procession.

**C.** At the end come the platoons of soldiers in rows of two.

**D.** First of all, there is a volley of guns announcing Emperor Bahadur Shah's entry into the palace.

1. BCDA

2. DCBA

3. DBAC

4. ABDC

DBAC

**Q.13)** In the given sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

Freedom of expression meaning the right to express one's own convictions and beliefs.

He, is, it  
sub + v1, sies -  
fam

A  
we  
you  
sly + v1

1. Freedom of expression
2. ~~mean~~ meaning the right
3. to express one's own
4. convictions and beliefs

Q.14) Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No improvement'.

The rising prices of essential food items have placed an weighty burden on the poor.

1. No improvement

2. trivial - छुट्टे

✓ 3. enormous (अध)

4. lightest

अत्यंत बड़ा

**Q.15) Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.**

ENIGMA - उद्दिष्ट

1. Make-believe

✓ 2. Clarity - स्पष्ट

3. Mystery

4. Charade - लमारा

**Q.16)** Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

**Having no moral principles**

1. Mischievous <sup>अशु</sup> शैलिर

2. Unscrupulous <sup>अशु</sup>

3. Ethical - <sup>नै</sup> नैतिक

4. Unaware

**Q.17)** Select the **wrongly spelt** word.

1. Resettlement
2. Embarassment
3. Announcement
4. Undergarment



**Q.18)** Select the most appropriate word to **fill in the blank** in the given sentence.

Those earning less than Rs.10,000 are \_\_\_\_\_ **from** paying income tax.

1. adjusted
2. exempted
3. collected
4. accepted

**Q.19)** Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

**A.** In order to buy that bicycle, he plans to win some prize money by teaching an illiterate person how to read and write.

**B.** He needs a bicycle to win the bicycle race which would help pay off his father's debt.

**C.** The film 'Douch' is about a young Iranian village boy.

**D.** But the only illiterate person is a 90 year old woman who is ill-tempered and doesn't wish to learn anything.

**1. DABC**

**2. ADBC**

**3. CBAD**

**4. CABD**

**Q.20)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select **'No improvement'**.

India has lost a veteran actor with the deceased of Shriram Lagoo.

1. No improvement
2. expired
3. bereavement
- ✓ 4. demise

मृत

demise

## 21) Fill in the blank with the most appropriate word.

Handle this glass table with care because it is.....

1. volatile - परि वर्तनी का

2. ductile - flexible

3. frugal - सिदायशी

4. fragile - शुद्ध

**22) We must..... help to the homeless and physically disabled people.**

1. contribute —

2. exert — *apply*

3. donate —

4. render — *to deliver, to give*

**23)** The students went to their..... classes after the morning assembly.

1. respectful
  2. respective
  3. respected
  4. respectable
- 

**24) In the given sentences identify the segment which contains grammatical error.**

**My father dissuaded me to try for a job as he wanted me to pursue higher studies.**

dissuade - from

**1. as he wanted me**

**2. My father dissuaded me**

**3. ~~to~~ <sup>from</sup> pursue higher studies**

**4. to try for a job**

प  
dissuade  
to convince  
not to do  
करना

**25) Select the word which means same as the group of words given.**

**Guide the course of a ship especially by using instruments or maps**

**1)anchor**

**2)ship**

**3)travel**

**4)navigate**









1) Select the **wrongly spelt** word.

1. Awfully

2. Unruly

3. Unduly

4. Faithfully

Select the most appropriate **synonym** of the given word.

## ASSERTION

1. Rejection
2. Continuation
3. Discussion
4. Declaration

**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.**



Smartphones have become an essential part of our lives and their (3) \_\_\_\_\_ usage is now impacting human behaviour. We need to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ think about digital detox! Yes, the concept of disconnecting with (5) \_\_\_\_\_ virtual world is not just a fad. It's the need of the hour today. The Global Brand Director of the smartphone Vivo in his speech nudged all smartphone users (6) \_\_\_\_\_ a step backward and think. He said, "Let's (7) \_\_\_\_\_ our mobiles and pledge to be closer and nearer to our loved ones."

3) exceeding

2. excessive

3. exceedingly

4. exceed VI

Adj + Noun

Adj

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- 4) ~~series~~ (N)      2. ~~seriousness~~ (N)      3. seriously (Adv)      4. ~~serious~~ (Adj)
- Adv + ly*
- think*



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5) 1. the      2. a      3. any      4. many

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6) 1. to take    2. to taking    3. taken    4. takes

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7) 1. switch off      2. switch in      3. switch over      4. switch up

8) In the given sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

When I met Akbar Padamsee, one of a pioneers of Indian art, he was 87 but still alert and active.

one of  
Either of +  
Neither of  
Each of

the  
of  
an

1. but still alert and active

2. When I met

3. he was 87 the

✓ 4. one of a pioneers of Indian art

**Q.9)** Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.

**SURVEILLANCE**

1. Neglect

2. Vigilance

3. Attack

4. Endurance

**Q.10)** Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.

**DEMOLISH**

1. Obstruct
2. Abolish
3. Cherish
4. Construct

**Q.11)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No improvement'.

Lenovo has launched ThinkPad XI Fold, the world's first foldable laptop which is claimed to be so durable as its other devices.

as + P.O + as

1. No improvement
2. to be most durable as
3. to be very durable as
4. to be as durable as

**Q.12)** Select the most appropriate meaning of the given **idiom**.

**Stir up a hornet's nest**

1. Call for dialogue
2. Lead a revolt
3. Provoke trouble
4. Destroy a nest



**Q.13)** Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

A) The most well-known among them is the Purple Frog needing immediate protection.

B. The Secret Life of Frogs is the first ever film on the Amphibians of India.

C. The film has been shot extensively in the Western Ghats.

D. It showcases unique species of frogs which are critically endangered.

1. DCBA

2. BCDA

3. BCAD

4. CBDA

**Q.14)** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select **'No improvement'**.

It is reported that everyday India witnessing the death of over 2000 babies aged less than one year.

*be + v3 + by*

- X 1. India will be witness the death
- 2. No improvement
- ✓ 3. India witnesses the death
- X 4. India witness the death

**Q.15)** Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

**A)** This test is conducted on the fully automated Driving Test Track designed by Maruti Suzuki.

**B.** Each of these specific skills are to be tested and need to be completed successfully in under seven minutes by the candidate.

**C.** It is a fully-automated track having six segments to test specific driving skills.

**D.** The Regional Transport Offices of Delhi have recently introduced the new driving test.

1. BADC

2. DBAC

3. DACB

4. ADBC

**Q.16)** Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

GUILE - (D) झूठ, धुंढ

1. Intuition (D)

2. Deceit झूठ

3. Surfeit - अधिका, अति

4. Sincerity

Q.17) Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

That which is no longer useful

1. Redundant — अतिरिक्त

2. Abundant — उपलब्ध

3. Reluctant — अनिच्छु

4. Dominant

**Q.18)** Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank in the given sentence.

Padamse worked like a mathematician and was a true \_\_\_\_\_ who experimented with numerous mediums.

X 1. adversary - प्रतिद्वंद्वी

X 2. literary -


3. voluntary - स्वैच्छिक

4. visionary

**Q.19)** Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank in the given sentence.

If the video clip of the murder had not been shared on social media, the world would likely have remained \_\_\_\_\_ of the tragedy.

aware —  
unaware —



1. renowned

2. recognised —

3. unaware

4. unconfirmed

**Q.20)** Select the wrongly spelt word.

1. Popularly

2. Beggarly

3. Jocularly

4. Sincerily





**Q.21) In the given sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.**

Your skill lie in cheering up people who are stressed out, wound up or generally just annoyed.

1. who are stressed out, wound up
2. in cheering up people
- ~~3. Your skill lie~~
4. or generally just annoyed

**Q.22)** Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

Something that is genuine

1. Majestic

2. Unreal

3. Authentic

4. Academic

## Ques.23)

- a. The interviewer asked the interviewee
- b. To ~~what~~ <sup>which</sup> district which
- c. He came from
- d. No error

## Ques.24)

- a. I saw
- b. A few children
- c. Playing on sand 
- d. No error

## Ques.25)

- a. The lecturer
- b. Started his lecture
- 00 ~~c. With a pessimistic note~~
- d. No error



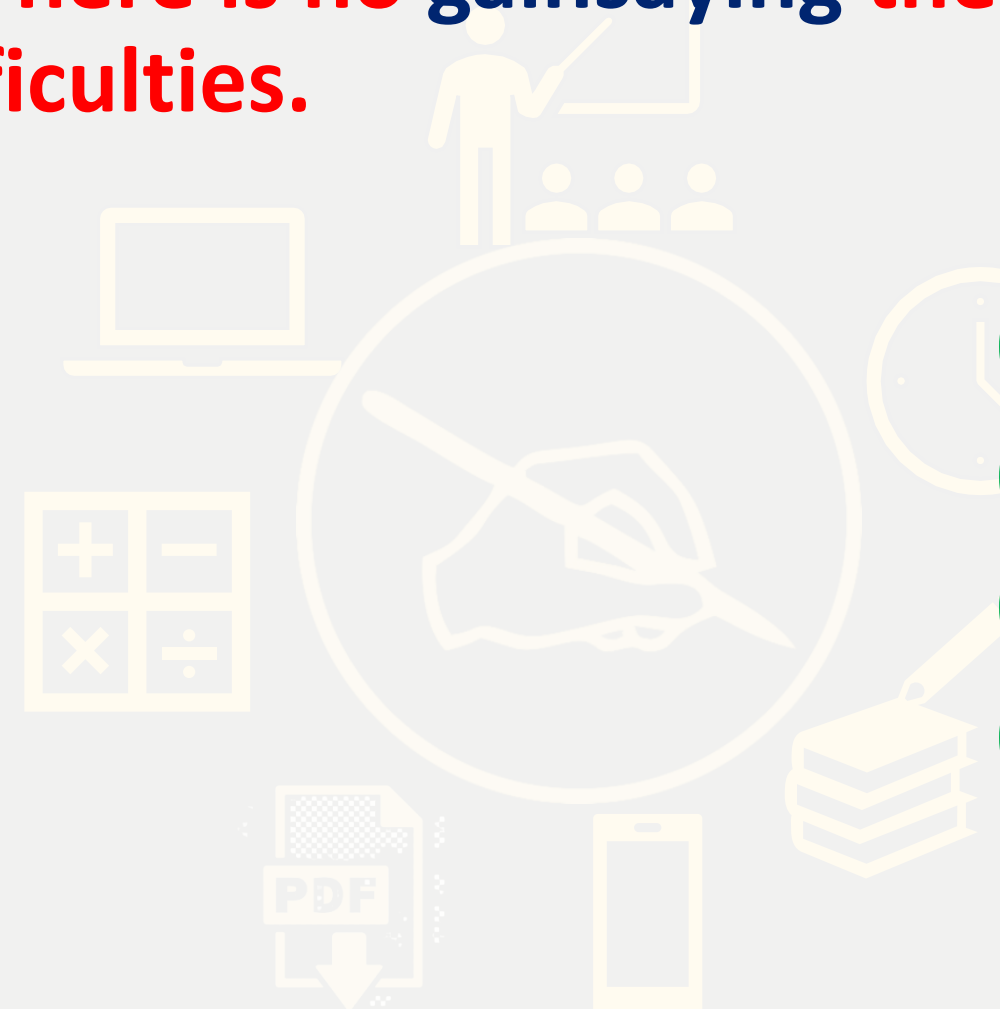


1) For some people, writing verse is **as duck takes to water**.


- (a) like taking the duck to water
- (b) like bursting out suddenly
- (c) like dropping the duck in the water
- (d) like easily and naturally speaking



2) There is no **gainsaying** the fact that the country is in difficulties.

- 
- (a) ignoring
  - (b) hiding
  - (c) forgetting
  - (d) denying

**3) His investments helped him **make a killing** in the stock market.**

- 
- (a) lose money quickly**
  - (b) plan a murder quickly**
  - (c) murder someone quickly**
  - (d) make money quickly**

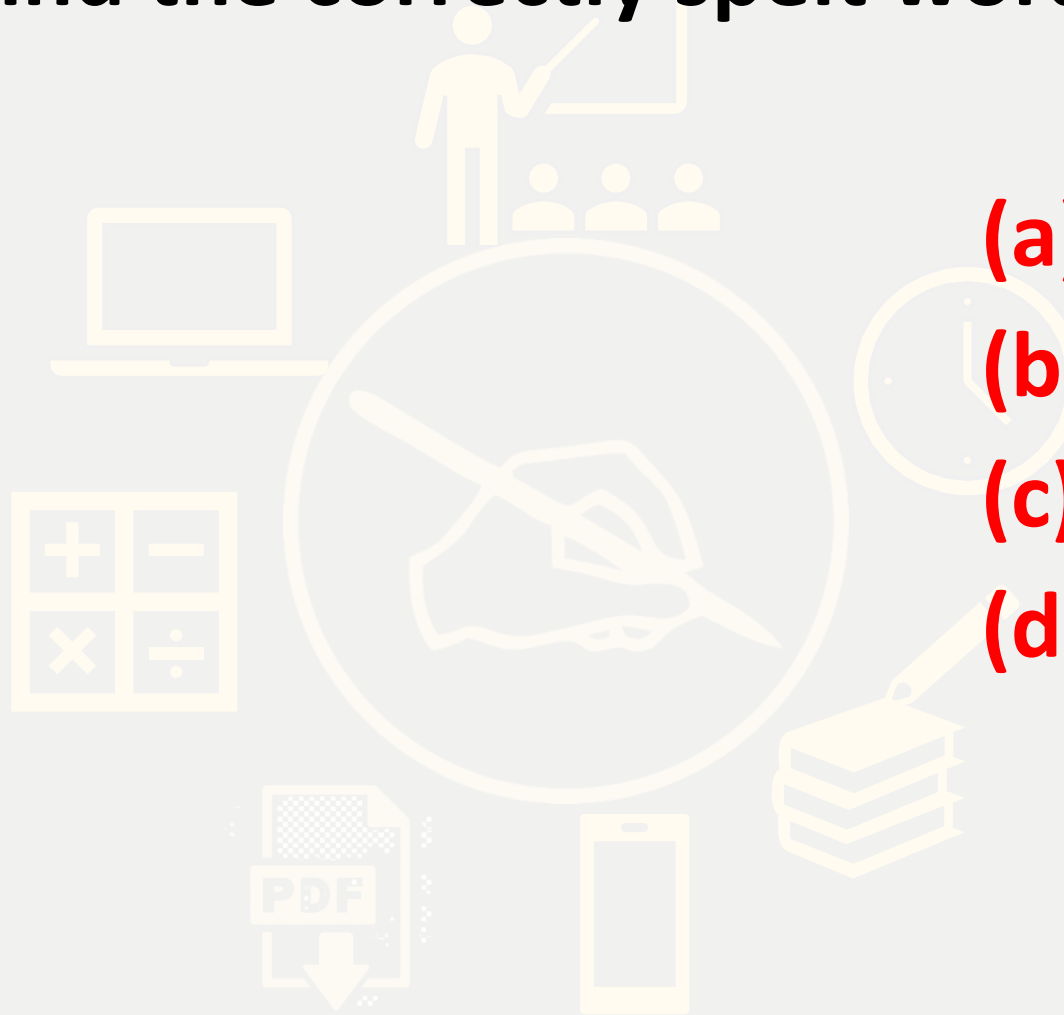
**4) Find the correctly spelt word.**

**(a) symetry**

**(b) symmitry**

**(c) symatry**

**(d) symmetry**



5) Find the **correctly spelt word**.

(a) aprentice

(b) advertise

(c) treatice

(d) sencitive



**6) Find the wrongly spelt word.**

**(a) plaintive**

**(b) sustain**

**(c) vilain**

**(d) alliance**



## 7) Someone able to use both hands with equal skill

- (a) Ambivalent
- (b) Amphibious
- (c) Ambiguous
- (d) Ambidextrous



## 8) Speaking without preparation

- (a) Deliberate
- (b) Fluent
- (c) Loquacious
- (d) Extempore

## 9) One who loves books

- (a) Bibliophile
- (b) Bibliophagist
- (c) Bibliophobia
- (d) Bibliographer



10) The boat **was drowned.**

**(a) sank**

**(b) No Improvement**

**(c) was sunk**

**(d) was drown**

11) **Either Kiran or Mala were** sure to be chosen for the school debate.

(a) Either Kiran or Mala will

(b) No Improvement

(c) Either Kiran or Mala are sure to

(d) Either Kiran nor Mala are sure to

12) Tom was **standing beside the school house poster**, towards him.

beside - क बगल  
besides - क अलावा

(a) stood beside the school-house poster

(b) No Improvement

(c) standing besides the school-house poster

(d) stand besides the school house poster

### 13) He runs more faster than I.

~~more~~ + ~~d.o~~ is matter  
better  
easier  
faster

double comparison  
c.d

(a) than I

(b) No error

(c) He runs

(d) ~~more faster~~

Best  
must faster of  
must greater

14) The fight for liberation brings out the best and the noblest quality in mankind.

*Qam is the best and the greatest in this class.*

(a) the noblest quality in mankind

(b) No error

(c) The fight for liberation

(d) brings out the best and

15) The baby was clinging with her mother in fear.

~~cling to~~

- (a) mother in fear
- (b) No error
- (c) The baby was
- (d) clinging with her

~~to~~

**16)** The \_\_\_\_\_ chosen for construction of the building is in the heart of the city.

(a) cite -

(b) slight -

(c) sight -

(d) site -

17) Your father \_\_\_\_\_ worry. I'm a very careful driver.

does not

(a) needn't

X (b) none

X (c) can't

(d) doesn't



18) He \_\_\_\_\_ her that she would pass.

X (a) insure ✓ ↓

X (b) ensures

X (c) assumed

~~X~~ (d) assured

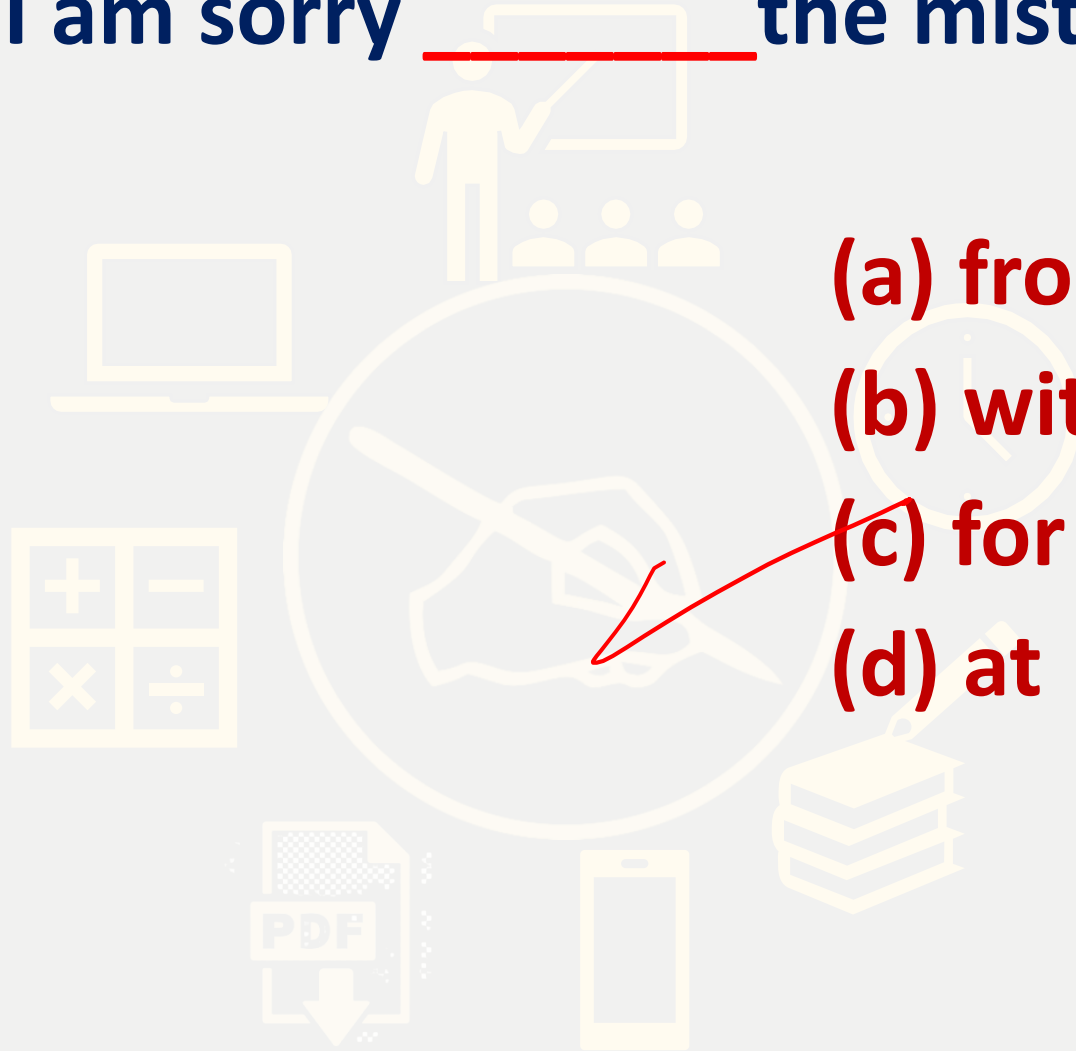
**19) I am sorry \_\_\_\_\_ the mistake.**

(a) from

(b) with

(c) for

(d) at



20) Find the most opposite word in meaning.

Zenith - चोटी

(a) Climax

(b) Crisis

(c) Acme

(d) Nadir

✓ उत्तर

नादिर X  
नदिया

**Directions:** In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and choose the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives:



Delhi's air quality deteriorates with unfailing **21** at this time of the year, with large swathes of north India in the grip of a suffocating smog, but the State governments that can make it easier for millions to breathe do not act with any sense of **22**. That it has turned into a public health emergency **23** the capital, with the air quality index touching extremely hazardous levels in some parts, necessitating the closure of primary schools, has further lowered its standing. It is unconscionable for governments, through **24** and inaction, to subject citizens to such toxic air, and cause extreme suffering especially **25** people with respiratory ailments and impaired lung function.

21) a) sometimes      b) always,      c) regularity      d) regular

Ad + Nar

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22) a) panic      b) urgency      c) important      d) accomplished

ad

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23) a) on to

b) under

c) on

d) in

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24) a) steps   b) measures   c) unconcerned   d) indifference

←  
+ve  
⊕  
and  
+ve



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- 25) a) among      b) since      c) in      d) between



**Direction:** Choose the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Effulgent - (adj) चमकते

1. lucid

2. coax (v) - धमकावणे

3. ambiguous (adj) doubtful

4. obscure - (adj) - Hazy

**Directions:** Select the most appropriate **ANTONYM** of the given word.

**FRAIL**

adj फरील

1- weak

2- robust

strong

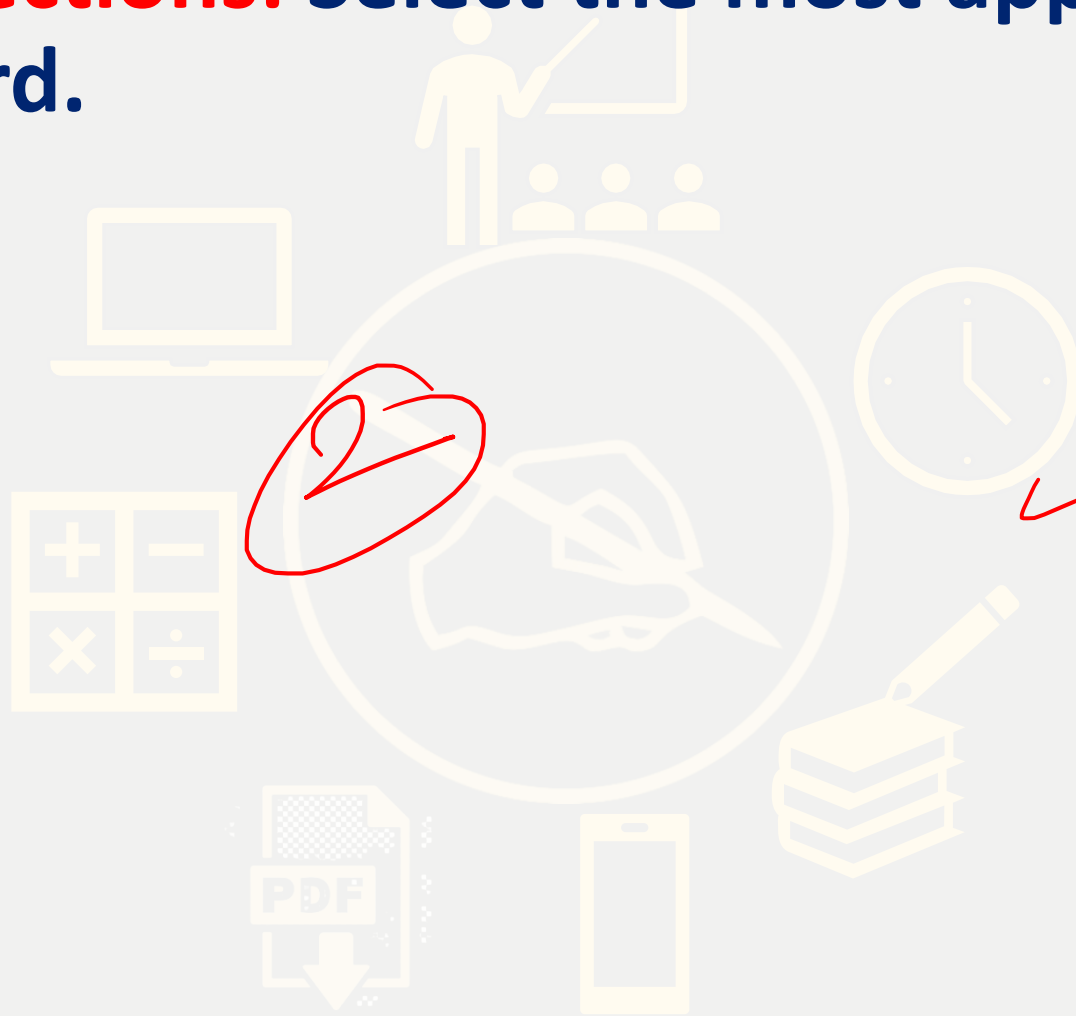
3- tenuous

adj

4- sluggish

adj lazy

2



Identify the segment in the sentence which contains the grammatical error.

No sooner did I reach the station <sup>than</sup> ~~then~~ the train left.

1. No sooner did

2. the train left

3. station then <sup>than</sup>

4. I reach the

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**Directions:** Select the correctly spelt word.

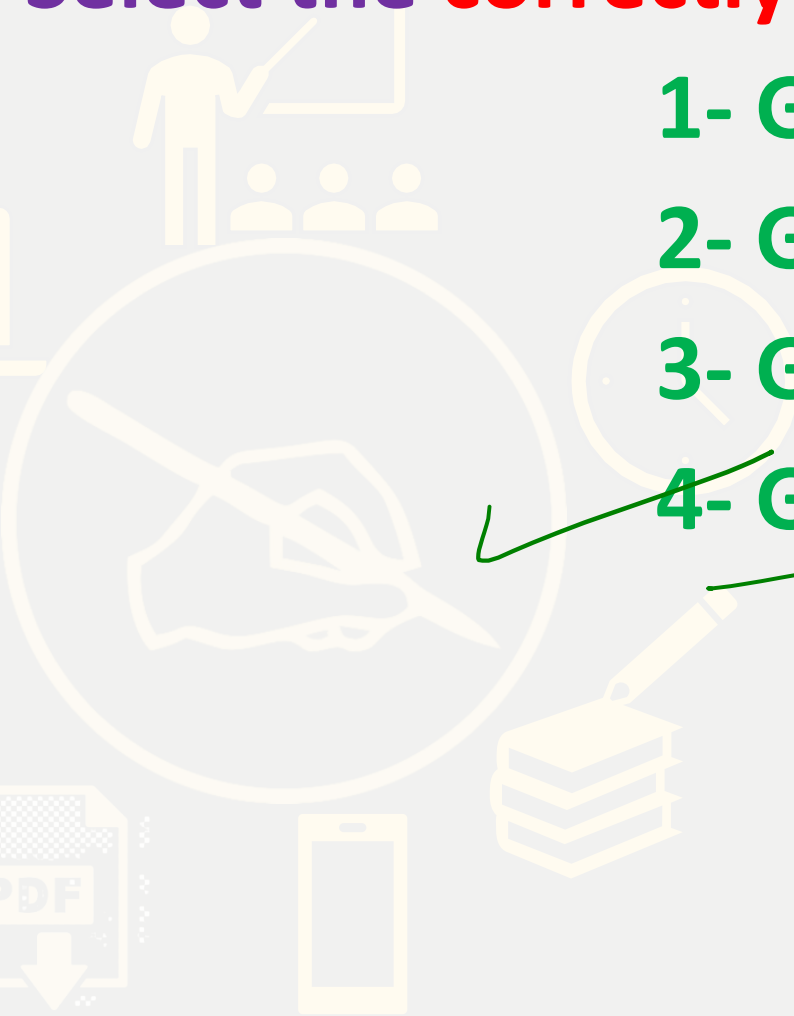
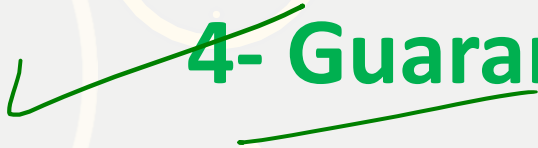
1- Guaranty

2- Guarentee

3- Guarranty

4- Guarantee

4



Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

The act of killing one's husband...

1- Patricide

father

2- Parricide

parents

3- Mariticide

husband

4- Uxoricide

wife



Select the most appropriate option to **fill in the blank**.

We <sup>v2</sup>          the marks of the students on different subjects and compared their performance for the year.

1. questions X

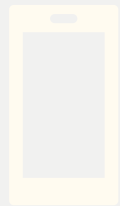
2. inspecting X

3. analysed ✓

4- probe X

6

v2





Select the most appropriate meaning of the following idiom.

Apple of one's eye —

1. Someone very precious or dear
2. Someone with great respect
3. Someone who behaves courteously
4. Someone who plays all sports

Each of the following sentences are divided into four parts marked as (a), (b), (c), (d). One of the parts has an error in it. Identify and mark its part as directed in the Answer sheet:

Raman ~~is~~ (a) / playing (b) / guitar (c) / since Monday (d)

has been  
is  
am +ing  
are

1- (a)

2- (b)

3- (c)

4- (d)

has been +ing  
love be  
had be  
since  
for

**Directions:** Choose the correct form of tense for the given sentence:

My brother            to Delhi yesterday.

1- will go

2- have gone

3- has gone

4- went

1

**Improve the bracketed part of the sentence. If there is No improvement, choose No improvement.**

The woman (find) a broken wooden chair today.

1- found  $V^2$  X

2- finding X

3- No improvement

4- has found

**Directions:** 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.



Close Test

The background features a large, faint watermark illustration of a hand holding a pen, surrounded by various educational icons: a laptop, a calculator, a stack of books, a smartphone, a PDF document, and a clock.

Tenali Ramakrishna was \_\_\_\_\_ (1) \_\_\_\_\_ Indian poet, scholar, thinker, and special advisor in the court of Sri Krishnadevaraya who \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_ from C.E. 1509 to 1529. He was a Telugu poet who hailed from a village called Tenali \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_ in what is now the Andhra Pradesh region, generally known for the folk tales which \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_ on his wit. He was one of the Ashtadiggajas or the eight poets \_\_\_\_\_ (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the court of Krishnadevaraya, the Vijayanagar emperor. He was the minister of the court.

1) 1- a      2- an      3- any      4- some

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2) 1. ruling 2. ruled 3. rules 4. rule

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3) 1. buried

2. destroyed

3. located

4. lived



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4) 1.focus    ~~2.focuses~~

~~3. focusing~~

4. focused

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5) 1. of

2. from

3. by

4. at

**Fill in the blank with the suitable preposition:**

**They travelled across Europe \_\_\_\_\_ train.**

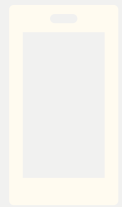
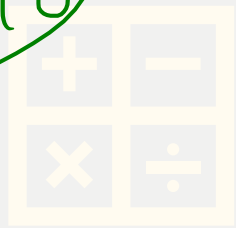
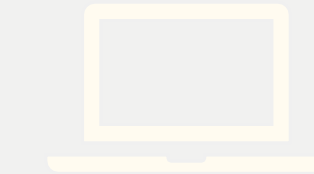
1- Below

2- By

3- At

4- with

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In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

People have been warning in advance by him about the coming economic crisis.

1. People

2. economic crisis

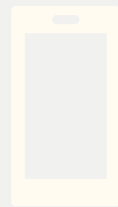
3. in advance

4. have been warn~~ing~~

$v^3 + by$

warned

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Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

My New Year's                      is to think positive always.

1. repetition

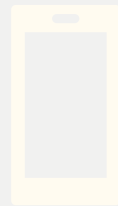
2. resolution

3. confession

4. celebration

संकल्प

18



Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select No improvement.

Although he came to the event, he was as usual late.

1. No Improvement

2. comes to X

3. come to X

4. will come to X

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Select the option that will substitute the underlined part of the given sentence. In case no substitution is needed, select 'No substitution required'.

Among applied sciences, medicine is one which have given man some power over death.

*who has*  
one which have  
*has*

- 20
1. is the one which gave
  2. No substitution required
  3. is one which has given
  4. are one which given

Choose the response, whichever is the most appropriate expression and mark your answer accordingly.

A burning question

1. A difficult problem
2. An annoying question
3. A puzzling question
4. A hotly debated question



Select the correct one-word for the given group of words.

The art or practice of garden cultivation and management is known as

1. Demography - जनसांख्यिकी

2. Aviculture - पक्षी पालन

3. Horticulture - बागवानी

4. Apiculture - मधुमक्खी पालन

22

Select the most appropriate **synonym** of the given word.

**Paucity** - (1) अभाव, कमी,

**1- Affluence** (2) प्रचुरता

**2- Sanguine** - (3) आशावादी

**3- Dearth** (1) अभाव

**4- Callous** - (4) बेदर्दी

Find the error in any part of the sentence.

Each of the students (a) / is going to (b) / attend his class. (c) /

No error (d) /

25

of + plural (N)

His

one of  
Each of  
Either  
Neither of

+ (sing. v) + (his/her)



# FILLERS

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# Find the **most opposite** word in meaning

**PUERILE** - (a) ଅଦୃଢ଼

ଅଦୃଢ଼ତା  
childish  
immature

1) **Pauper** (b) ଅତି ଧନୀ a very rich person

2) **Equanimity** (c) ଅସମତା, serious

3) **Turmoil** - (d) ଅସନ୍ତୋଷ, a state of great confusion

✓ 4) **Sober** - (a) ଅଦୃଢ଼ calm and composed

5) **vile** - (a) ଅଦୃଢ଼ odious, foul - ଅସ୍ପଷ୍ଟ

1) There has not been much appreciation of how the present government got lucky as a \_\_\_\_\_ of falling oil prices worldwide, since it came to power in 2014.

Grammar  
contextual  
meaning

1- Matter

X 2- Conclude

X 3- Decision

✓ 4- Result

X 5- Initiation

**Directions:** The following question has two blanks, each blank indicating that something has been omitted. Choose the set of words for each blank that best fits in the context of the sentence.





2) In this age of technology, banks have \_\_\_\_\_ on a slew of innovative strategies to \_\_\_\_\_ the general public.

have + v<sup>3</sup>  
to + v<sup>1</sup>  
v<sup>1</sup> / v<sup>2</sup> / v<sup>3</sup> / v<sup>4</sup> / v<sup>5</sup>

- A- carried, attracts
- B- followed, lure
- C- start, draw
- D- embarked, woo
- E- commenced, intrigue

**3) The department of heavy industries plans to \_\_\_\_\_ a vibrant ecosystem for the capital goods sector to \_\_\_\_\_ manpower issues.**

- X 1- organize, unfold
- ✓ 2- create, address
- X 3- export, resolve
- X 4- constitute, answer
- X 5- start, decide

**Direction :** In each of the following sentence there are three blank spaces. Below each sentence there are five options and each option consists of three words which can be filled up in the blanks in the sentence to make the sentence grammatically correct.



**4) Agriculture's contribution to India's economy extends \_\_\_\_\_ the rural economy and \_\_\_\_\_ many activities in the manufacturing and service sectors. Export surplus from the country's agricultural trade is higher than the \_\_\_\_\_ figure achieved by the manufacturing sector.**

- ~~X~~ 1- Below, include, analogous
- ~~X~~ 2- Moreover, higher, proportionate
- 3- Beyond, encompasses, corresponding
- 4- Outside, takeover, akin
- 5- Above, exclude, similar

**Directions:** In the statements given below, a blank has been given. This needs to be filled up using a correct combination of words from the options mentioned below. The statement so formed must be contextually and grammatically sound.



5) North Korean leader Kim Jong-un held talks with Chinese President Xi Jinping and \_\_\_\_\_ his commitment to the “denuclearisation” of the peninsula.

A. Emphasized —

B. Affirmed —

~~C. Redundant~~ (adj)

D. Forced

✓ 1- A,B

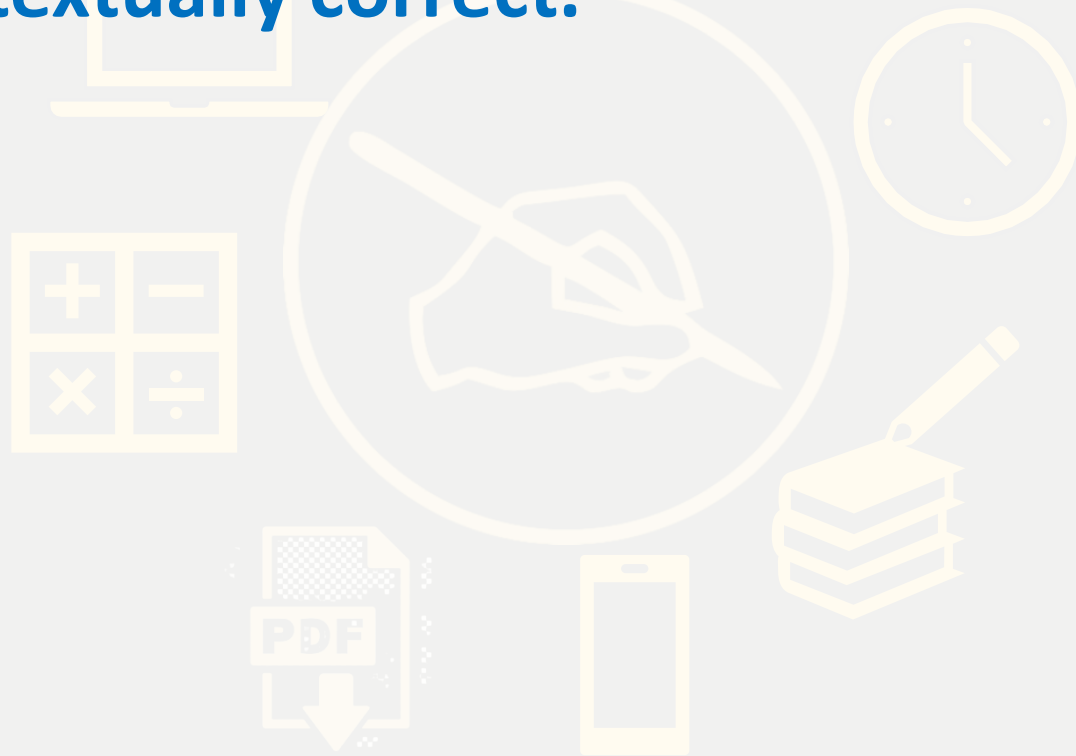
2- B,D

3- A,D

~~X~~ 4- B,C

5- None of the above

**Directions:** In the given statements, a blank has been given. This needs to be filled up using the correct combination of words from the options mentioned, so that the resulting statement is grammatically and contextually correct.



6) These approaches are not \_\_\_\_\_ to most business systems because they don't have clearly defined outcomes and they deal with far too many variables.

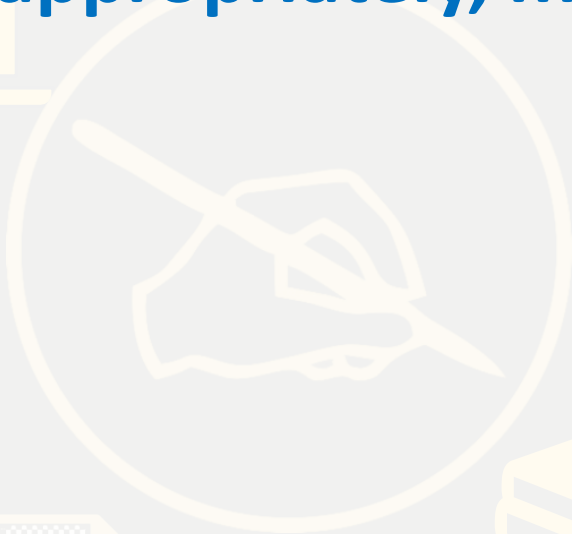
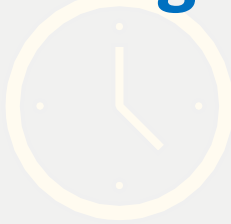
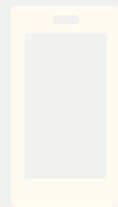
- I. Applicable - adj
- II. Pertinent - adj
- III. Validate - (V)!

*is/am/are + was/were + v<sup>3</sup> + P.V*  
*Verb/Adj*  
*Noun/Adj*

- 1- Only II
- ~~2- Only III~~
- ~~3- Only I and II~~
- 4- Only II and III
- 5- All of the above



**Directions:** In questions below, there are two statements, with each statement consisting of one blank. You have to choose the option which provides the correct word that fits the blanks in both the statements appropriately, making them meaningful and grammatically correct.



7) I. Plastic bottles will be banned at the festival from next year as part of an ambitious \_\_\_\_\_ by the organisers to tackle waste.

adj + (N)

II. A group of scientists has developed an emotional chatting machine which is able to \_\_\_\_\_ emotions while responding to queries.

~~1- Project~~

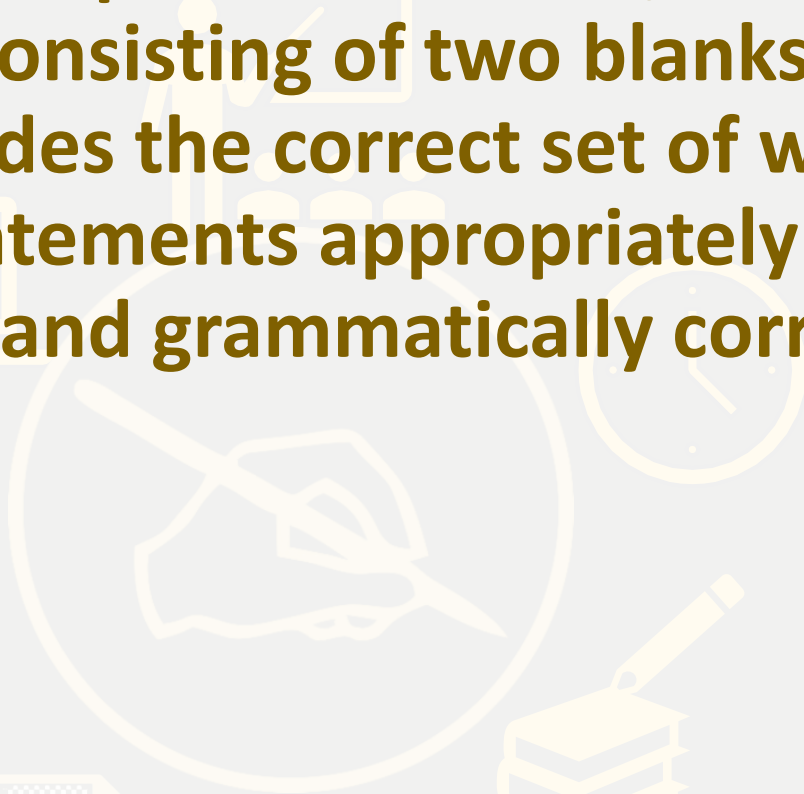
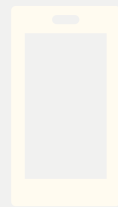
~~2- Scheme~~

~~3- Throw~~

4- Caveat (N) - चेतावनी

5- Propel (V)

**Directions:** In questions below, there are two statements, with each statement consisting of two blanks. You have to choose the option which provides the correct set of words that fits both the blanks in both the statements appropriately and in the same order making them meaningful and grammatically correct.



8) I. Economic growth, which had been \_\_\_\_\_ down for some time but had been given a boost by strong governance reforms was given a demand boost to facilitate \_\_\_\_\_ acceleration.

II. Forced \_\_\_\_\_ is when political parties hire PR agencies which \_\_\_\_\_ employ social media 'influencers' who release the same tweets with the hashtag at a high intensity.

- ✓ 1- trending, further
- X 2- trading, more
- X 3- hover, advance
- 4- shot, progress
- X 5- going, reduce

**Directions:** In this question five alternatives are given under each sentence and you are required to select the most suitable alternative to fill in the blank/blanks in the sentence to make it meaningful.



- 9) A.** But after the recent attacks, and with the Islamic State promising more terrorist strikes, a period of relative \_\_\_\_\_ is over.
- B.** Another reason to ignore the moralizing bloviators on the right when they drone on about the moral \_\_\_\_\_ of liberalism.
- C.** A combination of macroeconomic \_\_\_\_\_ and microeconomic meddling, intended to boost growth, merely undermined public finances.

1- rigidity — — — — —

2- lenient adj — — — — —

3- disregard — ignor — — — — —

4- laxity — laziness — — — — —

5- stubborn adj — — — — —

**10) Because of dust storm ----- moving on two wheelers were seen leaving their vehicles and ----- for cover.**

- 1) whose            running
- 2) those            running
- 3) such,            running
- 4) which,           running
- 5) who                running

**Direction Q12 -16-** Each question has three sentence having a blank each and against the blanks 5 options with a pair of words are given . First word can be filled in the first two sentences and the second word can be filled in the third sentence.





11. 1) They boarded the train without ticket and were thinking, how to \_\_\_\_\_ the Train Ticket Examiner.
- 2) “This is only the strategy by which we can \_\_\_\_\_ our rivals,” said the marketing manager to marketing head of the company.
- 3) He wanted to help the poor child in \_\_\_\_\_ his hunger that is why he purchased one lunch pack for him also.

सभी options में first suitable है /  
But- 2nd blank space पर hunger is only satiated.

outwit - हल करके  
बचना

- a) mislead /depleting      b) misinform/ minimizing
- ~~c) outwit / satiating~~      d) outsmart/abstaining
- e) deceive/refraining

option (c) is correct

hunger is  
also satiated.

satiate - भूख शांत करना

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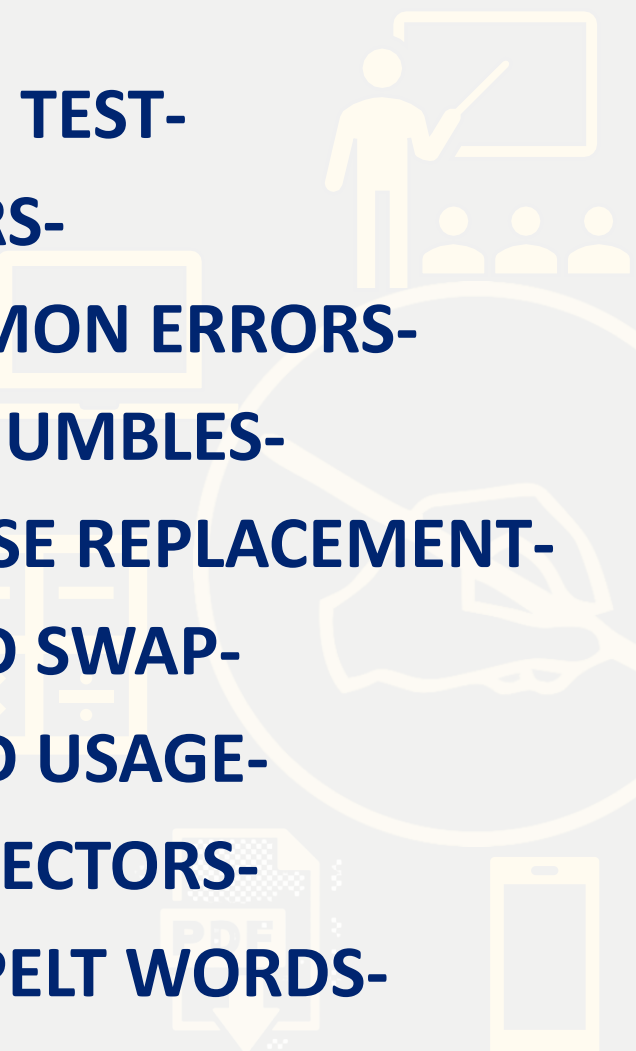
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  - WORD REARRANGEMENT-
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Reading comprehension-	15 marks
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Fillers -	5 marks
Word swap -	5 marks
Match the sentences -	5 marks
starter and connectors,/vocabs/ phrase replacement/ parajumbles.....	5 marks

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# Find the **most similar word** in meaning.....

**EXCOGITATE**

*ponder* / *contemplate*  
*think deeply*

✓ **1) Ruminare**

**2) Dearth**

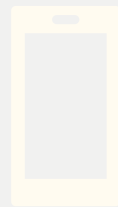
**3) Noxious**

**4) Gargantuan**

**5) Callous**

*scarcity, paucity*  
*pernicious, deleterious*  
*detrimental*  
*colossal*  
*रुद्ध, रूढ़*

**Directions:** The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in any one part of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part of the sentence which has an error (spelling, grammatical or contextual). If there is no error, choose option E.



**1) To an insurance company, (A) / the law relating to (B) / the principles of subrogation and (C) / contribution are of great importance. (D) / No Error (E)**

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**A- To an insurance company,**

**B- the law relating to**

**C- the principles of subrogation and**

**D- contribution are of great importation.**

**E- No Error**

**2) My uncle said that (A) / he would reach ~~to~~ (B) / the bus stand with all his (C) / belongings within an hour. (D) / No Error (E)**

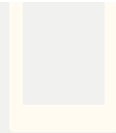
**A- My uncle said that**

**B- he would reach to**

**C- the bus stand with all his**

**D- belongings within an hour**

**E- No Error**





### 3) Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

A- The fruits of peace are limited

B- to the revival of economic activity,

C- but the pervasive grievances

D- of the minority remains.

E- No error

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**4) Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.**

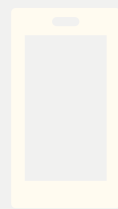
A- When tensions persist among

B- communities, nothing can make up

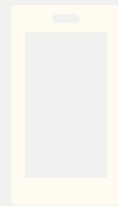
C- for the absence of reconciliation

D- and trust among all sections.

E- No error



**Direction:** In the question given below, a sentence is given, divided into parts. One of the parts may contain an error. Identify the part that contains the error, and mark it as the answer. **Ignore errors in punctuation.** In case the sentence is correct as it is, mark option (E), that is, 'No correction required'. **Note** - The words in bold are grammatically and contextually correct.



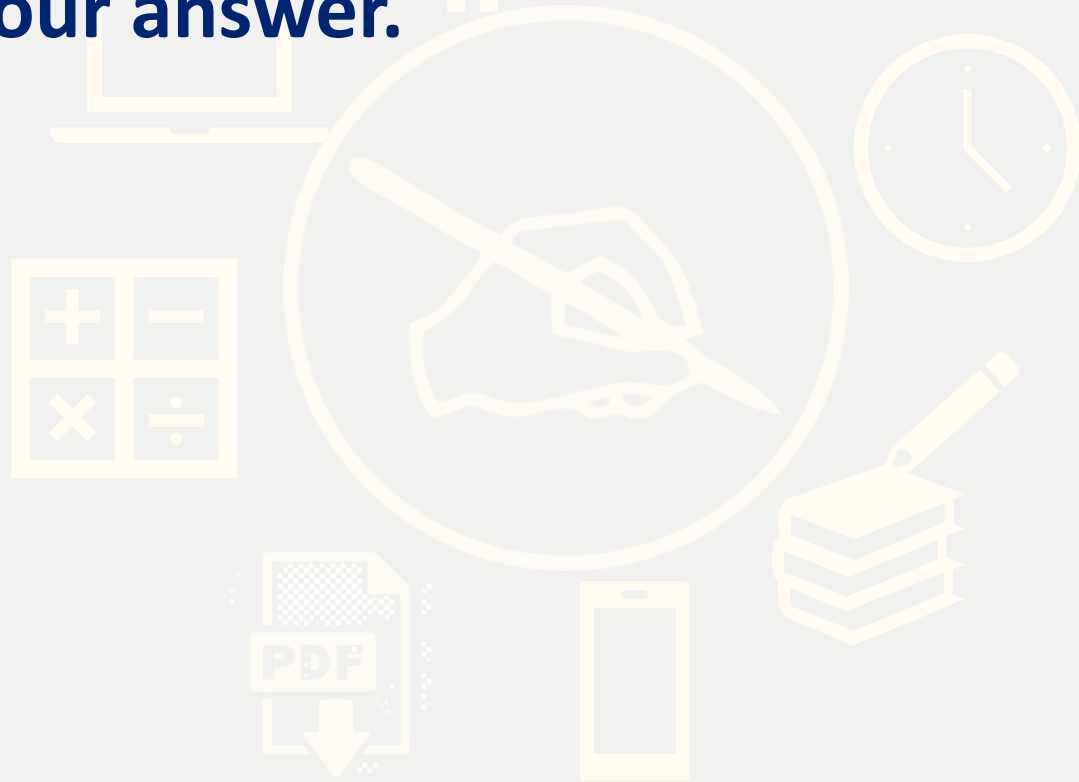
5) In our urgency **to declare ourselves** against these heinous acts as loud <sup>ly</sup> as possible, **we forget** <sup>ly</sup> about the voices we drown with our self-righteous anger.

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as + P.O. + as  
so + P.O. as  
as good as

- A- In our urgency
- B- against these heinous acts
- ✓ C- as loud as possible, about the voices we drown
- D- With our self-righteous anger.
- E- No Correction Required

**Directions:** Each question contains three statements, one or more of which may not be grammatically correct. You are required to identify the incorrect statements from the options given below and mark that as your answer.

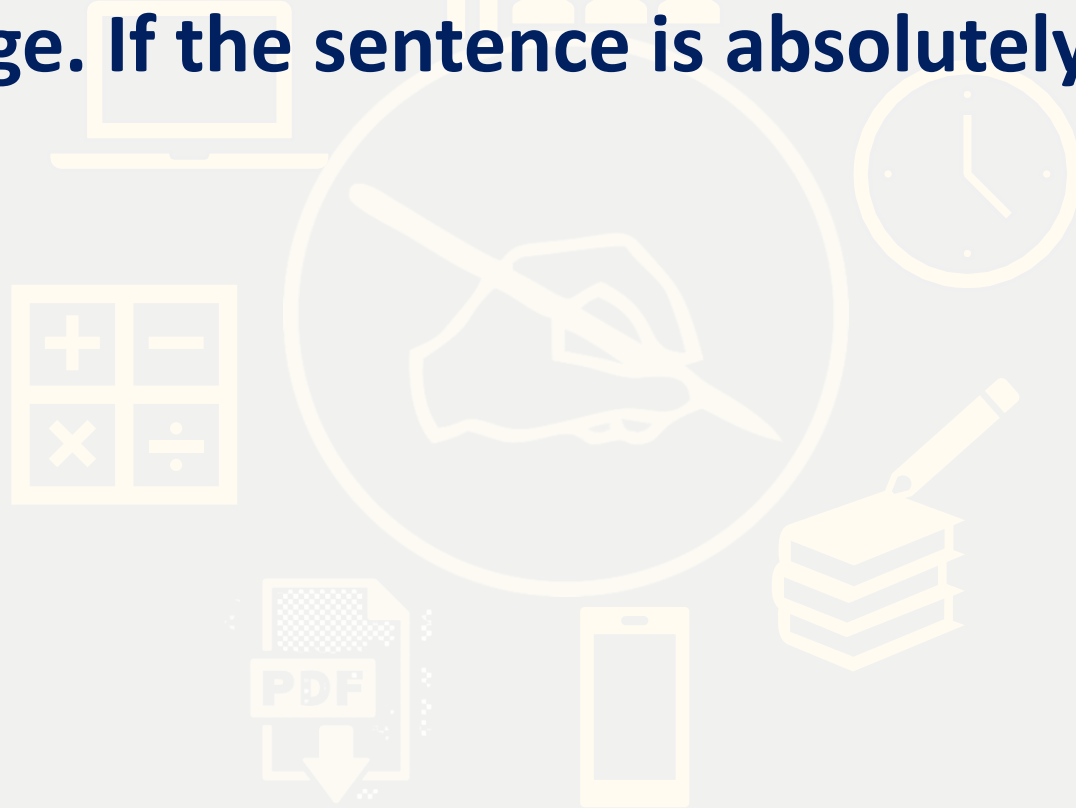


- 6) I.** Chief Minister and thousands of people from Andhra will demonstrate <sup>x for</sup> to special status for the state. X
- II.** This poses a big question on the country's federal structure. ✓
- III.** The AAP leader pointed out how the Centre had the Anti-Corruption Branch of the Delhi government seize by <sup>o</sup> paramilitary forces. X

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- A- Only II ~~B~~
- ✓ B- Only I and III
- C- Only II and III
- D- Only III
- E- All are correct

**Directions:** In this question, a sentence has been divided into four parts marked as I, II, III and IV. You need to find which part/parts does not/do not have an error in terms of its grammatical or contextual usage. If the sentence is absolutely correct, mark (E) as your answer.



- 7) I. The supreme court of India disapproved *ob X*  
II. the practice of constituting commissions of inquiry ✓  
III. at the cost of taxpayers and letting them ~~to~~ continue for X years together  
IV. without serving any useful purpose. ✓ *let me go.*

- A- Only I and III  
✓ B- Only II and IV  
C- Only IV  
D- Only III  
E- No error



**Direction:** In the following question, a sentence is given, divided into 5 parts. Part (1) is grammatically correct. Out of the other four parts, one part contains an error. Mark the option containing the part with the error. If none of the parts have errors, mark 'No error' as your answer.



**8) There have been a (1) / couple of minor localised incidents (A) / of law and order which (B) / has been handled (C) / very professionally. (D)**

~~has~~  
have —

1- D

2- C

3- B

4- A

5- No error