



SSC MTS 2022-23



ENGLISH

SESSION-II

NEW PATTERN पर आधारित

- **IDIOMS & PHRASES**
- **SYNONYMS**
- **ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION**

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SYNONYMS



1. Find the Synonym **Acquiesce**

A. Intrepid

B. Assent

C. Astound

D. Erring



Answer: (b) Assent



2. Find the Synonym **Brittle**

A. Devitalised

B. Frail

C. Dormant

D. Trickery



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Answer: (b) Frail



3. Find the Synonym **Remorse**

- A. Barren
- B. Contention
- C. Repentance
- D. Orphan



Answer: (c) Repentance



4. Find the Synonym **Bait**

A. Perpetual

B. Snare

C. Possible

D. Fame



Answer: (b) Snare



5. Find the Synonym **Fortitude**

- A. Strength
- B. Debar
- C. Partner
- D. Verge on



Answer: (a) Strength



ANTONYMS



6. Find the Antonym CONGENIAL

A. accord

B. snug

C. engaging

D. unpleasant



Answer: (d) unpleasant

congenial (Adj.) : pleasant to spend time with; suitable for something; pleasant because it suits your character.



7. Select the antonym of demure.

A. humble

B. bold

C. coy

D. sober



Answer: (b) Bold (Adjective) = confident and courageous; brave

Demure (Adjective) = reserved, meek, modest; mild; shy; quiet and well behaved



8. choose the word which is opposite in meaning to the given word.

EXTRANEIOUS

- A. Unusual**
- B. Dispirited**
- C. Relevant**
- D. Intrusive**



Answer: (c) Relevant (Adjective) = closely connected with the subject.

Extraneous (Adjective) = not directly connected with the particular situation you are in ; irrelevant.



9. Find the Antonym **PROFOUND**

A. superficial

B. obscure

C. intense

D. hidden



Answer: (a) superficial (Adj.) : not serious ; shallow.

profound (Adj.) : very great ; very serious ; wise



10. Find the Antonym **ASSENT**

- A. confusion**
- B. dissent**
- C. self-interest**
- D. separation**

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Answer: (b) dissent (N.) : the fact of expressing opinions that are different from those that are accepted.

assent (N.) : the official agreement to or approval of something



ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION



11. One who does something for the first time

A. leader

B. model

C. forerunner

D. pioneer

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Answer: (d) pioneer

pioneer (N.) : a person who is the first to study and develop a particular area of knowledge, culture, etc.



12. A government run by officials

A. democracy

B. anarchy

C. oligarchy

D. bureaucracy



Answer: (d) bureaucracy



13. That which can be drunk

- A. edible**
- B. palatable**
- C. potable**
- D. culpable**



Answer: (c) potable

potable (Adj.) : safe to drink (water)

edible (Adj.) : fit/suitable to be eaten



14. One who is neither intelligent nor dull

A. ordinary

B. average

C. fair

D. mediocre



Answer: (d) mediocre

**mediocre (Adj.) : not very good;
of only average standard**

**average (Adj.) : ordinary ; not
special**



15. Person leading a life of strict self-discipline

A. hedonist

B. disciplinarian

C. atheist

D. ascetic

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Answer: (d) ascetic

ascetic (N.) : a person who lives in a simple and strict way



IDIOMS & PHRASES



16. Left out in cold

1. to be ignored

2. to be criticised

3. to stand out

4. to be indecisive



Solution : 1

Left out in cold - to be ignored



17. Work against the clock

- 1. work late in the night**
- 2. work against all problems**
- 3. work in great hurry**
- 4. work with concentration**



Solution : 3

Work against the clock - to try to do something in a very limited amount of time.



18. Since he secured the first rank
Sudhir has become swollen-
headed.

1. well-connected

2. unwell

3. conceited

4. famous

Solution : 3



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19. One must learn to prioritize in life. It never pays to put the cart before the horse.

- 1. perform many task simultaneously**
- 2. postpone till the last moment**
- 3. do things spontaneously**
- 4. do last things first**



Solution : 4



20. The boss is going to blow his top when he discovers the blatant mistake in the balance sheet.

1.dismiss from job

2.be very embarrassed

3.be very angry

4.attack fiercely

Solution : 3





**21. A mountaineer has to walk the tight rope
as a small slip can prove to be fatal.**

1.be very nervous

2.be very cautious

3.be well trained

4.be an expert

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Solution: 2



22. The ambitious project to impart free books to all students ended in smoke.

1.exceeded the budget

2.was delayed

3.yielded no result

4.was successfully completed



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Solution: 3



23. When his envious competitor extended a hand of friendship, he smelt a rat.

1. detected something wrong

2. felt very pleased

3. became complaisant

4. behaved arrogantly

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Solution: 1



24. Coming from an affluent family, she found herself a square peg in a round hole when she married a poor farmer and moved to a small village.

1.in a favourable situation

2.unhappy and regretful

3.a misfit in the environment

4.in a financial crisis

Solution: 3



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Home Work

No sooner had he entered the room when the lights went off and everybody began to scream.

- A. as the lights went off**
- B. than the lights went off**
- C. then the lights went off**
- D. No improvement**



HOME WORK ANSWER

Find the correctly spelt words.

- A. Indipensable**
- B. Indipenseble**
- C. Indispansible**
- D. Indispensable**



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