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PRACTICE BATCH

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- (A)** Though the Common Man character in his cartoons was always silent, the intended message was very loud and clear.
- (B)** If a picture is worth a thousand words ,a cartoon is worth a thousand pictures
- (C)** One feels sad to read in the leading dailies that the legendary cartoonist RK Laxman is no more.
- (D)** R.K.Laxman will always be remembered for his early morning dose of laughter.
- (E)** He always cared for the plight of common man through his immortal cartoons.
- (F)** His cartoons would bring a smile even on the faces of people who didn't know to read or were in a hurry.
- (G)** He embodied the hopes, aspirations and troubles of Indians for over half a century.

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Directions: In the following passage there are blanks each of which has been numbered. These numbers are given below the passage and against each five words have been suggested, one of which fits the blanks appropriately. Find out the appropriate word in each case.

Traditionally, a city guarded itself by _____ (P) a fortified gate at its entrance. The gate kept out foes and let in friends and so was an important security support that allowed inhabitants of the city to live in safety as a community. The gate represented the power of the city and stood for justice and security, much the same way as a country protects its borders today. As individuals, we tend to ‘shut’ our ‘gates’ in defence, when we feel _____ (Q) or when we face a difficult situation. When we do open up, we find that it lets in a great deal of freshness and warmth, allowing for forging lasting and fulfilling relationships. A gate can, however, become a/an _____ (R) when we shut ourselves in or do not allow others to touch us or our lives in any way. When we cut ourselves off from societal interaction, we could be paving the way to stagnation and inner death, _____ (S) of stimulation and engagement. Sometimes we become like impregnable fortresses because we guard the gates of our hearts _____ (T).

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Q. 01. Choose the correct option for (P)

- (1) relocating (2) emerging (3) installing
(4) uproot (5) producing

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Q. 02. Choose the correct option for (Q)

- (1) separated (2) receded (3) threatened
(4) fortified (5) blurred

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Q.03. Choose the correct option for (R)

- (1) obstruction (2) gradient (3) consent
(4) acquiescence (5) brake

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Q.04. Choose the correct option for (S)

- (1) realization (2) starved (3) reserved
(4) scared (5) queer

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Q.05. Choose the correct option for (T)

- (1) collectively (2) peacefully (3) fiercely
(4) candidly (5) bitter



Directions: In the question below, a sentence is given in which an idiom is highlighted. From the options below, choose the one that gives the correct meaning of the idiom.

My birthday is **a red letter day** for my parents.

- A) A memorable day
- B) A day of grief
- C) A day when the weather is pleasant
- D) A rainy day
- E) An inauspicious day

The nursery teacher said that my daughter was like **a bull in a china shop.**

- A) A person with great physical strength
- B) A person who is careless or clumsy
- C) A person who is very proactive
- D) A liar
- E) None of the above

When the police questioned the criminal, he told them
a cock-and-bull story.

- A) A confession
- B) A long and detailed story
- C) A fabricated story
- D) To sing loudly
- E) None of the above

In the triathlon event of this year's Olympics, Japanese team turned out to be **a dark horse**.

- A) A weak opponent
- B) A failure
- C) A horse which is black in colour
- D) An unexpected winner
- E) An honest person or group of persons



Directions: In the following questions, match the sentences beginning in Column 1 with their appropriate endings in Column 2.

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Column 1	Column 2
A. Myanmar's economic expansion will depend	D. worker performance, worker health and the length of stay of employees in the company.
B. The steam engine increased the productive capacity of factories,	E. which led to the great expansion of national and international transportation networks in the 19th century.
C. The ease or difficulty of a commute impacts	F. on utilizing the country's rich natural resources and human capital.

- 1) **A and D**
- 2) **A and E**
- 3) **B and D**
- 4) **B and F**
- 5) **C and D**

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Column 1	Column 2
A. Women tend to put more effort and time toward environmental protection	D. through garbage sorting, recycling, and using reusable shopping bags rather than disposable ones.
B. Rapid economic development brings with it extensive pressures on the natural environment, which if not managed well,	E. that about one garbage truck is emptied into the ocean every single minute.
C. The continuing popularity of single-use plastics in many countries means	F. will lead to underperforming plans and investments, unbalanced progress, and high risk development.

1) A and E

2) A and F

3) B and D

4) B and E

5) C and E

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Column 1	Column 2
A. A combination of overfishing, pollution and environmental damage has led	D. to significant losses in both quantities of fish and the number of fish species available.
B. Employers can assist freelancers by	E. it may become a trans-generational disaster.
C. Psychologists have warned if we don't start to address the mental health emergency of young people's anxiety and depression,	F. designing interesting jobs with on-the-job learning and growth opportunities.

1) A and D

2) A and F

3) B and E

4) C and D

5) C and F

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Column 1	Column 2
A. The destruction of tropical forest is a major contributor	D. to the emergency room because of a lack of other treatment options.
B. Paediatricians have said they are seeing growing numbers of young people coming	E. to biodiversity loss and the climate crisis.
C. Recent headlines suggest that mask wearing has become	F. a signal of political allegiance.

- 1) **A and D**
- 2) **A and F**
- 3) **B and D**
- 4) **B and E**
- 5) **C and E**



Directions: In each of the following questions, if the (A) part of the sentences is fixed at its place then what will be the correct rearrangement of the parts given below and in case you feel the given parts are in their correct sequence then mark option (5) i.e., no change required as your answer.

The reason blood pressure tends to rise (A)/ tribal communities that has been (B)/ concludes a study of remote(C)/ with age may be a Western diet and lifestyle, (D)/ recently published in the journal.(E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) DCBE

(4) EBCD

(5) No change required

When I was in Chhattisgarh 30 years ago,(A)/ the tribal people didn't suffer(B)/ was frugal yet more or less balanced. (C)/ diabetes or cholesterol and their diet(D)/ from any lifestyle disorder — high blood pressure, (E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) BEDC

(4) EBCD

(5) No change required

The Anganwadi Services scheme, (A)/ caters to children up (B)/ which incorporates the Integrated Child Development Services, (C)/ to age six, and to (D)/ pregnant and lactating women.(E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) DBEC

(4) EBCD

(5) No change required

By studying nine different pharmaceutical active compounds in Yamuna river,(A)/ and to humans who use (B)/ this water for drinking purposes (C)/ researchers have now pointed out that it can (D)/ “possibly cause chronic toxicity” to aquatic life.(E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) DEBC

(4) EBCD

(5) No change required

The mass protests have, unwittingly,(A)/ to meet the Paris climate agreement targets (B)/ would have been(C)/ hit by the higher levy against the imperative(D)/ pitted the majority who.(E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) DBEC

(4) ECDB

(5) No change is required

The health, longevity and well-being of Indians(A)/ has improved since Independence, and the high levels of economic growth(B)/ over the past two-and-half-decades (C)/ to spend on the social sector (D)/ have made more funds available.(E)

(1) BCED

(2) CBDE

(3) DBEC

(4) EBCD

(5) No change required



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