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ENGLISH

• Syntax
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VERB

(BASIC TO ADVANCE)

PART 2 ✓ — Non-finite



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QUESTIONS FROM PREVIOUS CLASS

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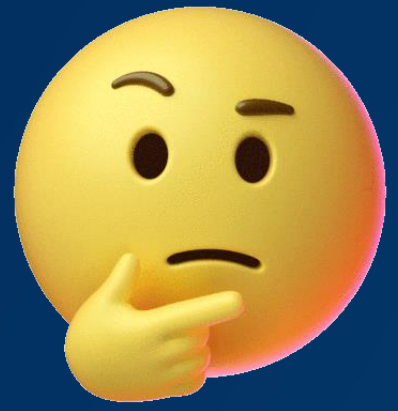


QUESTIONS

Either - or - S₂

12. (a) Either my colleague/ (b) or a peon ~~are~~ coming home/ (c) with the material today./ (d) No error

decides the verb and the pronoun.



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S₂ - Singular - Verb(S)



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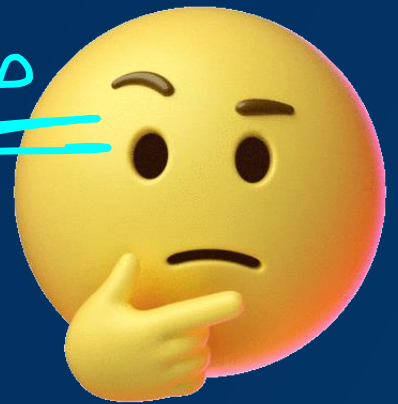


QUESTIONS

13. (a) The rise and fall/ (b) of the tide are due/ (c) to lunar influence./ (d) No error

verb(s)

Option b



is

and

no. of article

2-0

- verb

used

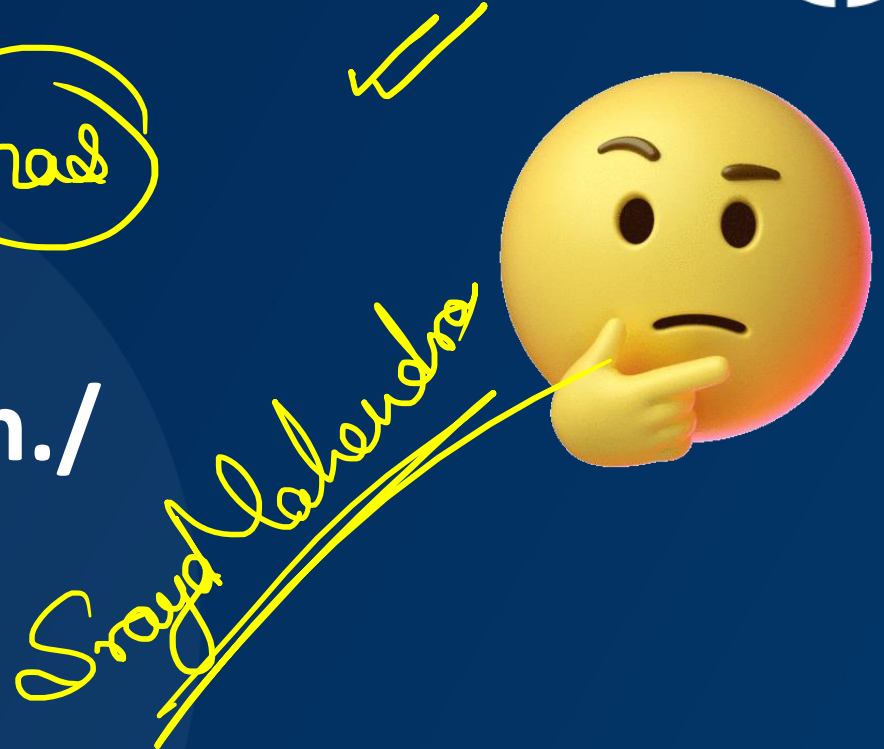
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QUESTIONS

14. (a) Many a man/ (b) have succumbed/ (c) to this temptation./ (d) No error

has



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Rule

1-a)	Many	<u>a</u>	Sub	Verb.
			S	SS
b)	A	<u>many</u>	P	P

today's topic

~~Adj~~
~~Nonfinite Verb~~

- ~~① Infinitive (to + V₁)~~
 - ~~② Gerund (V₁ + ing)~~
 - ~~③ Participle~~
- NOUN
NOUN



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(to + V₁)

INFINITIVE

— "To + V₁" form of verb, acting as a noun.

The infinitive has two forms:

• the 'to-infinitive' = to + base

• the 'bare infinitive' = base

(to + V₁)

(V₁)

~~Type~~

~~Empty~~
~~(to + V₁)~~



POINTS TO REMEMBER

go through.

1. The 'to-infinitive' to indicate the purpose or intention of an action:
 In this case *to* has the same meaning as *in order to* or *so as to*.

- She came to collect her pay cheque.
- The three bears went to find firewood.

I am here to help you
 what for?
 → Purpose/
intention.



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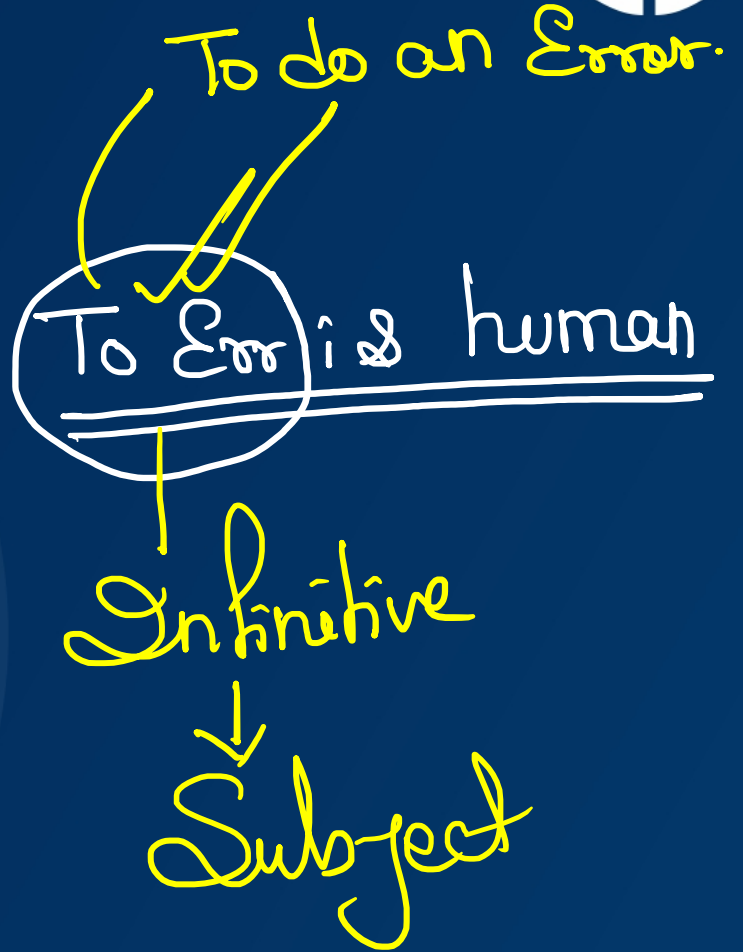
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2. The 'to-infinitive' as the subject of the sentence.

NOUN

- To be or not to be, that is the question.
- To know her is to love her.

loving = amiable





POINTS TO REMEMBER

go through.

3. The 'to-infinitive' to indicate what something can or will be used for:
In this pattern, the 'to-infinitive' follows a noun or pronoun.

- The children need a garden to play in.
- I would like a sandwich to eat.

Primary Function



POINTS TO REMEMBER

4. The 'to-infinitive' with question words:
 The verbs *ask, decide, explain, forget, know, show, tell, & understand* can be followed by a question word such as *where, how, what, who, & when* + the 'to-infinitive'.

begin

- She asked me how to use the washing machine.
- Do you understand what to do?

Just

I know^{how} to teach English.
List + (Wh / H) + Infinit
(word)



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RULES OF INFINITIVE

Cease = stop.

endeavour = work hard

1

flesh & blood

list

- CARE, ATTEMPT, ARRANGE,
- DECIDE, CEASE, ENDEAVOUR,
- APPEAR, SEEM, TRY, BEGIN,
- REMEMBER, FORGET, STOP, FAIL,
- REFUSE, HAPPEN, PROMISE,
- PROVE, KNOW, LEARN, EXPLAIN,
- TEACH, DISCOVER, WONDER,
- SHOW, HAPPY, GLAD, EAGER.
- WISH, WANT, DESIRE, ETC.....

all these words are followed by an Infinitive form of verb.

I care ~~doing~~ this for you.
to do



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RULES OF INFINITIVE

HELP, LET, MAKE, SEE, WATCH,
HEAR, FEEL, BID,

learn

let me ~~to~~ go home
V₁

2



list

Active Voice = Bare Infinitive (V₁)

I made him ~~to~~ do this

Passive Voice = Infinitive (to + V₁)

I was made ~~doing~~ this
to do

Exception

Let

A.V

P.V

V₁



RULES OF INFINITIVE

SEMI-MODALS- NEED , DARE

a) in positive form = Main Verb.
 need/needs > Infinitive.
 dare/dares

b) in negative form = Modal
 need not > Bare Infinitive.
 dare not

~~He need not go there~~

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He ~~needs~~ not ~~to~~ go there



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RULES OF INFINITIVE

4

PHRASES AND WORDS SUCH AS-

**WOULD RATHER, RATHER THAN,
HAD BETTER, THAN, BUT, ETC...**

a bare Infinitive.

are always followed by

I would rather like to go to Kolkata than going to anywhere else.



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**LET'S PRACTICE A FEW
QUESTIONS.....**



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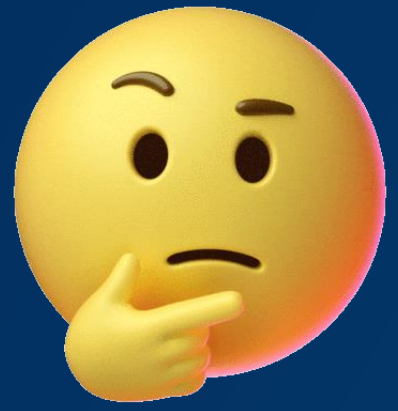
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1. (a) He was so inquisitive/ (b) that he rose many/ (c) questions in the class ./ (d) No error.



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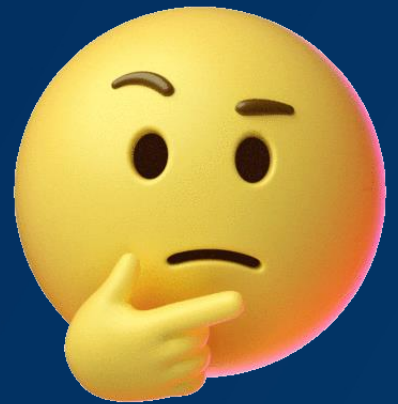
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QUESTIONS

He

2. (a) He was borne of poor parents,/ (b) but brought up/ (c) in an affluent family./ (d) No error.



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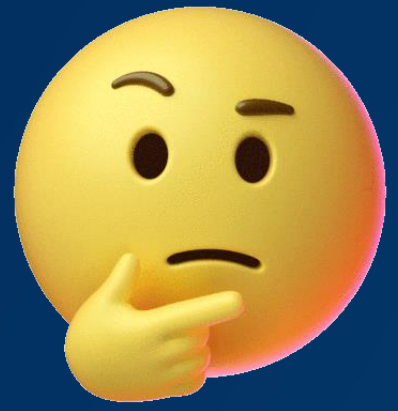


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3. (a) The university was/ (b) found in 1950/ (c) when India was not self dependent in many aspects./ (d) No error.

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QUESTIONS

Head

4. (a) I complaint against him/ (b) as in spite of my repeated warnings/ (c) he failed to mend his ways./ (d) No error.



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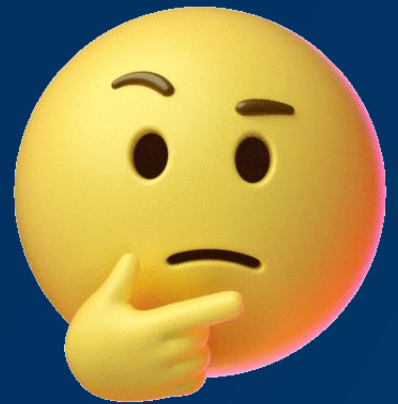
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QUESTIONS

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5. (a) Failure must not have/ (b) permanent affect on a person/ (c)because only the tough survives./ (d) No error.



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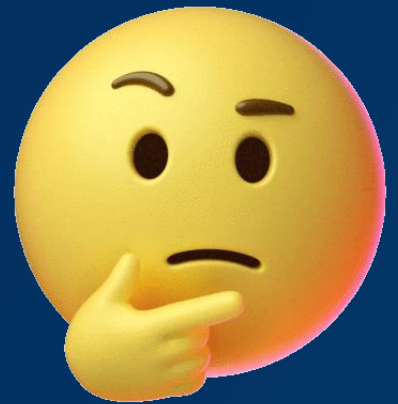
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QUESTIONS

Hand

6. (a) I keep my cool/ (b) and never loose my temper/ (c) even when provoked/ (d) No error.



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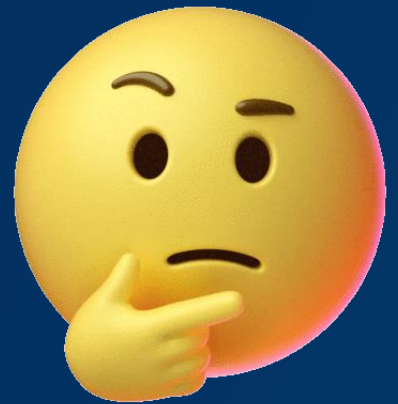
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QUESTIONS

He

7. (a) He lied on the grass/ (b) for hours/ (c) enjoying the cool breeze./ (d) No error.



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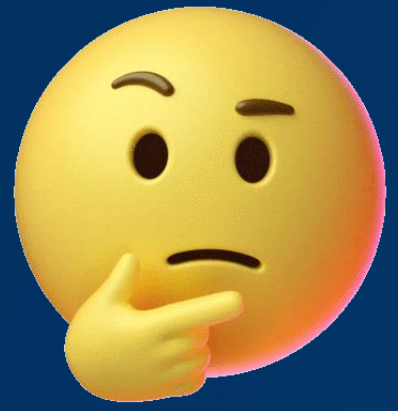
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QUESTIONS

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8. (a) During the rainy season/ (b) many rivers overflow their banks/ (c) and caused great difficulty./ (d) No error.



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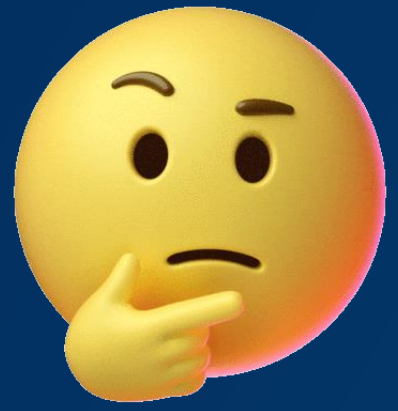
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QUESTIONS

9. (a) He lay his luggage/ (b) aside
and lay down/ (c) to rest for a while
./ (d) No error.

He



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QUESTIONS

10. (a) When calamity fell the village,/ (b) they faced it/ (c) bravely./ (d) No error.

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