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- ✓ The questions in this book have been explained in such a way that you can understand the answers along with the concepts in detail without any external help.
- ✓ In the past few years, SSC conducted all its examinations in the CBT (Computer Based Test) format.
- ✓ In these examinations, questions are not repeated, but the nature and pattern of the questions remain more or less the same.
- ✓ This observation is based on a careful analysis of the questions that have been asked in the past three years.
- ✓ Accordingly, in this book, solutions of three previous years question (PYQ) papers have been given.

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1. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

Polyethylene terephthalate, one of the most often recycled plastics and the material used in the majority of water and soda bottles, can be transformed into everything from polyester fabric to automotive parts.

- (a) might be placed
(b) might be evolved
(c) may be converted
(d) may be devaluate
2. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.

I have thus far sketched the events of my life, but I have not shown how much I have depended on books not only for pleasure and for the wisdom they bring to all who read, but also for that knowledge which comes to others through their eyes and their ears.

- (a) Clarity (b) folly
(c) insight (d) emotion
3. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.

The deer was killed by the boar.

- (a) The deer killed the boar
(b) The boar was killing the deer.
(c) The boar was killed the deer.
(d) The boar killed the deer.
4. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

She could easily eat the _____ biryani by herself.

- (a) haul (b) whole
(c) hall (d) hole
5. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A place where airplanes are kept for maintenance

- (a) Hanger (b) Scullery
(c) Hangar (d) Aviary
6. The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

It can / get extreme cold / during / the winters.

- (a) the winters
(b) during
(c) It can
(d) get extreme cold

7. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- (a) Dearth (b) Acceptible
(c) Corrupt (d) Barely

8. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- (a) Sufficeint (b) Syrup
(c) Superior (d) Shrubbery

9. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. My niece is an amateur artist. I hope she becomes famous one day.

- (a) Boring (b) Freelancing
(c) Expert (d) Decent

10. Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

The secretary to my boss is very efficient as he not only gives him the required information and also handles correspondence independently.

- (a) yet also handles
(b) but also handles
(c) along with also handles
(d) not also handles

11. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

- A. My grandmother always went to school with me because the school was attached to the temple.
B. When we both finished, we would be back together.
C. While the children sat in rows on either side of the verandah singing the alphabet or prayer in chorus, my grandmother sat inside reading the scriptures.
D. The priest taught us the alphabet and the morning prayer.

- (a) ACBD (b) ABDC
(c) ADCB (d) ADBC

12. Select the most appropriate synonym to substitute the underlined word.

The weather forecast mentioned that there would be a cloud burst this afternoon.

- (a) rainstorm (b) sandstorm
(c) famine (d) snowfall

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

Keats and Shelly were poets of the same period; in other words, they were _____.

- (a) contemporaries
(b) co-writers
(c) colleagues
(d) associates

14. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Get up on the wrong side of the bed

- (a) Someone who is having a horrible day
(b) Destroy or ruin a plan
(c) Someone who is having a good day
(d) Go to bed or go to sleep

15. Identify the option that can be substituted as the correct idiom for the underlined part of the given sentence.

My cousin sister Neetu had an aerial view of the trade fair from the top of the giant wheel.

- (a) A bird in the gilded cage
(b) Bird's eye view
(c) Birds of same feather
(d) Bird brain

16. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

- A. He later tried to franchise his restaurant.
B. Colonel Harland Sanders' real-life story of being disappointed numerous times in his life and still making his ambition come true late in life is truly motivating.

1. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined words in the given sentence. He did not stop until it was remarked that he was speaking at length about trivial things.

(a) twittering (b) writing
(c) rambling (d) littering
2. Select the nearest homonym of the given word.
Accept

(a) Accent (b) Expect
(c) Except (d) Expert
3. The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
They usually allege that there is / a delay in procuring stationery / due to the faulty purchase orders.

(a) due to the faulty purchase orders
(b) a delay in procuring stationery
(c) They usually allege that there is
(d) No error
4. Select the correct sentence in active voice from the following options.

(a) The neighbours have called the police
(b) The police are being called by the neighbours.
(c) The police said to me, "I will call the neighbours."
(d) The police have been called by the neighbours.
5. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Connot

(a) Comment (b) Criticise
(c) Care (d) Convey
6. Select the most appropriate homonym to fill in the blank.
The children enjoyed the ___ very much.

(a) feer (b) fear
(c) fere (d) fair
7. Select the most appropriate idiom or phrase to fill in the blank in the given sentence.
He is rich and famous and expects everyone to _____ on him.

(a) Tap Dance Like Mad
(b) Dead Duck
(c) Give a Song and Dance
(d) Dance Attendance
8. Select the word that is INCORRECTLY spelt in the given sentence.
Traditional people are used to using a calender for the their routine activities in rural households.

(a) Traditional (b) Households
(c) Calender (d) Activities
9. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Outer protective layer of a tree.

(a) Bark (b) Shrub
(c) Rind (d) Peel
10. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
The question was raised for discussion before the members during the assembly session.

(a) came up (b) came off
(c) came round (d) came out
11. The following sentence has been divided into three segments, A, B, C. One of them may contain a grammatical error. Select the segment that contains the error, from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
He is not rich (A) / so he cannot afford (B) / to buy a expensive car (C).

(a) C (b) A
(c) No error (d) B
12. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. Treading on thin ice

(a) Playing with a sharp icicle
(b) To be in a dangerous risky position
(c) Skating on ice fallen in a hailstorm
(d) Making a thin ice sculpture
13. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. The other half had been sued at least twice, and Levinson found that just on the basis of those conversation, she could find clear differences between the two groups.
14. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.
A wide-ranging effort is being made to safeguard lives and livelihoods by addressing the devastating near-term socio-economic, humanitarian, and human rights aspects of the crisis with attention to those hit the hardest.

(a) flourishing (b) destructive
(c) emerging (d) fortunate
15. Select the correct spelling for the INCORRECTLY spelt word in the given sentence.
Education plays a crucial role in breaking the cycle of poverty and child labour.

(a) proverty (b) crucial
(c) braking (d) edukation
16. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. In a study sponsored by World Health Organisation and carried out by Harvard School of Public Health, the global burden and injury indicated that stress diseases and accidents are going to be the killers in 2020.

B. Raod traffic accidents are going to be the third largest killers.

1. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
Hard nut to crack
(a) A problem difficult to solve
(b) To leave an effect
(c) A situation that can be altered
(d) To bid farewell
2. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. **Sanyukta has to bake fifty-one cakes for the anniversary party.**
(a) Fifty-one cakes will be baked by Sanyukta for the anniversary party.
(b) Fifty-one cakes had to be baked by Sanyukta for the anniversary party.
(c) Fifty-one cakes have to be baked by Sanyukta for the anniversary party.
(d) Fifty-one cakes has to be baked by Sanyukta for the anniversary party.
3. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Submivise
(b) Validity
(c) Kaleidoscope
(d) Animation
4. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the underlined words in the given sentence.
The prime minister paid tributes to the martyrs by laying circular arrangement of flowers.
(a) buds (b) posies
(c) bouquets (d) wreaths
5. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. **The village fair was cancelled due to incessant rains.**
(a) Insistent (b) Daily
(c) Sporadic (d) Continual
6. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
The practice of writing dictionaries
(a) Anthropology
(b) Lexicography
(c) Photography
(d) Philology
7. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word. Trivial
(a) Significant (b) Huge
(c) Heavy (d) Light
8. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. **I object the false claims made against me.**
(a) assent (b) ease
(c) restore (d) ascertain
9. Select the most appropriate idiom for the given underlined segment in the sentence.
Riya always considers sincerity, devotion and dedication as the highest priority of a good employee.
(a) Fair and square
(b) Ever and anon
(c) Free and easy
(d) First and foremost
10. Select the most appropriate synonym for the underlined word. This is credible information provided by the informer.
(a) Commendable
(b) dependable
(c) detachable
(d) digestible
11. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. It is not a walker's paradise. So walking is not a fashionable pastime here.
B. London is known for its hectic pace, frenzied movements, high decibels and dust kicked up by the speeding vehicles.
C. On the contrary, life in the countryside is laid back and easy paced. Unless it is raining, people set out for walk.
D. For these reasons, Max never went out for a walk, nor did anyone ask him to accompany.
(a) ADCB
(b) BADC
(c) DCAB
(d) CADB
12. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. **My father is reading the newspaper.**
(a) The newspaper is being read by my father.
(b) The newspaper happens to be read by my father.
(c) The newspaper was being read by my father.
(d) My father likes reading the newspaper
13. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. **He described about the scenery yesterday.**
(a) described about the scenery
(b) described the scenery
(c) describing about the scenery
(d) describe the scenery
14. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Oligopoly (b) Xylophone
(c) Zenith (d) Robbust
15. Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. Select the option that contains an error. **My younger brother were attending a short-term computer course these days.**
(a) were attending
(b) My younger brother
(c) a short-term computer course
(d) these days
16. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. **I worked hard so that I might success.**
(a) that I may success
(b) that I might successful
(c) that I might succeed
(d) that I might successor
17. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. The government's recent efforts have concentrated on strengthening these ties.

1. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

The teacher is explaining the lesson.

(a) The lesson explained the teacher.
(b) The lesson explained the lesson.
(c) The lesson is being explained by the teacher.
(d) The lesson was explained by the teacher.
2. Some words in the following sentence have been underlined and given as options. Select the option that contains a spelling error.

He is an audacious entrepreneur who started his own business with the bear minimum.

(a) business (b) audacious
(c) entrepreneur (d) bear
3. Sentences with spelling errors are given. Select the sentence with NO error.

(a) The body produces more saliva under fluorescent illumination which helps prevent cavities.
(b) The body produces more saliva under fluoescent illumination which helps prevent cavaties.
(c) The body produces more saliva under fluoescent illumination which helps prewent cavities.
(d) The body produces more saliva under fluoescent illumination which helps prewent cavities.
4. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The termites were just the tip of the _____, but the house was near collapsing in reality.

(a) mountain (b) iceberg
(c) shoe (d) heel
5. Parts of the following sentence have been underlined and given as options. Select the option that contains an error.

I love to read certain stories from a Mahabharata.

(a) certain (b) to
(c) love (d) a
6. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

_____ in population is a hindrance to a country's growth.

(a) Contract (b) Decrease
(c) Reduce (d) increase
7. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Someone who regards the world as his country

(a) Atheist
(b) Metropolitan
(c) Cosmopolitan
(d) Philanthropist
8. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Not informed about or aware of something

(a) Oblivious (b) Uneducated
(c) Absent (d) Inconscient
9. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Selective

(a) Stimulating (b) Careless
(c) Doubtful (d) Planned
10. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Burial ground consisting of graves.

(a) Courtyard (b) Cemetery
(c) Sanctuary (d) Auditorium
11. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined words in the given sentence.

The heavy medications and strong drugs at the sanatorium will surely turn a patient completely lifeless and unresponsive.

(a) tombic (b) Cadaverous
(c) zonic (d) wasted
12. Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the following sentence.

I really don't want to pour cold water on your theory but it cannot be applied to real life situations.

(a) To destroy someone's written piece of work
(b) To take revenge on someone by destroying their lives' work under the pretext of bad quality
(c) To be critical or doubtful of a plan that someone is excited about
(d) To give goosebumps by showing a prospect
13. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word in the given sentence.

In most organisations there are predators who take advantage over the meek ones.

(a) supporters
(b) philanthropists
(c) benefactors
(d) exploiters
14. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. Nostalgia helps us maintain a positive psychological status when counteracting the negative impact of difficult situations.
B. Nostalgia is a sentimental longing for one's past.
C. The adaptive functions of nostalgia are many, with one effect being pain relief.
D. It is a self-conscious, perhaps bittersweet but predominantly positive social emotion.

(a) CDBA (b) BDAC
(c) ABCD (d) CADB
15. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. They are hitting the ball.

(a) The ball has been hit by them.
(b) The ball is being hitten by them.
(c) The ball is hit by them.
(d) The ball is being hit by them.
16. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. The crowd gave an exultant cheer to the football team when they were exiting the airport.

(a) rejoicing (b) disconsolate
(c) jubilant (d) elated

- Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. Select the option that contains an error.
My mother is a honest and well known woman in the society.
(a) in the society
(b) my mother
(c) is a honest
(d) and well known woman
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below. While the first and the last sentences (S1 and S6) are in the correct order, the sentences in between are jumbled up. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
S1. A moment comes
A. long suppressed
B. and when the soul of a nation
C. which comes but rarely in history
D. when we step out from the old to the new, when an age ends
S6. finds utterance.
(a) CBAD (b) CDBA
(c) ABCD (d) DCBA
- Identify the sentence that contains no spelling errors.
(a) Manisha got overwhelmed by the tremendous offer by a company to work in collaboration with internet personel.
(b) Manisha got overwhelmed by the tremendous offer by a company to work in collaboration with internet personnel.
(c) Manisha got overwhelmed by the tremendous offer by a company to work in collaboration with internet personnel.
(d) Manisha got overwhelmed by the tremendous offer by a company to work in collaborasion with internet personel.
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
In a soup
(a) Extremely short of money
(b) to exhibit cowardice
(c) To get nothing
(d) In trouble
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. They praised her for her bravery.
(a) Acclaimed
(b) Rebuked
(c) Defended
(d) Assaulted
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
Intentional
(a) Cordial (b) unplanned
(c) Amiable (d) Inanimate
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word. Abandon
(a) Quit (b) Surrender
(c) Shorten (d) Continue
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. The 1995 World Summit for Social Development had also emphasised the pivotal role of women in eradicating poverty and mending the social fabric.
B. Women are rational in approach, careful in handling situations and want to do things as best as possible.
C. The Fourth World Conference of Women held in Beijing in September 1995 had emphasised that no enduring solution of society's most threatening social, economic and political problems could be found without the participation and empowerment of the women.
D. Today's woman is a highly self-directed person, alive to the sense of her dignity and the importance of her functions in the private domestic domain and the public domain of the world of work.
(a) ABDC (b) DBCA
(c) DBAC (d) BCAD
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined words in the given sentence.
Being a practiced liar, it was totally normal for him to utter a complete and blatant lie.
(a) blasphemy (b) whooper
(c) falsehood (d) perjury
- Select the option that contains a grammatical error in the underlined portion.
He was always been a grumpy man so I never liked him and avoided his company.
(a) He was always been a grumpy man, so I never liked him and avoided his company.
(b) He was always been a grumpy man, so I never liked him and avoided his company.
(c) He was always been a grumpy man, so I never liked him and avoided his company.
(d) He was always been a grumpy man, so I never liked him and avoided his company.
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
A person who does not drink alcohol
(a) Vegetarian (b) Celibate
(c) Teetotaler (d) Abstain
- Describe how you will tell your parents that Suraj is loved by Siva in active voice.
(a) Siva is been loving Suraj.
(b) Suraj loved Siva.
(c) Siva loves Suraj.
(d) Siva were loving Suraj.
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Believe
(b) Audible
(c) Throat
(d) Pronunciation
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.
I confronted the journalist with the evidence.
(a) Resisted (b) Avoided
(c) Challenged (d) Encountered

1. Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined phrase.
Though very rich, Alexander always saves for a rainy day.

 - (a) Saves money for later
 - (b) Lives like a miser
 - (c) Spends too much
 - (d) Accumulates less wealth
2. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
The murder of a large number of people from a particular nation or ethnic group.

 - (a) Geronticide
 - (b) Honour killing
 - (c) Genocide
 - (d) Mariticide
3. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

 - A. According to him, Rupees 75 lakhs has been spent to make the gymnasium fully equipped with state-of-the-art fitness machines.
 - B. The Honorable Commissioner of Police inaugurated the Gymnasium and Swimming pool and appended the management for their efforts in providing such amenities to students.
 - C. A new indoor gymnasium and swimming pool was inaugurated at APJ International School, Goa.
 - D. Mr. Mercia, the Principal of the school familiarised the guests about the cost incurred and the various facilities available.
 - (a) CBDA (b) BDCA
 - (c) ADBC (d) DABC
4. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
The musician gave a dismal performance of a few old melodies at last night's concert.

 - (a) smart
 - (b) melancholy
 - (c) exhausting
 - (d) lively
5. Select the most appropriate synonym for the underlined word.
His modest nature made all the difference.

 - (a) courageous (b) horrific
 - (c) shy (d) dry
6. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in past tense form.
The methods Arunima adopts for taming the dogs create awe and wonder among them.

 - (a) The methods Arunima adopted for taming the dogs created awe and wonder among them.
 - (b) The methods Arunima adopts for taming the dogs created awe and wonder among them.
 - (c) The methods Arunima adopted for taming the dogs create awe and wonder among them.
 - (d) The methods Arunima adopts for taming the dogs will create awe and wonder among them.
7. Choose the most appropriate meaning of the underlined phrase.
His voice gets on my nerves.

 - (a) Makes me ill
 - (b) Pierces my eardrums
 - (c) Irritates me
 - (d) Makes me sad
8. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Life history written by oneself.

 - (a) Autography
 - (b) Autobiography
 - (c) Autophagy
 - (d) Autocracy
9. The following sentence has been split into four segments. identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
You should/see a oculist;/your eyes look / worse today.

 - (a) your eyes look
 - (b) You should
 - (c) worse today
 - (d) see a oculist;
10. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

 - A. Diwali, referred to as the 'festival of lights', ushers in the winter season with joy, shopping, presents, and a slew of new occasions and celebrations, such as Dussehra, Dhanteras, Govardhan, Bhaidooj, and Narak Chaturdashi.
 - B. In the spiritual world, the event symbolises 'the triumph of light over darkness'.
 - C. The five-day festival of Diwali is observed during the Hindu month of Kartika as an event.
 - D. In India, Diwali is also known as Deepawali.
 - (a) BACD (b) DBCA
 - (c) CDBA (d) ACBD
11. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
She chided her son for being impatient with the customers.

 - (a) reproved (b) scolded
 - (c) applauded (d) rebuked
12. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

 - A. This has an impact not just on global poverty, but also on Indians' awareness of the country's poverty for the first time in a decade.
 - B. And, for the first time in a decade, this update includes India's poverty data.
 - C. From 15 September 2022, a new global poverty line has been established, with the World Bank revising its data in the Poverty and Inequality Platform on this basis.
 - D. According to Sunitha Sinha, Roy and Roy van der Weide of the World Bank's Policy Research Working Paper, "poverty in India had dropped over the recent decade, although not as much as previously thought."

1. Select the option that contains a grammatical error in the underlined portion.

When Mrs. Sinha came to see Varanasi in 2019, Nupur has already been teaching there for five years.

(a) When Mrs. Sinha came to see Varanasi in 2019, Nupur has already been teaching there for five years.
(b) When Mrs. Sinha came to see Varanasi in 2019, Nupur has already been teaching there for five years.
(c) When Mrs. Sinha came to see Varanasi in 2019, Nupur has already been teaching there for five years.
(d) When Mrs. Sinha came to see Varanasi in 2019, Nupur has already been teaching there for five years.
2. Select the most appropriate idiomatic expression to fill in the blank.

Anita keeps on repeating that she is innocent, but there is _____.

(a) no smoke without fire
(b) no pulling up of the socks
(c) no rubbing of the shoulders
(d) no love lost between
3. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.

Those four pages were torn by Jack.

(a) Jack tears those four pages.
(b) Jack tore those four pages.
(c) Jack tear these four pages.
(d) Jack tore these four pages.
4. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

We lived a very frugal life during our childhood.

(a) Reckless (b) Weary
(c) Severe (d) Extravagant
5. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Which cannot be read.

(a) Illiterate (b) Inaudible
(c) Invisible (d) Illegible
6. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

(a) Prefferance
(b) Preservation
(c) Preponderance
(d) Perseverance
7. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word to fill in the blank.

While most friends persuaded him to choose the career, there were a few who _____ him from doing so.

(a) evaded (b) bombarded
(c) dissuaded (d) situated
8. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Shakuntala Devi was born on 4th November 1929. In her childhood she _____ to school.

(a) never gone
(b) went never
(c) had never been
(d) ever been
9. Select the sentence that contains no spelling errors.

(a) The childrens playing in the kindergarden allmost broke the window of the principal's car.
(b) The children playing in the kindergarten almost broke the window of the principal's car.
(c) The childrens playing in the kindergarten almost broke the window of the principal's car.
(d) The children playing in the kindergarden allmost broke the window of the principle's car.
10. Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. Select the option that contains an error.

She is in a hurry to meet her brother.

(a) to meet (b) She is in
(c) her brother (d) an hurry
11. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blanks.

Soon after the doctor gave her the next _____ of the medicine, the patient began to _____.

(a) dose, dozed (b) dosed, doze
(c) dose, doze (d) doze, dose
12. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. In Catholic, Eastern Orthodox, Anglican, Oriental Orthodox and Lutheran teaching, all of their faithful departed in heaven are considered saints, although some are deemed deserving of more praise or emulation.
B. In religious belief, a saint is a person who is viewed as possessing an uncommon degree of holiness, similarity, or proximity to God.
C. The term saint, however, is used differently depending on the setting and denomination.
D. Some saints receive official ecclesiastical recognition and, as a result, a public cult of veneration through the process of canonisation in the Catholic Church or glorification in the Eastern Orthodox Church.

(a) BCAD (b) BCDA
(c) CBDA (d) BDAC
13. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word in the given sentence.

A strong man is a mediator between divine and mortal fate.

(a) Delightful (b) Sincere
(c) Overjoyed (d) Lethal
14. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.

One may accomplish many things by a little effort.

(a) Qualify (b) Retain
(c) Execute (d) Miss
15. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

The farmers are harvesting the crops.

(a) The crops are harvested by farmers.
(b) The crops have been harvested by the farmers.
(c) The crops are been harvested by the farmers.
(d) The crops are being harvested by the farmers.

- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.**
You snooze, you lose
(a) If you oversleep, you are likely to lose a job
(b) Laziness is not good
(c) You may lose your money if snoozing is not stopped
(d) If you are not alert, you are likely to miss opportunities.
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**
Stories of dolphins' saving human lives _____ throughout history.
(a) have been said
(b) told
(c) have been told
(d) had been said
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**
Extinct
(a) Vibrant (b) Vanished
(c) Active (d) Living
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**
Glorify
(a) Simplify (b) Stupefy
(c) Praise (d) Strengthen
- Select the grammatically correct sentence.**
(a) It was a hectic day for Susan with a lot of purchases and a couple of meetings.
(b) It was a hectic day for Susan with the lot of purchase and a couple of meetings.
(c) It was a hectic day for Susan with the lot of purchase and an couple of meetings.
(d) It was the hectic day for Susan with a lot of purchase and the couple of meetings.
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.**
Each member of the literary club submitted various literary works for the magazine.
(a) Various literary works had been submitted by each member of the literary club for the magazine.
(b) Various literary works are submitted by each member of the literary club for the magazine.
(c) Various literary works were submitted by each member of the literary club for the magazine.
(d) Various literary works were being submitted by each member of the literary club for the magazine.
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**
_____ are words which have the same spelling or pronunciation but not the same meaning.
(a) Acronyms (b) Homonyms
(c) Synonyms (d) Antonyms
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**
A. Through the development of technologies, telecommunications, transportation, and other areas, globalisation has developed very quickly in the last few decades, resulting in economic, social, political, and cultural integration on a global scale.
B. Although technology has had both positive and harmful effects on human life, its negative repercussions must be addressed appropriately.
C. Globalisation has made significant positive contributions to economies all across the world.
D. For example—Science and technology have made remarkable strides, providing businesses with a fantastic opportunity to expand quickly even outside of national borders.
(a) ACDB (b) BCDA
(c) ACBD (d) CDBA
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.**
Absurd
(a) Sensible (b) Tolerable
(c) Adorable (d) Lovable
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**
A. Ashwagandha is an adaptogenic herb that has multiple benefits like improving thyroid functioning and reducing blood sugar levels.
B. But remember to consult a specialist while deciding the dosage and duration of continued intake.
C. It relaxes the nervous system and lowers cortisol (stress hormone) levels in the blood, thus making you feel calm and relaxed overall.
D. You can consume Ashwagandha powder or Ashwagandha capsules.
(a) ADBC (b) DABC
(c) ACDB (d) ADCB
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.**
Her parents forbade her to marry her lover.
(a) prevented (b) refused
(c) declined (d) allowed
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.**
Too strong to be defeated or changed
(a) Invincible (b) Headstrong
(c) Vigorous (d) Sovereign
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.**
You have adopted the plan.
(a) The plan should be adopted by you.
(b) The plan is adopted by you.
(c) The plan has being adopted by you.
(d) The plan has been adopted by you.
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.**
(a) Anxiety (b) Preparation
(c) Voluntary (d) Stetionery

- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

Does she prepare the lesson?

(a) Do she prepare the lesson?
(b) Is the lesson prepared by her?
(c) Is she preparing the lesson?
(d) Is the lesson being prepared by her?
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. And also, they contribute to the development of social and environmental solutions for the planet's future.
B. Companies do play an important role in modern society.
C. Because of their systematic relevance and their impact on policy-making, companies must use their influence in ways that benefit the public good.
D. Some corporations have become so large that their activities and strategic decisions have a direct impact on government policy and citizens' lives.

(a) DCAB (b) DBCA
(c) ADCB (d) BDCA
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the following sentence.

I just went to Bali on a backpacking trip and did everything by the ear without any itinerary.

(a) by spreading rumors
(b) by improvisation
(c) while criticising
(d) by asking
- Select the option that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the given word.

Jubilant

(a) Indifferent (b) Thoughtful
(c) Gay (d) Melancholic
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Changing secret and coded messages in a readable form

(a) Decoupling (b) Encoding
(c) Decoding (d) Encrypting
- Identify and correct the INCORRECTLY spelt word in the given sentence.

Successful people often have a role modal who inspired them to greatness.

(a) gratenes (b) succesful
(c) inspaired (d) model
- Choose the option that rectifies the incorrectly spelt underlined word.

Mr. Singh is a phenomenally sucesful salesperson.

(a) sucessful (b) successful
(c) successfull (d) sucesfull
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Grow

(a) Shrink (b) Crimp
(c) Plant (d) Alter
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Enjoying or affording warm secure shelter or cover and opportunity for ease and contentment

(a) Undisturbed (b) Easeful
(c) Untroubled (d) Snug
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Kind, generous, and forgiving.

(a) Magnificent
(b) Grandiloquent
(c) Portentous
(d) Magnanimous
- The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

You wash / the dishes / and / I dry the same.

(a) and
(b) You wash
(c) dry the same
(d) the dishes
- Select the grammatically correct sentence.

A. As a nation, India is a united country and shall always remain so.
B. As nation, India is a united country and shall always remain so.
C. As the nation, India is a united country and shall always remain so.
D. As a nation, India is an united country and shall always remain so.

(a) A (b) B
(c) D (d) C
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

I take my _____ off to our freedom fighters for their service to our country.

(a) boots (b) hat
(c) gun (d) socks
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

_____ droplets settled on top of leaves.

(a) Due (b) Doe
(c) Do (d) Dew
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word to fill in the blank.

Instead of becoming joyous to hear the breaking news, she became _____.

(a) melancholic (b) vengeful
(c) ecstatic (d) exuberant
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

The young boy displayed an aptitude on scientific research.

(a) aptitude for (b) aptitude at
(c) aptitude by (d) aptitude in
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

The magazine house was expecting unpublished authors for their forthcoming exclusive issue on new trends.

(a) Unpublished authors will be expected by the magazine house for their forthcoming exclusive issue on new trends.

- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Gentle
(a) Fierce (b) Ferocious
(c) Cruel (d) Sympathetic
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
My friend Meera and her mother is visiting me this weekend.
(a) have visiting (b) am visiting
(c) was visiting (d) are visiting
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Several times I have visited the narrow, dirty streets where the poor live, and I grow hot and indignant to think that good people should be content to live in fine houses and become strong and beautiful, while others are condemned to live in hideous, sunless tenements and grow ugly, withered and cringing.
B. Dear little creatures, they crouch in my heart and haunt me with a constant sense of pain.
C. The children who crowd these grimy alleys, half-clad and underfed, shrink away from your outstretched hand as if from a blow.
D. In the country one sees only nature's fair works, and one's soul is not saddened by the cruel struggle for mere existence that goes on in the crowded city.
(a) BACD (b) ADBC
(c) CABD (d) DACB
- Identify from the given options the word OPPOSITE in meaning to the underlined word according to its meaning in the following sentence.
The confectioner dusted a fine layer of sugar on the muffin.
(a) scattered (b) sprinkled
(c) powdered (d) cleaned
- The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
Anti-party activities / improved my relations /with an opposition.
(a) Anti-party activities
(b) No error
(c) Improved my relations
(d) With an opposition
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
Compulsory
(a) Obligatory (b) Mandatory
(c) Voluntary (d) Subsidiary
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
At cross purposes
(a) Developing and amplifying ideas given
(b) Finalising ideas and plans
(c) Blindly following each other's ideas
(d) Disagreeing with each other's ideas
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.
The Department of Educational Policy is committed to the study of educational policy, analyse, and evaluate educational programmes, to identify trends, understand outcomes and guide policy and practice, towards finding solutions to current problems in educational governance and management.
(a) affiliated (b) dedicated
(c) inclined (d) inclined
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Never changing and therefore boring.
(a) Outdated (b) Impractical
(c) Idealistic (d) Monotonous
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.
The painting was not made by you.
(a) You should not make the painting.
(b) You does not make the painting.
(c) You did not make the painting.
(d) You do not make the painting.
- The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
All the horses, except one, always / behaved in a rough manner when / Robert come to clean the stable.
(a) behaved in a rough manner when
(b) Robert come to clean the stable
(c) No error
(d) All the horses, except one, always
- Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution'.
I've got a lot of homeworks this weekend.
(a) a lot of homework
(b) No substitution
(c) a lots of homework
(d) much homework
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.
He was praised by his father.
(a) His father has praised him.
(b) His father praises him.
(c) His father had praised him.
(d) His father praised him.
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
He was riding his bike on a bumpy surface.
(a) Jerky (b) Uneven
(c) Choppy (d) Steady
- Select the correct idiom that can substitute the underlined group of words in the given sentence.
You must not participate in the marathon this year without any training. It is an unreal hope on your part!
(a) carrying coal to new castle
(b) a pipe dream
(c) a will-o'-the-wisp
(d) to lose one's temper

- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
A speech by an actor at the end of a play
(a) Prologue (b) Monologue
(c) Epilogue (d) Duologue
- Select the option that is OPPOSITE in meaning to the given word.
Incompetent
(a) Forlorn (b) Desperate
(c) Hopeless (d) Dexterous
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Someone who lives in solitude
(a) Metropolitan
(b) Cosmopolitan
(c) Recluse
(d) Refugee
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Lord Ganesha, the Destroyer of Obstacles, is worshipped for his wisdom and brilliance.
B. People adore the goddess Lakshmi and Lord Ganesha on Diwali.
C. This 'New Year' i.e., Diwali is marked by merchants establishing new account books.
D. Goddess Lakshmi is also worshipped on Diwali for wealth and success.
(a) DABC (b) BADC
(c) ADBC (d) CDBA
- Identify the option that can be substitute as the correct idiom for the underlined part of the given sentence.
As soon as the principal came to know about the inspection in the school, he put everything in perfect order.
(a) Apple pie order
(b) Apple of discord
(c) Alley apple
(d) Apple of one's eye
- Select the correct idiom that can substitute the underlined group of words in the given sentence.
Shelley has been contemplating for a few days but still has not decided to quit the job
(a) biting the dust
(b) chewing the cub
(c) cooling one's heels
(d) getting into hot waters
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Raghav had a good _____ for stage plays
(a) trip (b) trope
(c) troop (d) troupe
- The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
We hardly knew nothing/about the manager/ who had recently joined.
(a) We hardly knew nothing
(b) No error
(c) about the manager
(d) who had recently joined
- The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
Here/ come/ the bus/ for Lucknow.
(a) for Lucknow (b) the bus
(c) come (d) Here
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Tour (b) Triumph
(c) Sandwich (d) Process
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.
The growing population of India will have been controlled by the Indian government by 2040.
(a) By 2040, the Indian population will have continued to grow uncontrollably
(b) By 2040, the Indian government will have controlled the growing of India
(c) By 2040, the Indian government is successfully controlling the growing population of India
(d) The Indian population will have stabilised by 2022.
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
One who loves mankind
(a) Atheist
(b) Pessimist
(c) Optimist
(d) Philanthropist
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Allimony (b) Structural
(c) Holloween (d) Hallucinate
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Judicious
(a) Sensible (b) Imprudent
(c) Careless (d) Short-sighted
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Which _____ do you usually take to reach your office?
(a) route (b) rout
(c) root (d) rude
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Extol
(a) Reward (b) Punish
(c) Dismay (d) Praise
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Autho's explanatory remarks at the beginning of a book
(a) Preface (b) Foreward
(c) Bibliography (d) Biography
- Identify how will you say that "The doctor treated the victims of the violence very carefully", in the passive voice.
(a) The doctor was very careful while providing treatment to the victims
(b) The doctor's care was shown to the victims of the violence
(c) The victims of the violence were treated very carefully by the doctor
(d) The victims were treated attentively by the doctor

1. Select the grammatically correct sentence.
- (a) The warrior was waiting for an right time to attack the lion hiding in a cave.
(b) The warrior was waiting for the right time to attack the lion hiding in the cave.
(c) The warrior was waiting for a right time to attack the lion hiding in the cave.
(d) The warrior was waiting for a right time to attack the lion hiding in the cave.
2. Select the most appropriate synonym for the underlined word in the given sentence.
- The hot sun enervated the labourer to the extent that he collapsed.
- (a) weaken (b) alleviate
(c) energise (d) elevate
3. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
- A. I would attach as many as four of them to a crosspiece, totably arranged on a thin spindle, and transmit the motion of the same to a large disc and so derive considerable 'power'.
B. In my next attempt I seem to have acted under the first instinctive impulse which later dominated me - to harness the energies of nature to the service of man.
C. These creatures were remarkably efficient, for once they were started they had no sense to stop and continued whirling for hours and hours and the hotter it was the harder they worked.
D. I did this through the medium of May-bugs - or june-bugs as they are called in America - which were a veritable pest in that country and sometimes broke the branches of trees by the sheer weight of their bodies.
- (a) BACD (b) ACBD
(c) BDAC (d) DACB
4. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
- (a) Hoarse (b) Imprint
(c) Precious (d) Visious
5. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
- To move or travel back and forth frequently
- (a) Grapple (b) Shuttle
(c) Rupture (d) Foster
6. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
- My complaint is that the gardener dozes off during work.
- (a) Challenge (b) Carp
(c) Praise (d) Demur
7. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
- You can always dependent on me.
- (a) depend over me
(b) depend for me
(c) depend at me
(d) depend on me
8. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
- Willing to take risks and try new ideas.
- (a) Resolute
(b) Desperate
(c) Adventurous
(d) Mythical
9. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
- Exuberance
- (a) Vibrancy (b) Laziness
(c) Sympathy (d) Impartiality
10. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
- Rakesh will win the lottery.
- (a) The lottery is won by Rakesh
(b) The lottery will have won by Rakesh
(c) The lottery will be won by Rakesh
(d) The lottery was won by Rakesh
11. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
- A. Those verses are collectively known as the Bhagavadgita.
B. His hesitation before the battle against his family became the occasion for his friend and charioteer, Lord Krishna, to deliver a discourse on dharma.
C. Arjuna was one of the five Pandava brothers, who are the heroes of the Indian epic, the 'Mahabharata'.
D. He was the son of the god Indra and was famous for his archery.
- (a) DCBA (b) CDBA
(c) ABDC (d) BADC
12. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
- (a) Entrance (b) Brief
(c) Thunder (d) Statinary
13. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
- Authorities denied his simple request.
- (a) His simple request has been denied by authorities.
(b) His simple request is denied by authorities.
(c) His simple request had been denied by authorities.
(d) His simple request was denied by authorities.
14. Select the most appropriate phrasal verb to fill in the blank.
- The details were ____ from one person to the other within no time.
- (a) passed away
(b) passed in
(c) passed down
(d) passed out
15. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
- The room was very ____.
- (a) quit (b) quilt
(c) quiet (d) quite

1. **Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.**
One group of the club has raised an undigestible criticism against the manager.
 - (a) An undigestible criticism would have been raised by one group of the club against the manager
 - (b) An undigestible criticism was being raised by one group of the club against the manager
 - (c) An undigestible criticism had been raised by one group of the club against the manager
 - (d) An undigestible criticism has been raised by one group of the club against the manager

2. **Select the most appropriate idiom that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.**
Vinay missed his flight but good luck came to him from bad circumstances as the flight crashed in the sea.
 - (a) it was a tinker's curse
 - (b) it was counting his blessings
 - (c) it was a blessing and a curse
 - (d) it was a blessing in disguise

3. **Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**
 - A. The Olympic Games have come to be regarded as the world's foremost sports competition.
 - B. Olympic Games is an athletic festival that originated in ancient Greece and was revived in the late 19th century.
 - C. Before the 1970s, the Games were officially limited to competitors with amateur status, but in the 1980s, many events were opened to professional athletes.
 - D. Currently, the Games are open to all, even the top professional athletes in basketball and football (soccer).
 - (a) ABDC (b) BCDA
 - (c) CADB (d) BDCA

4. **Identify the INCORRECTLY spelt word from the given options.**
 - (a) Weave (b) Heave
 - (c) Obsess (d) Sieve

5. **Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**
Earnestly
 - (a) Wordily (b) Ambiguously
 - (c) Verbosely (d) Sincerely

6. **Identify the sentence with correct spellings.**
 - (a) There was not enouf food in the beggar's house.
 - (b) There was not enough food in the beggar's house.
 - (c) There was not enauf food in the beggar's house.
 - (d) There was not enoufh food in the beggar's house.

7. **Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.**
A person whose age is between 70 and 79 years old
 - (a) Septuagenarian
 - (b) Aged
 - (c) Pensioner
 - (d) Oldie

8. **The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.**
I play / cricket in / my childhood / with my sister.
 - (a) my childhood
 - (b) with my sister
 - (c) I play
 - (d) cricket in

9. **Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**
Announced
 - (a) Estrange (b) Declared
 - (c) Secret (d) Hid

10. **Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**
Crooked
 - (a) Admirable (b) Taken
 - (c) Twisted (d) Toasted

11. **Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**
 - A. We recognise some aspects of an SF narrative with the realities of this world and some elements are estranged from the reality so as to take us to an unreal world.
 - B. Therefore, it is often suggested that 'cognitive estrangement' is a necessary means through which the SF is usually understood.
 - C. Science Fiction is a genre which manifests in itself the use of scientific premises often in a fantastical manner in a narrative.
 - D. It is highly seeped into the reality of this world.
 - (a) CDBA (b) BCAD
 - (c) AD BC (d) AD BC

12. **Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**
The Preinccess firmly held the _____ in her hands.
 - (a) rain (b) ran
 - (c) reign (d) rein

13. **The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.**
The historians / are a great / asset to the/ field of academia.
 - (a) field of academia
 - (b) are a great
 - (c) asset to the
 - (d) The historians

14. **Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.**
A formal agreement between two or more nations or peoples
 - (a) Pact (b) Concord
 - (c) Bond (d) Charter

15. **Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.**
The newspaper was read by me
 - (a) I was reading the newspaper.
 - (b) I had read the newspaper.
 - (c) I read the newspaper
 - (d) I will read the newspaper.

- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. The boy looked disheveled and lost.
(a) Tidy (b) Clumsy
(c) Infuriated (d) Excited
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
One who believes in fate.
(a) Realist (b) Agnostic
(c) Fatalist (d) Omniscient
- The following sentence has been divided into three segments, A, B, C. One of them may contain a grammatical error. Select the segment that contains the error, from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
A honourable person (A) / deserves respect (B) / from everybody (C).
(a) B (b) C
(c) No error (d) A
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Tibet is our _____ country. Its people are called 'Tibetans'.
(a) neighbour
(b) neighbouring
(c) neighbour's
(d) neighbourhood
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. The so-called harmless activities of a small number of people are increasingly becoming a serious problem for the internet.
B. You would have seen an increasing amount of 'junk mail' showing up in your email box.
C. It is basically electronic junk mail or junk newsgroup postings.
D. Spam is the flooding of he internet with many copies of the same message, in an attempt to force the message on people who would not otherwise choose to receive it.
(a) CADB (b) BADC
(c) ACBD (d) DABC
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
The girl in the water whistled with full might and waved my arms to draw attention to her plight.
(a) her arms (b) our arms
(c) his arms (d) their arms
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Terrifying (b) Frosty
(c) Guage (d) Effervescent
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.
For many, a warming climatic system is expected to impact the availability of basic necessities like freshwater, food security, and energy, while efforts to redress climate change, both through adaptation and mitigation, will similarly inform and shape the global development agenda.
(a) rise (b) cure
(c) balance (d) reduction
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.
The flowers were being plucked by the children in the garden.
(a) The children were plucking the flowers in the garden.
(b) The children are plucking the flowers in the garden.
(c) The children had plucking the flowers in the garden.
(d) The children was plucking the flowers in the garden.
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. The apple incredibly sweet.
(a) Delicious (b) Pleasant
(c) Bitter (d) Special
- Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined word and make it meaningful.
The government has finally agreed to wave the entertainment tax on the movie.
(a) waive (b) wager
(c) wager (d) web
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined phrase.
Ravish is ready to throw caution to the wind.
(a) Fight with wind
(b) Act foolishly
(c) Spend lavishly
(d) Take risk
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the give sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.
Abraham Lincoln has been the sixteenth president of the united States and save the Union at the American Civil war.
(a) No substitution
(b) save the Union alongside
(c) saved the Union during
(d) saved the Union on
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.
I must have a chance to rectify my error.
(a) worsen (b) alter
(c) reason (d) modify
- The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
The receptionist asked if Diya/ will take a seat and/ wait for the boss to call her in.
(a) The receptionist asked if Diya
(b) No error
(c) will take a seat and
(d) wait for the boss to call her in
- Select the most appropriate idiom/ phrase that can substitute the underline segment in the given sentence.
Mahesh has learnt not to take things seriously.
(a) Your guesss is as good as mine
(b) Take it with a grain of salt
(c) That's the last straw
(d) Pull someone's leg

- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. The movement began in reaction to the ugliness of the industrial age.

B. This idea was amplified by JW von Goethe, JL Tieck and others in Germany.

C. Aestheticism was a European arts movement which centred on the doctrine that art exists for the sake of its beauty alone.

D. Its philosophical foundation were laid in the 18th century by Immanuel Kant.

(a) BADC (b) CADB
(c) CBDA (d) ADBC
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

(a) Adequate (b) Precaution
(c) Cowardise (d) Ridiculous
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Clear

(a) Clean (b) Opaque
(c) Mess (d) Untidy
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. Myra installed the new software on her computer.

(a) The new software had installed Myra on her computer.
(b) The new software is installed by Myra on her computer.
(c) The new software were installed by Myra on her computer.
(d) The new software was installed by Myra on her computer.
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. My energy waned to see my college team performing poorly in the match.

(a) Declined (b) Dimmed
(c) Abated (d) Grew
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice. Shivam will be invited by us.

(a) We shall invite Shivam
(b) We have invite Shivam
(c) Shivam would be invited by us.
(d) We would invite Shivam
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Causing or wanting to cause harm or evil to someone

(a) Chaotic (b) Malevolent
(c) Insipid (d) Rancour
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. Another boy tried his luck and won a comb a fountain pen, wristwatch and a table lamp one after the other in many chances that he played.

B. An old man won a beautiful clock. The old man did not want the clock, so the shopkeeper took it back and paid 15 rupees to the old man.

C. Bhaiya encouraged him, but Rasheed was not lucky when he tried his luck. He won only cheap items like pencils and an inkbottle, and soon lost all his money.

D. He sold all the items to the shopkeeper and went away happily. Rasheed also wanted to play and try his luck.

(a) BADC (b) DCAB
(c) BDCA (d) BCDA
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Genuine

(a) Authentic (b) Deceptive
(c) Fabricated (d) Erroneous
- The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

I am sure that / the postman would be / coming shortly / to deliver the letter.

(a) I am sure that
(b) coming shortly
(c) to deliver the letter
(d) the postman would be
- Select the most appropriate idiom/phrase that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

This incident occurred without a warning.

(a) On thin ice
(b) Bolt from the blue
(c) Ignorance is bliss
(d) Play devil's advocte
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. "The most essential thing I learnt from 'Ready Now' was the need of having a backup plan in case of an emergency," she stated.

B. The instruction, according to Nickola, was inspiring and confirmed her capacity to live effectively with a disability

C. "I made sure I had a generator, wheelchair batteries and at least a week's worth of food, water and prescription medication."

D. "When I heard about the impending snowstorm, I emailed all of my caregivers to see who lived nearby and would be accessible."

(a) DCBA (b) ACBD
(c) CDAB (d) BCDA
- Sentences with spelling errors are given. Select the sentence with NO error.

(a) The pscologists who are a major part of the investigasion interviewed th witnesses.

(b) The pscologists who are a major part of the investigation interviewed th witnesses.

(c) The pscologists who are a major part of the investigation interviewed th witnesses.

(d) The pscologists who are a major part of the investigation interviewed th witnesses.

- Fill in the blank with the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word given in the brackets.
She was wearing a _____ new outfit. (expensive)
(a) cheap (b) costly
(c) premium (d) precious
- Select the grammatically correct sentence.
(a) The decision to change a hospital saved an life of the daughter of the doctor.
(b) The decision to change the hospital saved the life of the daughter of the doctor.
(c) The decision to change an hospital saved the life of the daughter of the doctor.
(d) A decision to change a hospital saved the life of the daughter of the doctor.
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Refusal (b) Wajes
(c) Stretch (d) Wearily
- The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
If / it will rain, / we will have / a tough time.
(a) if (b) a tough time
(c) we will have (d) it will rain
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
Does Sneha not lick the butter?
(a) Is the butter being licked by Sneha?
(b) Is the butter not licked by Sneha?
(c) Sneha does not lick the butter?
(d) Was Sneha not licking the butter?
- Select the sentence that uses the given idiom correctly.
Cut corners
(a) He cut corners on his homework and got a bad grade.
(b) The artist cut corners on the painting, and it ended up looking unfinished.
(c) I always make sure to cut corners when I'm driving to save time.
(d) I cut corners to finish my project on time, and my boss praised me for my hard work.
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
Rover would not swallow the pill.
(a) The pill would not be swallowing by Rover.
(b) The pill would not swallowed by Rover.
(c) The pill would not be swallowed by Rover.
(d) The pill would not be swallow by Rover.
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.
The moon is Earth's only natural satellite and the nearby large celestial body.
(a) the near largest
(b) the nearest large
(c) No substitution
(d) the nearly large
- Select the most appropriate synonym to substitute the underlined word.
The crowd cheered the cricketer.
(a) Encouraged (b) Distracted
(c) Dropped (d) Attracted
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Place where grains are stored.
(a) Tannery (b) Pantry
(c) Mint (d) Granary
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
A big clumsy often slow-witted person
(a) Slouch (b) Chump
(c) Oaf (d) Ape
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
One who cannot hear.
(a) Illegible (b) Inaudible
(c) Dumb (d) Deaf
- Select the most appropriate synonym to substitute the underlined word.
My mother said to me that she had gone through a very strict and traditional education.
(a) analogy (b) demagogy
(c) pedagogy (d) mythology
- Correct the sentence with the appropriate form of the underline verb.
Parents should tell their children to exercise great care when crossed busy roads.
(a) has crossed
(b) crossing
(c) cross
(d) has been crossing
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given word.
Termagant
(a) One who speaks many languages
(b) Overscrupulous about minute details
(c) A magnet with strong polarity
(d) A violent, overbearing, turbulent, brawling, quarrelsome woman
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
Hit the jackpot
(a) Found a piece of gold
(b) Harm the opportunity
(c) Receiving a reward
(d) Gaining a big success
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
This compartment is reserved for military person.
(a) military personal
(b) military personality
(c) military members
(d) military personnel
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
Lament
(a) Deplore (b) Decry
(c) Celebrate (d) Regret
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
One should not yell at children.
(a) Nitity (b) Indemnify
(c) Whisper (d) Terrorise

- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. Take the wheels.
(a) Let the wheels take you.
(b) Let you take the wheels.
(c) Let the wheels be taken by you.
(d) Let wheels you take.
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.
Greenhouse gases trapped beside Earth's atmosphere cause global warming.
(a) trapped inside
(b) No substitution
(c) trapped outside
(d) trapped beyond
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Arrangement
(b) Jeopardize
(c) Corruption
(d) Remission
- Correct the spelling of the underlined word.
While driving his car, he applied breaks in time to save himself and his family from an accident.
(a) brave (b) brakes
(c) bricks (d) braces
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Jargon
(a) Slang (b) Verboseness
(c) Formality (d) Eloquence
- The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
If things were not going to be normal / after the pandemic, mankind will / have to accept the New Normal.
(a) after the pandemic, mankind will
(b) have to accept the New Normal
(c) If things were not going to be normal
(d) no error
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
Let me buy an expensive bag for my friend.
(a) I request you to buy an expensive bag for my friend.
(b) An excessive bag will be bought by me for my friend.
(c) Let an expensive bag was bought by me for my friend.
(d) Let an expensive bag be bought by me for my friend.
- Select the most appropriate idiom/phrase that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
Your career is now completely obsolete.
(a) moving like a worm
(b) as dead as a doornail
(c) dead even
(d) hanging by a thread
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined word in the given sentence.
Arthur has some strange ideas, but on this occasion, I am inclined to agree with him.
(a) tended (b) conflicted
(c) refused (d) conspired
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Water gives itself away for our agriculture and other uses.
B. Trees give flowers, fruits and wood.
C. Giving soothes an individual with the vibration of joy.
D. Unconditional giving is a natural principle and evident everywhere in nature which gives us solid, liquids and minerals.
(a) ACDB (b) CDAB
(c) CBDA (d) BDCA
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined word in the following sentence.
During the wedding ceremony, the bride seemed even quieter and more diffident than usual.
(a) Showing lack of interest
(b) Bold in others' company
(c) Giving a false or misleading impression
(d) Shy due to lack of confidence.
- Select the most appropriate to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.
While he saw the bear, he ran to the nearest tree, dropped his gun and climbed to a safe place.
(a) When he saw the bear
(b) No substitution
(c) No sooner did he see
(d) Hardly he saw the bear
- Select the most appropriate one-word substitution of the given group words.
Capable of or adapted for turning easily from one to another of various tasks, fields of endeavour, etc. and is able to do many things.
(a) Versatile (b) Turncoat
(c) Talented (d) Flexible
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word given in the bracket to fill in the blank.
There are _____ (definite) weaknesses in their security arrangements.
(a) monotonous (b) hazy
(c) subtle (d) vague
- The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
This will be most difficult of / the adjustments we have to make / because we have been used to / spending a lot on guests.
(a) spending a lot one guests
(b) the adjustments we have to make
(c) This will be most difficult of
(d) because we have been used to

1. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

The place that a person treats as his permanent home, or lives in and has a substantial connection with

(a) Oasis (b) Domicile
(c) Embankment (d) Resort
2. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

My friend is owing an expensive cell phone.

(a) own an expensive cell phone
(b) owns an expensive cell phone.
(c) No substitution
(d) is own an expensive cell phone
3. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

He has not committed the crime.

(a) The crime was not committed by him.
(b) The crime have not being committed by him.
(c) The crime have not been committed by him.
(d) The crime has not been committed by him.
4. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.

During the summer of 1893, Miss Sullivan and I visited the World's Fair with Dr. Alexander Graham Bell. I recall with unmixed delight those days when a thousand childish fancies became beautiful realities.

(a) enchant (b) dismay
(c) memory (d) emotion
5. The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

Binay said that/ he is coming/ from / his village, Jaygarh.

(a) from
(b) he is coming
(c) his village, Jaygarh
(d) Binay said that
6. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Genial

(a) Optimistic (b) Cheerful
(c) Despondent (d) Positive
7. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. In 1944, he was honoured by King George VI with a Knighthood and became Sir Alexander Fleming.
B. On receiving this great honour, Fleming said in his usual modest way, " Wherever I go, people than me for saving their lives. I didn't do anything; I just found a remedy that was there".
C. Fleming became famous overnight and was regarded as one of the most distinguished scientists of his time.
D. The next year, he and his fellow bacteriologists, whose combined efforts had led to the great discovery, were honoured with a joint Nobel Prize.

(a) DBCA (b) AD BC
(c) CADB (d) BCDA
8. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Absorbed

(a) Preoccupied (b) Soaked
(c) Replaced (d) Restored
9. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

(a) Treble (b) Nozzle
(c) Allmost (d) Moisture
10. Identify the option that defines the homonyms 'gate' and 'gait' most appropriately.

(a) Gate means to achieve or receive, and gait means a person's manner of walking.
(b) Gate means a hinged barrier used to close an opening in a wall, fence or hedge, and gait means a person's manner of walking.
(c) Gate means general agreement on tariff and excise, and gait means a person's manner of talking.
(d) Gate means a hinged barrier used to close an opening in a wall or fence, and gait means a cloth or leather leg covering reaching from the instep to above the ankle or to the mid-calf or knee.
11. Parts of the following sentence have been given as option. Select the option that contains an error.

She was waiting for a opportunity to start her own business.

(a) own business
(b) to start her
(c) for a opportunity
(d) She was waiting
12. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

The players distributed the reward between themselves

(a) between them
(b) among themselves
(c) between their selves
(d) amongst their self
13. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. It was the night before the day fixed for his coronation, and the young King was sitting alone in his beautiful chamber.
B. And, indeed, it was the hunters who had found him, coming upon him almost by chance as, bare-limbed and pipe in hand, he was following the flock of the poor goat herd who had brought him up, and whose son he had always fancied himself to be.
C. The lad—for he was only a lad, being but sixteen years of age—was not sorry at their departure, and had flung himself back with a deep sigh of relief on the soft cushions of his embroidered couch, lying there, wild-eyed and open-mouthed, like a hunters.

- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Perseverance

(a) Irresolution
(b) Obstinacy
(c) Readiness
(d) Eloquence
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A group of worshippers

(a) Congregation
(b) Crowd
(c) Caravan
(d) Constellation
- Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. Select the option that contains an error.

He will return in a hour.

(a) return (b) He will
(c) hour (d) in a
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the undelined word.

Her sudden arrival has disarranged my plans.

(a) Timing (b) Entrance
(c) Departure (d) Appearance
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. It superseded India's previous educational strategy, which was created in 1986.
B. The Indian union cabinet approved the country's national education strategy on 29 July 2020.
C. And it provides a framework for education from the primary grades up to higher education, as well as for vocational training in both urban and rural settings.
D. This policy significantly improves India's educational system. Restructuring India's educational system is the primary goal of the National Education Policy 2022.

(a) DBCA (b) ABDC
(c) BCDA (d) BADC
- Select the most appropriate phrasal verb to fill in the blank.

Mohan _____ the charge of Centre for Life Skills from Mustafa.

(a) took out (b) took through
(c) took off (d) took over
- Identify the sentence that provides the meaning of the given idiom.

Under the cloud

(a) The classmates were dancing together under the rain.
(b) The driver was under suspicion after the police found blood on his car
(c) The Red fort looks beautiful amidst the cloudy weather and cold atmosphere.
(d) It was the best place to sit under the sky with hands full of food.
- Choose the option that can substitute the underlined segment correctly and complete the meaning of the sentence.

Bajrang is in extreme pain in his teeth.

(a) Ache (b) Agony
(c) Hurt (d) Sting
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

(a) Nocturnal (b) Repulcive
(c) Scoreboard (d) Irrespective
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word 'Unsure' from the given sentence.

Himanshi is preparing customised gifts and handicrafts for surprising Mehul on his retirement, but the date is not certain yet.

(a) date (b) Certain
(c) customised (d) handicrafts
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

He was acquitted of all the charges in the court today.

(a) Conformed (b) Discharged
(c) Praised (d) Convicted
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

Her modest behaviour was appreciated by everyone in the assembly.

(a) distant (b) unassuming
(c) conceited (d) obvious
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the word given in brackets to fill in the blank.

She looked _____ (luminous) in the diamond necklace.

(a) impudent (b) strident
(c) transcendent (d) resplendent
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Once in a blue moon

(a) Very ancient
(b) Very colorful
(c) Very rare
(d) Very high
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

Who teaches her geography?

(a) By who geography is taught to her?
(b) By whom she is taught geography?
(c) By whom is she taught geography?
(d) By whom was she taught geography?
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. Because of the region's scorching heat and aridity, a considerable amount of water evaporates.
B. As a result, the salt and other minerals become increasingly concentrated.
C. It is then unable to exit the lake and is forced to evaporate.
D. The Dead Sea is one of the saltiest bodies of water on the planet, with about ten times the salt content of typical saltwater.
E. This is because water flows into the Dead Sea from a single primary tributary, the Jordan River.

(a) DECAB (b) DCBAE
(c) DEABC (d) DACEB

- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Immerse
(a) Emerge (b) Distant
(c) Involve (d) Uncover
- Select the correct spelling of the incorrectly spelt word.
Labradors are gentle, docil dogs.
(a) Labradoors (b) Labradaurs
(c) gentil (d) docile
- Parts of the following sentence have been underlined and given as options. Select the option that contains an error.
I had gone to siliguri before I go to Raiganj
(a) go (b) before
(c) had (d) gone
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. It centres on the sinking of the RMS Titanic.
B. The film proved immensely popular, holding the all-time box-office gross record for more than a decade after its release.
C. Titanic is an American romantic adventure film released in 1997.
D. Most of the film's story is then told in flashbacks as the protagonist recounts the Titanic's fateful 1912 voyage.
(a) CDAB (b) BADC
(c) CADB (d) ABDC
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
Brian remained silent during the board meeting, though Rahul was unaware that he had an ace up his sheath the entire time.
(a) an ace up his sleeve
(b) an ace up his fortune
(c) an ace up his teeth
(d) an ace up his head
- Select the most appropriate idiom to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
The peasants worked the whole day in the fields and stopped working in the evening and went to their homes.
(a) gave it a with
(b) put ice on it
(c) ran around in circles
(d) called it a day
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Due to tight deadlines for delivery and increased focus on performance outcomes, many employees are unable to enjoy a proper work life.
B. Strees could emanate out of various situations such as lifestyle, health or relationship issues, lack of support system at home and competitive focus on acquiring material symbols of success and career advancement.
C. In today's fast-moving world, many young professionals are vulnerable to stress.
D. To add to this, the current economy has impacted many companies' revenues and profits which, in effect, have put many jobs at risk resulting in the frequency of counselling support and guidance going up significantly.
(a) DABC (b) ABCD
(c) DCBA (d) CBAD
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.
From the outset of the pandemic, the United Nations system mobilised early and comprehensively. It led on the global health response, provided life-saving humanitarian assistance to the most vulnerable, established instruments for rapid responses to the socio-economic impact and laid out a broad policy agenda for action on all fronts.
(a) at risk (b) poor
(c) arrogant (d) adaptable
- Identify the sentence that correctly uses the indefinite article.
(a) I have never seen an UFO in an English movie.
(b) I have never seen a UFO in a English movie.
(c) I have never seen a UFO in an English movie.
(d) I have never seen an UFO in a English movie.
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
A person who kills somebody, especially for political reasons
(a) Monster (b) Criminal
(c) Hangman (d) Assassin
- Select the word which means the same as the group of words underlined in the given sentence.
By killing a large number of people, they thought they would get more benefits of the schemes.
(a) Homicide (b) Suicide
(c) Feticide (d) Genocide
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Eshwar Chandra Vidyasagar fought hard against _____ practices which affected Indian society of his time.
(a) many evil (b) all evil
(c) most evil (d) more evil
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
It was evident from his gestures that he was feeling guilty.
(a) Hidden (b) Profuse
(c) Correct (d) Visible

1. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given Idiom. It is raining cats and dogs means:
(a) it is raining very heavily
(b) there are showers
(c) something that does not upset you
(d) it is drizzling
2. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. He was quite violent in his behaviour.
(a) Crazy (b) Aggressive
(c) Gentle (d) Savage
3. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence to fill in the blank.
We usually had _____ visitors dropping by, but now we have very less visitors.
(a) insufficient (b) a handful of
(c) slighter (d) umpteen
4. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
The man was convicted for murder by the jury but he is not committed it.
(a) have not committed it
(b) has not committed it
(c) had not committed it
(d) am not committed it
5. U.S The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
Hardik's horoscope says / that the stars / will be exercised / a benign influence on his life.
(a) will be exercised
(b) hardik's horoscope says
(c) that the stars
(d) a benign influence on his life
6. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Someone who dishonestly pretends to deceive under an assumed character
(a) Imposter (b) Imitator
(c) Explorer (d) Imbecile
7. Select the grammatically correct sentence.
A. Today is sixth day of our workshop. All the participants are highly enthusiastic.
B. Today is a sixth day of our workshop. All the participants are highly enthusiastic.
C. Today is the sixth day of our workshop. All the participants are highly enthusiastic.
D. Today is sixth day of our workshop. All participants are highly enthusiastic.
(a) D (b) C
(c) B (d) A
8. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice. Was the conference not attended by them?
(a) Did they not attend the conference?
(b) Does they not attend the conference?
(c) Do they not attend the conference?
(d) Do they attend the conference?
9. Select the option that express the given sentence in active voice. Was the beggar not being beaten by her?
(a) Was not she beating the beggar?
(b) Was she beating the beggar?
(c) Was the beggar beaten by her?
(d) Was she not beating the beggar?
10. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution!'.
Neither John nor Simon are coming to the meeting.
(a) were coming to lie reeling
(b) No substitution
(c) are coming to meeting
(d) is coming to the meeting
11. The given sentence has some words with incorrect spellings. Select the most appropriate option that corrects the spellings.
Being a milionaire, he is leading a luxurius life.
(a) Being a millionaire, he is leading a luxurius life.
(b) Being a millionaire, he is leading a luxurious Me.
(c) Being a millinaire, he is leeding a luxurious life.
(d) Being a rnillinaire, he is leading a luxurious life.
12. Select the option that is similar in meaning to the given word.
Hapless
(a) Happy (b) Unfortunate
(c) Fortunate (d) Distasteful
13. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
I find that students nowadays are not Interested in _____ letters by hand.
(a) righting (b) riding
(c) rating (d) writing
14. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(a) Consultancy (b) Constitution
(c) Conspirasy (d) Configuration
15. Select the option that can be used u a one- word substitute for the given phrase.
Waver between different opinions or actions
(a) Sway (b) Viaduct
(c) Thrifty (d) Vacillate
16. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
One who looks at the negative side of everything
(a) Optimist (b) Activist
(c) Racist (d) Pessimist
17. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
Taking a bull by the horns
(a) Wearing a skull cap
(b) To decapitate a buil for beef
(c) To make a stupid decision thinking it to be daring
(d) To .deal with a difficult situation in a very diced or confident way

1. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Meenakshi sweeps the ball excellently when she _____ an off-spin delivery.

(a) will get (b) has got
(c) got (d) gets
2. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.
Her mother always encouraged idea of early marriage.

(a) Motivated (b) Supported
(c) Cheered (d) Discouraged
3. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word. Apathy

(a) Empathy (b) Indifference
(c) Aversion (d) Hostility
4. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
To face the music

(a) Not knowing the real chords in music
(b) Barring the entire audiences view at a concert
(c) Being challenged to a music competition
(d) To bear the negative consequences of wrongful actions
5. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice.
The new building was being constructed by the construction workers.

(a) The construction workers were constructing the new building.
(b) The construction workers had been constructing the new building.
(c) The new building has being constructed by the constructed by the construction workers?
(d) The new building is being constructed by the construction workers.
6. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
'Rapid' may be by '_____'.
(a) Gradual (b) Legitimate
(c) Artistic (d) Speedy
7. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. He used to commit one theft a year on average. The stolen money lasted for the year.
B. He chose the house at Shotover Grange to commit his next burglary. He studied the design of the house carefully for a fortnight.
C. HE found that the family had gone to London and the servants to the movie. He broke into the house one afternoon.
D. He hoped to get fifteen thousand pounds worth of jewels from the safe.

(a) BCDA (b) DCDA
(c) BDAC (d) ABCD
8. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. chronic infections such as typhoid, chickenpox and others, for example, are no longer feared.
B. A factor contributing to the rapid rise of the population in recent years has been the drop in the death rate.
C. Because of medical breakthroughs, the death rate has decreased.
D. In 2001 the death rate in India was approximately 8.5 per thousand people.

(a) BDCA (b) DBCA
(c) CDAB (d) ADBC
9. Select the word which means the same as the group of words underlined in the given sentence.
Maratha is a believer of fate.

(a) Minimalist (b) Socialist
(c) Fatalist (d) Catalyst
10. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
Dr. Joyce is studying an experiment in his laboratory.

(a) An experiment is studied by Dr. Joyce in his laboratory.
(b) An experiment was being studied by Dr. Joyce in his laboratory.
(c) An experiment is being studied by Dr. Joyce in his laboratory.
(d) An experiment has been studied by Dr. Joyce in his laboratory.
11. Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. if you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
You can fool some of the people all the time, and all the people some of the time; but you cannot fool all the people all the time.

(a) No error
(b) You can fool some of the people all the time
(c) and all the people some of the time
(d) but you cannot fool all the people all the time
12. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. There are 11.52 billion Aadhaar cards given to the Whole population as of February 2019.
B. A financial inclusion programme called the Prime Minister's Jan Dhan YOjana (FILMY) makes services like banking, remittance, and insurance accessible to every Indian at a reasonable price.
C. Under the acronym JAM—Jan Dhan Yojana. for Financial Inclusion, Aadhaar Bio metric Identification, and Mobile Telecommunications—India is on the verge of a social revolution.
D. Beneficiaries may open an account with no balance.

(a) ABCD (b) BCDA
(c) CABD (d) DCBA
13. Select the Most appropriate synonym of the given word.
Diligent

(a) Spiteful (b) Awful
(c) Faithful (d) Careful

1. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given phrase. Gradual recovery of health and strength
- (a) Convalescence
(b) Potency
(c) Benefaction
(d) Rejuvenation
2. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word given in brackets to fill in the blank.
- The teacher could judge that his intentions were _____ (nefarious) so he was not stopped from entering the hall.
- (a) pious (b) traitorous
(c) envious (d) perfidious
3. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
- (a) Arbitrary (b) Favourite
(c) Aggreement (d) Conviction
4. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given Idiom.
- On the ball**
- (a) Doing a job in a slow and incorrect manner
(b) Doing a job in a quick and competent manner
(c) Playing with a ball
(d) Exercising using a ball
5. The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them may contain an error. Select the part that contains the error from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.
- My students 'I had expect' guidance from my end.
- (a) had expect
(b) guidance from my end
(c) My students
(d) No error
6. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
- Capable of being bent or pulled into different shapes**
- (a) Lithe (b) Willowy
(c) Ductile (d) Lissome
7. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
- He didn't eat a single morsel of food at his daughter's wedding.**
- (a) A single morsel of food is not eaten by him at his daughter's wedding.
(b) A single morsel of food was not eaten by him at his daughter's wedding.
(c) A single morsel of food can not be eaten by him at his daughter's wedding.
(d) A single morsel of food was not being eaten by him at his daughter's wedding.
8. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word. My teacher accepted my excuse for being late.
- (a) Trusted (b) Rejected
(c) Agreed (d) Believed
9. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
- A large cage, building, or enclosure to keep birds**
- (a) Aviary (b) Burrow
(c) Apiary (d) Dormitory
10. Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.
- Disability was viewed as God's retribution for wickedness in the past.
- (a) revenge for legal works
(b) punishment for wrong doing
(c) payback for doing help
(d) fine for misbehaviour
11. Select the most appropriate idiom for the given situation.
- I was very excited about my new assignment. I sent the email without the required attachment. What have I done?
- (a) Shook a leg
(b) As swift as an eagle
(c) Jumped the gun
(d) Tested the waters
12. Select the most appropriate homonym to fill in the blank.
- The villagers kept the _____ out, to collect the rain water.
- (a) crus
(b) cruse
(c) crews
(d) cruise
13. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice. The workers had eaten all the pastries before the day broke.
- (a) All the pastries were being eaten by the workers before the day broke.
(b) All the pastries had been eaten by the workers before the day broke.
(c) AU the pastries have been eaten by the workers before the day broke.
(d) All the pastries are being eaten by the workers before the day broke.
14. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
- A. Both, Ratan and Moti were Idlers and did not work.
B. Their wives had introduced order and industry in the house.
C. Ratan and Moti's wives would work hard and would earn the bread for their family.
D. This made them lazier.
- (a) CDAB
(b) ABDC
(c) BADC
(d) ACBD
15. Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word. The investment scheme had been a scam all along.
- (a) Plain
(b) Swindle
(c) Failure
(d) Successful

- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. The olive tree grows slowly yet lives a long time.
 B. The normal lifespan of an olive tree is 300-400 years, but olive trees as ancient as 3000 years have been discovered.
 C. The olive is a well-known Mediterranean-native evergreen tree whose fruit and oil are used in cuisine and cooking.
 D. As a result, the olive tree is known as the 'immortal tree' in mythology and botany.

(a) CDAB (b) CABD
 (c) DBCA (d) ABCD
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A person who enjoys doing dangerous things, in a way that other people may think is stupid.

(a) Cavalier (b) Lunatic
 (c) Gallant (d) Daredevil
- Parts of the following sentence have been underlined and given as options, Select the option that contains an error.

The Dutta company has not being making new school bags since the lockdown commenced.

(a) since (b) has not
 (c) being (d) commenced
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the capitalised word in the given sentence.

Taking a BRISK walk can often induce a feeling of well-being.

(a) Slow (b) Late night
 (c) Quick (d) Dusky
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word Partial

(a) Unjust (b) Prejudiced
 (c) Doubtful (d) Unbiased
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word. It was due to treacherous leaders that he decided to leave the party.

(a) Devoted (b) Disloyal
 (c) Transient (d) Ravenous
- Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

Govind is improving his communication skills with a view to becoming a journalist.

(a) form into (b) achieving
 (c) making (d) becoming
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

Trivial issues have always interested our boss.

(a) Fierce (b) Hopeful
 (c) Significant (d) Common
- Select the option that express the given sentence In active voice.

The article had not been posted by Mr. Gupta.

(a) Mr. Gupta had not posted the article.
 (b) Mr. Gupta has not posted the article.
 (c) Mr. Gupta have not been posted the article.
 (d) Mr. Gupta still had not posted the article.
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A. So the problems of India should not be vislived as the failure of this great nation.
 B. The uniqueness of this nation lies in its unity in diversity due to which there are pro hieing here and there at times.
 C. India, a very large country with many religions, many minicultures and many languages., has been achieving success in all fields.
 D. But even small countries with monolithic societies have more problems than this second largest country.
- (a) DBAC (b) CADB
 (c) CBDA (d) BDAC
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Go back to the drawing board

(a) Mediate a task
 (b) Accomplish a task
 (c) Start over
 (d) Leave a work unfinished
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

To abate her listlessness, she weird for a long walk in the country.

(a) lesser (b) sustain
 (c) Increase (d) subside
- Select the most appropriate option to fill In the blank.

The doctor _____ two tablets per day.

(a) prescribed (b) advised
 (c) ordered (d) proposed
- Select the sentence that is free from spelling errors.

(a) One needs to abide by certain instructions in every society.
 (b) One needs to adide by certain instructions in every society.
 (c) One needs to abide by certain instructioenes in every society.
 (d) One needs to abide by certain instructions in every socity.
- The following sentence has been divided Into three segments. A, B, C. One of them may contain a grammatical error. Select the segment that contains the error, from the given options. If you don't find any error, mark 'No error' as your answer.

It was (A) by a chance (B) he saw a movie in a theatre (C).

(a) A (b) C
 (c) B (d) No error
- Identify the idiom/phrase that can best substitute the underlined segment.

I'm going to be in trouble If I don't subnift my hornewoik to the teacher, Aril

(a) devil's advocate
 (b) off base
 (c) the lion's share
 (d) up the creek

- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.**

The invigilator is advising the students not to carry calculators into the examination hall.

(a) The students are being advised by the invigilator not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
(b) The students have been advised not to carry calculators into the examination hall by the invigilator.
(c) The students were advised not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
(d) The students were advised the invigilator not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**

India is formally moving ahead to _____ 21 MIG-29 and 12 Sukhoi-30MKI fighters from Russia along with upgrades of their existing fleets.

(a) accomplish (b) achieve
(c) advance (d) procure
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the right order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**

A. But the eagle, in wrath, gave the beetle a flap of his wing, and straightaway seized upon the hare and devoured him.
B. The beetle therefore interceded with the eagle, begging of him not to kill the poor suppliant, and pleaded with him not to kill so small an animal.
C. When the eagle flew away, the beetle flew after him, to learn where his nest was.
D. A hare, being pursued by an eagle, took himself for refuge to the nest of a beetle, whom he begged to save him.

(a) ACDB (b) DCAB
(c) CBAD (d) DBAC
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.**

Bang for the buck

(a) A sorrowful heart
(b) More value for money
(c) Dash against something
(d) Less value for money
- Select the option that expresses the given sentence in indirect speech.**

"Everything is going to be alright," said the doctor.

(a) The doctor said that everything are going to be alright.
(b) The doctor said that everything will be alright.
(c) The doctor said that everything was going to be alright.
(d) The doctor said that everything is going to be alright.
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**

Generic

(a) Specific (b) Definite
(c) Universal (d) Precise
- Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.**

Raise the bar

(a) To grow taller
(b) To set higher goals
(c) To win a competition
(d) To raise the price
- Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.**

A herd or flock of animals being driven in a body

(a) Crowd (b) Cluster
(c) Throng (d) Drove
- Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.**

Regime

(a) Country (b) Rule
(c) Territory (d) Space
- Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution'.**

The toy drummer plays the drum if you press the button at the back.

(a) will play the drum if you will press
(b) playing the drum if you pressed
(c) played the drum if you are pressing
(d) No substitution
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.**

(a) Unmanageable
(b) Wildernesses
(c) Voilence
(d) Exterminated
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.**

Gradual

(a) Abrupt (b) Slow
(c) Regular (d) Gentle
- Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the right order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.**

A. When we got near, we saw it was the steam rising from hot springs.
B. We saw in the distance a great column of smoke.
C. We wondered if it came from a chimney or a burning house.
D. We thought of taking a bath in the hot water.

(a) BCDA
(b) ABCD
(c) BCAD
(d) ACDB
- Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.**

Work and domestic _____ made Kajal short-tempered.

(a) pressures (b) weights
(c) gravities (d) forces
- Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.**

(a) Pieceful (b) Creature
(c) Specified (d) Decrease
- Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.**

Seize

(a) Grab (b) Catch
(c) Snatch (d) Loosen