

Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2019 Tier I

Section : English Language (Basic Knowledge)

Q.1 In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

The simplest way to get proper recognition are through doing things with dedication and sincerity.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. with dictation and sincerity
 - ☒ 2. to get proper recognition
 - ☒ 3. are through doing things
 - ☒ 4. The simplest way

Question ID : 8161611595

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

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

EXPLICIT

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Lucid
 - ☒ 2. Compatible
 - ☒ 3. Unintelligible
 - ☒ 4. Equivocal

Question ID : 8161611616

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

Q.3 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

A person who speaks always in praise of himself

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Evangelist
 - ☒ 2. Egotist
 - ☒ 3. Nationalist
 - ☒ 4. Conventionalist





Question ID : 8161611614

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.4 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Cut to the chase

- Ans  1. Talking about the important point and leaving out the detail
-  2. Sleeping long hours and spoiling the health
-  3. Stopping unexpectedly and missing the chase
-  4. Cutting long pieces and spoiling the dish cooked

Question ID : 8161611610

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1





Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Everyone wants to be happy. I also want to be happy (1)_____ that's when I am at my best. I know that happiness comes from (2)_____ me, not from outside. The (3)_____ tools I will have to learn to use here will only work if I understand that I'm in (4)_____ of my thoughts, actions and emotions and if I'm willing to do some simple exercises on a (5)_____ basis.

SubQuestion No : 5

Q.5 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 1.

- Ans  1. unless
-  2. because
-  3. nevertheless
-  4. until

Question ID : 8161611598

Status : Marked For Review

Chosen Option : 4


Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Everyone wants to be happy. I also want to be happy (1)_____ that's when I am at my best. I know that happiness comes from (2)_____ me, not from outside. The (3)_____ tools I will have to learn to use here will only work if I understand that I'm in (4)_____ of my thoughts, actions and emotions and if I'm willing to do some simple exercises on a (5)_____ basis.

SubQuestion No : 6

Q.6 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 2.

- Ans  1. within
-  2. around
-  3. for
-  4. on

Question ID : 8161611599

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Everyone wants to be happy. I also want to be happy (1)_____ that's when I am at my best. I know that happiness comes from (2)_____ me, not from outside. The (3)_____ tools I will have to learn to use here will only work if I understand that I'm in (4)_____ of my thoughts, actions and emotions and if I'm willing to do some simple exercises on a (5)_____ basis.

SubQuestion No : 7

Q.7 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 3.

- Ans
-  1. stable
 -  2. effortless
 -  3. powerful
 -  4. affective

Question ID : **8161611600**

Status : **Answered**

Chosen Option : **3**





Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Everyone wants to be happy. I also want to be happy (1)_____ that's when I am at my best. I know that happiness comes from (2)_____ me, not from outside. The (3)_____ tools I will have to learn to use here will only work if I understand that I'm in (4)_____ of my thoughts, actions and emotions and if I'm willing to do some simple exercises on a (5)_____ basis.

SubQuestion No : 8

Q.8 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 4.

- Ans
-  1. charge
 -  2. frame
 -  3. custody
 -  4. structure

Question ID : **8161611601**

Status : **Answered**

Chosen Option : **1**

Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Everyone wants to be happy. I also want to be happy (1)_____ that's when I am at my best. I know that happiness comes from (2)_____ me, not from outside. The (3)_____ tools I will have to learn to use here will only work if I understand that I'm in (4)_____ of my thoughts, actions and emotions and if I'm willing to do some simple exercises on a (5)_____ basis.

SubQuestion No : 9

Q.9 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 5.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. stimulant
 - ☒ 2. temporary
 - ☒ 3. legal
 - ☒ 4. regular

Question ID : **8161611602**
Status : **Answered**
Chosen Option : **4**

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

INSTIGATE

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Stagnate
 - ☒ 2. Kindle
 - ☒ 3. Imbibe
 - ☒ 4. Instill

Question ID : **8161611615**
Status : **Marked For Review**
Chosen Option : **2**

Q.11 In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

The man with a lost eye have been accused for murder of two girls in his neighbourhood.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. The man with a lost eye
 - ☒ 2. in his neighbourhood
 - ☒ 3. have been accused for
 - ☒ 4. murder of two girls

Question ID : **8161611596**
Status : **Answered**
Chosen Option : **3**

Q.12 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

CLOUDY

- Ans ☒ 1. Transparent
☐ 2. Indefinite
☐ 3. Vague
☐ 4. Murky

Question ID : 8161611607
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.13 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No improvement'.

Lot of times she advised him for not being lazy for completing such a tough task.

- Ans ☒ 1. A lot of times
☐ 2. Much of time
☐ 3. No improvement
☐ 4. A lot of time

Question ID : 8161611605
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

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

As long as they are here, Hari won't attend the training.

- Ans ☐ 1. So long so
☐ 2. So far as
☐ 3. As long that
☒ 4. No improvement

Question ID : 8161611606
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.15 Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.

The storekeeper asked the security, "Did you see the torch I kept here?"

- Ans ☐ 1. The storekeeper asked the security whether he saw the torch he had kept there.
☐ 2. The storekeeper asked the security if he saw the torch he kept there.
☒ 3. The storekeeper asked the security whether he had seen the torch he had kept there.
☐ 4. The storekeeper asked the security if had he seen the torch he kept there.

Question ID : 8161611594
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.16 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Keep a civil tongue

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Speak with great politeness
 - ☐ 2. Express dissent mildly
 - ☐ 3. Argue with soft words
 - ☐ 4. Maintain silence when needed

Question ID : 8161611609

Status : Marked For Review

Chosen Option : 2

Q.17 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

Success is the _____ of taking risks, everybody knows.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. tension
 - ☒ 2. by-product
 - ☐ 3. pressure
 - ☐ 4. burden

Question ID : 8161611618

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.18 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

PLACATE

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Appease
 - ☒ 2. Enrage
 - ☐ 3. Propitiate
 - ☐ 4. Conciliate

Question ID : 8161611608

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.19 Select the wrongly spelt word.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Envioronment
 - ☐ 2. Solvent
 - ☐ 3. Residual
 - ☐ 4. Pollutant

Question ID : 8161611611

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1


Q.20 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options select the one that gives their correct order.

- A. When Franco was young; he would stay at sea all night.
- B. Every morning, he would arrive with a big catch of fresh fish and sell it in the market.
- C. Franco was a fisherman who lived on the beach.
- D. He had been fishing for as long as he could remember.

Ans  1. CDAB

 2. CBDA

 3. DCAB

 4. CDBA

Question ID : 8161611604

Status : Marked For Review

Chosen Option : 4

Q.21 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

People readily accept any _____ of their leaders if supported by the media.

Ans  1. dispute

 2. argument

 3. concession

 4. compromise

Question ID : 8161611617

Status : Marked For Review


Chosen Option : 3

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

Painless death given to patients to relieve suffering.

Ans  1. Euphemism

 2. Euphorbia

 3. Euphoria

 4. Euthanasia

Question ID : 8161611613

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

Q.23 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

Sheetal might have misplaced Mohan's wallet in their rush.

Ans  1. Mohan's wallet may be misplaced by Sheetal in their rush.

 2. Mohan's wallet may have been misplaced by Sheetal in their rush.

 3. Mohan's wallet might have been misplaced by Sheetal in their rush.

 4. Mohan's wallet might be misplaced by Sheetal in their rush.

Question ID : 8161611593

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

Q.24 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options select the one that gives their correct order.

- A. Though John found none, he was not ready to give in.
- B. He continued the search till noon.
- C. John wanted to have a big well dug.
- D. He searched around for workers who would do the job for him without pay.

Ans  1. CDAB

 2. DCAB

 3. CADB

 4. CDBA

Question ID : 8161611603

Status : Marked For Review

Chosen Option : 1

Q.25 Select the wrongly spelt word.

Ans  1. Telepathy

 2. Homoeopathy

 3. Allopathy

 4. Naturopathy

Question ID : 8161611612

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2