

Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2019 Tier I

Section : English Language (Basic Knowledge)

Q.1 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word:

Fraudulent

- Ans
- 1. Prevalent
 - 2. Deceitful
 - 3. Genuine
 - 4. Repellent

Question ID : 8161613163
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.2 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given:

Satisfied, with no desire to change or improve

- Ans
- 1. Adolescent
 - 2. Beneficent
 - 3. Innocent
 - 4. Complacent

Question ID : 8161613161
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.3 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom:

Sleep on it

- Ans
- 1. To make a wrong decision
 - 2. To wait before making a decision
 - 3. To prefer to sleep than take action
 - 4. To make a decision immediately

Question ID : 8161613158
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.4 Select the most appropriate word(s) to fill in the blank:

My family is my priority but there were times when I had to _____ because of work pressures.

- Ans
- 1. sit in
 - 2. look into
 - 3. pull away
 - 4. put off

Question ID : 8161613165
Status : Answered
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.

One day Willy stumbled upon a novel in a (1)_____ bookshop-a Perry Mason book written by Erle Stanley Gardner. He (2)_____ the book simply because the title of the book cover looked (3)_____. Although it was an unabridged book Willy was able (4)_____ it with sufficient comprehension. This was partly because the novel contained (5)_____ written in simple, conversational language.

SubQuestion No : 5

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

- Ans
- 1. localize
 - 2. locals
 - 3. local
 - 4. location

Question ID : 8161613146
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.

One day Willy stumbled upon a novel in a (1)_____ bookshop-a Perry Mason book written by Erle Stanley Gardner. He (2)_____ the book simply because the title of the book cover looked (3)_____. Although it was an unabridged book Willy was able (4)_____ it with sufficient comprehension. This was partly because the novel contained (5)_____ written in simple, conversational language.

SubQuestion No : 6

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

- Ans
- 1. picked in
 - 2. picked up
 - 3. picked at
 - 4. picked on

Question ID : 8161613147
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

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.

One day Willy stumbled upon a novel in a (1)_____ bookshop-a Perry Mason book written by Erle Stanley Gardner. He (2)_____ the book simply because the title of the book cover looked (3)_____. Although it was an unabridged book Willy was able (4)_____ it with sufficient comprehension. This was partly because the novel contained (5)_____ written in simple, conversational language.

SubQuestion No : 7

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

- Ans
- 1. attract
 - 2. attracted
 - 3. attraction
 - 4. attractive

Question ID : 8161613148

Status : Answered

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.

One day Willy stumbled upon a novel in a (1)_____ bookshop-a Perry Mason book written by Erle Stanley Gardner. He (2)_____ the book simply because the title of the book cover looked (3)_____. Although it was an unabridged book Willy was able (4)_____ it with sufficient comprehension. This was partly because the novel contained (5)_____ written in simple, conversational language.

SubQuestion No : 8

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

- Ans
- 1. to reading
 - 2. read
 - 3. reading
 - 4. to read

Question ID : 8161613149

Status : Answered

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.

One day Willy stumbled upon a novel in a (1)_____ bookshop-a Perry Mason book written by Erle Stanley Gardner. He (2)_____ the book simply because the title of the book cover looked (3)_____. Although it was an unabridged book Willy was able (4)_____ it with sufficient comprehension. This was partly because the novel contained (5)_____ written in simple, conversational language.

SubQuestion No : 9

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

- Ans
- 1. monologues
 - 2. epilogue
 - 3. dialogues
 - 4. prologue

Question ID : 8161613150

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

Q.10 In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

According to a recent study, drinking green tea thrice a week is associated with a longest and healthy life.

- Ans
- 1. is associated with
 - 2. According to a recent study
 - 3. a longest and healthy life
 - 4. drinking green tea thrice a week

Question ID : 8161613143
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.11 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom:

Keep your shirt on

- Ans
- 1. To keep busy
 - 2. To work hard
 - 3. To remain cool
 - 4. To celebrate

Question ID : 8161613157
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.12 In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

People with full time sedentary jobs who commuting long distances, may have sleep problems due to lack of exercise.

- Ans
- 1. may have sleep problems
 - 2. due to lack of exercise
 - 3. People with full time sedentary jobs
 - 4. who commuting long distances

Question ID : 8161613144
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.13 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word:

BUOYANT

- Ans
- 1. Cheerful
 - 2. Gloomy
 - 3. Bouncy
 - 4. Neutral

Question ID : 8161613155
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.14 Select the wrongly spelt word.

- Ans
- 1. Courteous
 - 2. Circueteous
 - 3. Delicious
 - 4. Momentous

Question ID : 8161613159
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.15 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Pick the option that gives their correct order.

- A. Since then, Pathak has performed in several plays and films.
- B. While studying there, he saw 'Equus,' a play that changed his life forever.
- C. Vinay Pathak was pursuing MBA in New York.
- D. He decided to change tracks and study drama.

- Ans
- 1. CBDA
 - 2. BACD
 - 3. CADB
 - 4. DCAB

Question ID : 8161613151
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.16 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Pick the option that gives their correct order.

- A. It is played by turning around while reciting a rhyme.
- B. The circling motion is like that of a Sufi dervish.
- C. Fahim Irshad has made a film called 'Aani Maani'.
- D. The movie title is based on a game popular among little children in Uttar Pradesh.

- Ans
- 1. ACDB
 - 2. CDAB
 - 3. CBAD
 - 4. BDCA

Question ID : 8161613152
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.17 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word:

CAUSTIC

- Ans
- 1. Sarcastic
 - 2. Scary
 - 3. Bitter
 - 4. Kind

Question ID : 8161613156
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.18 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given:

To make perfect or complete

- Ans
- 1. Attainment
 - 2. Complement
 - 3. Impediment
 - 4. Department

Question ID : 8161613162
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.19 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

Shivangini, the 12 year old archer who _____ an injury has been successfully operated by a team of doctors at A.I.I.M.S.

- Ans
- 1. maintained
 - 2. sustained
 - 3. ordained
 - 4. pertained

Question ID : 8161613166
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.20 Select the correct Indirect form of the given sentence.

"It is a fact that kids model parental behaviour," said the researcher.

- Ans
- 1. The researcher said that it is a fact that kids model parental behaviour.
 - 2. The researcher says that it is a fact that kids model parental behaviour.
 - 3. The researcher has said that it is a fact that kids have modeled parental behaviour.
 - 4. The researcher has been saying that kids model parental behaviour.

Question ID : 8161613142
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.21 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word:

Indomitable

- Ans
- 1. Justifiable
 - 2. Accessible
 - 3. Changeable
 - 4. Invincible

Question ID : 8161613164
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.22 Select the wrongly spelt word.

- Ans
- 1. Different
 - 2. Transparent
 - 3. Irreverent
 - 4. Deterent

Question ID : 8161613160
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.23 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.

I like the place which I live but it would be wonderful to live in the mountains.

- Ans
- 1. No Improvement
 - 2. who
 - 3. where
 - 4. when

Question ID : 8161613153
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.24 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

Dr. Verma advised patients to try out a new medicine for migraine.

- Ans
- 1. Patients have been advised to try out a new medicine for migraine by Dr. Verma.
 - 2. The old patients had been advised to try out a new medicine for migraine by Dr. Verma.
 - 3. Patients were advised to try out a new medicine for migraine by Dr. Verma.
 - 4. The patients were being advised to try out a new medicine for migraine by Dr. Verma.

Question ID : 8161613141
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.25 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.

The film by itself was good but the bit long than I had expected.

- Ans
- 1. the bit longer
 - 2. No Improvement
 - 3. a bit longer
 - 4. a bit long

Question ID : 8161613154
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3