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Section : **English Language**

**Q.1** Select the most appropriate one-word substitution for the given words.

a person who formally requests something, especially a job

- Ans
- 1. nominee
  - 2. trainee
  - 3. applicant
  - 4. contestant

Question ID : **6549788061**  
Status : **Answered**  
Chosen Option : **3**

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

Dearth

- Ans
- 1. Weakness
  - 2. Leakage
  - 3. Shortage
  - 4. Death

Question ID : **6549787356**  
Status : **Answered**  
Chosen Option : **3**

**Q.3** Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

COMPLY

- Ans
- 1. deny
  - 2. adore
  - 3. decline
  - 4. obey

Question ID : **6549788062**  
Status : **Answered**  
Chosen Option : **4**

Q.4 Fill in the blank with most appropriate word.

This train is \_\_\_\_\_ for Bihar.

- Ans
- 1. running
  - 2. intending
  - 3. going
  - 4. bound

Question ID : 6549788064  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.5 Given below are four sentences in jumbled order. Select the option that gives their correct order.

- A. On coming out, his skin would be shining like ebony and he would squeal with pleasure.
- B. First, he would lie down on the sand bank while I rubbed him clean with the sand of the river.
- C. Every day, I used to take the baby elephant to the river for his bath.
- D. After that, he would lie in the water for a long time.

- Ans
- 1. DABC
  - 2. CBDA
  - 3. BADC
  - 4. ADCB

Question ID : 6549788050  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.6 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

WISDOM

- Ans
- 1. stupidity
  - 2. maturity
  - 3. stability
  - 4. youth

Question ID : 6549788054  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.7 Select the misspelt word.

- Ans
- 1. appropriate
  - 2. accomodate
  - 3. accelerate
  - 4. annihilate

Question ID : 6549788059  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.8 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. On the other, there is the principle of leadership.
- B. Democracy rests on a tension between two different principles.
- C. While the first gives priority to rules, the second gives importance to persons.
- D. On the one hand, there is the principle of equality before the law, or more generally, equality.

- Ans
- 1. DACB
  - 2. CDAB
  - 3. ADBC
  - 4. BDAC

Question ID : 6549787344  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.9 Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

His jokes fell flat on the audience.

- Ans
- 1. irritated
  - 2. failed to have an effect
  - 3. provoked laughter
  - 4. deeply touched

Question ID : 6549788056  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.10 Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.

She said to her friend, "Will you take my dog for a walk?"

- Ans
- 1. She asked her friend that if she will take her dog for a walk.
  - 2. She asked her friend will she take her dog for a walk.
  - 3. She asked to her friend if she would take my dog for a walk.
  - 4. She asked her friend if she would take her dog for a walk.

Question ID : 6549788041  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.11 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- Ans
- 1. Torches
  - 2. Sacrifice
  - 3. Feature
  - 4. Highlite

Question ID : 6549787351  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.12 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

To go red in the face

- Ans  1. To feel embarrassed  
 2. To feel extremely irritated  
 3. To feel very happy and proud  
 4. To shout at someone for doing something wrong

Question ID : 6549787350  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.13 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Weird

- Ans  1. Wide  
 2. Normal  
 3. Abnormal  
 4. Apparent

Question ID : 6549787348  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

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 substitution required'.

I practised for the debate; that's why I am late.

- Ans  1. am practising for  
 2. have practised for  
 3. No substitution required  
 4. was practising for

Question ID : 6549787345  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.15 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

If the test booklet seal is broken or \_\_\_\_\_ with, bring it immediately to the notice of the invigilator.

- Ans  1. adjusted  
 2. tampered  
 3. opened  
 4. closed

Question ID : 6549787358  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Q.16** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

We were quite impressed with the enthusiasm that she work for.

- Ans
- 1. that she is working on
  - 2. which she works for
  - 3. No substitution
  - 4. that she worked with

Question ID : 6549788053  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Q.17** Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

Continuing for a long time

- Ans
- 1. Project (v)
  - 2. Profound
  - 3. Prolonged
  - 4. Infinite

Question ID : 6549787353  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

**Q.18** Select the option that expresses the given sentence in the active or passive voice.

Designer clothes were sold to the masses by Pierre Cardin.

- Ans
- 1. Pierre Cardin had sold designer clothes to the masses.
  - 2. Designer clothes have been sold by Pierre Cardin to the masses.
  - 3. The masses were sold by Pierre Cardin to the designer clothes.
  - 4. Pierre Cardin sold designer clothes to the masses.

Question ID : 6549787333  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Q.19** The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

All our / furnitures were / spoiled in the recent / rains and floods.

- Ans
- 1. All our
  - 2. furnitures were
  - 3. rains and floods
  - 4. spoiled in the recent

Question ID : 6549787336  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Q.20** In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

As soon as the bus driver was seeing the child crossing the road, he applied the brakes.

- Ans
- 1. crossing the road
  - 2. he applied the brakes
  - 3. As soon as the bus driver
  - 4. was seeing the child

Question ID : 6549788042  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

'SkillSet' was founded in 2014 to collect and co-ordinate (1) \_\_\_\_\_ about educational access and quality for students with special needs and disabilities. The organisation (2) \_\_\_\_\_ thousands of enquiries every year and offers (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to students on how to apply to colleges and universities across the country and how to find out about special (4) \_\_\_\_\_ and scholarships. We ensure easy access to higher education for all students, (5) \_\_\_\_\_ those with disabilities. Your donations and suggestions will help us to improve our service to customers and you will also be helping us to continue our valuable work.

**SubQuestion No : 21**

**Q.21** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

- Ans
- 1. funding
  - 2. officials
  - 3. admissions
  - 4. information

Question ID : 6549787338  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

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**SubQuestion No : 22**

**Q.22** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

- Ans
- 1. transmits
  - 2. receives
  - 3. passes
  - 4. sends

Question ID : 6549787339  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

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**SubQuestion No : 23**

**Q.23** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

- Ans
- 1. conditions
  - 2. instructions
  - 3. comments
  - 4. advice

Question ID : 6549787340

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

'SkillSet' was founded in 2014 to collect and co-ordinate (1) \_\_\_\_\_ about educational access and quality for students with special needs and disabilities. The organisation (2) \_\_\_\_\_ thousands of enquiries every year and offers (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to students on how to apply to colleges and universities across the country and how to find out about special (4) \_\_\_\_\_ and scholarships. We ensure easy access to higher education for all students, (5) \_\_\_\_\_ those with disabilities. Your donations and suggestions will help us to improve our service to customers and you will also be helping us to continue our valuable work.

**SubQuestion No : 24**

**Q.24** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

- Ans
- 1. facilities
  - 2. effects
  - 3. systems
  - 4. purposes

Question ID : 6549787341

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

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**SubQuestion No : 25**

**Q.25** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

- Ans
- 1. additionally
  - 2. especially
  - 3. except
  - 4. excluding

Question ID : 6549787342

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2