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Section : English Language

Q.1 Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

He is very impulsive and does things without rhyme or reason.

- Ans
- 1. without proper planning
 - 2. without a reasonable explanation
 - 3. without any resources
 - 4. without anyone's help

Question ID : 6549788360
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.2 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

Notwithstanding we were / all busy that weekend / we had to / cancel the outing.

- Ans
- 1. cancel the outing
 - 2. all busy that weekend
 - 3. Notwithstanding we were
 - 4. we had to

Question ID : 6549789153
Status : Not Answered
Chosen Option : --

Q.3 Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.

"I love Bollywood music," Deepu said to Reena.

- Ans
- 1. Deepu says to Reena that he loves Bollywood music.
 - 2. Deepu told Reena that he loved Bollywood music.
 - 3. Deepu will say to Reena that he loved Bollywood music.
 - 4. Deepu had told Reena that he loved Bollywood music.

Question ID : 6549789152
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.4 Examine the four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options, pick the one that gives their correct order.

- A. Next, keep tapping the pot on all sides and at the bottom until the plant loosens.
- B. Finally, slide the plant gently and remove the old potting mix on a newspaper.
- C. The first thing to do when repotting is to remove the plant from the current pot.
- D. Begin by holding the plant gently, and turning the pot sideways.

- Ans
- 1. BDAC
 - 2. ACDB
 - 3. CDAB
 - 4. DBCA

Question ID : 6549789161
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.5 Fill in the blank with most appropriate word.

This part of the sea _____ with sharks.

- Ans
- 1. teems
 - 2. expands
 - 3. suffices
 - 4. crowds

Question ID : 6549788368
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.6 Given below are four sentences in jumbled order. Select the option that gives their correct order.

- A. Then he started on his eighteen kilometer expedition back to his village.
- B. Mohan first equipped himself with a long, sturdy stick.
- C. At several points, he lost the road and had to swim his way ahead.
- D. It was a journey he would never forget where he had to use his stick constantly to locate the road.

- Ans
- 1. ACBD
 - 2. DCAB
 - 3. BADC
 - 4. CDBA

Question ID : 6549788354
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.7 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

Killing of one's mother

- Ans
- 1. matricide
 - 2. patricide
 - 3. infanticide
 - 4. regicide

Question ID : 6549789172
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.8 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

LAVISH

- Ans 1. frugal
 2. tiny
 3. luxurious
 4. excessive

Question ID : 6549789165
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.9 Select the most appropriate one-word substitution for the given words.

a period of two weeks

- Ans 1. century
 2. month
 3. decade
 4. fortnight

Question ID : 6549788363
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.10 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

To add insult to injury

- Ans 1. to wound physically
 2. to make something worse
 3. to make fun of someone
 4. to work hard on making up

Question ID : 6549789167
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.11 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

CALLOUS

- Ans 1. insensitive
 2. inaccurate
 3. inexperienced
 4. incredible

Question ID : 6549788366
Status : Not Answered
Chosen Option : --

Q.12 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- Ans 1. titilate
 2. initiate
 3. aggravate
 4. mediate

Question ID : 6549789170
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.13 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

It is _____ to see so many of our fellow Indians help the migrants in their struggle to go home.

- Ans 1. savouring
 2. reuniting
 3. relishing
 4. heartening

Question ID : 6549789175
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 3

Q.14 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

He drove the car very carefully on the hilly terrain.

- Ans 1. The car is driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
 2. The car has been driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
 3. The car is being driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
 4. The car was driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.

Question ID : 6549788343
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.15 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'.

Small desert animals burrow underground across the days and come out only at night.

- Ans 1. No substitution
 2. during the day
 3. within the days
 4. between days

Question ID : 6549788355
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.16 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

AFFINITY

- Ans
- 1. inclination
 - 2. weakness
 - 3. attraction
 - 4. aversion

Question ID : 6549788358
Status : Not Answered
Chosen Option : --

Q.17 Select the misspelt word.

- Ans
- 1. serious
 - 2. applause
 - 3. modern
 - 4. arrivel

Question ID : 6549788361
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.18 Select the option that will improve the underlined segment in the given sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select 'No improvement'

I must have dropped one of my gloves in the car.

- Ans
- 1. an
 - 2. No improvement
 - 3. any
 - 4. the

Question ID : 6549789164
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.19 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

LIVID

- Ans
- 1. furious
 - 2. lively
 - 3. mild
 - 4. timid

Question ID : 6549789173
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

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

If you rent a house near your office, it will save you time as well as also money.

- Ans
- 1. near your office
 - 2. If you rent a house
 - 3. it will save you time
 - 4. as well as also money

Question ID : 6549788346
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 number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1)_____ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2)_____ night into day and day into night. They (3)_____ that everyone should be awake at night, (4)_____ their lands and run their (5)_____ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 21

Q.21 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 1.

- Ans
- 1. same
 - 2. like
 - 3. so as
 - 4. than

Question ID : 6549788348
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 number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1)_____ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2)_____ night into day and day into night. They (3)_____ that everyone should be awake at night, (4)_____ their lands and run their (5)_____ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 22

Q.22 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 2.

- Ans
- 1. agree
 - 2. develop
 - 3. change
 - 4. adjust

Question ID : 6549788349
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 number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1)_____ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2)_____ night into day and day into night. They (3)_____ that everyone should be awake at night, (4)_____ their lands and run their (5)_____ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 23

Q.23 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 3.

- Ans 1. ordered
 2. believed
 3. ruled
 4. presented

Question ID : 6549788350
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 number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1)_____ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2)_____ night into day and day into night. They (3)_____ that everyone should be awake at night, (4)_____ their lands and run their (5)_____ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 24

Q.24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 4.

- Ans 1. till
 2. sow
 3. cut
 4. dig

Question ID : 6549788351
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 number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1)_____ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2)_____ night into day and day into night. They (3)_____ that everyone should be awake at night, (4)_____ their lands and run their (5)_____ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 25

Q.25 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 5.

- Ans 1. livelihood
 2. career
 3. business
 4. employment

Question ID : 6549788352
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1