

MISCELLANEOUS TEST
ENGLISH

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ANSWERS WITH EXPLANATION

01 In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

People are wanting (A)/ to see the home team (B)/ win the game. (C)/ No Error (D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Correct Answer: A

02 In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

He was elected (A)/ as chairman (B)/ of the college. (C)/ No Error (D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Correct Answer: B

03 In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

Candidates present in the examination hall (A)/ should make use (B)/ with such opportunities. (C)/ No Error (D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Correct Answer: C

04 In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

He said that it was the first time (A)/ that such a trick (B)/ is discovered.(C)/ No Error (D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Correct Answer: C

05 In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

I saw his (A)/ unbelievably really quite (B)/ delightful cottage. (C)/ No Error (D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Correct Answer: B

06- Select the synonym of

to reiterate

- 1) to hark
- 2) to drawl
- 3) to halt
- 4) to recur

Answer: to recur

07- Select the synonym of

hypnotist

- 1) rookie
- 2) novice
- 3) conjurer
- 4) amateur

Answer: conjurer

08- Select the antonym of

to expunge

- 1) to gut
- 2) to omit
- 3) to zap
- 4) to insert

Answer: to insert

09- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

An achievement or something desired fail to be attained by someone

- 1) to elude
- 2) to eschew
- 3) to shirk
- 4) to devoid

Answer: to elude

10- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

The flood destroyed the whole town.

- 1) The whole town was destroyed by the flood.
- 2) The whole town had been destroyed by the flood.
- 3) The whole town has been destroyed by the flood.
- 4) The whole town has had been destroyed by the flood.

Answer: The whole town was destroyed by the flood.

11- Select the word with the correct spelling.

- 1) dementia
- 2) quaterain
- 3) necrosys
- 4) frenetec

Answer: dementia

12- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

In Tamil nadu,

P-cows and bulls are worshipped and celebrated

Q-on Maattu Pongal,

R-and the finale is Jallikattu

- 1) QRP
- 2) QPR
- 3) PRQ
- 4) RPQ

Answer: QPR

13- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

The seawater eventually corroded the pillars of the bridge.

- 1) Eventually the pillars of the bridge are being corroded by the seawater.
- 2) Eventually the pillars of the bridge have been corroded by the seawater.
- 3) The pillars of the bridge were eventually corroded by the seawater.

4) The pillars of the bridge have been eventually corroded by the seawater.

Answer: The pillars of the bridge were eventually corroded by the seawater.

14- In the following question, sentence given with blank is to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

On the trip, we needed a guide to the foreign language for us.

- 1) describe
- 2) illustrate
- 3) mimic
- 4) interpret

Answer: interpret

15- Select the antonym of

to remand

- 1) to filibuster
- 2) to tarry
- 3) to expedite
- 4) to adjourn

Answer: to expedite

In the following questions each sentence has an underlined part that can be improved by replacing the part with one among the four options given below. Choose the correct option and if you think no improvements can be made, then select (d) as your answer.

16. If I wasn't in the middle of a party, I (will be) happy to visit you.

- a) Would be
- b) Would have been
- c) Should have been
- d) No correction required

Answer: b)

Explanation: The grammatically correct sentence would be "If I wasn't in the middle of a party, I would have been happy to visit you".

17. Manish is (fast) as or perhaps faster than Suresh.

- a) Almost as fast
- b) As fast

- c) Equally fast
- d) No correction required

Answer: b)

Explanation: The grammatically correct sentence would be “Manish is as fast or perhaps faster than Suresh”.

18. The great scientist said that the earth (revolved) around the sun.

- a) Has been revolving
- b) Is revolving
- c) Revolves
- d) No correction required

Answer: c)

Explanation: The grammatically correct sentence would be “The great scientist said that the earth revolves around the sun”.

19. She has been growing weaker and her life now (hangs like a thread).

- a) Hangs by a thread
- b) Hangs with threads
- c) Hung on a thread
- d) No correction required

Answer: a)

Explanation: The grammatically correct sentence would be “She has been growing weaker and her life now hangs by a thread”.

20. There is a dearth of (woman constable) in our state. We shall have to recruit some from the other states.

- a) Women Constable
- b) Woman Constables
- c) Women Constables
- d) No correction required

Answer: c)

Explanation: The grammatically correct sentence would be “There is a dearth of women constables in our state”.

In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

All this does not bode _____ for even the loosest definitions of cosmopolitanism. A city by definition is a space, as _____ historians and sociologists have already told us, which ideally privileges and _____ the _____

unexpected encounter, and calls on its citizens to be able to respond humanely even to those _____ are not linked to us in familial, ethnic, nationalist or caste _____.

21- All this does not bode _____ for even the loosest definitions of cosmopolitanism.

- 1) well
- 2) nice
- 3) good
- 4) fine

Answer: well

22- A city by definition is a space, as _____ historians and sociologists have already told us

- 1) infinite
- 2) innumerable
- 3) incalculable
- 4) multiple

Answer: innumerable

23- which ideally privileges and _____ the unexpected encounter,

- 1) nurtured
- 2) nurturing
- 3) nurtures
- 4) nurture

Answer: nurtures

24- respond humanely even to those _____ are not linked to us in familial

- 1) who
- 2) whom
- 3) whose
- 4) whoever

Answer: who

25- ethnic, nationalist or caste _____.

- 1) partnerships
- 2) alliances

3) clans

4) affiliations

Answer: affiliations