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GIC Officer (Generalist) English Sample Paper



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(1) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

- [A] She has never
- [B] approve of him
- [C] working as a clerk.
- [D] No error.

Answer : [B]

Explanation: approved of his

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(2) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

- [A] What does Professor Dhavan
- [B] spend so many hours
- [C] in the laboratory?
- [D] No error.

Answer : [A]

Explanation: why does Professor Dhavan

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(3) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

- [A] No country can long endure
- [B] if its foundations
- [C] were not laid deep
- [D] in the material prosperity.
- [E] No error.

Answer : [C]

Explanation: are not laid deep

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(4) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

- [A] His father told me
- [B] that though his son had
- [C] worked very hard,
- [D] but he had failed to make any mark in the examination.
- [E] No error.

Answer : [D]

Explanation: but he failed to make any mark in the examination

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(5) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

- [A] The health workers are
- [B] being tried their best
- [C] to popularise
- [D] preventive measures.

[E] No error.

Answer : [B]

Explanation: trying their best

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(6) In each of the following questions, find out which part of the sentence has an error.

[A] The recent study has

[B] indicated that there is

[C] perceptible change in

[D] the attitudes of the people.

[E] No error.

Answer : [C]

Explanation: a perceptible change in

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(7) He sent a word to me that he would be coming late.

[A] sent word

[B] had sent a word

[C] sent words

[D] No improvement

Answer : [A]

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(8) Realising is the significance of technical education for developing country, the government laid aside a large sum on it during the last plan-period.

[A] laid up

[B] set aside

[C] laid out

[D] No improvement

Answer : [B]

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(9) In India today many of our intellectuals still talk in terms of the French Revolution and the Rights of Man, not appreciating that much has happened since then.

[A] much has been happening

[B] much had happened

[C] much might happen

[D] No improvement

Answer : [D]

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(10) He was fined for careless driving.

[A] got fined

[B] fined

[C] was to be fined

[D] No improvement

Answer : [D]

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(11) I shall not go untill I am invited.

[A] till I am invited

[B] Unless I am invited

[C] if not I am invited

[D] No improvement

Answer : [B]

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(12) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

SHALLOW

[A] Artificial

[B] Superficial

[C] Foolish

[D] Worthless

Answer : [B]

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(13) Pick up the correct Synonyms for the given word.

CANTANKEROUS

[A] Quarrelsome

[B] Rash

[C] Disrespectful

[D] Noisy

Answer : [A]

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(14) Pick up the correct Synonyms of the Underlined word.

The prisoner has been languishing in the jail for the last many years.

[A] convicted

[B] suffering

[C] attempting

[D] avoiding

Answer : [B]

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(15) Pick up the correct Synonyms of the Underlined word.

Traffic being what it is, it is lamentable that our roads are unable to take the load.

[A] unpardonable

- [B] deplorable
- [C] inexcusable
- [D] terrible

Answer : [B]

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(16) Pick up the correct Synonyms of the Underlined word.

The base of an Indian Politicians is the group of sycophants around them who earn bad name for their leaders.

- [A] submissive
- [B] foppish
- [C] flatterers
- [D] jarnor

Answer : [C]

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(17) A light sailing boat built specially for racing

- [A] Canoe
- [B] Yacht
- [C] Frigate
- [D] Dinghy

Answer : [B]

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(18) One who can speak two languages

- [A] Bilingual
- [B] Epitome
- [C] Epistle
- [D] Epitaph

Answer : [A]

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(19) A study of ancient things

- [A] Stickler
- [B] Archaeology
- [C] Disciplinary
- [D] Boaster

Answer : [B]

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(20) Of a person extremely desirous of money

- [A] Avaricious
- [B] Bibliophile
- [C] Bigot

[D] Bigamy

Answer : [A]

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