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## (1) Then

- P: it struck me
- Q: of course
- R : suitable it was
- S: how eminently

#### The Proper sequence should be:

[A]	SPQR
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[B] QSRP

- [C] PSRQ
- [D] QPSR
- Answer : [C]

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#### (2) The national unity of a free people

- P: to make it impracticable
- Q : for there to be an arbitrary administration
- R: depends upon a sufficiently even balance of political power
- ${\bf S}$  : against a revolutionary opposition that is irreconcilably opposed to it

## The Proper sequence should be:

- [A] QRPS
- [B] QRSP
- [C] RPQS
- [D] RSPQ

## Answer : [D]

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#### (3) It is not, therefore

- P: that I pay a tribute
- Q: to conductors as a class
- R: with any feeling of unfriendliness
- S: to a particular member of that class
- The Proper sequence should be:
- [A] PQRS
- [B] RQPS
- [C] RSPQ
- [D] PSRQ
- Answer : [C]

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- P: that he had been let down
- Q: stood by all these years
- ${\sf R}: \ \text{did} \ he \ realise$
- S: by a colleague whom he had

## The Proper sequence should be:

## [A] RPSQ

- [B] RSQP
- [C] QSRP
- [D] QSPR

## Answer : [A]

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#### (5) P: We must read

- P: if we want to absorb the fruits of great literature
- ${\bf Q}$  : but with concentration
- $\mathsf{R}$  : them not as we do cricket stories
- S : undefined

The Proper sequence should be:

[A] QPSR

- [B] PSQR
- [C] PRSQ
- [D] PRQS
- Answer : [A]

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

- [A] Your machine would not have
- [B] given you so much trouble
- [C] if you had
- [D] maintained it proper.
- [E] No error.

#### Answer : [D]

Explanation: maintained it properly

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

- [A] He was very disappointed
- [B] when he found
- [C] that someone else
- [D] had secured higher marks.
- [E] No error.
- Answer : [E]

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

- [A] The photograph will give
- [B] the reader a far better
- [C] notion of the structure
- [D] than any verbal description.
- [E] No error.
- Answer : [C]
- Explanation: impression of the structure

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

- [A] What is needed today is
- [B] a new breed of managers
- [C] with a new set of concepts
- [D] and a flexible way about thinking.
- [E] No error.
- Answer: [D]
- Explanation: and a flexible way of thinking

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

- [A] Since it was a memory test
- [B] the students were instructed
- [C] to learn the
- [D] passage with heart.
- [E] No error.

#### Answer : [D]

Explanation: passage by heart

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## (11) this brand of TV is quite inferior ..... that one.

- [A] than
- [B] to
- [C] with
- [D] over
- Answer : [B]

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## (12) The more your action and thought are allied and ..... the happier you grow.

- [A] diverget
- [B] unravelled
- [C] integrated
- [D] invincible
- Answer : [C]

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## (13) The thief ..... all the money.

- [A] made up
- [B] made off with
- [C] mode do with
- [D] made good

#### Answer: [B]

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### (14) The communalist represents the ..... of everything noble that we have inherited from our culture and history.

- [A] antithesis
- [B] antidote
- [C] immorality
- [D] antagonism

Answer : [A]

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## (15) I have read one novel by Premchand. I want to read ..... novel by him.

[A] other

- [B] another
- [C] all
- [D] few

## Answer : [B]

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#### (16) Pick out the most effective answer from the given sentences to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully.

#### "The food in this hotel is no match to what were forced at late hours in Hotel Kohinoor " means .....

- [A] The food in this hotel is quite good compared to what we ate at kohinoor
- [B] Hotel kohinoor served us good quality food than what we get here
- [C] Both hotels have maintained good quality of food
- [D] Both hotels serve poor quality of food

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[E] it is better to eat food than remain hungry

### Answer: [B]

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#### (17) Pick out the most effective answer from the given sentences to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully.

The weather outside was extremely pleasant and hence we decided to .....

[A] utilise our time in watching the television

[B] refrain from going out for a morning walk

[C] enjoy a morning ride in the open

[D] employ this rare opportunity for writing letters

[E] remain seated in our rooms in the bungalow

Answer : [C]

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#### (18) Pick out the most effective answer from the given sentences to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully.

## It is not easy to remain tranquil when those around you .....

[A] behave in a socially acceptable manner

- [B] exhibit pleasant mannerism
- [C] are losing their heads
- [D] agree to whatever you say
- [E] exhibit generous and magnanimous gestures

#### Answer : [C]

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### (19) Pick out the most effective answer from the given sentences to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully.

"Anand stuck up a friendship with Mahesh in just 2 days" means .....

[A] Anand friendship with Mahesh came to an end recently

[B] Anand found out the other friends of Mahesh

[C] Anand fixed a deal with Mahesh in 2 days

[D] Anand's friendship with Mahesh lasted for 2 years

[E] Anand became a friend of Mahesh in less than 2 days

## Answer : [E]

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#### (20) Pick out the most effective answer from the given sentences to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully.

#### Mahesh need not have purchased the bag, means .....

[A] it was not necessary for Mahesh to purchase the bag but he has purchased it

- [B] it was necessary for Mahesh to purchase the bag and he has not purchased it
- [C] it was not necessary for Mahesh to purchase the bag and he has not purchased it

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[D] it was necessary for Mahesh to purchase the bag but he has not purchased it

[E] Mahesh already has a bag but still he purchased another one

## Answer : [A]

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