

Q.NO – 16: Edit the following passage correcting the underlined parts.

- Trees are of important (a) not only to man but also to birds and animals. Their branch (b) give shelter to millions of birds, and forests supporting (c) the lives of wild animals of many kinds. We value trees not only for their useful (d) but also for their beauty.
a) b) c) d)
- Dr. Ernst Stuhlinger, a (a) American space – scientist believed that from every point of view Mars is interesting (b) than the moon. A manned Mars probe might uncovered (c) the trace of human beings their (d) that died when the gravity could no longer retain oxygen.
a) b) c) d)
- Disaster might strike in the form of natural calamities, terrorist attacks and accidents. Thus an efficient disaster managing (a) system is needed. Disaster management crew must be equipped with the best appliances who (b) might help them to communicate the condition they are in. In times of natural calamity the usual mode of communicate (c) like phone, mobile etc., might not work. Underground communication lines get disability (d) due to flooding, cell towers are broken due to high utilisation.
a) b) c) d)
- In today's fast move (a) modern world fashions are changing very fast. Looking at them one can safely say that fashions reveal lack of consider (b) in human thinking. The young people like to wear some funny clothes. More of then (c) wear cloth-band round their foreheads and rings in their ear lobes. Equal, (d) young girls like to wear very tight dresses. The clothes worn by those in the film industry have a purpose.
a) b) c) d)

Q.No – 17: Combine the sentences using the words given in brackets.

- Nick read a newspaper article about a disable man. The disable had managed to achieve great things and helped others.
Ans: _____
- This is a good film. I saw it yesterday.
Ans: _____
- The three themes are related. They are like African stool.
Ans: _____
- The silk sarees are popular all over the world. They are made in Banares.
Ans: _____
- This is the peaceful place. It is away from noisy city life.
Ans: _____

Q.No – 18: (I) Combine the following sentences using 'Perfect Participles'.

- She filled the washing machine. She switched it on.
Ans: _____
- She had been to the movie the night before. She overslept in the morning.
Ans: _____
- We had worked in the garden all day. We were sunburned in the evening.
Ans: _____
- She had not slept for two days. Therefore she was not able to concentrate.
Ans: _____
- I had not seen him for ages. I did not recognize him.
Ans: _____

(II) Combine the following sentences using 'Present Participles'.

- The thug saw the police. He ran for his life.
Ans: _____
- The king disguised himself as a farmer. He found the truth.
Ans: _____
- The potter jumped on the horse. He rode to the enemy camp.
Ans: _____
- He heard the door bell. He rushed towards it.
Ans: _____
- Sahil drove as quickly as possible. He reached office on time.
Ans: _____

Q.No – 19: Change the following sentences into passive voice.

1. We destroyed our local flora and fauna.

Ans: _____

2. Let us plant trees.

Ans: _____

3. We have never seen deaths like that before.

Ans: _____

4. They did not tell you that these chemicals are discharged into the environment.

Ans: _____

5. When you deforest, you cause a shortage of water.

Ans: _____

Q.No – 20: Change the following exchanges into reported speech.

1. Anil said, "I haven't seen you since June".

Satya said, "I've just come back from my holiday in Ooty".

Ans: _____

2. Anil said, "Did you enjoy it?".

"I love Ooty and the people were so friendly," She said.

Ans: _____

3. Father said, "Why are you looking so dull?"

Raju said, "My H.M. punished me today".

Ans: _____

4. Father said, "I'm sure you must be causing a lot of nuisance in school".

Raju said, "No, Dad. My H.M. punished all my friends in the same way."

Ans: _____

5. Subha said, "Please explain me about the earth, teacher."

The teacher said, "The earth goes round the sun."

Ans: _____

Q.No 21: Combine the sentences using adverb 'such – that'.

1. He did not have enough money. He did not have a house of his own.

Ans: _____

2. Prasad doesn't like football. Krishna doesn't like it too.

Ans: _____

3. My grandfather cannot speak. He cannot walk.

Ans: _____

4. I do not like sweets. I do not like pizzas.

Ans: _____

5. Rajesh doesn't have a bike. He doesn't have a car.

Ans: _____

Q.No 22: Combine the sentences using adverb 'since'.

1. The house is theirs. They don't pay rent.

Ans: _____

2. The science teacher invited Kalam to dinner. He went to the teacher's house.

Ans: _____

3. Henry can't wear Abel's slippers. They are very small for him.

Ans: _____

4. Raju wanted to stay at home for some more days. he wanted to apply for leave.

Ans: _____

5. They knew that their father was coming home to bless them. All the members were at home.

Ans: _____

Q.No 23: Combine the sentences using adverb 'as'.

1. Father had never worn shoes. His feet developed cracks.

Ans: _____

2. The roads were not good. He preferred less luggage.

Ans: _____

3. Sarvani wanted to watch a movie. She booked a ticket online.

Ans: _____

4. I woke up late. I missed my school bus.

Ans: _____

5. Ravi came out. His friend called him.

Ans: _____

Q.No 24: Combine the sentences using adverb 'so - that'.

1. The water is too cold for me to drink.

Ans: _____

2. The professor was too busy to meet us.

Ans: _____

3. She is too proud to beg.

Ans: _____

4. The professor spoke too fast for me to understand.

Ans: _____

5. The girl was too shy to perform in front of a large audience.

Ans: _____

Q.No – 25 : Combine the sentences using ‘ if.....clause’.

1. Raju did not have money. He could not buy toys.

Ans: _____

2. I am not a king. So, I cannot live in a palace.

Ans: _____

3. Put blue litmus paper in any acid. It turns red.

Ans: _____

4. Push the door. You may hear some sound.

Ans: _____

5. The mobile did not ring. I did not hear the ring.

Ans: _____

Q.No – 26 (A) : Fill in the blanks with suitable compound phrasal prepositions given in the brackets.

1. _____ (in case to / in the case of / in case of) theft, call police.

2. A tall tree stands _____ (in front of / according to / by means of) our house.

3. Sita sat _____ (about from / in front of / by means of) me.

4. I went to village _____ (according to / for the sake of / along with) my health.

5. The match was postponed _____ (along with / by means of / due to) heavy rain.

(B) : Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions given in the brackets.

1. My trunk had been carried _____ a porter. (to / for / by)

2. I had to meet Mr. Anand _____ the way to the office. (in / at / on)

3. The authorities are looking _____ the complaint. (into / from / through)

4. All of us can get diseases ; no one is safe _____ infection. (from / with / of)

5. All last winter Somesh suffered _____ coughs and colds. (from / of / by)

Q.No –27: Fill in the blanks with suitable forms of verbs given in the brackets:

1. The man _____ (feel) embarrassed after he _____ (learn) that he children were only playing a game.

2. The game, the man _____ (play) as a child _____ (be) great fun to him as a youngster.

3. The man _____ (point) at a brown woman who _____ just _____ (come) out to call the children in.

4. The teacher _____ (select) 10 students but only six of them _____ (attend) the seminar.

5. My sister _____ (tell) Amelia that Mr. Abel _____ (promise) his gold watch to Jimmy.

Q.No – 28: Fill in the blanks with suitable articles. (Mark the omission of the article with ‘×’ mark)

1. _____ Rajahmundry is _____ very dear place to live in.

2. _____ school will shortly close for _____ summer holidays.

3. _____ able man has not always _____ distinguished look.

4. _____ reindeer is _____ easy language.

5. _____ French is _____ easy language.

Q.No – 29: Express Idea using it’s time:

1. Your school starts at 9.30 a.m. You are still at home. What would you say using ‘It’s time.....?’

Ans: _____

2. Your friend has lived in London for three years. He is not able to speak English fluently. What would you say to him using ‘It’s high time.....?’

Ans: _____

3. It is the middle of the rainy season and we haven't got much rain. What would you say using 'It's high time.....' ?
Ans: _____
4. Classes start tomorrow. You haven't bought your books for school yet. What would you say using 'It's time.....' ?
Ans: _____
5. Your brother has to catch the train. There is only ten minutes time for the train to leave. He is still at home. How would you give him advice using 'It's high time.....' ?
Ans: _____

Q.No – 30: Polite forms: Advice, Suggestions

1. Mr. Rao parks his car in your area. Tell him not to do so.
Ans: _____
2. Your friend rides his bike at night without lights. You think this is dangerous. Advise him not to do it.
Ans: _____
3. Your friend Raju has become pale. Advise him to see a doctor.
Ans: _____
4. Your friend has been losing weight recently. Tell her that she should see a doctor.
Ans: _____
5. Your friend is planning to visit some places in Tamilnadu. Advise him to learn a few words in Tamil.
Ans: _____

Q.No – 31: Change the following into a polite request.

1. You to your mother: "Permit me to use your cell-phone".
Ans: _____
2. Old woman on the train: "Put my box on the top rack, young man!"
Ans: _____
3. Student to the teacher : "Allow me to pay the fee next week".
Ans: _____
4. A passenger to the conductor : "What is the bus fare to Tirupathi?"
Ans: _____
5. You to a stranger at the bus stop. "Give me your newspaper".
Ans: _____

Q.No – 32: What do the following sentences mean? Put a (✓) mark against the right answer.

1. (i) Won't you get me a little water?
A) making a request B) refusing a request C) asking permission D) agreeing to a request
(ii) You are staying in the town, aren't you?
A) suggestion B) request C) permission D) confirmation
2. (i) Where can I get a car for hire?
A) making a request B) asking a question C) making a suggestion D) seeking information
(ii) It's getting late ! Why don't you engage a taxi?
A) asking a question B) making a suggestion C) seeking help D) refusing help
3. (i) Will you call me before you leave?
A) seeking permission B) making a suggestion C) making a request D) making an offer
(ii) Return these books to the library
A) making a request B) offering a suggestion
C) giving an order D) making a statement
4. (i) A girl to another : I am very sorry. I have lost your pencil.
A) suggestion B) permission C) apology D) request
(ii) Why do you waste money? You can have my bicycle for a few days.
A) making an offer B) giving an order C) making suggestion D) asking a question
5. (i) You are very poor in English. It is better to take extra coaching in the subject.
A) making an offer B) asking question C) making suggestion D) seeking permission
(ii) Better learn swimming
A) offer B) suggestion C) request D) permission