

Quiz Date: 21st July 2020

Directions (1-7): In the following questions, a sentence consists of four highlighted words. Choose the option reflecting the word which is either misspelt or grammatically incorrect. If all the highlighted words are correct, choose option (e) i.e. "all are correct" as your answer choice.

Q1. A **cascade** of scholarships is **coming** the way of 17-year-old G. Dhevayani, the student from a **nomadic** tribe near Madurai, who **hopped** her school in the Class 12 board exams.

- (a) Cascade
- (b) Coming
- (c) Nomadic
- (d) Hopped
- (e) All are correct

Q2. According to new **recommendations** made by the sub-committee, **admissions** under this quota will now be based **entiraly** on certificates submitted by **applicants**.

- (a) Recommendations
- (b) Admissions
- (c) Entiraly
- (d) Applicants
- (e) All are correct

Q3. The e-commerce **portels** will have to set up a **robust** consumer redressal **mechanism** as part of the rules **under** the Consumer Protection Act, 2019.

- (a) Portels
- (b) Robust
- (c) Mechanism
- (d) Under
- (e) All are correct

Q4. E-commerce **giant** Amazon is asked to **leveraged** its global operation to provide Indian MSMEs with **insights** that might help them to better design and **market** their products.

- (a) Giant
- (b) Leveraged
- (c) Insights
- (d) Market
- (e) All are correct

Q5. The Navy has recently **undertaken** several PASSEXs, which officials **described** as an opportunity to improve **interoperability** on the high **sees**.

- (a) Undertaken
- (b) Described
- (c) Interoperability



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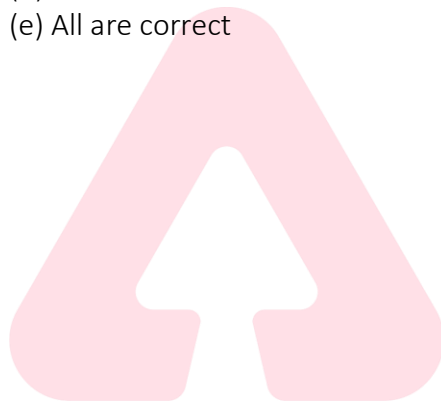
- (d) Sees
- (e) All are correct

Q6. Mr. Rao was **hallucinating** and feeling **giddy** at Taloja Central jail and was **taken** to J.J. Hospital, where he **tasted** COVID-19 positive.

- (a) Hallucinating
- (b) Giddy
- (c) Taken
- (d) Tasted
- (e) All are correct

Q7. **Tertiary** care hospitals in Kerala were the **latest** point of COVID-19 **transmission** with scores of health workers forced to go into **quarantine**, after patients tested positive.

- (a) Tertiary
- (b) Latest
- (c) Transmission
- (d) Quarantine
- (e) All are correct



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Directions (8-15): In each of the questions given below four words are given in bold. These four words may or may not be in their correct position. The sentence is then followed by options with the correct combination of words that should replace each other in order to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Find the correct combination of the words that replace each other. If the sentence is correct as it is then select option (e) as your choice.

Q8. While the district **people (1)** had no plans to extend the **lockdown(2)**, authorities were mulling over steps to **discourage(3)** large gatherings of **administration(4)**.

- (a) 2-3
- (b) 1-4
- (c) 2-4

- (d) 1-3
- (e) None of these

Q9. State and national **summaries (1)** are important but are not as **accuracy(2)** as ensuring the **critical(3)** and timeliness of district-level **tracking (4)**.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 3-4
- (c) 2-3
- (d) 1-4
- (e) None of these

Q10. Increased **stemming(1)** is not only necessary **indeed (2)** it will be the **single (3)** biggest contributor to **testing(4)** the tide of morbidity and mortality.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 2-4
- (c) 2-3
- (d) 1-4
- (e) None of these

Q11. The course of the COVID-19 **pandemic (1)** remains far from **avoiding(2)**, posing for the Central government the dilemma of **salvaging (3)** part of the school academic year, while **predictable(4)** a fresh wave of infections.

- (a) 2-3
- (b) 1-4
- (c) 2-4
- (d) 1-3
- (e) None of these

Q12. While the **addition (1)** of more trains with high **technology (2)** coaches to meet passenger **privatising(3)** is a welcome feature, it is the way of **expectations(4)** these trains that is the problem.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 3-4
- (c) 2-3
- (d) 1-4
- (e) None of these

Q13. To raise the **strengthening(1)** speed to 160 kmph, as **proposed (2)**, there has to be track **strengthening, elimination (3)** of curves and level crossing gates and **running(4)** of bridges.

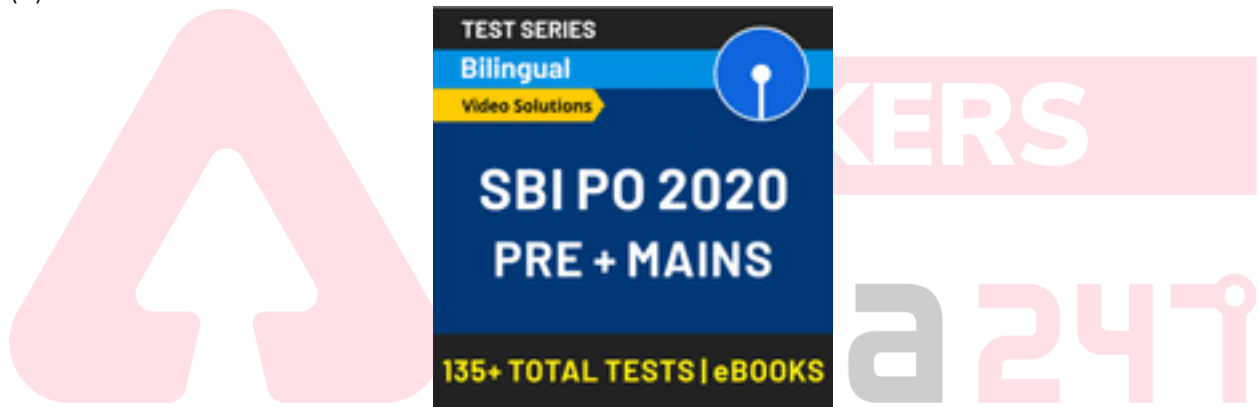
- (a) 1-2
- (b) 3-4
- (c) 2-3
- (d) 1-4
- (e) None of these

Q14. Full **liberty** (1) is being given to the **trains**(2) to unilaterally fix fares for these proposed **concessionaire**(3) that are on a **par** (4) with air and air-conditioned bus fares.

- (a) 2-3
- (b) 1-4
- (c) 2-4
- (d) 1-3
- (e) None of these

Q15. Scientists at Oxford University say their **hundreds** (1) Coronavirus vaccine has been **shown** (2) in an early trial to **prompt** (3) a protective immune response in **experimental**(4) of people who got the shot.

- (a) 2-3
- (b) 1-4
- (c) 2-4
- (d) 1-3
- (e) None of these



Solutions

S1. Ans. (d)

Sol. **“topped”** will be used instead of **“Hopped”**. Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S2. Ans. (c)

Sol. **“Entirely”** will be used instead of **“Entirely”**. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S3. Ans. (a)

Sol. **“Portals”** will be used instead of **“Portels”**. Hence, **option (a)** is the right answer choice.

S4. Ans. (b)

Sol. **“Leverage”** will be used instead of **“Leveraged”**. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S5. Ans. (d)

Sol. "Seas" will be used instead of "Sees". Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S6. Ans. (d)

Sol. "Tested" will be used instead of "Tasted". Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S7. Ans. (e)

Sol. All the highlighted words are correct. Hence, **option (e)** is the right answer choice.

S8. Ans. (b)

Sol. 1-4: "People, Administration" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S9. Ans. (c)

Sol. 2-3: "Accuracy, Critical" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S10. Ans. (d)

Sol. 1-4: "Stemming, Testing" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S11. Ans. (c)

Sol. 2-4: "Avoiding, Predictable" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S12. Ans. (b)

Sol. 3-4: "Privatising, Expectations" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S13. Ans. (d)

Sol. 1-4: "Strengthening, Running" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S14. Ans. (a)

Sol. 2-3: "Trains, Concessionaire" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (a)** is the right answer choice.

S15. Ans. (b)

Sol. 1-4: "Hundreds, Experimental" will replace each other to make the sentence grammatically and contextually correct. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

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