

Verbal skills

MCQ Preparation

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# Verbal Ability - 1

## Things to remember ...

### Verbal Ability

- Time Management
- 1 min per question
- Try Attempt all questions – if there is no negative marking
- Read the whole question carefully
- Try to solve pattern-wise question online for practice
- Reading comprehension

**Note :** Please check community blog for latest details regarding syllabus and pattern.

Spotting Errors

Antonyms

Synonyms

spelling

selecting word

sentence formation

Ordering of words

sentence correction

ordering of sentences

paragraph formation

close test

one word substitute

idioms and phrases

Change of voice

## How to prepare.....

1. **Practice is the key.**
2. Read from various sources like newspaper,articles.
3. Inculcate the habit of understanding the overall idea from the context of the passage while solving a comprehension.
4. Remain focused while reading.
5. At times when you have multiple nearing options eliminate the ones which seem least possible.

Read the passage and answer the question based on it.

"Many people who are looking to get a pet dog get a puppy. There are many reasons why people get puppies. After all, puppies are cute, friendly, and playful. But even though puppies make good pets, there are good reason why you should consider getting an adult dog instead. When you get a puppy, you have to teach it how to behave. You have to make sure that the puppy is housebroken so that it does not got to the bathroom inside the house. You have to teach the puppy not to jump up on your guests or chew on your shoes. You have to train the puppy to walk on a leash. This is a lot of work. On the other hand, when you get an adult dog, there is a good chance that it will already know how to do all of the previously mentioned things. Many adult dogs have already been housebroken. Many adult dogs will not jump on or chew things that you do not want them to jump on or chew. Many adult dogs will be able to walk on a leash without pulling you to the other side of the street. Puppies also have a lot of energy and want to play all of the time. This can be fund, but you might not want to play as much as your puppy does. Puppies will not always sleep through the night or let you relax as you watch television. On the other hand, most adult dogs will wait on you to play. What is more, they will sleep when you are sleeping and are happy to watch television on the couch right beside you. There is one last reason why you should get an adult dog instead of a puppy. When most people go to the pound to get a dog, they get a puppy. This means that many adult dogs spend a lot of time in the pound, and some never find good homes. If you are looking to get a dog for a pet, you should think about getting an adult dog. They are good pets who need good homes.

### Question 1

The passage speaks of ----.

- a. How puppies do not make good pets.
- b. How puppies can be very destructive
- c. The work involved in training puppies
- d. The immature acts of puppies

Correct Answer ???

## Question 2

Which is the best example of a dog that is housebroken?

- a. Rex always breaks things inside the house
- b. Rover never jumps on guests
- c. Muffin chews on peoples shoes
- d. Spot goes outside to use the bathroom

Correct Answer ???

### Question 3

Which is the best synonym for 'behave' as applicable to this passage?

- a. Understand
- b. Train
- c. Act
- d. Listen

Correct Answer ???



#### Question 4

The author begins paragraphs 2 and 4 with the phrase, “On the other hand”. This phrase is used to

- a. Contradict previous information
- b. Contradict a later statement
- c. support the following paragraph
- d. Highlight an example

Correct Answer ???

### Question 5

The author apparently thinks that puppies are

- a. Friendly and playful
- b. Not as cute as adult dogs
- c. Not as playful as adult dogs
- d. Hardworking

Correct Answer ???

# Links for Practice

1. <https://prepinsta.com/reading-comprehension/questions/>
  2. <https://prepinsta.com/learn-verbal-english/>
  3. <https://prepinsta.com/reading-comprehension/how-to-solve-quickly/>
  4. <https://www.indiabix.com/verbal-reasoning/questions-and-answers/>
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