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**Direction (Q. 1 - 5): Choose the Synonyms of the following words**

**1. Impartial**

A. Biased   
B. Distant   
C. Unjust   
D. Equitable

**Answer –** D. Equitable   
**Explanation:** Equitable – fair and impartial.

**2. Hoodwink**

A. Brittle   
B. Lucidity   
C. Deteriorate   
D. Deceive

**Answer –** D. Deceive   
**Explanation:** Hoodwink – deceive or trick.

**3. Conscript**

A. Inverse   
B. Draft   
C. Retrogress   
D. Explicitness

**Answer –** B. Draft   
**Explanation:** Conscript – enlist (someone) compulsorily, typically into the armed services.

**4. Vulnerable**

A. Foregoing   
B. Relentless   
C. Swamp   
D. Endangered

**Answer -** D. Endangered   
**Explanation:** Vulnerable – exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically or emotionally.

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**5. Staggering**

A. Accumulate   
B. Thwart   
C. Interminable   
D. Lurch

**Answer -** D. Lurch   
**Explanation:** Staggering – walk or move unsteadily, as if about to fall.

**Direction (Q. 6 - 10): Choose the Antonyms of the following words**

**6. Promulgate**

A. Impudent   
B. Conceal   
C. Decent   
D. Compliant

**Answer –** B. Conceal   
**Explanation:** Promulgate – promote or make widely known (an idea or cause).

**7. Opulence**

A. Critical   
B. Finicky   
C. Poverty   
D. Funky

**Answer –** C. Poverty   
**Explanation:** Opulence – great wealth or luxuriousness. Poverty – the state of being extremely poor.

**8. Usurp**

A. Grant   
B. Viability   
C. Liquefaction   
D. Flexibility

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**Answer –** A. Grant   
**Explanation:** Usurp – take (a position of power or importance) illegally or by force. Grant – agree to give or allow (something requested) to.

**9. Pledge**

A. Break   
B. Placate   
C. Curtail   
D. Unwise

**Answer –** A. Break   
**Explanation:** pledge – a solemn promise or undertaking.

**10. Occult**

A. Dissuade   
B. Rash   
C. Natural   
D. Discreet

**Answer –** C. Natural   
**Explanation:** Occult – mystical, supernatural, or magical powers, practices, or phenomena.

**Direction (Q. 11 - 14): Fill in the Blanks. Choose the correct word which makes the sentence meaningful**

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| 11. Until a few years ago, the toss-up for the city’s commuters was between overcrowded | |
| city buses and | , sometimes-greedy autorickshaw drivers. |

A. stunning   
B. usual   
C. eccentric   
D. horrible

**Answer -** C. eccentric   
**Explanation:** eccentric – unusual

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| 12. The bench also struck down the 99th Constitution Amendment Act, which was | |
| passed | by both Houses of Parliament. |

A. rimation   
B. publicly   
C. unanimously   
D. conjunctively

**Answer -** C. unanimously   
**Explanation:** unanimously – with the agreement

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| 13. This | strengthens the allegation that the influence of the executive in the |
| appointment of judges cannot be ruled out unless a judicial commission is formed. | |

A. hindrance   
B. thoughts   
C. consent   
D. persuasion

**Answer -** D. persuasion   
**Explanation:** persuasion – opinion

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| 14. Even after 10 years of the RTI, I find a widespread lack of | . |

A. ingratiating,   
B. inviting   
C. cognizance   
D. misunderstanding

**Answer -** C. cognizance   
**Explanation:** cognizance – awareness

**Direction (Q. 11 - 14): Choose the correct words which substitute the bolded words.**

15. A fight broke out in the pub and it was hard to **pull** the people involved **Abide**.

A. pull, of   
B. pull, over   
C. pull, in   
D. pull, apart

**Answer –** D. pull, apart   
**Explanation:** Pull apart – Stop people or animals fighting.

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16. She didn’t **get on** till well after twelve o’clock because she’d been out for a few drinks with her mates.

A. get in   
B. get up   
C. get on   
D. get receive

**Answer –** A. get in   
**Explanation:** get in – Arrive home.

17. The opposition parties are trying to **Clean off** the voters they lost in the last election.

A. Clean of   
B. Clag up   
C. Clawback   
D. Clam up

**Answer –** C. clawback   
**Explanation:** Clawback – Retake possession with difficulty.

18. She **wheeled around** when he told her to stop.

A. while away   
B. weigh out   
C. weird out   
D. wheeled round

**Answer –** D. wheeled round   
**Explanation:** wheeled round – Turn quickly and face in the opposite direction.

19. The boat **keeled of** in the storm and the crew drowned.

A. keeled up   
B. keeled over   
C. keeled at   
D. keeled out

**Answer –** B. keeled over   
**Explanation:** keeled over – Turn upside down.

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20. I spent the afternoon **gadding of** in the West End.

A. gadding of   
B. gadding about   
C. gadding over   
D. gadding on

**Answer –** B. gadding about   
**Explanation:** Gadabout ( gadding about) – Visit a lot of different places for pleasure.