**English Language Section:**

**ROUND 1**

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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|  | A) | Anyways, he's not coming to the party. |
|  | B) | **Anyway, he's not coming to the party.** |
|  | C) | Anyway, he will be not coming to the party. |
|  | D) | Anyways, he won’t come to the party |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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|  | A) | **Sean and I have been discussing the project.** |
|  | B) | Sean and I have been discussing about the project. |
|  | C) | Sean and I have been discussing regarding the project. |
|  | D) | Sean and I have been discussing regards to the project. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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|  | A) | She'll return off the dress if it doesn't fit her. |
|  | B) | She'll return the dress back if it doesn't fit her. |
|  | C) | **She'll return the dress if it doesn't fit her.** |
|  | D) | She'll return back the dress if it doesn't fit her. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Good morning, myself Nigel Spriggs. |
|  | B) | Good morning, I’m Nigel Spriggs. |
|  | C) | **Good morning, my name is Nigel Spriggs.** |
|  | D) | Good morning, myself is Nigel Spriggs. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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|  | A) | **He'll feel unwell if he keeps overeating.** |
|  | B) | He's going to be feeling unwell if he keeps overeating. |
|  | C) | He's going to be feeling unwell for overeating. |
|  | D) | He will be feeling unwell for overeating. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | **I am going to the market this afternoon, so I'll buy some fruits.** |
|  | B) | I'm to be going to the market this afternoon, so I'll buy some fruits. |
|  | C) | I would be going to the market this afternoon, so I'll buy some fruits. |
|  | D) | I'll be going in the market in the afternoon, so I'll buy some fruits. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

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|  | A) | One colleague is always interrupting inside our meetings. |
|  | B) | **One colleague is always interrupting our meetings.** |
|  | C) | One colleague interrupt our meetings always. |
|  | D) | One colleague is interrupting our meetings always. |

1. **Select the grammatically correct sentence:**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Who would have thunk it would come to this? |
|  | B) | Who would think it would come to this? |
|  | C) | **Who would have thought it would come to this?** |
|  | D) | Who would have think it would have come to this? |

**ROUND 2**

1. **Which of the following jobs has the stress on the first syllable when pronouncing the word?**

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| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Biologist |
|  | B) | Photographer |
|  | C) | Psychiatrist |
|  | D) | **Secretary** |

1. **Which of the following words when pronounced sound different?**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Debt |
|  | B) | Fret |
|  | C) | **Treat** |
|  | D) | Sweat |

1. **Which of the following words when pronounced sound different?**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Mother |
|  | B) | **Bother** |
|  | C) | Brother |
|  | D) | Another |

1. **Which of the following words when pronounced sound different?**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | Hot |
|  | B) | Knot |
|  | C) | **Taught** |
|  | D) | What |

1. **Which of the following words don’t rhyme with the others?**

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|  | A) | Through |
|  | B) | **Sew** |
|  | C) | Due |
|  | D) | Do |

1. **Which has the correct stress in British English?**

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| --- | --- | --- |
|  | A) | ADvertisement |
|  | B) | **adVERtisement** |
|  | C) | Advertisement |
|  | D) | Advertisement |

1. **Which of the following words has the stress on the first syllable when pronouncing the word?**

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|  | A) | Infatuation |
|  | B) | **Industry** |
|  | C) | Computation |
|  | D) | Persuasion |

1. **Choose the word which has the wrong stress highlighted?**

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|  | A) | Intention |
|  | B) | Maverick |
|  | C) | **DEvelopment** |
|  | D) | Develop |

**ROUND 3**

1. **I love sitting in front of an open fire. I feel as snug as \_\_\_\_ in a rug.**

 tub  
 **bug**  
 lug  
 thug

1. **Doesn't it seem like they are giving you \_\_\_\_\_\_ when you call tech support?**

****the eye  
 the ear  
 the underdog ** the runaround.**

1. I **hate to throw \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on your idea, but do you really think she will approve?**

****sand ** water  
**fire  
 salt

1. **Remember, half a \_\_\_\_ is better than none!**

****roll  
 sandwich ** loaf  
**cup

1. **Let's meet with Harry. We can kill two \_\_\_\_ with one stone.**

** birds  
**cats  
 bees  
****spiders

1. **Tom blew the \_\_\_\_\_\_ on his colleague's illegal actions.**

****flute ** whistle  
**show  
 wind

1. **If you need him, he can turn on a \_\_\_\_ and help you immediately.**

****penny  
 nickel  
** dime  
**quater

1. **Once in a \_\_\_\_\_\_ I go to the theater.**

****blue sun  
 blue day ** blue moon  
**red moon

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE**

* + 1. **Which country declared as the best place to be born in the world?**
* England
* **Switzerland**
* Japan
* India
  + - 1. **Which among the following Indian economist said that Bangladesh ahead of India in gender equality?**
* Satyajit Ray
* Jagdish Bhagwati
* APJ Abdul Kalam
* **Amarya Sen**
  + - 1. **Recently who has been confirmed by the U.S. Senate to be the next United States Ambassador to India?**

 NISHA DESAI BISWAL

 RAJIV SHAH

 **RICHARD VERMA**

 SUJATHA SINGH

* + - 1. **The country's highest award will be soon distributed to Atal Bihari Vajpayee on his birthday, on December 25, Name the Award?**

 CIVILIAN AWARD

 **BHARAT RATNA**

 JULIET CURIE AWARD

 PARAM VISHISHT SEVA MEDAL

* + - 1. **Recently, a copy of a 1927 Walt Disney cartoon was discovered in which country…?**

 **NORWAY**

 HONG KONG

 NETHERLAND

 IRELAND

* + - 1. **Which Minister announced that yoga would be included as an integral part of the school curriculum in the state?**

 VASUNDHARA RAJE

 RAMAN SINGH

 ASHOK GEHLOT

** SHIVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN**

* + - 1. **Recently, which Bollywood actor obtained a clean chit from the Mumbai bench of the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal?**

 AAMIR KHAN

 **SHAHRUKH KHAN**

 AKSHAY KUMAR

 ANIL KAPOOR

* + - 1. **Where did Kailash Satyarthi and Malala Yousafzai receive the Nobel Peace Prize on 10th December 2014?**

 WASHINGTON

 **OSLO**

 NEW YORK

 SYDNEY

**CURRENT AFFAIRS**

1. **Recently, which one of the following countries was hit by the Taliban’s terror attack where 132 children were killed?**

*  **PAKISTAN**
*  IRAN
*  IRAQ
*  AFGHANISTAN

1. **The “Good Governance Day” will be celebrated on…………..?**

*  1ST JANUARY
*  **25TH DECEMBER**
*  31ST DECEMBER
*  5TH JANUARY

1. **Name the former CAG official who kicked up a controversy and passed away in New Delhi on 15th December 2014?**

*  VINOD RAI
*  GIAN PRAKASH
*  A. K. CHANDA
*  **R.P. SINGH**

1. **Who said that Narendra Modi's Swachh drive is 'tokenism'?**

*  MAYAWATI
*  AZAM KHAN
*  MULAYAM SINGH YADAV
*  **AKHILESH YADAV**

1. **Recently a Bollywood actress has been named the woman of the year by People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) India?**

*  ZARINE KHAN
*  DEEPIKA PADUKONE
*  NARGIS FAKHRI
*  **JACQUELINE FERNANDEZ**

1. **One of the following technology companies with 2.8% stake, sold its shares worth Rs 6,484 crores, name the company?**

*  MICROSOFT
*  **INFOSYS**
*  TCS
*  APPLE

1. **Name the News Website that recently launched its India edition with The Times of India Group?**

*  **HUFFINGTON POST**
*  BOING BOING
*  TECHCHURCH
*  KOTTKE

1. **Name the PNB Bank Branch where the TV display board was stolen by Burglars in Delhi recently?**

*  **PREET VIHAR**
*  SARITA VIHAR
*  KAROL BAGH
*  RAJENDRA NAGAR