

ENGLISH

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CHECKLIST 217



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Directions (1-5): The passage given below contains five blanks, which are indicated by (A), (B), (C), (D), and (E). For each blank, choose the most appropriate word from the given options and mark your answer accordingly.

Despite decades of international (A)_____, the world has witnessed only incremental progress in mitigating the catastrophic impacts of climate change. The Paris Agreement, once (B)_____ as a diplomatic triumph, has often been criticized for its ambiguous targets and lack of binding enforcement mechanisms. As greenhouse gas emissions continue their relentless ascent, vulnerable nations find themselves contending with existential threats, ranging from devastating floods to creeping desertification—a situation further (C)_____ by uneven access to climate finance and technology. In such a precarious landscape, the rhetoric at successive climate summits frequently rings hollow, with many developed countries (D)_____ their responsibilities, while pursuing short-term economic interests over long-term planetary health. The imperative for collective, science-driven action has never been greater, demanding robust policy innovation rather than (E)_____ adherence to outdated frameworks that no longer address the scale of the crisis.

1. Which of the following best fits in blank (A)?

1. solidarity
 2. negotiations
 3. legislations
- (a) Only 1
 - (b) Both 1 and 3
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) Only 2
 - (e) All of these

2. Which of the following best fits in blank (B)?

1. lauded
2. criticised

3. touted
- (a) Both 1 and 2
 - (b) Both 1 and 3
 - (c) Only 1
 - (d) Only 2
 - (e) All of these

3. Which of the following best fits in blank (C)?

- 1. affected
 - 2. exacerbated
 - 3. ameliorated
- (a) Only 1
 - (b) Only 2
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) Only 3
 - (e) All of these

4. Which of the following best fits in blank (D)?

- 1. abdicating
 - 2. evading
 - 3. championing
- (a) Only 3
 - (b) Both 1 and 3
 - (c) Both 2 and 3
 - (d) Both 1 and 2
 - (e) All of these

5. Which of the following best fits in blank (E)?

- 1. perfunctory
- 2. blind

3. retrograde

- (a) Both 1 and 2
- (b) Only 3
- (c) Both 2 and 3
- (d) Only 1
- (e) All of these

Directions (6-10): Given below are sentences each of which has been divided into five parts. Each of the questions is then followed by the five options which give the sequence of the rearranged parts. You must choose the option which gives the correct sequence of the parts. If the sentence is already arranged in the correct sequence mark option (e).i.e. "No arrangement required".

6. Central Texas floods in the United States (A)/ continue amid heavy rainfall (B)/ has risen to 104, with dozens still (C)/ the death toll from the (D)/ missing as flash flood warnings (E)

- (a) ABEDC
- (b) DEACB
- (c) ABDEC
- (d) DACEB
- (e) No rearrangement required

7. over 4,000 youth from more than 50 countries (A)/ along with the ongoing (B)/ International Chess Day and Moon Day are being celebrated globally on July 20, (C)/ Global Encounters Festival 2025 in Dubai, (D)/ which brings together (E)

- (a) CABDE
- (b) CBDEA
- (c) AECBD
- (d) BDAEC

(e) No rearrangement required

8. honoring the legacy of the former South African president (A)/ is observed on July 18, (B)/ Nelson Mandela International Day (C)/ for peace and equality (D)/ and his role in advocating (E)

(a) ACBDE

(b) CADEB

(c) DEACB

(d) CBAED

(e) No rearrangement required

9. through social media platforms is (A)/ misinformation across borders (B)/ both fostering cross-cultural (C)/ the rapid spread of information (D)/ understanding and amplifying (E)

(a) AEDBC

(b) CADEB

(c) DACEB

(d) BDAEC

(e) No rearrangement required

10. emphasizing the importance of (A)/ solidarity in times of crisis (B)/ international organizations (C)/ resources to support disaster-affected regions, (D)/ are mobilizing (E)

(a) CEDBA

(b) BEDCA

(c) CEDAB

(d) DACBE

(e) No rearrangement required

ANSWER**1. Answer: (d)**

Explanation: "International negotiations" refers explicitly to the climate talks and accords over the years (Kyoto, Paris, etc).

"Solidarity": while solidarity is a positive idea, it does not refer specifically to the **formal** or **policy-driven** international processes aimed at climate action. It's more emotional or symbolic than institutional or procedural.

"Legislation": "International legislation" is **not commonly used**, since there is no binding global lawmaking body. Most climate laws are national or regional (e.g., EU). So, this doesn't logically fit with the idea of global-level efforts.

2. Answer: (b)

Explanation: This sentence contrasts **past praise** with **present criticism**, so the blank must reflect how the agreement **was originally celebrated or promoted**.

Lauded means praised highly. Fits well: "once lauded as a diplomatic triumph" implies it was once praised.

Criticised means expressed disapproval. Doesn't fit because it doesn't match the positive tone of "a diplomatic triumph."

Touted means promoted or praised publicly. Fits well: "once *touted* as a diplomatic triumph" also makes sense.

3. Answer: (b)

Explanation: "Exacerbated" means **worsened**, which fits with the "further ... by uneven access".

"Affected" is too weak. It doesn't clearly express whether the situation was worsened or improved.

"Ameliorated" means improved, which is the opposite, so not suitable.

4. Answer: (d)

Explanation: The structure implies **neglect or avoidance** of responsibilities in favor of **short-term interests**, which suggests a **negative verb** should fill the blank.

Abdicating means to formally give up or renounce a responsibility or duty. Fits well in this context: countries are giving up their climate responsibilities.

Evading means to avoid or escape from something, especially in a clever or dishonest way. Also fits: countries are avoiding their duties toward climate action.

Championing means to support or defend vigorously. This has a **positive connotation** and contradicts the idea of shirking responsibility. It doesn't fit.

5.Answer: (a)

Explanation: "**Perfunctory**" means done merely as a formality—suggesting superficial/traditional adherence.

"**Blind adherence**" is also idiomatic and means following without question.

"**Retrograde**" means backward-looking, but doesn't work with "adherence" as a collocation.

6.Ans: (d)

Explanation: The death toll from the Central Texas floods in the United States has risen to 104, with dozens still missing as flash flood warnings continue amid heavy rainfall.

7.Ans: (b)

Explanation: International Chess Day and Moon Day are being celebrated globally on July 20, along with the ongoing Global Encounters Festival 2025 in Dubai, which brings together over 4,000 youth from more than 50 countries.

8.Ans: (d)

Explanation: Nelson Mandela International Day is observed on July 18, honoring the legacy of the former South African president and his role in advocating for peace and equality.

9.Ans: (c)

Explanation: The rapid spread of information through social media platforms is both fostering cross-cultural understanding and amplifying misinformation across borders.

10. Ans: (c)

Explanation: International organizations are mobilizing resources to support disaster-affected regions, emphasizing the importance of solidarity in times of crisis.



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