

**ENGLISH**

# **AARAMBH CHECKLIST PRE**

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## **CHECKLIST 185**

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**Cloze Test**

**Direction (1–10):** The passage given below contains some blanks wherein the words have been removed. Find the word from the given options that is suitable for each blank and mark that as your answer.

The outcomes of the latest United Nations Climate Summit underline the world's uneven preparedness to \_\_\_\_\_(A)\_\_\_\_\_ the intensifying challenges posed by global warming. While some countries have unveiled ambitious policies to cut emissions and transition to cleaner energy sources, others remain hesitant, \_\_\_\_\_(B)\_\_\_\_\_ by economic constraints and political considerations. The summit emphasized that the window to limit global temperature rise to 1.5°C is rapidly closing, and nations must act with unprecedented speed and unity. However, the \_\_\_\_\_(C)\_\_\_\_\_ pace of international cooperation and the lack of binding agreements point to a worrying inertia. Several environmental groups have argued that the promises made, although encouraging, are largely \_\_\_\_\_(D)\_\_\_\_\_, lacking concrete action plans and accountability mechanisms. The summit also showcased innovations in climate finance, aimed at helping vulnerable nations adapt to rising sea levels and extreme weather. But critics argue that such initiatives often \_\_\_\_\_(E)\_\_\_\_\_ the deeper structural inequalities between the Global North and South. There remains a growing recognition that sustainable development must go hand in hand with environmental stewardship. This requires rethinking consumption patterns, technological \_\_\_\_\_(F)\_\_\_\_\_, and long-standing geopolitical dynamics. The global community must resist the temptation to pursue narrow, short-term interests. Instead, it must embrace collective responsibility and long-term vision. Scientists warn that unless the planet's largest emitters adopt a/ an \_\_\_\_\_(G)\_\_\_\_\_ approach to emissions reduction, future generations will inherit a world marked by severe climate disruption. Education, awareness, and policy integration must also be strengthened to create a \_\_\_\_\_(H)\_\_\_\_\_ shift in societal attitudes. The climate crisis is no longer a distant possibility but an unfolding reality, and our response must be both timely and \_\_\_\_\_(I)\_\_\_\_\_. In light of this, the call for a binding global climate treaty has grown stronger. Such a treaty, if implemented rigorously, could serve as a \_\_\_\_\_(J)\_\_\_\_\_ for aligning national goals with planetary boundaries.

**Question 1:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option A**?

- I. confront
- II. exacerbate
- III. navigate

- A. Only I
- B. Both I and III
- C. Only II
- D. Both II and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 2:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option B**?

- I. deterred
- II. invigorated
- III. constrained

- A. Only II
- B. Only I
- C. Both I and III
- D. Both II and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 3:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option C**?

- I. lethargic
- II. sluggish
- III. accelerated

- A. Only III
- B. Only I
- C. Both I and II
- D. Both II and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 4:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option D**?

- I. superficial
  - II. rhetorical
  - III. cursory
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- A. Only I
  - B. Only II
  - C. Both I and II
  - D. Both II and III
  - E. All of I, II and III

**Question 5:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option E**?

- I. exacerbate
  - II. mitigate
  - III. reinforce
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- A. Only I
  - B. Only II
  - C. Both I and III
  - D. Both II and III
  - E. All of I, II and III

**Question 6:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option F**?

- I. evolution
  - II. innovation
  - III. adaptation
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- A. Only I
  - B. Only II
  - C. Both I and II
  - D. Both II and III
  - E. All of I, II and III

**Question 7:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option G**?

- I. comprehensive
- II. radical
- III. transformative

- A. Only I
- B. Only II
- C. Both I and II
- D. Both II and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 8:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option H**?

- I. paradigm
- II. disposition
- III. inertia

- A. Only I
- B. Only II
- C. Both I and II
- D. Both I and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 9:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option I**?

- I. reprehensive
- II. proactive
- III. expedient

- A. Only I
- B. Only II

- C. Both I and II
- D. Both II and III
- E. All of I, II and III

**Question 10:**

Which of the following best fits in **Option J**?

- I. benchmark
  - II. catalyst
  - III. preliminary
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- A. Only I
  - B. Only II
  - C. Both I and II
  - D. Both II and III
  - E. All of I, II and III

**ANSWER****1. Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The sentence talks about countries needing to handle or deal with the challenges of global warming.

**Confront** means to face or deal with something, especially a difficult problem.

**Navigate** means to find a way through or deal effectively with a difficult issue.

**Exacerbate** means to make a problem worse, which does not fit the context of tackling challenges.

**2. Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The sentence says that some countries remain hesitant, which implies they are being held back or restricted.

**Deterred** means discouraged from taking action due to obstacles.

**Constrained** means limited or restricted.

Both words align with the idea of hesitation caused by economic constraints and political considerations.

**Invigorated** means energized or strengthened, which is the opposite of being hesitant — so it doesn't fit here.

**3. Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The sentence talks about the slow pace of international cooperation and the lack of binding agreements, which highlights a lack of momentum.

**Lethargic** means lacking energy or enthusiasm.

**Sluggish** means slow-moving or inactive.

Both these words fit well with the idea of inadequate or delayed progress.

**Accelerated** means increased speed — the opposite of the context here — so it does not fit.

**4. Answer: E**

**Explanation:**

The sentence describes promises that **lack concrete action plans and accountability**, implying they are shallow or insincere.

**Superficial** means shallow or lacking depth — appropriate for describing hollow promises.

**Rhetorical** refers to statements made more for effect than action — fits well in a critical context.

**Cursory** means hasty and lacking attention to detail — also suits the idea of promises not thoroughly thought through or executed.

**5.Answer: A**

**Explanation:** The sentence says that critics argue the initiatives often \_\_\_\_\_ the deeper structural inequalities. This implies that these initiatives make the inequalities worse or deepen them.

**Exacerbate** means to make a problem worse, which fits perfectly here.

**Mitigate** means to reduce or lessen something, which is the opposite of what is implied in the sentence.

**Reinforce** means to strengthen, which also doesn't fit the idea of worsening the inequality.

**6.Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The sentence discusses the need for new thinking and approaches, particularly in the context of climate change.

**Innovation** refers to the creation of new methods or ideas, which fits the context of rethinking technological solutions.

**Evolution** refers to gradual development, which doesn't fit as well in the context of the need for new, groundbreaking solutions.

**Adaptation** refers to adjusting to change, which, although important in the climate context, doesn't fit as closely with the idea of pushing for new technological approaches to solve the problem.

**7.Answer: E**

**Explanation:** The sentence is referring to the approach that the largest emitters must adopt to reduce emissions, which should be impactful and long-lasting.

**Comprehensive** refers to something that covers all aspects and would be necessary for a thorough emissions reduction strategy.

**Radical** refers to dramatic or fundamental change, which is essential for addressing the severity of climate change effectively and can fit the urgency in the sentence.

**Transformative** refers to a fundamental and revolutionary change, which would also be crucial for tackling global emissions in a significant way.



**8. Answer: A**

**Explanation:** The sentence talks about creating a **shift** in societal attitudes, particularly related to the climate crisis.

**Paradigm** refers to a model or pattern, often used to describe a fundamental change in thinking or approach — fitting for a shift in societal attitudes.

**Disposition** refers to a person's inherent qualities or attitude, but doesn't capture the scale of change implied in the sentence.

**Inertia** means resistance to change or motion, which is the opposite of a shift and thus doesn't fit the context.

**9. Answer: D**

**Explanation:** The sentence emphasizes the need for a response to the climate crisis that is both timely and impactful.

**Reprehensive** is incorrect because it means deserving of blame, which does not fit the context of responding positively to the crisis.

**Proactive** refers to taking action ahead of time, which is essential in responding to a crisis before it worsens.

**Expedient** refers to something done quickly, which is crucial for addressing the climate issue in a timely manner.

**10. Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The sentence discusses a treaty that could help align national goals with planetary boundaries, suggesting that the treaty would serve as a guiding force.

**Benchmark** refers to a standard or point of reference against which things are measured or assessed, which fits well in this context.

**Catalyst** refers to something that causes significant change or acceleration, which also fits since the treaty could spark or drive alignment with planetary boundaries.

**Preliminary** refers to something that comes before the main event or is preparatory, which doesn't quite match the purpose of the treaty in this context. The treaty is not just a first step but a key component in aligning national goals.

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