

**Solutions and Explanations:**

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402	d	412	b	422	b	432	c	442	b
403	b	413	b	423	d	433	b	443	a
404	d	414	a	424	a	434	a	444	b
405	d	415	a	425	d	435	a	445	c
406	b	416	c	426	d	436	a	446	b
407	b	417	c	427	a	437	b	447	d
408	c	418	a	428	c	438	a	448	d
409	a	419	d	429	b	439	b	449	d
410	c	420	c	430	a	440	c	450	c

**Ans401.(d)**Rahul is teaching the children in the slum areas.

(a) The children in the slum areas **are taught** by Rahul. (Continuous tense uses being in passive voice which is missing here)

(b) The children **are taught** by Rahul in the slum area (Continuous tense uses being in passive voice which is missing here)

(c) In the slum areas the children are **learning** from Rahul. (Incorrect word)

**(d) The children in the slum areas are being taught by Rahul. (Correct)**

**Ans402.(d)** Physically challenged people should not be laughed at by the public

(a) Physically challenged people should not laugh at the public (Meaning of the sentence completely changed)

(b)The public **will not be laughing** at physically challenged people. (Tense changed)

(c)The public **shall not be laughing** at physically challenged people. (Tense changed)

**(d)The public should not laugh at physically challenged people. (correct)**

**Ans403.(b)**He teaches young teenage girls martial arts.

(a) Martial arts **was** taught to young teenage girls by him (tense is incorrect)

**(b) Young teenage girls are taught martial arts by him (correct)**

(c) Martial arts **will be taught** to young teenage girls by him ((tense is incorrect)

(d) Young teenage girls are **taught** martial arts by Him (incorrect third form)

**Ans404.(d)** Why does the management always make changes last minute?

(a)Why are changes always made by the management? (incomplete – Last minute is missing)

(b)Why is last minute **change** always made by the management? (Changes has been used in the sentence)

(c)Why **last minute changes are** always made by the management? (are should be used after why as it is interrogative)

**(d)Why are last minute changes always made by the management ? (correct)**

**Ans405.(d)**Somebody told me that there had been an explosion in the Town Hall.

(a) I was told by somebody about the explosion in the Town Hall. (tense changed)

(b) I was told about the explosion in the Town Hall. (Incomplete information)

(c) I was **informed** that there was an explosion in the Town Hall. (Incorrect word)

**(d) I was told by somebody that there had been an explosion in the Town Hall. (Correct)**

**Ans406.(b)**A constable arrested him as soon as he jumped the wall.

(a) An arrest **were** made by a constable as soon as he jumped the wall. (Incorrect verb)

**(b)He was arrested by a constable as soon as he jumped the wall. (Correct)**

(c) **A constable was arrested by him** as soon as he jumped the wall. Meaning has changed)

(d)**An arrest was made by him** as soon as he jumped the wall. (Meaning changed)

**Ans407.(b)** Who gave you the instructions?

- (a) Who **has given** you the instructions? (Tense has changed)  
**(b) By whom were you given the instructions? (Correct)**  
(c) By whom **was** you given the instructions? (Incorrect helping verb)  
(d) Who **had given** you the instructions? (Tense has changed)

**Ans408.(c)**Has anybody answered your question ?

- (a) Your question has been answered ? (Not interrogative)  
(b) Anybody has answered your question? (Meaning of sentence changed)  
**(c) Has your question been answered? (Correct)**  
(d) Have you answered your question? (Meaning of sentence changed)

**Ans409.(a)** It is impossible to do this.

- (a) To do this is impossible. (Correct)**  
(b) To do this **by it** is impossible. (it is not the doer)  
(c) It is impossible to **have done this**. (Incorrect tense change)  
(d) It **can't** be done. (Incorrect word inserted)

**Ans410.(c)** The fur coats were imported from Sweden by us.

- (a) Sweden imported the fur coats. (Meaning of sentence changed)  
(b) Sweden was imported the fur coats. (Meaning of sentence changed)  
**(c) We imported the fur coats from Sweden. (Correct)**  
(d) We **had imported** the fur coats from Sweden. (Incorrect change of tense)

**Ans411.(b)** A detective arrested him as soon as he got home.

- (a) An arrest was made by a detective as soon as he got home. (Meaning of sentence changed)  
**(b) He was arrested by a detective as soon as he got home. (Correct)**  
(c) A detective was arrested by him as soon as he got home. (Meaning of sentence changed)  
(d) An arrest was **detected** by him as soon as he got home. (Incorrect word)

**Ans412. (b)**The accountant took the money from the customer.

- (a) The money is taken from the customer by the accountant. (tense has changed as the given sentence is in past tense and this sentence is in present tense)  
**(b) The money was taken from the customer by the accountant.(Correct)**  
(c) The customer was **taken** the money by the accountant.(Third form of the verb has to be used)  
(d) The money **had been taken** from the customer by the accountant.(tense changed)

**Ans413.(b)**He decided to sell the car.

- (a) It was decided that the car **should** be sold (Incorrect word inserted)  
**(b) The decision was made by him to sell the car. (Correct)**  
(c)The decision that the car **must** be sold was made by him. (Incorrect word inserted)  
(d) He decided that the car should be sold (Incorrect word inserted)

**Ans414.(a)**He will finish the work in a fortnight.

- (a) The work will be finished by him in a fortnight. (Correct)**  
(b) The work **will be finishing** by him in a fortnight. (Tense has changed)  
(c) The work will **been finished** by him in a fortnight. (Tense has changed)  
(d) The work will be finished by fortnight.(Meaning Has changed)

**Ans415.(a)** I was shocked by his statement before the judge.

- (a) His statement before the judge shocked me.(correct)  
(b) before the judge **I am** shocked by his statement(Tense has changed)  
(c) His statement shocked me. (Incomplete information-before the judge is missing)  
(d) I shocked with his statement before the judge. (incorrect subject)

**Ans416.(c)**We waste much time on trifles.

- (a) Much time **was** wasted on trifles. (Tense has changed)  
(b) Much time **will be wasted** on trifles. (Tense has changed)  
**(c) Much time is wasted by us on trifles. (Correct)**  
(d) Much time is wasted on trifles.(Doer is missing)

**Ans417.(c)**Mr. Sen asked him a question.

(a) He was asked a question Mr. Sen. (by is missing before the doer)

(b) He was asked a question **to** Mr. Sen. (Preposition is incorrect)

**(c) He was asked a question by Mr. Sen. (correct)**

(d) A question was **being asked** by Mr. Sen. (Tense has changed)

**Ans418.(a)**They say he can do almost anything in this world

**(a) It is said that almost anything in this world can be done by him. (Correct)**

(b)It **was said** that almost anything could be done by him. (Incorrect tense)

(c) They say almost anything **could** be done by him. (Incorrect tense)

(d)They say anything almost **will be done** by him. (Incorrect tense)

**Ans419.(d)**My father has promised me a bicycle.

(a) I have **promising** a bicycle by my father. (Third form of the verb not used)

(b) I have been promised **by my father a bicycle.** (Incorrect structure)

(c) **I promised** a bicycle by my father. (Helping verb is missing)

**(d) I have been promised a bicycle by my father. (Correct)**

**Ans420.(c)** The traitors should be shot dead

(a) They **should have shot** the traitors dead (Tense has changed)

(b) They **shall** shoot the traitors dead (Tense has changed)

**(c) They should shoot the traitors dead (Correct)**

(d) They **shot** the traitors dead (Tense has changed)

**Ans421.(d)**Promises should be kept.

(a) **You must** keep the promises. (Incorrect word)

(b) We **must** keep the promises. (Incorrect word)

(c) Keep the promises. (incomplete)

**(d)One should keep the promises. (correct)**

**Ans422.(b)** The Principal has granted to him a scholarship.

(a) A scholarship **has granted** to him by the Principal. (Helping verb been is missing)

**(b) He has been granted a scholarship by the Principal. (Correct)**

(c) He has granted a scholarship by the Principal. (Helping verb been is missing)

(d) A scholarship **was granted** to him by the Principal. (Tense has changed)

**Ans423.(d)** How many flowers have you plucked?

(a) How many flowers **had** you plucked? (Tense has changed)

(b) How many flowers **were plucked** by you? (Tense has changed)

(c) How many flowers **you have** plucked? (In interrogative sentences the wh..... word is followed by the helping verb)

**(d)How many flowers have been plucked by you? (correct)**

**Ans424.(a)** The smugglers did not realize that their conversation was being recorded

(a) The smugglers did not realize that someone was recording their conversation.(Correct)

(b) **Someone did not realise that the smugglers were recording their conversation.** (Meaning of sentence changed)

(c) Conversation **was recorded** when the smugglers did not realise. (Incorrect change of tense)

(d) The smugglers recorded their conversation without realising. (Meaning of sentence changed)

**Ans425.(d)** Where were they playing the cricket match?

(a) Where was the cricket match **played**? (Tense has changed)

(b) Where has the cricket match **been played**? (Tense has changed)

(c) Where **will** the cricket match be played? (Tense has changed)

**(d) Where was the cricket match being played ? (correct)**

**Ans426.(d)**Teachers should be-respected

(a) Teachers **deserve** respect (Meaning of sentence changed)

(b) Teachers **are** to be respected (Incorrect change of tense)

(c) We **shall** respect teachers. (Incorrect change of tense)

**(d) We should respect teachers. (Correct)**

**Ans427.(a)** I have to take an appointment with the doctor.

**(a) An appointment has to be taken with the doctor by me. (Correct)**

(b) An appointment has to be **take** up from the doctor by me. (Third form of the verb not used)

(c) An appointment **had to be taken** up from the doctor by me. (Tense has changed)

(d) An appointment has to be taken up from the doctor. (Doer missing)

**Ans428.(c)** The Minister had already informed his Cabinet about his decision. .

(a) His Cabinet **was** already informed about the Minister's decision (Tense has changed)

(b) His Cabinet **has** already informed the Minister about his decision (Tense has changed)

**(c) His Cabinet had already been informed about his decision by the Minister (Correct)**

(d) His Cabinet **will have** already been informed about the Minister's decision (Tense has changed)

**Ans429.(b)** The last flight has been cancelled by Air India

(a) Air India **cancelled** the last flight. (Tense has changed)

**(b) Air India has cancelled the last flight. (correct)**

(c) Air India **is cancelling** the last flight. (Tense has changed)

(d) The last flight **had been cancelled** by Air India. (Tense has changed)

**Ans430.(a)** Has anybody applied for the post that we had advertised for?

**(a) Has the post we advertised for been applied for by anybody? (correct)**

(b) **Have** the post we advertised for been applied for by anybody? (Incorrect helping verb)

(c) Has the post we **advertised been** applied for by anybody? (Preposition for is missing)

(d) **Had the post** we advertised been applied for by anybody? (Tense has changed)

**Ans431.(c)** I expect you to complete this work before sunset.

(a) I expect you to be completed this work before sunset. (You is the subject in the new sentence not I)

(b) I am expected you to complete this work before sunset. (You is the subject in the new sentence not I)

**(c) You are expected to complete this work before sunset. (correct)**

(d) You are expected to **be** completed this work before sunset. (usage of be is incorrect)

**Ans432.(c)** They have cut the water supply.

(a) The water supply **will be cut**. (Tense has changed)

(b) The water supply **had been cut**. (Tense has changed)

**(c) The water supply has been cut. (Correct)**

(d) The water supply **shall be cut**. (Tense has changed)

**Ans433.(b)** Do not cross the railway tracks.

(a) The railway tracks **do not be crossed** (Incorrect structure)

**(b) You are forbidden to cross the railway tracks. (Correct)**

(c) Let the railway tracks be crossed (Meaning has changed)

(d) The railway tracks need to be crossed (Meaning has changed)

**Ans434.(a)** Sindhu is going to make a beautiful dinner tonight.

(a) A beautiful dinner is going to be made by Sindhu tonight. (correct)

(b) A dinner is going to be made by beautiful Sindhu tonight. (Meaning of sentence changed)

(c) A beautiful dinner is going to be made by Sindhu **that night**. (Incorrect word)

(d) A beautiful dinner **was going to be made** by Sindhu tonight. (Tense has changed)

**Ans435.(a)** He will do the work tomorrow

**(a) The work will be done by him tomorrow. (correct)**

(b) The work **would be done** by him tomorrow (Incorrect change of tense)

(c) The work **could** be done by him tomorrow. (Incorrect word)

(d) The work **will have been done** by him tomorrow (Incorrect change of tense)



**Ans436.( a)**The storm did much damage.

**(a) Much damage was done by the storm.(correct)**

(b) The storm damaged much.( Much damage is the object which becomes the subject in the new sentence .Here the new subject is incorrect)

(c) Much damage **did** the storm. (The verb did is incorrect as third form of the verb should be used)

(d) The storm was damaged( the meaning of this sentence is different from the one given)

**Ans437.(b)**Sayali gave the beggar an old sari.

(a) An old sari was given to Sayali by the beggar (Meaning of sentence changed)

**(b) An old sari was given to the beggar by Sayali (Correct)**

(c) The beggar **was being given** an old sari by Sayali Incorrect change of tense)

(d) The beggar **had to be given** an old sari by Sayali (Incorrect change of tense)

**Ans438.(a)**Recently, John has done the work.

(a) Recently, the work has been done by John.(correct)

(b) Recently, the work **has done** by John. (been is missing)

(c) Recently, the work **was done** by John.(Tense has changed)

(d) Recently, the work **has not been done** by John. (Meaning of sentence changed)

**Ans439.(b)** The burglar destroyed several items in the room. Even the carpet has been torn.

(a) Several items **destroyed** in the room by the burglar. Even the carpet he has torn(Helping verb is missing)

**(b) Several items in the room were destroyed by the burglar. Even the carpet was torn.(Correct)**

(c) Including the carpet, several items in the room have been torn by the burglar. (Meaning of sentence changed)

(d) The burglar, **being destroyed** several items in the room, also carpet has torn. (Incorrect change of tense)

**Ans440.(c)** Someone has lit the fire.

(a) The fire **was lit** by someone. (Tense has changed)

(b) You **are** requested to light the fire by someone. (Tense has changed)

**(c) The fire has been lit by someone. (Correct)**

(d) The fire **had been** lit by someone. (Tense has changed)

**Ans441.(d)** Has anybody done all the work?

(a) **Have** all the work been done by somebody? (Incorrect helping verb)

(b) Somebody has done all the work. (Meaning of sentence changed)

(c)The work has been done by somebody. (Meaning of sentence changed)

**(d) Has all the work been done by somebody? (correct)**

**Ans442.(b)**He would have written this essay in time.

(a) The essay was written on time. (Tense has changed)

(b) This essay would have been written by him in time. (Correct)

(c) The essay was written by him in time.(meaning changed)

(d) He wrote the essay on time. (Tense has changed)

**Ans443.(a)** The owner took the dog to the vet in the afternoon.

(a)The dog was taken to the vet in the afternoon. (Correct)

(b)The dog was taken to the vet in the afternoon by someone. (Incorrect doer)

(c)The dog has been taken to the vet in the afternoon. (Tense has changed)

(d)The dog had been taken to the vet in the afternoon. (Tense has changed)

**Ans444.(b)** The Committee has published a detailed report about the selection procedure.

(a)A detailed report has been published by the committee.(Incomplete information)

(b)A detailed report about the selection procedure has been published by the committee.(Correct)

(c)A detail report about the selection procedure has been published by the committee. (a Detailed report should be used)

(d) A detailed report on the selection procedure has been published by the committee. (Incorrect preposition)

**Ans445.(c)** I was surprised to see his audacity and boldness.

- (a) His audacity and boldness surprises me. (Tense has changed)
- (b) His audacity and boldness surprise me. (Tense has changed)
- (c) His audacity and boldness surprised me. (Correct)
- (d) His audacity and boldness has surprised me. (Tense has changed)

**Ans446.(b)** We must respect the elders.

- (a) The elders **deserve** respect from us (Incorrect word)
- (b) The elders must be respected (Correct)**
- (c) The elders must be respected **by us** (no need for the doers)
- (d) Respect the elders we must (Incorrect sentence structure)

**Ans447.(d)** Some boys were helping the wounded man.

- (a) The wounded man **were** being helped by some boys (incorrect helping verb)
- (b) The wounded man was helped by some boys (Tense has changed)
- (c) The wounded man was being helped (Incomplete)

**(d) The wounded man was being helped by some boys (Correct)**

**Ans448.(d)** The boys were playing cricket when I called them.

- (a) Cricket **had been played** by the boys when they were called by me. (Tense has changed)
- (b) Cricket **has been played** by the boys when they were called by me. (Tense has changed)
- (c) Cricket **was played** by the boys when they were called by me. (Tense has changed)

**(d) Cricket was being played by the boys when they were called by me. (Correct)**

**Ans449.(d)** Students need good study skills to succeed in college.

- (a) Good study skills **need** to succeed in college. (Helping verb is missing)
- (b) **Good study** are needed to succeed in college. (Subject has changed)
- (c) Good study skills are needed **for succeeding** in college. (Tense has changed)
- (d) Good study skills are needed to succeed in college. (correct)

**Ans450.(c)** Tiny houses dot the landscape.

- (a) The landscape was dotted by tiny houses (Incorrect change of tense)
- (b) The landscape is being dotted by tiny houses (Incorrect change of tense)
- (c) The landscape is dotted by tiny houses (correct)
- (d) The landscape has been dotted by tiny houses (Incorrect change of tense)