

Find out the error part of the following sentences:

1. He, you and I (1) shall manage (2) this problem together (3) no error (4).
2. Was it him (1) who got injured (2) in an accident this morning? (3) no error (4)
3. I don't think (a) it is your house (b) It is somebody's else. (c) No error (d)
4. Intelligence, as well as knowledge of the subject (1) are required to grasp (2) the meaning of the book (3) No error (4)
5. In old age none of the relatives (1) are prepared to come (2) to the help of the old and the sick (3) No error (4)
6. I and Gopal (1) went to the meeting (2) together (3) no error (4)
7. The doctor advised me (1) that (2) I am going on a salt free diet. (3) No error (4)
8. In many respects, (1) India is different (2) than western countries (3) No error (4)
9. By the time (1) you arrive tomorrow (2) I have finished my work (3) No error (4)
10. Let us congratulate him (1) for his success (2) in the examination (3) No error (4)

Choose the nearest synonym.

11. AWKWARD

- A. ROUGH B. APT C. CLUMSY D. SILLFUL

12. BLAME

- A. APPLAUSB. C ENSURE C. PRAISE D. REPROVE

13. CHASTE

- A. DEFILED B. SECRED C. VIRTUOUS D. HONOURABLE

14. EMBRACE

- A. CLING B . ADOPT C. NEGLECT D . VIOLATE

15. Distinct.

- A. Dull B. Soothe C. Pure D. Clear

Select the word of group of words that is most **opposite** in meaning to the bold word of group of words in the given Sentences.

16. **Reckless** driving causes accidents.

(1) careful (2) slow (3) good (d) correct.

17. His **eloquent** speech helped him bag the award.

(1) lucid (2) vivid (3) short (4) inarticulate

18. This cloth is a **Coarse** of touch.

(1) delicate (2) rough (3) painful (4) harsh

19. I was upset by his **hostile** attitude.

(1) friendly (2) negative (3) positive (4) inimical.

20. Children **adore** the cricket players.

(1) discuss (2) condemn (3) benefit (4) check

Find one word -

21. Government by divine laws/lords –

1. neocracy 2. Oligarchy 3. Aristocracy 4. Monarchy

22. Live in relationship –

1. Adultery 2. Misogamist 3. Concubinage 4. Polyandry

23. Murder of one's sister –

1. Fratricide 2. Parricide 3. Regicide 4. Sororicide

24. Fear of male –

1. Androphobia 2. Agolophobia 3. Ergophobia 4. Cacophobia

25. A man who is womanish is his habit.

1. Cynic 2. Coquette 3. Highbrow 4. Effeminate

Choose the correct meaning of the idioms given in bold in the sentence.

26. After having finished the last project, I find myself **at a loose end**.

(1) happy (2) on vacation (3) free of troubles (4) with nothing to do.

27. His promotion is **on the cards**.

(1) due (2) evident (3) certain (4) probable

28. The soldiers fought **tooth and nail** to save their country.

(1) using unfair means (2) with strength and fury (3) with weapons (4) as best as they could

29. I am waiting for the old man to **Kick the bucket** so that I can get his money.

(1) to conclude (2) to kill (3) to die (4) to absolve

30. Some people have the habit of working **by fits and starts**.

(1) very seriously (2) excitedly (3) consistently (4) irregularly

Fill up the blanks with suitable prepositions from the alternatives given under each sentence.

31. He didn't lend me the newspaper because he was goingit.

(1) over (2) through (3) about (4) on

32. For the unity of the country discipline among the people is called.....

(1) forth (2) for (3) out (4) about

33. The fear the AIDS has brokenin India is not unfounded.

(1) up (2) about (3) out (4) into

34. I shall call.....your house tonight.

(1) on (2) over (3) at (4) to

35. I cannot comply.....your request.

(1) with (2) by (3) to (4) for

Find the right sequence.

36. 1. Indian has been a land

P. but in the sense that learning has always been very highly valued

Q. not indeed in the sense that education has been universal

R. and the learned man has been held in higher esteem

S. of learning throughout the ages

6. than the warrior or the administrator.

(1) P Q S R (2) R Q P S (3) R S Q P (4) S Q P R

37. 1. Religion has been used

P : both as weapon of isolation

Q : to dull awareness

R : about real problems

S : and as morphia

6. like education, health and employment.

(1) P Q R S (2) P S Q R (3) Q P S R (4) R P Q S

38. As the situation has changed,

P. since we last discussed this matter

Q. it was best to contact you

R. it appeared to me

S. without losing time.

(1) P Q R S (2) P R S Q (3) P R Q S (4) S P R Q

39. The natives of Caribbean

P. regarded the papaya

Q. because of its ability

R. as a magic tree

S. to keep them healthy

(1) P R S Q (2) P R Q S (3) R P Q S (4) R P S Q

40. 1. Inspite of an unprecedented boom in the market

P : and had to remain content

Q : the paper dealer could not

R : push up his sales

S : with a volume of sale lower than

6 : what he had sold the previous year

(1) Q R P S (2) S P R Q (3) P R Q S (4) R P S Q

Cloze Test. (fill appropriate word in the blank)

One of the major causes of the failure of41.....countries on economic front is their42.....to evolve a judicious mixture of43.....substitution and export promotion. Zambia which.....44.....on imports after its independence 20 years45.....has depleted 50% of its national46.....whereas South Korea, which started its.....47.....development from a war ravaged status ...48,.....the fifties by equalizing high exports.....49.....high imports, is one of the50.....nations today.

41. (1) developed (2) developing (3) advanced (4) advancing
42. (1) inability (2) disadvantage (3) incapacity (4) handicap
43. (1) scientific (2) invention (3) export (4) import
44. (1) expected (2) traded (3) banked (4) carried
45. (1) later (2) ago (3) earlier (4) since
46. (1) capital (2) deposit (3) income (4) credit
47. (1) financial (2) fiscal (3) economic (4) economical
48. (1) up to (2) over (3) on (4) in
49. (1) over (2) with (3) and (4) into
50. (1) richest (2) innovation (3) prolific (4) advancing.

