**Aligned Anki CSV Generation Prompt (v14 - English Language Edition)**

**I. Objective**

Generate an Anki-compatible CSV file for a set of practice questions based on the English language materials and benchmark question sets defined below. The output must be a series of correctly formatted text blocks (batches), delivered incrementally and ready for direct import into Anki, strictly adhering to all formatting and content rules.

**II. Configuration & Input Files**

*Instructions: To adapt this prompt for a new topic, edit the placeholder values in this section.*

* **Lecture Topic:** Advanced Grammar - Clauses and Punctuation
* **Primary Source File (Textbook/Style Guide):** EnglishGrammar\_StyleGuide.pdf
  + **Purpose:** The primary source for all grammatical rules, definitions, and correct usage examples. This file is the main authority on content.
* **Supplementary Source File (Slides):** Clauses\_Lecture\_Slides.pdf
  + **Purpose:** A secondary source for simplified explanations, diagrams of sentence structures, and key terms.
* **Benchmark Files:** Punctuation\_Quiz.html, Syntax\_Assignment.pdf
  + **Purpose:** A collection of files that collectively define the style, structure, and difficulty for all generated questions (e.g., error identification, rule application).

**III. Core Instructions**

**A. CRITICAL CSV STRUCTURE & FORMATTING (MANDATORY)**

* **File Format:** The output must be a series of text blocks, each formatted as an Anki-ready CSV file.
* **Encoding:** UTF-8.
* **CSV Rules:** Fields must be separated by a semicolon (;) and enclosed in double quotes ("). Internal double quotes must be escaped by doubling them (e.g., He said ""hello"").
* **Header Row:** The header row must be exactly: "Front";"Back";"Extra". This header must only appear as the first line of the very first batch.
* **HTML Tag Usage:** Strictly use only <ul>, <li>, <b>, <i>, and <br>. **DO NOT USE** any other tags like <p>, <pre>, or <blockquote>.
* **Formatting for Examples and Terms:** All example sentences and linguistic terms must be formatted correctly.
  + Use <i> to set apart example sentences (e.g., <i>The dog barked loudly.</i>).
  + Use <b> to draw attention to a specific word or part of a sentence being tested.
  + Use <br> only when a line break is necessary for clarity in the question or explanation.

**B. Flashcard Content Structure (Critical)**

* **"Front" Column:** Must contain the question and all necessary context in the following order:
  1. The question text (e.g., "Identify the error," "Choose the correct punctuation"). For multiple-correct-choice questions, include a phrase like "Select all that apply."
  2. If the question refers to a specific sentence, the sentence must be included and correctly formatted.
  3. The complete HTML list of multiple-choice options, structured as <ul><li>Option A</li><li>Option B</li>...</ul>.
* **"Back" Column:** Must contain only the correct answer identifier(s), using the strict format "Correct: a)" for single answers or "Correct: a), c)" for multiple answers.
* **"Extra" Column:** Must contain a detailed explanation of the grammatical rule and distractor rationale in the exact format: "<b>Explanation:</b> [Explanation text].<br><b>Distractor Rationale:</b><ul><li>[Rationale for option a]</li><li>[Rationale for option b]</li>...</ul>".

**C. Content and Sourcing Requirements**

* **Source Material:** All content must be based **only** on the provided source files.
* **Question Generation Strategy:**
  1. **Incorporate Benchmark Questions:** First, process every file in the **[Benchmark Files]** list. Convert all extracted questions into the Anki CSV format.
  2. **Analyze Style & Difficulty:** Analyze the benchmark questions to understand the required style (**rule-application, error identification, definition-based, sentence completion**) and difficulty. All newly generated questions must be of an equal or higher difficulty level.
  3. **Generate Additional Questions:** Create new questions to cover all the topics from the source materials not already addressed by the benchmarks. A significant portion must be multiple-correct-choice.
  4. **Meet Question Count:** The number of newly generated, additional questions must be **3 to 5 times** the total number of questions found in all **[Benchmark Files]** combined.

**IV. Output & Interaction Protocol (MANDATORY)**

1. **Generate First Batch:** Output the first batch of 20 questions, beginning with the header.
2. **Await Confirmation:** Pause and wait for user confirmation.
3. **Generate Subsequent Batches:** Upon confirmation, output the next batch of 20 questions without the header.
4. **Repeat** until all questions are delivered.
5. **Final Step:** Proceed immediately to the Self-Validation Protocol after the final batch.

**V. Raw CSV Example (Illustrating Correct Formatting for Language)**

Code snippet

"Front";"Back";"Extra"

"Which punctuation mark should be used to correctly complete the following sentence?<br><br><i>The team had three goals for the quarter <b>\_\_</b> increase user engagement, reduce server costs, and launch the new feature.</i><ul><li>a) ; (semicolon)</li><li>b) , (comma)</li><li>c) : (colon)</li><li>d) . (period)</li></ul>";"Correct: c)";"<b>Explanation:</b> A colon is used to introduce a list that explains or elaborates on the preceding independent clause. The first part of the sentence, ""The team had three goals for the quarter,"" is an independent clause that is directly explained by the list that follows.<br><b>Distractor Rationale:</b><ul><li>a) A semicolon is used to connect two closely related independent clauses, which is not the case here.</li><li>b) A comma would create a comma splice or be insufficient to introduce a formal list of this nature.</li><li>d) A period would incorrectly terminate the sentence before the explanatory list is provided.</li></ul>"

**VI. Self-Validation Protocol & Compliance Enforcement (MANDATORY)**

1. **Initiate Validation:** After the final batch, begin self-validation.
2. **Generate Compliance Report:** Generate a "**Compliance Report**" with a Compliance Status label and the checklist below, providing a brief confirmation for each point.
3. **Enforcement:** If non-compliant, state the issue and correct the output until compliance is achieved.

**Mandatory Compliance Checklist (Must be output in the chat window)**

* **File Format & Header:**
  + **Check:** Was the output a series of CSV text blocks with the header "Front";"Back";"Extra" appearing only on the first line of the first batch?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]
* **Delimiter & Quoting:**
  + **Check:** Do all fields use a semicolon separator and are all fields enclosed in double quotes?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]
* **HTML Tag Usage:**
  + **Check:** Is formatting restricted only to <ul>, <li>, <b>, <i>, <br>? Are all other tags completely avoided?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]
* **Example Formatting:**
  + **Check:** Are example sentences and key terms correctly formatted using <i> and <b> as per the guidelines?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]
* **Benchmark Inclusion:**
  + **Check:** Have all questions from both PDF and HTML benchmark files been correctly extracted and included?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]
* **Question Count:**
  + **Check:** Does the number of additional questions meet the 3x-5x guideline based on the total from all benchmark files?
  + **Confirmation:** [State total benchmark questions, total new questions, and confirm it meets the requirement.]
* **Self-Containment:**
  + **Check:** Does each card provide sufficient context to be answered independently?
  + **Confirmation:** [Provide brief confirmation]