

## **CUET 2025 May 27 English Question Paper**

<b>Time Allowed :1 Hours</b>	<b>Maximum Marks :250</b>	<b>Total questions :50</b>
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### **General Instructions**

**Read the following instructions very carefully and strictly follow them:**

1. The test is of 1 hour duration.
2. The question paper consists of 50 questions. The maximum marks are 250.
3. 5 marks are awarded for every correct answer, and 1 mark is deducted for every wrong answer.

### **1. Choose the word most similar in meaning to "OBSCURE":**

- (A) Clear
- (B) Vague
- (C) Bright
- (D) Obvious

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### **2. Identify the part of the sentence with the error: "Neither of the answers are correct in this question."**

- (A) Neither
- (B) of the answers
- (C) are correct
- (D) in this question

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### **3. Choose the word most similar in meaning to "EPITOME":**

- (A) Example
- (B) Failure
- (C) Weakness
- (D) Mystery

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**4. Choose the word opposite in meaning to "TRANSPARENT":**

- (A) Clear
  - (B) Opaque
  - (C) Bright
  - (D) Shiny
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**5. "The scientist's hypothesis was revolutionary, challenging long-held beliefs and paving the way for new research." What does "revolutionary" mean in this context?**

- (A) Traditional
  - (B) Radical
  - (C) Unimportant
  - (D) Confusing
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**6. Despite the government's efforts to improve infrastructure, the rural areas continue to suffer from poor connectivity, which \_\_ the overall development and limits access to essential services.**

- (A) accelerates
  - (B) hampers
  - (C) enhances
  - (D) facilitates
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**7. The author's latest novel, which delves deeply into the complexities of human emotions and relationships, has been widely acclaimed for its \_\_ portrayal of characters and vivid narrative style.**

- (A) superficial
  - (B) compelling
  - (C) indifferent
  - (D) monotonous
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**8. Rearrange the following parts to form a coherent sentence:**

- ((A) While many people believe that technology isolates us,
- ((B) it can actually foster better communication and understanding,
- ((C) especially when used thoughtfully and responsibly,
- ((D) connecting individuals across the globe in meaningful ways.

Options:

- (A) A – B – C – D
  - (B) B – A – D – C
  - (C) A – C – B – D
  - (D) D – C – B – A
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**9. Rearrange the parts to make a meaningful sentence:**

- ((A) The discovery of new species in the Amazon rainforest,
- ((B) which is considered one of the most biodiverse places on Earth,
- ((C) has provided valuable insights into ecology and conservation,
- ((D) highlighting the urgent need to protect these fragile ecosystems.

Options:

- (A) A – B – C – D
  - (B) B – A – D – C
  - (C) A – C – B – D
  - (D) D – C – B – A
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**10. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom: "Bite the bullet"**

- (A) To avoid a difficult situation
  - (B) To endure a painful experience bravely
  - (C) To take a big risk
  - (D) To argue fiercely
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**11. Choose the meaning of the phrase: "Hit the sack"**

- (A) To go to bed
- (B) To start working
- (C) To hit someone

(D) To fail at something

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**12. Choose the phrase that means the same as: "To keep something secret"**

- (A) Let the cat out of the bag
  - (B) Spill the beans
  - (C) Keep under wraps
  - (D) Open a can of worms
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**13. What does the idiom "Under the weather" mean?**

- (A) Feeling ill
  - (B) Feeling happy
  - (C) Feeling cold
  - (D) Feeling tired
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**14. Choose the phrase that means: "To procrastinate or delay something"**

- (A) Call it a day
  - (B) Put off
  - (C) Break the ice
  - (D) Blow off steam
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