# **Exercise - 01**Point out errors in the following sentences, if there is any:

- 1. We need to do more researches to find out the causes of the problem.
- 2. The government has commissioned a study to gather people's views on the new housing policy.
- 3. The department has purchased three new machineries for the main laboratory.
- 4. He throws the duster on the table.
- 5. He is standing under the tall eucalyptus tree.
- 6. She is willing to re-count her stories.
- 7. Bring the scale, we shall weight this.
- 8. He is the culprit; he gave all the informations to the HOD.
- 9. The news of the proposed restructuring have travelled quickly within the company in the past week.
- 10. To my opinion, the advertisements are more harmful than beneficial.
- 11.If I know it was going to rain like this, I would have stayed at home.
- 12. The patient died before the doctor had come.
- 13.I hope you will kind consider my application for a job in your company.

- 14. Would you mind go with me to the hospital?
- 15. The really hot weather effected everybody's ability to work.
- 16. They were very much in love and hoped to get married as soon as it could be arranged.
- 17. This is above my reach
- 18. There was no agreement for the copy protection
- 19. Students need to encourage to participate in class discussion
- 20. Harjeet lives in the end of the street
- 21.Bill has been worked in the company since 1980.
- 22.I love the winter when trees are covered by snows.

# Exercise - 02

- 1. I am living in Westerley since last September.
- 2. I have been in New York two weeks ago.
- 3. The phone rung while I was doing the dishes
- 4. I have received your letter last week.
- 5. If I had taken part, I will win the prize.
- 6. They have now reduce the number of projects on the highlands.
- 7. She gave a loud scream and fall over the chair.
- 8. We ate the chicken and also drunk the orange juice.
- 9. After this happen, we dared not go there again.

10. Has anyone tell you to knock before you enter?

# Exercise - 3:

- 1. While I am seeing television last night, someone called.
- 2. Valuable paintings were stole from the gallery.
- 3. I found that my furnitures have been searched.
- 4. I suddenly noticed that he has turned blue.
- 5. The car was damage badly in the accident.
- 6. Teenagers without guidance can be easily influence.
- 7. When my father was doing his work, we will not disturb him.
- 8. We had better went home now. It is late.
- 9. When I reached her house, she already left.
- 10. If I were you, I will see the headmaster.

# **Exercise 4:**

- 1. When you send the forms, you should included a photograph.
- 2. If you have a car, you can traveled around Singapore.
- 3. The thieves must had stolen the handphone.
- 4. Our group must climbed the hill.
- 6. Even when he is sad, he will jokes.
- 7. We must pray God for help.
- 8. Do I must to go?
- 9. You can leaving soon.

10. He can easily be recognized his old friends.

#### **Exercise 5:**

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- 1. They were boring by the film.
- 2. After tied up the thief, I called the police.
- 3. 'Stop cry or I will hit you,' he threatened.
- 4. This problem can be solved by control pollution.
- 5. I saw a man climbed over the gate.
- 6. Alina saw John tried to open the front door.
- 8. I saw my neighbor was standing by the door.
- 9. We had a very frightened experience.
- 10. I heard the child screamed.

#### Exercise - 6:

- 1. The teacher gave each of the student a test paper.
- 2. It's important for every students to have a dictionary.
- 3. Every furniture in that room is made of wood.
- 4. People's idea about values change.
- 5. We have a lot of works to do.
- 6. One of my mother's ring was also stolen.
- 7. She has a lot of jewelleries.
- 8. The businessman has bought a lot of properties.

9. It is wise to have a smaller amount of children.

# Exercise - 7:

- 1. I reached at Semantan Street.
- 2. About half past nine, we arrived the destination.
- 3. We heard a lot of noise among the jungles
- 4. We came out from the tree when it was safe.
- 5. They thanked to the family for helping them.
- 6. I screamed loudly to him.
- 7. She wants the best of us.
- 8. Parents need to spend more time on their children.
- 9. They are able to concentrate of their work.
- 10. They spend more time to caring for others.

# **Exercise 09:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> ( *Direct/ Indirect Questions* ) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. Tell the driver where do you want to go.
- 2. He wants to know what can he do.
- 3. I'll ask her what is the time.
- 4. We don't know why is he late.

- 5. Tell me where is the key.
- 6. I wonder what is she doing there.
- 7. Why they can't do it properly?
- 8. I understand why did he do it.
- 9. Can anyone tell me what is the story about?
- 10. Her mother is staying where?

#### **Exercise 10:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> (Adverbs / Connectors) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. Although he is tired but he wants to play.
- 2. The weather was such cold that I didn't go out.
- 3. It was too hot that I couldn't drink it.
- 4. Unless I study hard, I will pass all my exams.
- 5. Ronnie is my age wherelse Steve is younger than I.
- 6. Either Jack will call Susan or Bob.
- 7. He ate a lot because he was too hungry.
- 8. He completed the race in spite his injury.
- 9. Marie woke up late. Consequent she missed the train.
- 10. Smith is a poor man. Moreover he helps other poor people.

#### **Exercise 11:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> (*Parts of Speech*) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. It difference from one culture to another.
- 2. I realized it had <u>dead</u>.
- 3. It was so enjoy.
- 4. The <u>harmony</u> atmosphere made me feel good.
- 5. A child needs attention from their parents
- 6. On New Year's Eve me and my family have dinner together.
- 7. I spite of his <u>injured</u>, he decided to take part.
- 8. The river was more deep than I thought.
- 9. The tracks were much more width compared with the tiger's.
- 10. Compared with her, my handwriting is neater.

#### **Exercise 12:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> (Subject-verb Agreement) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. The sizes of houses <u>varies</u> according to the location.
- 2. He also <u>have</u> a pair of brown eyes.
- 3. He <u>look</u> very young although he is over 40 years.

- 4. There <u>are</u> no sharing of space.
- 5. A small family <u>have</u> a lot of advantages.
- 6. Her reason for leaving home were not clear.
- 7. There is a lot of differences between them.
- 8. People in the West doesn't know much about us.
- 9. My father don't like people who lie.
- 10. Who want to read the book first.

#### **Exercise 13:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> (Vocabulary /Collocation ) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. If you give more care and attention, it would fruit a better child.
- 2. They have increased the bus fees.
- 3. It's too late to alter any mistakes done.
- 4. You can see dos wondering around our house.
- 5. The desert was delicious.
- 6. Every necessary step must be done.
- 7. They should do their responsibilities well.
- 8. He is an <u>oversea</u> graduate.
- 9. This scheme has <u>larger</u> advantages
- 10. We heard the voice of a gun.

#### **Exercise 14:**

Each of the following sentences contains <u>an error</u> (Word Order) which has been underlined. Write out the correct answer.

- 1. Accidents are easier to happen when motorists speed.
- 2. The cost of living nowadays is at a very high rate.
- 3. We saw one tiger was approached to us.
- 4. For instance, Russia and China they are Communists.
- 5. Teacher asked some question to the class.
- 6. Hank do first.
- 7. The address after the name what you should put.
- 8. All of you finished?
- 9. What kind of children did they get this award?
- 10. He is tall and rugged looking man walked towards me.

#### **Exercise 15:**

- 1. You can find the toys in the children department.
- 2. <u>Luggages are</u> sold cheaply here.
- 3. Although I love my family but I get feed up with them sometimes.
- 4. He told me don't do it.

- 5. I went the shopping alone.
- 6. I have spend all my money.
- 7. Some animals might attacked if they are provoked.
- 8. The man were able to pull out the child quickly
- 9. The rings is bigger than her fingers.
- 10. The men were kind because he knew what it was to be homeless.

#### **Exercise 16:**

- 1. It <u>cause</u> the crack to become wider.
- 2. The gold did not shone brightly because it was dirty.
- 3. Rubies and diamond is known as jewels.
- 4. They found the footprints <u>lefted</u> by the tiger.
- 5. Raymond shoes because dirty because of the mud.
- 6. <u>Jewel</u> is a precious stone.
- 7. Her son <u>are</u> an only child.
- 8. Things <u>leave</u> behind by the visitors were handed to him.
- 9. The sun was not shine brightly.
- 10. She is no time to call anyone.

# **Exercise 17:**

1. It was difficult to breath because of the smoke.

- 2. The books which was found belong to Raynie.
- 3. The jewellery was not <u>make</u> of gold but of silver.
- 4. The exposed slope was <u>covering</u> with plastic sheets.
- 5. People who <u>lives</u> in the east are mainly farmers.
- 6. I need a scissors.
- 7. Everyone must do their work.
- 8. Which group want to do it first?
- 9. Young people today have so <u>much</u> problems.
- 10. There should be more understanding between one and other.

# Exercise - 18:

- 1. He was quite amusing when he heard what had happened.
- 2. <u>Turn</u> left <u>by</u> the crossroads <u>when</u> you reach <u>it</u>.
- 3. He has been working here for sometimes.
- 4. He stopped to see if he could picked up the trail.
- 5. Although he jumped aside, but the stone hit him.
- 6. I decided to climbed to the top of the hill to get a better view.
- 7. He jumped down after shouted a warning to those standing below.
  - 8. After a few minutes, I look up and saw that it was getting dark.
- 9. I saw the blind man crossed the busy road without any help.
- 10. The robber gave the victim with a hard blow.

#### **Exercise 19:**

- 1. There were marks on the snow but it were unrecognizable.
- 2. He <u>lead</u> me to the <u>rear</u> of the shop where more <u>goods</u> were <u>stacked</u>.
  - 3. The branch struck him hard and lay him unconscious.
- 4. The <u>sudden</u> noise <u>frightened</u> the baby <u>and</u> made it <u>to</u> cry.
- 5. The dog <u>wagged</u> it's tail when it <u>saw</u> me <u>approaching</u>.
- 6. There was signs of neglect showing that no one was living there.
- 7. After a few moment, the woman opened the window and looked out curiously.
- 8. <u>Can</u> you write an <u>article</u> to be <u>include</u> in the next <u>issue</u> of the magazine?
- 9. <u>Decided</u> to leave, I <u>packed</u> my clothes and <u>left</u> a note to say <u>I had gone</u>.
- 10. One of the former student donated a large sum of money to the school.

# Exercise 20:

- 1. The fire spread quickly, destroy three houses within minutes.
- 2. She <u>crossed</u> the road without <u>looking</u> and was <u>knock</u> down <u>by</u> a car. 3. He got <u>out</u> of the car, <u>than</u> he <u>locked</u> it and <u>walked</u> to the office.
- 4. I <u>hope</u> you will <u>kind consider</u> my application for a <u>job</u> in your company.

- 5. If I know it was going to rain like this, I would have stayed at home.
  6. To my opinion advertisements are more harmful than beneficial.
- 7. The crowd was <u>little</u> and I <u>had no</u> difficulty in getting a good <u>seat</u>.
- 8. Mrs Salmah <u>bought</u> a lot of <u>furnitures</u> at the <u>sale</u> for her <u>new</u> house. 9. If you go I'm sure you <u>will</u> find <u>it enjoy</u>.
- 10. Would you mind go with me to the hospital?

#### **Exercise 21:**

- 1. The shop <u>assistance</u> was very <u>helpful</u> and I was able to buy what I <u>wanted</u>.
- 2. Have you <u>wrote</u> a reply <u>to</u> your grandmother <u>to thank</u> her for the <u>present</u>?
- 3. My father told me don't stay out late at night with my friends.
- 4. We have to do it <u>ourself</u> as there are not <u>enough</u> workers to finish it <u>on</u> time.
- 5. Amy sits besides me in class while Sita is behind me.
- 6. We are <u>grateful</u> <u>for</u> Mrs Halimah for <u>helping</u> us to win the <u>interschool</u> debate.
- 7. When Rahman reached to home, he realized that no one was there.