

**Aptitude Advanced**

# Grammar

**Assignment 01**

## Grammar Practice Assignment 01

**Directions for questions 1 to 10:** Read this sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical mistake/error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. Mark the part with the error as your answer. If there is no error, mark 'No error' as your answer.

1. Although/ these boys are twins, / they don't tend/  
1                      2                                      3

thinking alike /No Error  
4                      5

2. It is not necessary /that you must take/ an entrance  
1                                      2                                      3  
examination to secure/admission to a Business  
4

school /No Error  
5

3. I /did not like/she/ leaving early /No Error  
1                      2                      3                      4                      5

4. Please try to understand/that the dispute on this  
1                                      2

issue is between me /and nobody else/ No error.

3

4

5. In the interim period, various student groups, in small numbers, / met me and informed me that the notice for

1

2

strike/ was issued without proper consultation /No

3

4

error.

6. He enquired me/why I did not seen him the previous/

1

2

day as I had promised to do/ No error.

3

4

7. Samir, who is a close friend of mine/told me that he

1

2

could smell / the rice from a distance of fifty yards while

3

coming to my house/ No error.

4

8. Most of the members at the meeting felt/ that the

1

2

group appointed for investigating the case/were not

3

competent to do the job efficiently/ No error.

4

9. I had hoped to have met him yesterday/ to discuss

1

2

the matter with him/but he was not in his house and

3

so I could not meet him./No error.

4

10. I fail to understand/why he replied in negative/when

1

2

the proposal was in his favor /No error.

3

4

## Grammar Practice Assignment 01- Answer Key and Explanations

Q No.	Key	Explanation
1.	4	to think alike as after 'tend' the preposition 'to' is required.
2.	2	that you take. 'Must' is redundant here.
3.	3	like her leaving as possessive pronoun instead of subject pronoun is required.
4.	2	'my' should be replaced with 'me' as object pronoun is required.
5.	4	The sentence is correct.
6.	1	'enquired' should be replaced with 'enquired of' as it is standard phrase.
7.	4	The sentence is correct.
8.	3	'were' should be replaces with 'was'.
9.	1	'have met' should be replaced with 'to meet'.
10.	1	'fail' should be replaced with 'failed'.