MCQ1: One of the options is an advantage which reading of books offers a learner Answer: Enlightenment

MCQ2: One of these options is a means through which a student can access facts Answer: Rumination

MCQ3: Which of these options reflects a robust reading culture? Answer: Extensive informative reading

MCQ4: One of these options is an apt description of the speed of eye movement displayed in skimming or scanning

Answer: Slow

MCQ5: Which one of these speed options is recommended for reading of novel? Answer: Slow

MCQ6: One of these options could be used to establish connection when jotting down points during a lecture

Answer: Numbers

MCQ7: One of these options could be used to establish connection when jotting down points during a lecture

Answer: Numbers

MCQ8: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: how did the city DEGENERATE to a war theatre? Answer: Transform

MCQ9: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: Their GROUSE was that the minister came two days ago Answer: Complaint

MCQ10: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: Uche has the POTENTIAL of being a scientist Answer: Energy

MCQ11: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: We are no longer the OPTIMISTIC men who hoped to conquer and change the world

Answer: Positive

MCQ12: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: the EMISSION of gas in the area has been widely condemned Answer: Processing

MCQ13: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: the prolonged DEBILITATING sickness eventually led to her death Answer: Incurable

MCQ14: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: he ANTICIPATED his sack long before the letter was given to him

Answer: Feared

MCQ15: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the

capitalised word in the sentence: they preferred the SEDENTARY life of the rural

area

Answer: Active

MCQ16: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the

capitalised word in the sentence: the rebels DISLODGED the residents from their

homes last year Answer: Relocated

MCQ17: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the

capitalised word in the sentence: it is of no use SPECULATING about the outcome

of the election

Answer: Worrying about

MCQ18: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: he is such a RECALCITRANT student

Answer: Uncontrollable

MCQ19: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the capitalised word in the sentence: he looked MOROSE on her wedding day

Answer: Annoyed

MCQ20: Choose the alternative you think best gives the meaning of the

capitalised word in the sentence: tayo is PROFICIENT at his work

Answer: Sluggish

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Answer: Village life on a rainy day

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Answer: Sentence 2

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Answer: Famous

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Answer: Lots of activities

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Answer: Descriptive technique

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Answer: Neutral

MCQ28: Retrieving of data is closely associated with one of these fields

Answer: Business

MCQ29: When a listener attains one of these options, s/he can draw conclusions

Answer: Evaluation

MCQ30: What is the term used to refer to the short summary of a research which a

writer is required to include in her/his book

Answer: Acknowledgements

MCQ31: One of the options below is an example of a visual reading material

Answer: Tables

MCQ32: Which of the options below has the meaning of the underlined expression in the sentence: the presenter told Ade to HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD when he said

working in a rural area could be a challenge Answer: Talk in detail about the challenge

MCQ33: Which of the expressions below is in the correct form

Answer: You can't eat your cake and have it

MCQ34: Which of the expressions below is in the correct form

Answer: Make hay while the sun shines

MCQ35: Which of the options below has the meaning of the underlined expression in the sentence: charles is talking with his angry boss right now - no doubt he

is IN THE EYE OF THE STORM right now

Answer: Charles is trying to calm his boss down

Fill in the Blank MCOs:

FCQ1: \_\_\_\_\_ reading speed requires that the reader pays attention to specific

details

Answer: \*Study\*

FCQ2: A material that is not so difficult will require a(n) \_\_\_ speed

Answer: \*Average\*

FCQ3: Headings and \_\_\_\_ are important in ascertaining the vital points of a

lecture

Answer: \*Sub-headings\*

FCQ4: The words which an individual knows and uses make up her/his \_

Answer: \*Vocabulary\*

FCQ5: A major way to increase speed in reading is to \_\_\_ until one becomes

perfect

Answer: \*Practise\*

\_\_\_ is the prefix in the word: misadventure

Answer: \*Mis-\*

FCQ7: \_\_\_\_ is the prefix in the word: submarine

Answer: \*Sub-\*

FCQ8: \_\_\_\_ is the prefix in the word reverse

Answer: \*Re-\*

FCQ9: \_\_\_ is the suffix in the word humanitarianism

Answer: \*-ism\*

FCQ10: \_\_\_\_ is the suffix in the word goats Answer: \*-s\*

\_\_ is the strategy which involves a writer giving a reader copious

words that will help her/him arrive at the meaning of a new word

Answer: \*Lexical familiarisation\*

FCQ12: \_\_\_\_ is commonly described as the student's companion

Answer: *Dictionary*
FCQ13: Words which are specific to a particular field is known as Answer: *Register*
FCQ14: Judicial, guilty and jury are words associated with the field Answer: *Legal*
FCQ15: Mental, eccentric and competence are words that are associated with the field of Answer: *Psychology*
FCQ16: Subconscious, patient and diagnosis are words that are associated with the field Answer: *Medical*
FCQ17: Tertiary, lesson and pupil are words that are associated with the field of Answer: *Education*
FCQ18: Assets, purchase and debit are words that are associated with field Answer: *Accounting*
FCQ19: Molecules, cells and dissect are words that are associated with the field of Answer: *Natural science*
FCQ20: Long written stories are commonly called Answer: *Novels*
FCQ21: Narrative texts tell Answer: *Stories*
FCQ22: A writer can keep her/his readers in a state of by making them wonder what will happen next Answer: *Suspense*
FCQ23: Any textbook written in order to explain theoretical concepts will likely adopt the style Answer: *Expository*
FCQ24: When only words are used in a presentation, then it can be said that the form of communication has been adopted Answer: *Verbal*
FCQ25: Technical words will be used more in one of the options in parenthesis (arts; science) Answer: *Science*
FCQ26: To be able to interpret the meaning of a text, the reader must have basic of the text Answer: *Understanding*
FCQ27: reading speed is required when a reader wants to read for critical evaluation of a text Answer: *Study*
FCQ28: One of the options in parenthesis (science; humanities) is more prone to the use of symbols Answer: *Science*
FCQ29: The symbol @ is commonly used in the social media to stand for the word
Answer: *At*

FCQ30: A large number of data could be stored in a data Answer: *Bank*
FCQ31: The process of a diagram requires that the student pays attention to that part of the diagram mentioned by the lecturer Answer: *Labelling*
FCQ32: A will be needed to illustrate changes in the temperature Answer: *Chart*
FCQ33: The ideas of a lecture could be expanded during examinations Answer: *Man*
FCQ34: Speed and are required for effective reading activity Answer: *Accuracy*
FCQ35: is the term which refers to words which come before or after a new word and which help a reader to know the meaning of the new word in the reading material  Answer: *Context*