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Question 14

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Turn the following sentence into passive voice.

The teachers informed the students that the class is cancelled.

The students were informed that the class is cancelled by the teachers.

Question 15

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Turn the following sentence into passive voice.

An advisory board drafted the agreement between the management and the workers.

The agreement between the management and the workers was drafted by an advisory board.

Question 16

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Turn the following sentence into passive voice.

He was not feeding the dogs.

The dogs were not being fed by him.



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The school administrators will administer the survey instrument.

the survey instrument will be administered by the school administrators.

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They'll serve you lunch on the plane.

you will be served lunch on the plane by them.

Question 13

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People in Britain send 350 million letters every year.

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Question 7

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When John's father died, I went to work every day at lunch but they made time for me. I didn't mind it. I thought it was funny to mess up work a little.

Select one:

- ☐ a. father's, died, funny, died
- ☐ b. to mess up, to, father's, died
- ☒ c. died, to, funny, to mess up

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Question 16

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

We should spray our homes with insecticide to kill flies.

Select one:

- ☒ a. Our homes should be sprayed with insecticide to kill the flies.
- ☐ b. Our homes should being sprayed with insecticide to kill the flies.
- ☐ c. Our homes should been sprayed with insecticide to kill the flies.

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Question 14

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Our Orientation programme generates positive vibes and cohesion among freshers.

Select one:

- ☒ a. Positive vibes and cohesion are generated among freshers by our Orientation programme
- ☐ b. Positive vibes and cohesion have being generated among freshers by our Orientation programme.
- ☐ c. Positive vibes and cohesion are being generated among freshers by our Orientation programme.

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Question 3

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Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most accurate answer from the choices given.

In fact, since there're so many possible explanations, the correct one is most difficult to find out.

Select one:


- ☐ a. in fact, possible, find out
- ☐ b. there're, so many, difficult
- ☒ c. so many, find out, there're

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Question 13

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Scientists were testing the battery when it exploded.

Select one:

- ☐ a. The battery is being tested when it exploded.
- ☐ b. The battery was been tested when it exploded.
- ☒ c. The battery was being tested when it exploded.

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Question 2

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Isabel and other participants were over the moon to get the questionnaire over with.

Select one:

- ☐ a. over the moon, participants
- ☐ b. participants, over with, questionnaire
- ☒ c. get over with, over the moon

Lecturers often use various intonations when they want to stress an important point.

emphasize ▼

Only a small section of the competitors in the Olympic Games actually win a medal.

Fraction ▼

Outsourcing will not completely get rid of the problem of costly overheads within companies.

eliminate ▼

The result of the experiment was a complete surprise to everyone.

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occupied ▼

There are still ten...



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Most times hackers don't attempt to steal one's money or land, but they create false accounts and destroy or change files. They think it's funny to mess up one's e-mail.

Select one:

- ☐ a. hackers , steal , funny , don't
- ☐ b. to mess up , it's , hackers , steal
- ☒ c. don't , it's , funny , to mess up

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Question 10

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

King Parakramabahu I invaded Myanmar in 1164 AC.

Select one:

- ☒ a. Myanmar was invaded by King Parakramabahu I in 1164 AC.
- ☐ b. Myanmar had been invaded by King Parakramabahu I in 1164 AC.
- ☐ c. King Parakramabahu I was invaded by Myanmar in 1164 AC.

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Question 11

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Students were feeding stray dogs in the canteen last night.

Select one:

- ☐ a. Stray dogs had been fed in the canteen last night.
- ☒ b. Stray dogs were being fed in the canteen last night.
- ☐ c. Stray dogs were fed in the canteen last night.

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Question 9

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The reaction of the MD toward the employee's report was sort of bad.

Select one:

- ☐ a. MD , sort of , toward
- ☒ b. sort of , bad , MD
- ☐ c. bad , toward , reaction

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Question 12

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Were human activities threatening Hikkaduwa coral reef in 1970's ?

Select one:

- ☐ a. Had Hikkaduwa Coral reef threatened by human activities in 1970's ?
- ☐ b. Did human activities threaten Hikkaduwa coral reef in 1970's ?
- ☒ c. Was Hikkadauwa coral reef being threatened by human activities in 1970's ?

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- ☒ c. don't , it's , funny , to mess up

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Question 6

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Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most appropriate choices given.

A touch of "color engineering" can make a product or ad look spiffy and sharpen its tear-jerking

Select one:

- ☒ a. ad , spiffy , tear jerking
- ☐ b. look , tear jerking , spiffy
- ☐ c. touch , make , ad



Question 8

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Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most accurate answer from the choices given.

Researchers have found out that branding is a powerful tool which has become part and parcel of both consumer buying patterns and company's boot.

Select one:

- ☒ a. found out , part and parcel , boot
- ☐ b. found out , boot , tool
- ☐ c. company's , part and parcel , powerful

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There are still too many countries which regularly break up their citizens' human rights.

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Question 5

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Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most accurate answer from the choices given.

The press reflected the living culture of people; it could influence the opinion and reinforce existing attitudes but it didn't come up with trendy forms of entertainment.

Select one:

- ☐ a. new, trendy, come up
- ☒ b. didn't, come up, trendy
- ☐ c. didn't, trendy, new

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Question 15

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Schools are training future leaders capable of steering the country out of economic recession.

Select one:

- ☐ a. Future leaders capable of steering the country out of economic recession have trained by the schools.
- ☐ b. Future leaders capable of steering the country out of economic recession has trained by the schools.
- ☒ c. Future leaders capable of steering the country out of economic recession are being trained by the schools.

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conserve

On the basis of their examination results, it was clear that most students had completely misunderstood the first part of the paper.

Choose...

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Choose... ▼

A recent survey has found that most people have only a blurred understanding of how and why we study theoretical science.

Choose... ▼

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Choose the best ending for each of the sentence extracts. Remember that there are 3 extra answers.

The demonstrators refused to **disperse**...

Choose...

Nowadays, most people have a more favourable **attitude**...

Choose...

Some environmentalists have a very bleak **vision**...

Choose...

The Earth **rotates**...

Choose...

It is better to work at a constant rate and to **maintain**...

Choose...

If a family moves abroad, the children often **adapt**...

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Research and technology is a **valuable** source of...

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for the unemployed
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One way in which
some countries can
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Choose...

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child workers by paying them very low wages.

although the police were heavily armed and very aggressive.

this during the year rather than to try to learn everything the night before the examinations.

on its axis once every 24 hours.

within society and can lead to violence.

of the monarchy to life in modern society.

to their new environment more quickly than their parents.

of the future, while others are much more optimistic.

more people from the unemployment totals.

towards women having top positions in the workplace.

local companies in developing economies willing to act as partners.

to London, Edinburgh and Cardiff.

of relativity, which completely changed our ideas of time and space.

very quickly because new technology emerges so fast.

rather than rigid in their views tend to be more successful.

Substitute the underlined word/phrase with a formal word/phrase given in the box.

In the twentieth century, Britain changed day by day from an industrial economy into a service economy.

The staff is looking into the problem.

The people have no understanding of what the issue is about.

Increasingly, employers are keen to recruit people who have at least a basic ability in computing.

The witness was so nervous that he refused to give evidence when the case came to court.

It is absolutely essential that you check your examination entries to make sure they are correct.

Some students will stay up all night to finish their work, but it is impossible to maintain this for very long and so it is not recommended.

The prisoner said repeatedly that he was innocent until he was released.

Because of the possible link between disease in cows and humans, many companies stopped trading in British beef and associated products.

Buildings in places such as California have to be strengthened so that they will not collapse in the event of an earthquake.

Because of reports that the meat was not safe, all sales were paused until more tests could be carried out.

Salaries and inflation are closely linked, in that as one rises or falls so does the other.

Some products are exported and may not be available at all in the home market.

It is imperative to concentrate in meetings so as to catch the important issues.

Because of its economic and military strength, the USA exercises considerable influence over world politics.

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Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most accurate answer from the choices given.

"Over and over, I'd read her account of the turning point in her career—the night she got her first standing ovation, hours after being dumped by her fiancé because she wouldn't quit acting."

Select one:

- ☒ a. Over and over, dumped by, fiancé, wouldn't
- ☐ b. Dumped by, fiancé, wouldn't quit
- ☐ c. Over and over, to dumped by, fiancé, wouldn't quit
- ☐ d. Over and over, to dumped by, wouldn't quit

Identify words or phrases that are inappropriate in academic writing. Select the most accurate answer from the choices given.

The planners had a look at the report and said that it was cool because it was clear that the team had done a lot.

Select one:

- ☒ a. a look at, cool, had done a lot
- ☐ b. a look at, said, cool, clear, had done a lot
- ☐ c. a look at, cool, clear, had done a lot
- ☐ d. a look at, said, cool, had done a lot



Question 25

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Underline the correct passive form for the active voice sentence given below.

Will you tell me the ingredients of this recipe?

Select one:

- ☒ a. Will the ingredients of this recipe be told to me by you?
- ☐ b. Will the ingredients of the recipe been told to me by you?
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