NARRATION PRACTISE SET

1. The old man Latur said, "Alas, my only son is dead!"

- (A) The old man of Latur exclaimed with sorrow that his only son was dead
- (B) The old man of Latur told with pain that his only son was dead
- (C) The old man of Latur expressed with anguish that his only son was dead
- (D) The old man of Latur sorrowfully narrated that his only son was dead

2. The Chief Minister said, "What a terrible disaster the earthquake is!"

- (A) The Chief Minister cried that the earthquake was a terrible disaster
- (B) The Chief Minister expressed with surprise that the earthquake was a terrible disaster
- (C) The Chief Minister exclaimed with sorrow that the earthquake was a terrible disaster
- (D) The Chief Minister told in pain that the earthquake was a terrible disaster

3. "Many happy returns of your birthday", we said.

- (A) We greeted him on his birthday
- (B) We said that many happy returns of your birthday
- (C) We wished him many happy returns of his birthday
- (D) We prayed for many happy returns of his birthday

4. Shanker said to his friend, "Look out! There is a snake behind you."

- (A) Shanker told his friend to look out as there was a snake behind him
- (B) Shanker exclaimed to his friend with surprise that there was a snake behind him
- (C) Seeing a snake behind him, Shanker asked his friend to look out
- (D) Shanker warned his friend that there was a snake behind him

5. "Doctor", the patient cried, "please tell me how much time I have."

- (A) The patient pleaded the doctor how much time she will have
- (B) The patient exclaimed to the doctor that how much time she had
- (C) The patient pleaded with the doctor to tell her how much time she had
- (D) The patient cried to the doctor that how much time had she

6. "So help me Heaven!" he cried, "I never steal again."

- (A) He wanted Heaven to help him so that he would never steal again
- (B) He exclaimed to Heaven that he would never steal again
- (C) He exclaimed Heaven to help him that he would never steal again
- (D) He called upon Heaven to witness his resolve never to steal again

7. She said, "I'II give you Rs. 100/- to keep your mouth shut."

- (A) She said that she would give him Rs. 100/- to keep his mouth shut
- (B) She offered him Rs. 100/- to keep his mouth shut
- (C) She suggested to him that she would give him Rs. 100/- to keep his mouth shut
- (D) She proposed that she would given him Rs. 100/- to keep his mouth shut

8. "From one of the windows of my flat I can see the Qutub Minar", said my friend.

(A) My friend told that from one of the windows of his flat he could see the Qutub Minar

- (B) My friend said that from one of the windows of his flat he can see the Qutub Minar
- (C) My friend said that from one of the windows of his flat he could see the Qutub Minar
- (D) My friend told that from one of the windows of his flat he can see the Qutub Minar

9. The teacher said to the students, "Why were you absent yesterday?

- (A) The teacher asked the student why had been he absent the previous day
- (B) The teacher asked the student why had he been absent the previous day
- (C) The teacher informed the student that why he had been absent the next day
- (D) The teacher asked the student why he had been absent the previous day

10. The teacher said to Ashok, "I shall report the matter to the Principal if you misbehave again."

- (A) The teacher told Ashok that he would be reporting the matter to the Principal if he misbehaved again
- (B) The teacher warned Ashok that he would report the matter to the Principal if he misbehaved again
- (C) The teacher threatened Ashok to report the matter to the Principal if he would misbehave again
- (D) The teacher cautioned Ashok about reporting the matter to the Principal if he misbehaved again

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Q1. The Colonel said to the soldier, "Next month' you will be promoted."

- (a) The Colonel commanded the soldier that he must be promoted.
- (b) The Colonel told the soldier he would be promoted the following month.
- (c) The Colonel promised the soldier that he would promote him next month.
- (d) The Colonel said the soldier will be promoted the following month.

Q2. Manu said, "I am busy now".

- (a) Manu said that he was busy then.
- (b) Manu said that he is busy now.
- (c) Manu said that he was busy now.
- (d) Manu told that he was busy now.

Q3. He said to me, "where are you going?"

- (a) He told me where I was going.
- (b) He asked me where I was going.
- (c) He told to me where he was going.
- (d) He asked him where was he going?

Q4.I told him that he was not working hard.

- (a) I said to him, "You are not working hard."
- (b) I told to him, "You are not working hard."
- (c) I said, "You are not working hard."
- (d) I said to him, "He is not working hard."

Q5. Gita said, "This is my book".

- (a) Gita said that this is her book.
- (b) Gita told that this was her book.
- (c) Gita said that it was her book.
- (d) Gita said that this was her book.

Q6. He said to me, "I am sorry to hear that you have lost your dog."

- (a) He told me I was sorry I had lost my dog.
- (b) He was sorry I had lost the dog.

- (c) He comforted me on the death of my dog.
- (d) He sympathized with me on hearing I had lost my dog.

Q7. He replied, "I have promised to reward my servants."

- (a) He replied that he had promised to reward my servants.
- (b) He promised that he would reward his servants.
- (c) He replied that he had promised to reward his servants.
- (d) He had promised that he would reward his servants.

Q8. "This is the best book I've ever read," the professor told the class.

- (a) The professor told the class that that was the best book they could ever read.
- (b) The professor told the class that that was the best book he would ever read.
- (c) The professor told the class that this was the best book he had ever read.
- (d) The professor told the class that it was the best book he had ever read.

Q9. "It is a pleasure to do business with you", He said

- (a) He said that it was a pleasure to do business with me.
- (b) He said that it is a pleasure to do business with you.
- (c) He conveyed the pleasure to do business with you.
- (d) He wondered at the pleasure to do business with you.

Q10. Rahim said, "I will watch a horror movie tonight".

- (a) Rahim said that he will watch a horror movie tonight.
- (b) Rahim said that he would watch a horror movie tonight.
- (c) Rahim said that he would watch a horror movie that night.
- (d) Rahim said that he should watch a horror movie tonight.

Q11. He said to his friends, "Let us go out."

- (a) He requested his friends to go out.
- (b) He proposed to his friends that they should go out.
- (c) He suggested that his friends should go out.
- (d) He proposed for his friends to go out.

Q12. The teacher said, "The earth revolves round the sun."

- (a) The teacher told that the earth had revolved round the sun.
- (b) The teacher said that the earth revolves round the sun.
- (c) The teacher informed that the earth revolved round the sun.
- (d) The teacher said that the earth has been revolving round the sun.

Q13. The boys are sure to say, "We are going by ourselves."

- (a) The boys will say that we are going by ourselves.
- (b) The boys will say that they are going by themselves.
- (c) The boys will say that they were going by themselves.
- (d) The boys will say that they would be going by themselves.

Q14. My friend said to me, "Beware of cheats."

- (a) My friend assured me to beware of cheats.
- (b) My friend told me to beware of cheats.
- (c) My friend warned me against cheats.
- (d) My friend asked me if I was beware of cheats.

Q15. Socrates said, "Virtue is its own reward."

- (a) Socrates said that virtue had its own rewards.
- (b) Socrates says that virtue is its own reward.
- (c) Socrates said that virtue is its own reward.
- (d) Socrates said that virtue was its own reward.

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- (a) He urged them to be quiet and listen to his words.
- (b) He urged them and said be quiet and listen to words.
- (c) He said they should be quiet and listen to his words.
- (d) He said you should be quiet and listen to my words.
- Q2. He said to me, "I have often told you not to play with fire."
- (a) He said that he has often been telling me not to play with fire.
- (b) He told me that he had often told me not to play with fire.
- (c) He reminded me that he often said to me not to play with fire.
- (d) He said to me that he often told me not to play with fire.
- Q3. The Captain said to his men, "Stand at ease."
- (a) The Captain urged his men to stand at ease.
- (b) The Captain wanted his men to stand at ease.
- (c) The Captain told his men that they should stand at ease.
- (d) The Captain commanded his men to stand at ease.
- Q4. Pawan said to me, "If I hear any news, I'll phone you."
- (a) Pawan told me that if he heard any news, he will phone me.
- (b) Pawan told me that if he will hear any news he will phone me.
- (c) Pawan told me if he had heard any news, he would phone me.
- (d) Pawan told me that if he heard any news, he would phone me.
- Q5. The teacher said to Mahesh, "Congratulations! Wish you success in life."
- (a) The teacher congratulated Mahesh and said wish you success in life.
- (b) The teacher wished congratulations and success in life to Mahesh.
- (c) The teacher said congratulations to Mahesh and wished him success in life.
- (d) The teacher congratulated Mahesh and wished him success in life.
- Q6. The poor examinee said, "O God, take pity on me."
- (a) The poor examinee prayed God to take pity on him.
- (b) The poor examinee, invoking God, implored him to take pity on him.
- (c) The poor examinee exclaimed that God take pity on him.
- (d) The poor examinee asked God to take pity on him.
- Q7. "Where will you be tomorrow," I said, "in case I have to ring you?"
- (a) I asked where you will be the next day in case I will ring him.
- (b) I asked where he would be the next day in case I had to ring him.
- (c) I said to him where he will be in case I have to ring him.
- (d) I enquired about his whereabouts the next day in case I would have to ring up.
- Q8. Seeta said to me, "Can you give me your pen?"
- (a) Seeta asked me can I give her my Pen.
- (b) Seeta asked me if I can give me your pen.
- (c) Seeta asked me if I could give her my pen.
- (d) Seeta asked me if I gave her my pen.
- Q9. The father warned his son that he should be beware of him.
- (a) The father warned his son, "Beware of him?"
- (b) The father warned his son, "Watch that chap!"
- (c) The father warned his son, "Be careful about him."

- (d) The father warned his son, "Don't fall into the tap."
- Q10. Manna asked Rohan, "Have you sat in a trolley bus before?"
- (a) Manna asked Rohan whether he had sat in a trolley bus earlier.
- (b) Manna asked Rohan had he sat in a trolley bus before.
- (c) Manna asked Rohan if he sat on a trolley bus before.
- (d) Manna asked Rohan if he has ever sat in a trolley bus.
- Q11. Farhan asked Geeta, "Could you lend me a hundred rupees until tomorrow?"
- (a) Farhan asked Geeta whether she could lend him a hundred rupees until tomorrow.
- (b) Farhan asked Geeta whether she could lend him a hundred rupees until the next day.
- (c) Farhan asked Geeta whether she could lend me a hundred rupees until the next day.
- (d) Farhan asked whether Geeta could lend me a hundred rupees until the next day.
- Q12. "What about going for a swim", he said, "It's quite fine now."
- (a) He asked me what about going for a swim as it was quite fine then.
- (b) He proposed going for a swim as it was quite fine.
- (c) He suggested going for a swim as it was quite fine.
- (d) He advised me to go for a swim as it was quite fine.
- Q13. "You can't bathe in this sea," he said to me, "it's very rough."
- (a) He said that I can't bathe in this sea because it's very rough.
- (b) He said that you couldn't bathe in that sea if it was very rough.
- (c) He said that I couldn't bathe in that sea as it was very rough.
- (d) He said that you can't bathe in this sea since it was very rough.
- Q14. Jagdish said, "We passed by a beautiful lake when we went on a trip to Goa."
- (a) Jagdish said that they passed by a beautiful lake when they had gone on a trip to Goa.
- (b) Jagdish said that they had passed by a beautiful lake when they went on a trip to Goa.
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- Q15. He said to me, "I expect you to attend the function."
- (a) He told me that he had expected me to attend the function.
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- (B) Nandita asked Nitin if could he solve that sum
- (C) Nandita asked Nitin if he could solve this sum
- (D) Nandita asked Nitin if he could solve that sum

2. He said, "How lovely the scene is!"

- (A) He exclaimed that the scene is very lovely
- (B) He exclaimed that how the scene was lovely
- (C) He exclaimed that the scene was very lovely
- (D) He exclaimed that the scene is indeed lovely

3. Bill said, "I am here to help you all."

- (A) Bill said that he is here to help you all
- (B) Bill said that he was there to help us all
- (C) Bill said that he was here to help us all
- (D) Bill said that he is there to help us all

4. The kids yelled in a loud voice, "We love our family."

(A) The kids yelled loudly that they love our family

- (B) The kids yelled in a loud voice that they loved their family.
- (C) The kids yelled in aloud voice that they loved our family
- (D) The kids were shouting loudly that they loved their family.

5. He said to me, "Please visit my company tomorrow".

- (A) He said to me to visit his company tomorrow
- (B) He requested me to visit his company tomorrow
- (C) He requested me to visit his company the next day
- (D) He said to me to visit his company the next day

6. He said, "My parents are arriving tomorrow".

- (A) He said that his parents are arriving the next day
- (B) He said that his parents were arriving the next day
- (C) He said that his parents are arriving tomorrow
- (D) He said that his parents have arrived the next day

7. He said, "How cruel of him!"

- (A) He remarked that it was very cruel of him
- (B) He remarked on his great cruelty
- (C) He remark that it was very cruel of him
- (D) He remarked that it is very cruel of him

8. "How did it get here?" She wanted to know.

- (A) She wanted to know how did it gel here
- (B) She wanted to know how it had got there
- (C) She wanted to know how did it got there
- (D) She wanted to know how it get there

9. "You are one of Pinkerton's men, I presume," he said.

- (A) He said that he presumed me one of Pinkerton's men
- (B) He said that he presumed that I was one of Pinkerton's men
- (C) He said that he presumed me as one of Pinkerton's men
- (D) He said that he presumes that I am one of Pinkerton's men

10. "Away!" she said to the man, "do not trouble your family any more".

- (A) She asked the man to go away and not trouble the family any more
- (B) She asked the man not to trouble the family that was away, any more
- (C) She asked the man not to trouble your family any more and go away
- (D) She asked the man to go away and not trouble his family any more

1."Do you want balloons?" he said to the child.

- (A)He asked the child if it wanted balloons
- (B)He asked the child whether it had wanted balloons
- (C)He asked the child did if it would want balloons
- (D)He asked the child if it would want balloons

2.She said, "How ugly I look in this dress!"

- (A)She said that how ugly she was looking in that dress
- (B)She exclaimed how ugly she looked in that dress
- (C)She expressed how ugly she looked in that dress
- (D)She exclaimed that she looked very ugly in that dress

3. She said, "You can leave the books here."

- (A)She said that they can leave the books there
- (B)She said that they could leave the books there
- (C)She said that they can leave the books here
- (D)She said that they could leave the books here

4.My friend said, "I am leaving today."

- (A)My friend said that he is leaving today
- (B)My friend said that he was leaving today
- (C)My friend said that he leaves today
- (D)My friend said that he was leaving that day

5.Mukta said to Puneet, "My mother is a good cook."

- (A)Mukta told Puneet that her mother was a good cook
- (B)Mukta told Puneet that my mother was a good cook
- (C)Mukta told to Puneet that her mother is a good cook
- (D)Mukta asked Puneet that her mother is a good cook

6. The commander said to the army, "March forward".

- (A)The commander asked the army march forward
- (B)The commander ordered the army to march forward
- (C)The commander requested the army to go forward
- (D)The army requested the commander to march

7.He promised, "I will do it tomorrow."

- (A)He promised that he will do it tomorrow
- (B)He promised that he will do it the next day
- (C)He promised that he would do it tomorrow
- (D)He promised that he would do it the next day

8. Geeta said, "I did not do this deliberately."

- (A)Geeta said that I had not done that deliberately
- (B)Geeta said that she had not done that deliberately
- (C)Geeta said that she has not done this deliberately
- (D)Geeta said that I have not done this deliberately

9. She exclaimed, "I'm afraid we are rather late!"

- (A)She exclaimed that they were frightened of being late
- (B)She exclaimed that she was afraid that they were rather late
- (C)She shouted that they were scared that they would be late
- (D)She screamed that she was worried that they would all be late

10. She said to me, "What can I do for you?"

- (A)She asked me what she could do for me
- (B)She asked me what can she do for me
- (C)She asked me what she can do for me
- (D)She asked me whether she can do anything for me

1. Doshi said to his wife, "Please select one of these necklace."

- (A) Doshi requested his wife to select one of those necklaces
- (B) Doshi said to his wife to please select one of these necklaces
- (C) Doshi told his wife to please select one of those necklaces
- (D) Doshi pleased his wife to selects one of those necklaces

2. He wrote in his report, "The rainfall has been scanty till now."

- (A) He reported that the rainfall has been scanty till now
- (B) He reported that the rainfall had been scanty till now
- (C) He reported that the rainfall has been scanty till then
- (D) He reported that the rainfall had been scanty till then

3. "Govind," said the manager sternly, "I command you tell me what the old man said."

- (A) The manager sternly told Govind that he commanded him to tell V him what the old man had said
- (B) The manager sternly commanded sternly to Govind to tell him what the old man had said
- (C) The manager commanded Govind to tell him what the old man said
- (D) The manager sternly commanded Govind to tell him what the old man had said

4. I said to him, "Where have you lost the pen I brought for you yesterday?"

- (A) I asked him where he had lost the pen I had brought for him the day before
- (B) I asked him where he had lost the pen I had brought for him the previous day
- (C) I asked him where he had lost the pen I had brought for him the next day
- (D) I asked him where he had lost the pen I brought for him the previous day

5. She said to Rita, "Please help me with my homework."

- (A) She requested Rita to help her in her homework
- (B) Rita requested her to help her with her homework
- (C) She requested Rita to help her with her homework

(D) She requested Rita to help her homework.

6. "Call the first witness", said the Judge.

- (A) The judge commanded to call the first witness.
- (B) The judge commanded them to call the first witness.
- (C) The judge commanded that the first witness be called.
- (D) The judge commanded the first witness to be called.

7. The queen said to her son, "You must go to the forest and remain there till your father calls you back."

- (A) The queen ordered her son to go to the forest and remain there till his father calls him back
- (B) The queen told her son that he must go to the forest and remain there till his father called him back
- (C) The queen told his son that you must go to the forest and remain there till your father called you back
- (D) The queen told her son to go to the forest and remained there till his father called him back.

8. I said to her, "All your faults will be pardoned if you confess them."

- (A) I told her that all her faults will be pardoned if you confess them
- (B) I told her that all her faults would be pardoned if she confessed them
- (C) I told her all her faults will have to be pardoned if she confessed them
- (D) I told her that all her faults would has to be pardoned if she confessed them

9. He said to Sita, "When do you intend to pay back the money you borrowed from them

- (A) He enquired Sita when did she intend to pay back the money she borrowed from him
- (B) He enquired Sita when she intended to pay back the money she borrowed from him
- (C) He enquired Sita when she intended to pay back the money she had borrowed from him
- (D) He enquired when Sita intended to pay back the money she borrowed from him

10. "Let's give a party", said Jaya. "Let's not", said her husband.

- (A) Jaya suggested giving a party but her husband answered in the negative.
- (B) Jaya suggested giving a party but her husband opposed the idea.
- (C) Jaya suggested giving a party but her husband contradicted her.
- (D) Jaya suggested giving a party but her husband refused.

1. "How clever of you to have solved the puzzle so quickly," said the mother.

- (A) The mother exclaimed admiringly that it was very clever of him to have solved the puzzle so quickly
- (B) The mother expressed that he was so clever to have solved the puzzle quickly
- (C) The mother expressed that he was so clever in solving the puzzle so quickly
- (D) The mother exclaimed with joy that he was clever enough to solve the puzzle so quickly

2. He said he goes for a walk every morning.

- (A) He said, "I went for a walk every morning".
- (B) He said, "I go for a walk every morning".
- (C) He said, "I will go for a walk-every morning".
- (D) He said, "He goes for a walk every morning".

3. I reiterated, "I don't care about the job".

- (A) I reiterated I didn't care about the job
- (B) I said again and again I didn't care about the job
- (C) I reiterated that I did not care about the job
- (D) I repeatedly said that I cared about the job

4. I said to my brother, "Let us go to some hill station for a change."

- (A) I suggested to my brother that they should go to some hill station for a change
- (B) I suggested to my brother that we should go to some hill station for a change
- (C) I suggested to my brother that let us go to some hill station for a change
- (D) I suggested to my brother that let them go to some hill station for a change

5. I wondered how many discoveries went unheeded.

- (A) I said, "How many discoveries have gone unheeded?"
- (B) I said, "How many discoveries went unheeded?"

- (C) I said, "Do discoveries go unheeded?"
- (D) I said, "How many discoveries go unheeded?"

6. Gopan said to me, "Can you do these sums for me?"

- (A) Gopan asked me if I could do those sums for him
- (B) Gopan asked me if I can do those sums for him
- (C) Gopan asked me if I can do these sums for him
- (D) Gopan asked if I could do these sums for him

7. The boss said, "It's time we began planning our work".

- (A) The boss said that it was time they had begun planning their work
- (B) The boss said that it was time we had begun planning our work
- (C) The boss said that it was time they began planning their work
- (D) The boss said that it was time we began planning his work

8. He said to the judge, "I did not commit this crime,"

- (A) He told the judge that he had not committed that crime
- (B) He told the judge that he did not commit the crime
- (C) He told the judge that he had not committed the crime
- (D) He told the judge that he had not committed this crime

9. Rahul said, "I will do it now or never".

- (A) Rahul said that he will do it now or never
- (B) Rahul said that he will now or never do it
- (C) Rahul said that he would do it then or never
- (D) Rahul said that he would now or never do it

10. My father once said to me, "If I can't trust my people, then I don't want to be doing this."

- (A) His father once told him that if he couldn't trust his people then he didn't want to be doing that
- (B) My father once told me that if he couldn't trust his people then he didn't want to be doing that
- (C) My father once told me that if he couldn't trust my people then he didn't want to be doing that
- (D) My father once told me that if he couldn't trust his people then he didn't want to be doing this