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Adjective

1. These days, job opportunities are not as better (1)/ as they used to be (2)/ in the early 70's. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

2. Unless it is accepted to both the parties, an (1)/ arbitrator would be of no (2)/ use to settle this dispute. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

3. Although the police officer sympathised with poor (1)/ he refused to (2)/take an action against the rich man (3). /No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

4. The two first to arrive (1)/were the lucky recipients (2)/of a surprise gift. (3)/No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

5. Even today (1)/ it is incredulous to think (2)/ that men have walked on the moon. /(3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

6. If the worst (1)/comes to worst, (2)/ I will have to bid good-bye to my studies and join my family business. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

7. The interim report does not (1)/ analyse thoroughly the principle causes (2)/of the disaster (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

8. The soil was moist as (1)/there was little rain (2)/the day before (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

9. The manager wanted to know who had arrived (1)/early that day (2)/the cashier or the accountant (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

10. Though its gloss can (1)/fool few unwary customers, (2)/it wouldn't be difficult for the clever ones to judge its real worth (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

11. Of the billions of stars in the galaxy, (1)/ how much are (2)/ suitable for life (3)/?. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

12. In that wholesale shop (1)/ they do not sell (2)/ fewer than ten bags of rice. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

13. I found (1)/ the two first chapters of the book (2)/ particularly interesting. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

14. A moment delay (1)/ would have proved costly (2)/ in the situation. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

15. When my sister was ill (1)/ I went to the hospital (2)/ on alternative days. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

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16. Lasers are (1)/ indispensable tools (2)/ for the delicate eyes surgery. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

17. It was a pleasant (1)/ four hours drive (2)/ from Pune to Nasik (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO Sub-Inspector Exam. 12.12.2010 (Paper-I)

18. There are so many filth (1)/ all around (2)/ the place. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (First Sitting)

19. We are going to launch (1)/ this three-crores project (2)/ within the next few months. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

20. After a carefully investigation (1)/ we discovered (2)/ that the house was infested with termites. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

21. Of all the models (1)/ Jessica is (2)/ the more good-looking one. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

22. The circulation of The Statesman (1)/ is greater than (2)/ that of any newspaper. (3)/. No error (4)

FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 25.02.2012 (Paper-I) North Zone (Ist Sitting)

23. (1) They agreed
(2) to repair the damage
(3) freely of charge
(4) No error

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 31.08.2008)

24. Thanks to medical research (1)/ our lives have become (2)/ healthier and long. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

25. The Railways have made (1)/ crossing the tracks (2)/ a punished offence. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010 (Ist Sitting)

26. The children's dog (1)/ slept quietly (2)/ in their uncle's house. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 20.02.2011)

27. I am more lonelier (1)/ here than (2)/ I was in the USA. (3)/ No error. (4)

28. In his old age, (1)/ a person is likely to get (2)/ more weak day by day. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (Delhi Zone)

29. This is (1)/ the most unique (2)/ idea to solve the problem. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

30. To the ordinary man, in fact, the pealing of bells (1)/ is a monotonous jangle and a nuisance (2)/ tolerably only when mitigated by remote distance and sentimental association. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

31. If you have a way with words, (1)/ a good sense of design and administration ability (2)/ you may enjoy working in the high pressure world of advertising. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

32. Long car journeys (1)/ are even less pleasant (2)/ for it is quite impossible to read even.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011))

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33. The technician reminded them (1)/ to have a thoroughly cleaning of the machine (2)/ after each use. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (Ist Sitting))

34. The Hindu is (1)/ most popular, than any other (2)/ newspaper in India.(3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

35. Bose is (1)/ more popular than (2)/ any student in the class. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 11.11.2012 (1st Sitting)

36. Miss Rama Devi has (1)/ two elephants, ten horses (2)/ and as much as fifty cars. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 11.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

37. This errors (1)/ are made (2)/ by foreigners. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

38. On entering the crowding room (1)/ I could not see one person (2)/ whom I knew. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

39. Though we both are of the same height (1)/ you are more heavier (2)/ than I. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

40. One should (1)/ look after (2)/ their parents.(3)/No error (4).

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

41. Across the world (1)/ discussions on curing cancer are any longer (2)/ just wishful thinking. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

42. The vacancy was filled (1)/ by a young scholar (2)/ who had an extensible knowledge of ancient art. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

43. You can eat (1)/as much as you like (2)/at the newly launch bar. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

44. These all (1)/ mangoes (2)/ are ripe. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

45. It is a (1)/ desert (2)/ place. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

46. The two last (1)/ chapters of the book (1)/ are very interesting.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

47. Mango, the most unique fruit (1)/ is available in India (2)/in plenty. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

48. You are (1)/more beautiful (2)/ than her.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

49. In his book (1)/ Churchill describes (2)/ that historical first meeting with Roosevelt. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, IInd Sitting)

50. The dress that the (1)/ girl wore was (2)/ more attractive than the other girls. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, IInd Sitting)

51. A chill wind blew (1)/ and icy fingers of death (2)/ crept up my spine. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014, Ist Sitting)

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52. IIM Calcutta's MBA programme (1)/ is regarded (2)/ as the finest in the country. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014, Ist Sitting)

53. He feels his troubles (1)/ as much or (2)/ even more than they. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014)

54. He was (1)/ a learnt man among lords, (2)/ and a lord among learned men. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 26.10.2014)

55. In India, (1)/ there are (2)/ many poors. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 09.11.2014)

56. I told the teacher (1)/ that the homework set for the day (2)/ was much too heavy for us to complete. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

57. Mobile phones are so importance these days that they are no longer luxury items but have become a necessity.

(1) a necessity
(2) so importance these days
(3) no longer
(4) No Error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

58. Henry is a capable boy of doing anything.

(1) a capable boy
(2) of doing anything
(3) Henry is
(4) No Error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

59. This is not (1)/ a worth reading book (2)/ so don't read it. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

60. She has married (1)/ a young tall (2)/ Australian accountant. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

61. I now realise that public speaking (1)/ requires as much courage (2)/ and confidence as to dance.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

62. Give your answers (1)/ in your own words (2)/ as far as practical.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

63. The suggestion given by him (1)/ is as bad, if not worst (2)/ than the one suggested by you.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

64. I do not know who you consider to be the best dancer.

(1) I do not know
(2) who you consider
(3) to be the best dancer
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam, 30.08.2015)

65. We, in India can look forward to a comfortable and settleD life in the twenty-first century.

(1) to a comfortable and settle
(2) life in the twenty-first century.
(3) No error
(4) We, in India can look forward

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 20.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 9692918)

66. He runs (1)/ more faster (2)/ than I. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

67. The fight for liberation (1)/ brings out the best and (2)/ a noblest quality in mankind. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

68. Not much (1)/ people realize (2)/ his sincerity. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

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69. It was obviously for everyone (1)/ that grandfather was (2)/ hiding something from all of us. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
10th Jan, Morning

70. With little creativity and hard work (1)/ the project could have been (2)/ successfully completed. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
10th Jan, Evening

71. My younger sister (1)/ is much smarter (2)/ then me. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
16th Jan, Evening

72. Gita had been (1)/ dancing at the party little (2)/ more than usual. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
20th Jan, Morning

73. I am better (1)/ adapted to the (2)/ climate than you. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
22nd Jan, Evening

74. Being a well know scientist, (1)/ he was invited to deliver (2)/ a lecture on artificial intelligence. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
23rd Jan, Evening

75. Ajay glanced up (1)/ at her laughing (2)/ and watched her intently. (3) No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Morning

76. No students is (1)/ as intelligent (2)/ as Priya. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Afternoon

77. The population of Mumbai (1)/ is greater than (2)/ in any city in USA. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(1st February, Afternoon)

78. The Statesman has (1)/ the largest circulation of any (2)/ English dailies. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(28th August, Morning)

79. Each child (1)/ was given a (2)/ red beautiful balloon. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(28th August, Evening)

80. It is best (1)/ to be silent (2)/ than to speak in anger. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(29th August, Morning)

81. The trek is difficult (1)/ but it is far worth (2)/ the endeavour. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(3rd September, Afternoon)

82. The Statesman has the (1)/ larger circulation (2)/ of all English dailies. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Morning)

83. All works of (1)/ creative writing (2)/ have aesthetics appeal (3)/ No error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Afternoon)

84. The author said during the press conference (1)/ that there were (2)/ two farther volumes to be published (3)/ No error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Afternoon)

85. He was not able to concentrate (1)/ because of the continual music (2)/ being played next door. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Evening)

86. The job is (1)/ under the direct (2)/ of Mrs Jones. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Evening)

87. There is (1)/ few time (2)/ for preparation. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Morning)

88. The man is (1)/ the most tallest (2)/ of the group (3)/ No Error (4)

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SSC CGL-2016
(9th September, Evening)

89. The doctor says that (1)/ the patient will recover (2)/ in few days (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Morning)

90. This is an urgent (1)/ matter which may admit (2)/ of few delays. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Evening)

91. Computers give us (1)/ the easier access (2)/ to information. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Afternoon)

92. Wise men follow nobel (1)/ideas whereas fools (2)/disregard them (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2016

93. The navel officers (1)/successful fought the pirates (2)/who had looted and plundered for many years (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

94. Will you please (1)/give me little milk (2)/for my cat (3)/No error(4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

95. As I prefer coffee than tea my friends always take the trouble to get me a cup of coffee.
(1) As I prefer
(2) coffee than tea
(3) my friends always take the trouble
(4) to get me a cup of coffee.

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

96. An effective secondary research requires data to be collected from discreet sources like journals, magazines and other published material.
(1) required data to be
(2) discreet sources
(3) effective secondary research
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

97. I prefer apples more than oranges.
(1) I prefer
(2) apples more than
(3) oranges
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

98. No method of making other (1)/ people agree to (2)/ your view point is as effective as this method. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

99. The conference was (1)/ attended (2)/ by more than one hundred delegates. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

100. Travel blogging is hardly work (1)/ and will earn you nothing (2)/ in the first few years. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

101. If you are a runner and bigger than 18 years, (1)/ you can test your endurance level (2)/ by running for the Half Marathon. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

102. They wondered (1)/ how many windows (2)/ were in there room. (3)/ no error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

103. Sunita is feeling little uncomfortable today (1)/ because she is ill, so she can perform (2)/ her work after having some rest for a while. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Evening

104. As I see it, he appears (1)/ to be unreasonable anxious (2)/ about pleasing his wife. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Morning

105. Mathematics and Chemistry are (1)/ more easier than (2)/ Physics and Biology. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Morning

106. Jaipur is (1)/ further from Patna (2)/ than Chandigarh. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Morning

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107. Rahul was (1)/ the richest of (2)/ the two persons. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Morning

108. Ritika gave her friend (1)/ no money nor she did help her (2)/ in any way. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Morning

109. Rohan's mother advised (1)/ him not to drive the (2)/ car lately at night. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Evening

110. In order to reach his office on time (1)/ Rohan has jogged two miles a day (2)/ until he bought his bike. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Evening

111. Ashutosh is one of the players (1)/ who has been selected (2)/ for the T20 match. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Evening

112. Roshni said that she prefers (1)/ a white shirt than coloured one (2)/ in formal meetings. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Evening

113. Unless you do not (1)/ give up bad habits (2)/ you will suffer. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Morning

114. Hardly had he left (1)/ the stadium than it began (2)/ to rain heavily. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Evening

115. Pride leads to destruction of the growth of an individual and creates a vacuum devoiding of genuine relationship
(1) Pride leads to destruction
(2) devoiding of
(3) and creates the vacuum
(4) of an individual

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

116. The old man climbed seven floors with hardly no effort at all.
(1) climbed
(2) at all
(3) The old man
(4) hardly no effort

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Morning

117. We are witnessing the worse level of income inequality in decades.
(1) in decades.
(2) the worse level of
(3) income inequality
(4) are witnessing

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Morning

118. Scientists have found that life was creeping and crawling about the Earth 1.5 billion years early than previously thought.
(1) previously thought
(2) 1.5 billion years early than
(3) Scientists have found
(4) about the Earth

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Afternoon

119. Nikhil is more braver than Sushant who is afraid of the dark.
(1) more braver than
(2) Nikhil is
(3) who is afraid
(4) of the dark

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

120. In the northern suburbs of Bengaluru, (1)/home to the bulk of the information technology industry (2)/the water crisis is even worst.(3)/ No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Morning

121. He is more smarter(1)/than his brother though(2)/he does not earn much money.(3) No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Evening

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122. He likes to put all the garbage into a black small bag .
(1) into a
(2) all the garbage
(3) He like to put
(4) black small bag

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

123. My friend has started a restaurant in a wooden big building in Manali.
(1) in Manali
(2) in a wooden big building
(3) My friend has started
(4) a restaurant

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

124. It was a really bad movie- a worse movie I've ever seen in my life.
(1) in my life
(2) I've ever seen
(3) was a really
(4) a worse

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

125. Doctors say that eating red meat is one of a lead cause of heart disease.
(1) is one of a lead cause
(2) of heart disease
(3) Doctors say that
(4) eating red meat

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

126. The novel 'Embers' has a captivating plot and begins with a senior army officer preparing to receive a rare visitor, a man who was once his closer friend.
(1) his closer friend
(2) has a captivating plot
(3) a man who was once
(4) begins with

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

127. It is estimated that most of the addict, a whopping 85%, in God's own country Kerala, are below 25 years of age.
(1) It is estimated that
(2) are below 25
(3) most of the addict
(4) a whopping 85%

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

Answers with Explanation

1. (1) The pattern we use with as ... as is as follows:
As + positive degree of adjective/ adverb + As
Replace comparative degree of adjective (better) with positive degree of adjective (good).

2. (1) Replace 'accepted' with 'acceptable'.

3. (1) Place article 'the' before 'poor'.
When definite article 'the' is used before adjective (here-poor) it refers to the whole class.

4. (1) Replace 'two first' with 'first two'.
When there are both ordinal number and cardinal number in a sentence, they are arranged in order 'OC'. I.e, first Ordinal and the Cardinal..

$$\underbrace{\text{Ordinal}}_{\text{First}} + \underbrace{\text{Cardinal}}_{\text{Two}}$$

5. (2) Replace 'incredible' with 'incredulous'.
'Incredulous' means 'unwilling or unable to believe something'.
'incredible' means 'unbelievable'.

6. (2) Replace 'comes to worst' with 'come to the worst'.
'If the worst comes to the worst' means 'in the worst possible circumstances'.

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7. (2) Replace 'principle' with 'principal'. 'Principal' means 'main'. Here we are talking about the 'main cause'.

8. (2) Replace 'little' with 'a little'.
'A little' means 'some'. Here we want to say due to a little rain, the soil was moist.

9. (2) Replace 'early' with 'earlier'.
Here in the sentence comparison between 'cashier' and 'accountant' is evident.

10. (2) Replace 'few' with 'a few'
Few — equivalent to zero.
A few — a small number. Here we want to say that some customers get fooled.

11. (2) Replace 'much' with 'many'.
'Stars' come in Countable Noun (stars are countless though) and for Countable Nouns 'many' is used.

12. (4) 'Ten boys' is countable. 'Fewer' is correct.

13. (2) Replace 'two first' with 'first two'. When there are both ordinal number and cardinal number is a sentence, they are arranged in order OC.

$$\underbrace{\text{Ordinal}}_{\text{First}} + \underbrace{\text{Cardinal}}_{\text{Two}}$$

14. (1) Replace noun (moment) with an adjective (momentary). An adjective is used to qualify a noun.

15. (3) Replace 'alternative' with 'alternate'.
'Alternate' means 'something happening on one day and not the next and then continues in this pattern'.
'Alternative' means that 'substitutes others'. (विकल्प)

16. (3) Replace 'eyes' with 'eye'.
If noun works as an adjective it is used in singular form. Here 'eye' is acting as an adjective. Hence it will be used in singular form.

17. (2) Replace 'hours' with 'hour'.
If a definite numeral adjective is added before the noun (hours), it takes singular form.

18. (1) Replace 'many' with 'much' because 'much' is used for Uncountable Nouns. Here, 'filth' (गंदगी) is an Uncountable Noun.

19. (2) Replace 'three-crores' with three-crore.
In hyphenated compound adjectives, the noun is used in singular form.

20. (1) Replace 'carefully' with careful. We need an adjective 'Careful' before noun 'investigation'.

21. (3) Replace 'more' with most.
Definite article 'the' is used with Superlative Degrees. When one is chosen out of all, we need a 'Superlative degree'.

22. (3) Replace 'any newspaper' with 'any other newspaper'.
If one is compared with all the others of the same variety, 'any other' is used to exclude the former.

23. (3) Replace 'freely of charge' with 'free of charge'.
'free of charge' means 'without payment'.

24. (3) Replace 'long' with 'longer'. Conjunction joins adjectives that are in the same degree.

25. (3) Replace 'punished' with 'punishable' because an adjective is used to qualify a noun.

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26. (3) Here 'their' gives an impression that the uncle was of dog too. For clarity use 'in the house of the children's uncle'.

27. (1) Replace 'more lonelier' with 'more lonely' because use of double comparative in a sentence is wrong.

28. (3) Replace 'more weak' with 'weaker'. The 'Comparative Degree' of 'weak' is weaker.

29. (2) Replace 'the most unique' with 'a unique'. Adjectives like 'interior', 'exterior', ulterior, major, minor, unique etc. are not used in comparative or superlative degree.

30. (3) Replace 'tolerably' with 'tolerable' because an Adj. is used to qualify a Noun.

31. (2) Replace 'administration' with 'administrative' because an Adjective is used to qualify a noun.

32. (3) Replace 'read even' with 'even read'.

33. (2) Replace 'a thoroughly cleaning' with 'a thorough cleaning'.

34. (2) Replace 'most' with 'more'.
For comparison comparative degree is used. 'Than' takes a comparative degree.

35. (3) Replace 'any student' with 'any other student'.

36. (3) Replace 'as much as' with 'as many as'.
'Many' is used for Countable Nouns whereas 'much' is used for uncountable noun.

37. (1) Replace 'this' with 'these'. 'Errors bing plural will take plural adjective (these) and not singular adjective (this)

38. (1) Replace 'crowding' with 'crowded'. An Adj. is used for qualifying a Noun.

39. (2) Replace 'more heavier' with 'heavier'
A Double Comparative should not be used in a sentence.

40. (3) Replace 'their' with 'one's' because when 'one' is used as the subject of a sentence, one's is used as Possessive Adjective.

41. (2) Replace 'are any longer' with 'are no longer'.

42. (3) Replace 'extensible' with 'extensive'. Extensive means 'wide or considerable extent'. (वृहत)

43. (3) A adjective is used to qualify a noun. Hence replace 'launch (verb)' with 'launched (adjective)'.

44. (1) Replace 'these all' with 'all these'. When there are more than one determiner (these, some, all) in a sentence, they follow a following order.

$$\underbrace{\text{Quantifier}}_{\text{all, both, some}} + \underbrace{\text{Article}}_{\text{a, an}} /$$

$$\underbrace{\text{Demonstrative case}}_{\text{this, these etc.}}$$

45. (2) Replace 'desert' with 'deserted'.

46. (1) When there are an ordinal number and cardinal number present in a sentence, an ordinal number always comes before the cardinal number. Hence replace 'the two last' with 'the last two'.

47. (1) Adjectives like 'interior', 'exterior', ulterior, major, minor, unique etc. are not used in comparative or superlative degree. Hence replace 'the most unique' with 'a unique'.

48. (3) Change 'her' into 'she'. Subject (you) is compared to subject (she).

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49. (3) Replace 'historical first meeting' with 'the first historical meeting'.

50. (3) Comparison always takes place between two similar things. Here 'Dress' should be compared with 'Dress'. Hence 'than that of the other girls' should be used here.

51. (1) Replace 'chill' (Noun) with 'chilled' (adjective). An adjective is used to qualify a noun. Here 'chill' is a Noun and 'chilled' is an Adjective.

52. (1) Change IIM Calcutta's MBA programme into the MBA programme of IIM Calcutta.

53. (2) 'As much as' is the correct structure. If both positive and comparative degrees are used in a sentence, the following structure must be used-
As + Positive degree + as ... comparative degree + than

54. (2) Replace 'learnt' (V_3) with 'learned' (Adjective).

55. (3) 'Poor' is an adjective. We make plural form of nouns, not adjectives. Change 'poors' into 'poor' and add 'people' after 'poor'.

56. (3) 'Much too' is followed by an adjective.
'Too much' is followed by a Noun. Hence 'much too + heavy' is correct.

57. (2) Here we need an adjective (important) to qualify the Noun (mobile phones).

58. (1) Here 'boy' must come before 'capable' to make the sentence meaningful. It should read 'a boy capable of'.

59. (2) 'Worth' is a post positive adjective. It is always used after the Noun it qualifies. Hence replace 'a worth reading book' with 'a book worth reading'.

60. (2) Replace 'a young tall' with 'a tall young'.

61. (3) Comparison takes place between two similar things. Here Gerund (speaking) should be compared with (dancing). Hence replace 'to dance' with 'dencing'.

62. (3) Here 'as far as practicable' should be used. We can use 'possible' too in place of practical.

63. (2) The correct structure is:
as + positive degree adjective + as + if not + comparative degree + than. Hence it should be 'as bad as if not worse' than ...

64. (2) Change 'who' into 'whom' as you is the subject and we need 'whom' in place of object.

65. (1) Replace verb (settle) with adjective (settled)

66. (2) We do not use double comparative in a single sentence. Hence remove 'more' .

67. (3) Remove 'a'. We need only one article for one subject.

68. (1) For countable noun 'many' is used. Hence replace 'not much' with 'not many'.

69. (1) Adjective (obvious) will come in the place of adverb 'obviously'.

70. (1) As per the meaning of sentence, add 'a' before 'little' because we mean to say a small but not negligible amount of creativity.

71. (3) Replace 'then' with 'than'. A comparative degree is followed by 'than'.

72. (2) *Little* means 'not much (hardly any)'. Thus the adjective 'little' means 'equivalent to nothing'.
A Little means some though not much. 'A little' means not equivalent to nothing.Hence replace 'little' with 'a little'.

73. (4) No error

74. (1) Correct adjective is 'well known'. So replace 'know' with 'known'.

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75. (4) No error

76. (1) Change 'students' into student as 'no' is singular

77. (3) The comparison should be always between the same things.
Here we are comparing 'population' of Mumbai with the population of USA, thus add 'that of' before 'any city of the USA'. Omit 'in'

78. (2) Change 'of any' into 'among all'. Hence one is chosen out of all.

79. (3) If adjective of size, colour, age, etc. come together in a sentence, they should be used in the following order: OSASCOMP (Read the rule in Volume 1). We have one more rule which is.

$$\underbrace{\text{Opinion}}_{1}\ \underbrace{\text{Size}}_{2}\ \underbrace{\text{Age}}_{3}\ \underbrace{\text{Shape}}_{4}\ \underbrace{\text{Colour}}_{5}$$

$$\underbrace{\text{Origin}}_{6}\ \underbrace{\text{Material}}_{7}\ \underbrace{\text{Purpose}}_{8} + \text{Noun}$$

Hence adjective of opinion (beautiful) should come before the adjective of colour (red). Thus replace 'a red beautiful balloon' with 'a beautiful red balloon'.

80. (1) 'Than' is preceded by a comparative degree. Thus replace the superlative degree (best) with comparative degree (better).

81. (2) According to the meaning of the sentence we need a positive expression here. Hence replace 'far worth' with 'well worth'. 'Well worth' means 'certainly worth'.

82. (2) 'The' is use before superlative degree adjective.
Hence replace 'large' with 'largest'.

83. (3) Here we are using, 'aesthetic' as an 'adjective' to describe 'appeal' (noun).
Thus replace 'aesthetics' with 'aesthetic'.

84. (3) Replace 'farther' with 'further'. 'Farther' means 'more far' (और दूर), 'further' means 'in addition to' (और)

85. (2) According to the meaning of the sentence it should be 'continuous'. 'Continual' is used for an action that 'happens frequently, with intervals between'. 'Continuous' means at length without break'. Replace 'Continual' with 'Continuous'.

86. (2) Replace 'direct' with 'direction' or 'direct control'.

87. (2) 'Time' being an uncountable noun takes 'little' before it.

88. (2) Superlative degree of 'tall' is 'tallest'. Hence remove 'most'. Two superlative degrees cannot come together.

89. (3) Replace 'few' with 'a few'. 'A few' means 'at least some'.

90. (3) 'Few' has negative meaning whereas 'a few' has positive meaning. Thus replace 'few' with 'little'. 'Delays' be changed into 'delay' as delay is an uncountable noun.

91. (2) Comparative degree of adjective is used when there is comparison between two objects.
In the sentence there is no comparison. Hence replace comparative (easier) with a positive degree (easy) of adjective.

92. (1) Replace 'Nobel' with 'Noble'
Nobel - founder of Nobel prizes
Noble - showing fine personal qualities.

93. (1) 'Naval' should be used in place of 'Navel'.
Naval – नाभि संबंधित
Navel – नेवी संबंधित

94. (2) Use 'a little' in place of 'little'

95. (2) Replace 'than' with 'to'. : Prefer takes 'to'.

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96. (2) Replace 'discreet' with 'discrete'.
Discreet –not noticeable
Discrete –Separate and different from each other.

97. (2) Replace 'more than' with 'to'. Prefer takes 'to'.

98. (1) Use 'other' after 'no'.

99. (4)

100. (1) Change 'is hardly work' into 'a hard work'.
Hardly - मुश्किल से
Hard - कठिन

101. (1) Change 'bigger' into 'older' where 'old' implies 'age'.

102. (3) Replace 'there' with 'their'. Possessive Adjective of 'they' is 'their'.

103. (2) Replace 'little' by 'a little'.
little - hardly any
A little - some but not much
The little - not much but all that is available.

104. (2) use 'unreasonably' instead of 'unreasonable'. 'Anxious' an Adjective takes adverb 'unreasonably'.

105. (2) Double comparitive cannot come together. Remove 'more'.

106. (2) Use 'farther' instead of 'further'.
farther – for phycisal distance
further - for figurative distance.

107. (2) Use 'richer' instead of 'richest'. We use 'Comparative degree' when we choose one out of two.

108. (2) 'no money nor did she help her' is correct. 'Nor' is followed by Inversion.

109. (3) Replace 'lately' by 'late'.
lately – हाल ही में
late – देर से

110. (2) Replace 'has jogged' into 'jogged'.

111. (2) Relative pronoun 'who' takes verb form according to its antecedent. Change 'has' into 'have'.

112. (1) Use 'prefered' in place of 'prefers'. Sentence is in past tense. Prefers takes 'to'.
Hence answer given by SSC is wrong.

113. (1) Remove 'not'. We do not use 'not' after 'unless'.

114. (2) Replace 'than' by 'when'.
hardly.....when is the correct pair of conjunction.

115. (2) Replace 'devoiding' with 'devoid'.

116. (4) Replacce 'no' with 'any'. Two words with hidden not cannot come together. Both 'hardly' and 'nor' have hidden 'not' in them.

117. (2) Replace 'worse' with 'worst'. 'The' takes superlative degree of Adjective.

118. (2) Replace 'early' with 'earlier'. 'Than' takes comparative degree of Adjective.

119. (1) Remove 'more'. Two comparative degrees cannot come together.

120. (3) Replace 'worst' with 'worse'.

121. (1) Remove 'more'. It is superfluous.

122. (4) Place 'small' before 'black'. 'NOSASECOMP' rule should be followed here. See 'Adjective'.

123. (2) Replace 'in a wooden big building" with 'in a big wooden building'. The order is– Size + Age + Shape + Colour + Origin + Material.

124. (4) Replace 'a worse' with 'the worst'. 'I've ever seen in my life' shows that we need superlative degree here.

125. (1) Replace 'lead cause' with 'leading causes'. One of + plural noun. One of takes plural noun and a noun takes an adjective 'leading' to qualify it.

126. (1) Replace 'closer' with 'closest' or 'close'.

127. (3) Replace 'addict' with 'addicts'. Most of is followed by uncountable noun or plural countable noun.

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Conjunction

1. You must either (1)/ be regular with your studies (2)/ and study for longer period before the examination. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

2. No sooner (1)/ I had spoken, (2) than he left. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

3. You must either tell me (1)/ the whole story or, at least (2)/ the first half of it. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

4. Your success in the IAS examinations depends not only on (1)/what papers you have selected (2)/but on how you have written them. (3) No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

5. Scarcely had (1)/I arrived than (2)/ the train left. (3)/No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

6. The reason why (1)/he was rejected (2)/was because he was too young. (3)/No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

7. Scarcely did I reach the airport, (1)/ nervous and tense, than the plane took off, (2)/leaving me stranded in an alien place. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

8. No sooner had the hockey match started (1)/ when it began (2)/ to rain (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

9. All doubts are cleared (1)/ between (2)/ you and I.(3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

10. Unless you do not give (1)/ the keys of the safe (2)/you will be shot (3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

11. The period (1)/ between 1980 to 1990 (2)/ was very significant in my life. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

12. If I had lots of money (1)/ I'd give some to anybody (2)/who asked for it. (3)/No error.(4)

(SSC SAS Exam. 26.06.2010 (Paper-I)

13. Until the world lasts, (1)/the earth will go (2)/ round the sun.(3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC SAS Exam. 26.06.2010 (Paper-I)

14. None of the diplomats at the conference (1)/was able either to comprehend (2)/ or solve the problem. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

15. No sooner did he see (1)/ the traffic policeman (2)/ he wore seat belt. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

16. The period (1)/ between 1991 to 1995 (2)/ was very significant in my life. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

17. No sooner (1)/ they had received the guests (2)/ than they began entertaining them. (3)/ No error (4)

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(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

18. No sooner did the teacher (1)/ enter the class room (2)/ the students got up. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

19. It is (1)/ nothing else (2)/ than pride. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

20. My elder brother (1)/ asked me (2)/ that what I was doing. (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

21. Our vacation is (1)/ between 12th May (2)/ to 12th June.(3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

22. He studied (1)/ so hardly (2)/ he was sure of passing. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

23. No sooner did I finish (1)/ my speech, I was subjected (2)/ to a barrage of questions. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

24. No sooner did the peon (1)/ ring the bell (2)/ the boys left the class. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

25. We had scarcely (1)/ reached the place (2) than it started to rain heavily. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

26. As an artist (1)/Raju is as good (2)/, if not better than, Ramesh. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

27. He is anxious not only (1)/ to acquire knowledge (2)/ but also eager to display it. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

28. Scarcely had (1)/the function started (2)/than it began to rain. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

29. Hasan plays (1)/ both cricket and billiards (2)/ at the national level. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 20.10.2013)

30. The college library is (1)/ not only equipped with (2)/ very good books but also with the latest journals. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

31. Men are wanted (1)/ for the army (2)/ and the navy, and the air force. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

32. No sooner did the rabbit (1)/come out of the bush (2)/ when the hunter killed it. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, IInd Sitting)

33. Neither he or his wife has arrived.

(1) has arrived (2) Neither he
(3) No Error (4) or his wife

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

34. The process was too simple and easy to understand that it hardly took five minutes for us to grasp it.

(1) No Error
(2) and easy to understand that it hardly
(3) took five minutes for us to grasp it
(4) The process was too simple

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

35. We had (1)/ hardly reached the (2)/ platform than the train came in. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

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36. He neither talks too much (1)/ nor he causes any trouble (2)/ during the lesson. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

37. Professor Lal teaches both history as well as literature each semester.

(1) Professor Lal teaches
(2) No error
(3) each semester.
(4) both history as well as literature

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 IInd Sitting)

38. I will have (1)/ both the blue (2)/ or the black pen. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 6636838)

39. The solution (1)/ to the problem was (2)/ not only complicated but accurate. (3)/ No error. (4)

40. Make what you write (1)/ and say more (2)/ absorbed and engrossing. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 7203752)

41. It is not easy for an actor (1)/ to earn respect from both, the fans (2)/ as well as critic. (4)/ No error

SSC CHSL-2016
9th Jan, Evening

42. Although he studied (1)/ very hard, he (2)/ could not pass the exam. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
17th Jan, Afternoon

43. I am certain that (1)/ the officer is not only (2)/ greedy but corrupt. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
18th Jan, Morning

44. Priya got good grades (1)/ not in Hindi essay (2)/ but also in arithmetic. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
18th Jan, Afternoon

45. I will try to be on time (1)/ but don't worry when (2)/ I am late. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
19th Jan, Evening

46. Hardly had I stepped (1)/ out of my house when (2)/ I saw them coming towards my house. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21st Jan, Morning

47. Go up the beach and watch for tourists (1)/ so you could warn anyone (2)/ before they get to the water. (3) No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Evening

48. Sorry to have (1)/ troubled you; since (2)/ it couldn't be helped. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Afternoon

49. Nothing fantastic there, (1)/ nor anything Riya would find (2)/ either threatening nor interesting. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
27th Jan, Afternoon

50. You might as well (1)/ read a novel instead of (2)/ staring at the ceiling. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Morning

51. Not only we seen (1)/ the Tali temple but (2)/ also the Thirunelli temple. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Evening

52. There was a fine line (1)/ between being frugal (2)/ and being a miser. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Morning)

53. The plane was too (1)/ far away that it was (2)/ just a dot in the sky. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Evening)

54. Soon as he (1)/saw the policeman, (2)/ he ran away. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(8th February, Evening)

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55. Sooner had he come (1)/ his colleagues (2)/ organised a get together (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(31st August, Afternoon)

56. He'd no sooner (1)/ seen one continent (2)/ when he saw another (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Afternoon)

57. The reason Janet came dressed (1) / as Lady Gaga was because she'd been told (2) / it was a costume party (3) / No error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Evening)

58. The reason for (1)/ my absence is (2)/ due to ill health (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Evening)

59. Ashoka the Great was (1)/regarded one of the greatest emperors (2)/the world has ever produced (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

60. Since my mother was angry so I did not utter a word.
(1) was angry so
(2) utter a word.
(3) Since my mother
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

61. The economic depression is looming large not only over the first-world countries but also over the third-world countries.
(1) The economic depression is
(2) looming large not only over
(3) but also over the third-world countries.
(4) No error.

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

62. By the time the corn was harvested, the grass seed covered the ground almost entirely.
(1) By the time
(2) the corn was harvested
(3) the grass seed covered the ground
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

63. Being that he is interested in getting himself examined by a heart specialist we must try our best to take him to a reputed doctor.
(1) No error
(2) Being that he is interested in
(3) we must try our best to take him to a reputed doctor.
(4) getting himself examined by a heart specialist

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

64. Neither the chips, which were cheaper, nor the pizza interested the kid.
(1) No error
(2) were cheaper
(3) nor the pizza
(4) the chips which

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

65. She exercised discretion in investigating whether her husband eloped with his ex-girlfriend.
(1) discretion in
(2) investigating whether
(3) eloped with
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

66. The evergreen trees have a characteristic of remaining green throughout the year, nonetheless of the prevailing season.
(1) prevailing season.
(2) nonetheless of
(3) throughout the year
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

67. Though the political party won by majority in the preceding elections, it failed to form a successful government at the centre.
(1) Though the
(2) at the centre.
(3) the preceding elections

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(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

68. Despite the limited budget, the chief minister managed to improve the infrastructure of the state, much beyond the expectations of the general public.
(1) improve the infrastructure
(2) Despite the limited
(3) managed to improve
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

69. I did not like his (1)/ comments on my paper (2)/ but I had no alternative as I had agreed to keep quiet. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

70. We will pack not only (1)/ the material properly (2)/ but will also deliver it to your value customers. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

71. The old man (1)/ told his sons (2)/ that there was no such thing like luck. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

72. We have done everything (1)/ that could be done (2)/ to avert the storm which is now coming on. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

73. This laboratory of physicists is (1)/ not only equipped with (2)/ all state-of-the-arts instruments but also with outstanding physicists. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

74. We might supply so (1)/ much evidence in try to explain (2)/ it in so many ways. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

75. We know it is an extra early start to (1)/ your day, but we are certain (2)/ you too would like to contribute towards this. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

76. Either Ankit (1)/ or Jyoti (2)/ have done this (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

77. You have too save the day by (1)/ cracking the code and (2)/ determining the code word. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

78. No sooner had she arrive that her (1)/ friends arranged a reception in her (2)/ honour in the best resort in the town. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Morning

79. I don't think, Neha is a wiser as (1)/ Sonali, so she is not (2)/ competent for this job. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Evening

80. In the Mathematics class, I sit next to (1)/ Raj, who is the captain of the basket ball (2)/ team and undoubtedly the best basket ball player in Delhi. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Evening

81. Not only we saw (1)/ the President but also (2)/ the Chief Minister of Delhi. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Morning

82. Not only her husband (1)/ but even her father (2)/ also find her selfish. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Evening

83. Hardly had he come out of the (1)/ cinema hall then the bomb exploded (2)/ and shattered the hall completely. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Evening

84. Low interest rates are tempting (1)/ many customers to take (2)/ on too much debt. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Morning

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85. Prabhat is impressed by his (1)/ younger brother because he is cleverer (2)/ and amusing than he is. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Evening

86. Our company not only manufactures (1)/ plastic containers but (2)/ also steel containers. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Evening

87. Suresh have never (1)/ encouraged nor (2)/condoned violence. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

88. The place were (1)/Buddha was cremated (2)/has recently been discovered.(3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

89. The consequence of (1)/ his carelessness was (2)/ that the game was lost. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

90. Wherever you live, (1)/ there is surely some countryside or coastline (2)/not too far away that you are proud of. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

91. Despite of working hard he failed the test.

(1) the test (2) he failed
(3) Despite of (4) working hard

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

92. Whenever I went to the cinema I bought myself popcorn and coke for a special treat.

(1) Whenever (2) bought
(3) went (4) for

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

93. Both my father or my mother can cook.

(1) Both (2) can cook
(3) or my mother (4) my father

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

94. He gave jobs to several unemployed men in a remote village who is battling poverty.

(1) He gave job
(2) in a remote village
(3) to several unemployed
(4) who is battling poverty

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

95. The teacher had hardly left the room than the pupils started enjoying.

(1) than
(2) started enjoying
(3) The teacher
(4) had hardly left

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

96. In this novel I came across some words which meaning I do not know.

(1) came across
(2) which meaning
(3) In this novel
(4) do not know

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Morning

97. Unless you do not run fast, you cannot match the bus.

(1) you do not (2) catch the bus.
(3) You cannot (4) Run fast

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Morning

98. He is the same man which I saw yesterday at the gate.

(1) He is
(2) the same man
(3) at the gate
(4) which I saw

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Morning

99. He is not such a clever boy that you are.

(1) cleaver boy (2) such a
(3) that you are (4) He is not

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Morning

100. This is the boy which took away the books.

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(1) This is
(2) which took away
(3) the boy
(4) the books

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Evening

101. Until I do not get the loan, I cannot set up my business.
(1) I cannot (2) get the loan
(3) do not (4) set up

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Evening

102. Smartphone cameras can now take pictures of near-professional quality, so they also have limitations.
(1) pictures of
(2) so they also have limitations
(3) can now take
(4) near-professional quality

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Evening

103. We had to decline several orders(1)/ in case that the production was(2)/ held up due to labour strike(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Morning

104. Cyclone ldai killed at least(1)/17 people in Zimbabwe and Mozambique although.(2)/ it tore across Southern Africa(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Morning

105. She got(1)/two quick promotions(2)/ in order that(3)/she has good communication skills.(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Afternoon

106. She lost a big order(1)/from a known showroom(2)/in case of her own carelessness. (3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Evening

107. No sooner did he see(1)/the tiger when he ran(2)/as fast as he could.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Afternoon

108. "Unless you did not(1)/do your homework you(2)/will be punished," said the teacher.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Afternoon

109. Different-coloured natural foods not only put a smile on children's faces and also benefit their overall growth.
(1) benefit their overall growth
(2) and also benefit
(3) Different-coloured natural foods
(4) put a smile on children's faces

CHSL-2018
2 July, 2019, Evening

110. As you know that I always like to have ice-cream after my dinner
(1) As you know that
(2) to have ice-cream
(3) after my dinner
(4) I always like

CHSL-2018
9 July, 2019, Morning

111. The lady listened carefully to my complaint but I doubt she will do anything about it.
(1) but I doubt she
(2) will do anything about it
(3) to my complaint
(4) The lady listened carefully

CHSL-2018
10 July, 2019, Morning

112. Even Sharat tried his best, he could not clear all the examination paper in one attempt.
(1) he could not clear
(2) Even Sharat tried his best
(3) all the examination papers
(4) in one attempt

CHSL-2018
10 July, 2019, Afternoon

113. Our nation can make significant growth but if we all work collectively.
(1) but if we all
(2) make significant growth
(3) Our nation can
(4) work collectively

CHSL-2018
11 July, 2019, Evening

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114. I don't like movies who has an unhappy ending.
(1) who has
(2) I don't
(3) like movies
(4) an unhappy ending

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

115. I was surprised to see as Avika could write such good poems in Hindi.
(1) to see as Avika
(2) I was surprised
(3) such good poems in Hindi
(4) could write

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

116. Despite incessant rains, she is the only one who plan to attend the meeting at the ministry.
(1) Despite incessant rains
(2) who plan to attend
(3) the meeting at the ministry.
(4) she is the only one

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

117. They made her as the Chairperson of their bank.
(1) No error
(2) as the Chairperson
(3) of their bank.
(4) They made her

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

118. They can't hardly believe that Article 370 is no longer valid in Jammu and Kashmir.
(1) is no longer valid
(2) in Jammu and Kashmir.
(3) that Article 370
(4) They can't hardly believe

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'and' with 'or' because correct pair of conjunction is **either ... or**

2. (2) Replace 'I had' with 'had I' because when a sentence begin with 'No sooner' it takes inversion form.

3. (1) 'Either' should come after 'tell me' because after 'or' at least is given. Co-relative conjunction always connects two equal grammatical items.

4. (3) After 'but' 'also' should come because correct pair of conjunction is **'not only ... but also'**

5. (2) Replace 'than' with 'when' because correct pair of conjunction is **scarcely ...when**

6. (3) Replace 'because' with 'that' because the correct pair is **'The reason ... that'**

7. (2) Replace 'than' with 'when' because the correct pair is **scarcely ... when.**

8. (2) Replace 'when' with 'than' because the correct pair is **no sooner ... than**

9. (3) Replace 'I' with 'me' because with 'between ... and' objective pronoun is used.

10. (1) Here 'not' is superfluous with unless. So remove 'not' from first part of the sentence.

11. (2) Replace 'to' with 'and' because the correct pair is **Between .... and.**

12. (4) No error.
The formula applicable here is **If + subject + V_2, Subject + would + V_1**

13. (4) No error

14. (2) Remove 'either' or put 'either' after 'to'.

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Either comprehend (verb) or solve (verb).

See explanation of 18.

15. (3) Add 'than' before 'he' in 3rd part of the sentence because the correct pair is **no sooner ... than**.

16. (2) Replace 'to' with 'and' because the correct pair is **between ... and.**

17. (2) Replace 'they had' with 'had they' because when a sentence begins with 'no sooner' it takes inversion form.

18. (2) Add 'than' before 'the' in 3rd part of the sentence because the correct pair is

No sooner ... than.

19. (3) Replace 'than' with 'but' because the correct pair

'nothing else ... but'.

20. (3) Remove 'that'. If direct speech is of 'Wh family', no conjunction is used when it is converted into Indirect Speech.

21. (2) Replace 'to' with 'and' because the correct pair is **'between ... and'.**

22. (2) Add 'that' before 'he' in 3rd part of the sentence. Because the correct pair is **'so ... that'.** Also change 'hardly' into 'hard'.

23. (2) Add 'than' before 'I' because the correct pair is

'No sooner ... than'.

24. (3) Add 'than' before 'the boys' in 3rd part.

25. (3) Replace 'than' with 'when' because the correct pair is

'scarcely ... when'.

26. (2) The complete form is as + Positive degree adjective + as.

Hence add 'as' before after 'good'.

27. (1) First part of the sentence should read as 'he is not only anxious' ... because while using a co-relative conjunction both clauses should be parallel. Anxious and eager (both adjectives) balance each other.

28. (3) Replace 'than' with 'when' because the correct pair is

'scarcely ... when'.

29. (4) No error.

Co-relative conjunction always connects two equal grammatical items. (Part of Speech).

30. (2) Replace 'not only equipped' with 'equipped not only' because co-relative conjunction always connects two equal grammatical items.

31. (3) Remove 'and' before 'the navy'

32. (3) Replace 'when' with 'than' because the correct pair is

'no sooner ... than'.

33. (4) Replace 'or' with 'nor' because the correct pair is **'neither ... nor'**

34. (4) Replace 'too' with 'so' because the correct pair is **'so ... that'.**

35. (3) Replace 'than' with 'when'.

36. (2) Here use of 'he' in 2nd part is superfluous.

37. (4) Replace 'as well as' with 'and'.

38. (3) Replace 'or' with 'and'.

39. (3) Remove 'not only'. Here as per the meaning 'complicated' and 'accurate are' not such adjectives to be connected with 'not only ... but also'.

40. (3) Replace 'absorbed' with 'absorbing'.

Two same grammatical items are connected through conjunction.

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41. (3) 'Both' is followed by conjunction 'and'. Hence replace 'as well as' with 'and'.
42. (4) No error
43. (3) The correct pair of correlative conjunction is 'Not only....but also'. Hence add 'also' after 'but'.
44. (2) Add 'only' after 'not' because correct correlative is 'not only .... but also'.
45. (2) Change 'when' into 'if' to give a proper meaning to the sentence.
46. (4) When a sentence begins with a negative adverbial like never, rarely, hardly or seldom, the auxiliary verb comes before the subject. Hence the formation of the sentence is correct . Also 'Hardly... when' is a pair.
47. (1) Remove 'for'.
48. (2) Replace 'since' with 'but' to give correct meaning to the sentence.
49. (3) Correct pair of conjunction is Either.....or
50. (4) No error
51. (1) Whenever we begin a sentence with negative adverb or adverbial phrase, we use inversion. In inversion verb comes before the subject. Hence replace 'Not only we seen' with 'Not only did we see'.
52. (3) Change 'a miser' into 'miserly'. 'Frugal' an adjective needs an adjective 'miserly' according to the rules of parallelism.
53. (1) Correct pair of conjunction is 'so.....that'. So replace 'too' with 'so'.
54. (1) The correct conjunction is 'as soon as'. Hence replace 'soon as' with 'as soon as'.
55. (1) Replace 'sooner had he come' with 'as soon as he came'.
56. (3) The correct pair of conjunction is No sooner ---------- than.
57. (2) The correct pair is the reason ---------- that. 'Reason' with 'because' becomes superfluous.
Hence replace 'because' with 'that'.
58. (3) Presence of both 'reason' and 'due to' in a sentence makes it superfluous.
Hence remove 'due to' from part (3).
59. (2) Use 'as' after 'regarded'
60. (1) Remove 'so'. 'Since .... so' is no pair of conjunction.
61. (4)
62. (3) Replace 'covered' with 'had covered'.
Structure: By the time + Past Indefinite + Past Perfect.
63. (2) Replace 'being that' with 'since' or 'as'.
64. (1)
65. (4)
66. (2) Replace 'nonetheless' with 'regardless'. Nonetheless means 'in spite of'. So 'of' after 'nonetheless' is superfluous.
67. (4)
68. (4)
69. (4)
70. (1) Put 'not only' before 'pack'. This is a case of misplaced conjunction.
71. (3) Replace 'like' with 'as'. such ... as is a pair of conjunction.
72. (4)
73. (3) Use 'not only' after 'equipped'. Conjunction must be at the appropriate place.
74. (2) Replace 'in try' with 'and try'.
75. (4) No Error.
76. (3) Change 'have' into 'has' because if two subjects are joined by 'either.....or' , the verb agrees to the nearest subject.

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77. (1) Change 'too' into 'to' because 'to $+v_{b.f}$' is the correct structure.
78. (1) 'Had' takes V_3. Change 'arrive' into 'arrived'.
79. (1) Use 'as wise as'. As ... as takes positive degree.
80. (4) No error.
81. (1) Either use 'not only' after saw or use structure 'not only did we see'. Conjunction should be followed by same part of speech.
82. (2) 'not only' always followed by 'but also'. 'But also her father' is the correct structure.
83. (2) 'Hardly ... when' is the correct pair.
84. (3) Remove 'on'. 'Take on' means 'to confront'.
85. (3) Use 'more amusing' in place of 'amusing'. Conjunction Adjective joins same degrees.
86. (1) Either use 'not only' after saw or use structure 'not only did we see'. Conjunction should be followed by same part of speech. Not only will come after manufactures.
87. (1) Change 'have never' into 'has neither'. Neither ... nor is a pair of conjunction and Suresh (Singular Noun) will take singular verb.
88. (1) Replace 'were' with 'where'.
89. (4)
90. (4)
91. (3) Remove 'of' or use 'inspite' in place of 'Despite'. In spite of or Despite will suffice.
92. (4) Replace 'for' with 'as'.
93. (3) Replace 'or' with 'and'. Correct pair of conjunction is 'both..... and'.
94. (4) Replace 'is' with 'are'. Men take plural verb.
95. (1) Replace 'than' with 'when'. Correct pair of conjunction is 'hardly..... when'.
96. (2) Replace 'which' with 'the meaning of which'.
97. (1) Remove 'do not'. Unless is not followed by a negative word.
98. (4) Replace 'which' with 'that'. The same is followed by that.
99. (3) Replace 'that' with 'as'. 'Such ...as' is used to categorize.
100. (2) Replace 'which' with 'who'. For person we use 'who'.
101. (3) Remove 'do not'. Until has a 'hidden not' in it.
102. (2) Replace 'so' with 'but'. 'Limitations' introduce something, contradictory hence use 'but'.
103. (2) Replace 'in case that' with 'because' to give proper meaning to the sentence.
104. (2) Replace 'although' with 'when'.
105. (2) Replace 'in order' with 'because'.
106. (3) Replace 'in case of' with 'because of or due to'.
107. (2) 'No sooner' is followed by than.
108. (1) Remove 'did not'. Unless is not followed by 'not'.
109. (2) Not only is followed by but also put 'but' in place of 'and'.
110. (1) Remove 'as'.
111. (1) Add 'if' after 'doubt'.
112. (2) use 'though' in place of 'even'.
113. (1) Remove but or add 'only' after 'but'.
114. (1) Replace 'who has' with 'that have'. Who is used with human beings. Movies will take p.v. 'have'.
115. (1) Replace 'as' with 'that'.
116. (2) Replace 'plan' with 'plans'. 'She' will take 'plans' (S.V).
117. (2) Remove 'as'. Name, elect, think, consider, call, appoint, make, choose, nominate and crown do not take 'as'.
118. (4) Remove 'hardly' or change can't into can. Double negative cannot come together.

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Article

1. Tea (1)/which I am drinking (2)/is hot (3). /No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

2. I know (1)/a doctor (2)/you are referring to (3)./No error (4))

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

3. An experimental vaccine (1)/ has brought (2)/ glimmer of hope for the malarial researcher (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 25.09.2005)

4. A milk (1)/ can provide protein (2)/ for a nutritionally balanced diet. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 26.11.2006 (Second Sitting)

5. After knowing truth, (1)/ they took the right decision (2)/ in the matter. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam.16.05.2010 (First Sitting)

6. Judge in him (1)/ prevailed upon the father (2)/ and he sentenced his son to death. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 16.05.2010 (Second Sitting)

7. I go to the temple (1)/as often as (2)/ I find time.(3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC SAS Exam. 26.06.2010 (Paper-I)

8. The police asked us (1)/ about our movements (2)/ on a night of the crime. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO Sub-Inspector Exam. 12.12.2010 (Paper-I)

9. Children enjoy listening to (1)/ ghost stories (2)/ especially on Halloween night. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (First Sitting)

10. The way to increase the production of the food (1)/ is to bring more land (2)/ under cultivation. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. 28.08.2011 (Paper-I)

11. He always practises (1)/ the justice and cares (2)/ for moral principles. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

12. A member shall be required (1)/ to pay interest at such rate (2)/ as is fixed by the committee. (3) No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010 (Ist Sitting)

13. Pacific Ocean is (1)/ the deepest ocean (2)/ in the world. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CISF Constable (GD) Exam. 05.06.2011)

14. We stayed for (1)/ a short time(2)/ in the hotel.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (Delhi Zone)

15. Unless you are careful,(1)/ you are bound to make mistake (2)/ in your work.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (Delhi Zone)

16. Death of (1)/ his only son (2)/ made Mohan desolate. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (Delhi Zone)

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17. He fell down (1)/ because he was (2)/ in hurry. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (Delhi Zone)

18. When I met him (1)/ the couple of days back (2)/ he was writing a new book. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (Delhi Zone)

19. The only Indian (1)/ to win the Nobel Prize for the Literature (2)/ was Rabindranath Tagore. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

20. All mangoes (1) in this basket (2) are over-ripe. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

21. In world of ours (1)/ one has to compete (2)/ for almost everything. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 11.11.2012 (1st Sitting)

22. My Aunt (1)/ was first (2)/ to get a degree. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

23. Equator (1)/ divides the earth (2)/ into two hemispheres.(3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

24. Teachers were instructed (1)/ to follow an uniform method (2)/ of evaluation. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

25. He knows (1)/ that your muscles (2)/ are not same as his. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

26. UNICEF (1)/ is (2)/ an international organisation. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

27. Sudoku was first designed in the 1970s (1)/ by a retired architect (2)/ and freelance puzzle constructor.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, Ist Sitting)

28. Many overseas students (1)/ attend colleges (2)/ in the Great Britain. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, IInd Sitting)

29. Could you please give me (1)/ a postal address (2)/ of the Indian Embassy in New York. (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013, Ist Sitting)

30. If you hear (1)/ engaged tone (2)/ replace the receiver and dial again. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

31. Raghu came out of the bathroom (1)/ with a towel (2)/in the hand. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

32. Kalidas is (1)/ a Shakespeare (2)/ of India. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 20.10.2013)

33. More you (1)/ think of it, (2)/ the worse it becomes. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 20.10.2013)

34. I met the gentleman (1)/ today morning on my way (2)/ to the market. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, IInd Sitting)

35. We must have (1)/ sympathy for (2)/ needy and the poor. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

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36. In 1906 a earthquake (1)/destroyed much (2)/of San Francisco.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

37. She had an (1)/ miserable existence (2)/living with him.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

38. Paradise Lost (1)/ is (2)/a epic poem.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

39. Every citizen is (1)/ entitled to (2)/ the voting. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, IInd Sitting)

40. A interesting book (1)/ 'A Tale of two cities' (2)/was written by Alexander Dumas. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 09.11.2014)

41. I worked (1)/ as medical representative (2)/ for eight months.(3)/No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 09.11.2014)

42. Headmaster (1)/ has instructed (2)/ the teachers to follow the rules of the school. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

43. I felt privileged (1)/ to recite a poem in an honour of my teacher (2)/ at a recent school function. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

44. An ancients considered that knowledge had its limits.

(1) had its limits
(2) No error
(3) that knowledge
(4) An ancients considered

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

45. The luxuries of the rich are maintained by depriving the poor of their dues.

(1) The luxuries of the riches
(2) the poor of their dues
(3) are maintained by depriving
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

46. Thanks to an insight and persistence of the local doctor, hundreds of victims have been able to resume normal life.

(1) No error
(2) and persistence of the local doctor,
(3) hundreds of victims have been able to resume normal life.
(4) Thanks to an insight

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

47. Do you think you could lend me good pair of gloves to wear to the wedding?

(1) Do you think you could lend me
(2) to wear to the wedding ?
(3) a good pair of gloves
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

48. What delicious flavour these mangoes have !

(1) have!
(2) No error
(3) flavour these mangoes
(4) What delicious

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 3441135)

49. A honest person is upright in speech, thought and deed.

(1) is upright
(2) in speech, thought and deed.
(3) No error
(4) A honest person

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 20.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 9692918)

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50. Indian Defence Forces (1)/ fought the enemy (2)/ til the last soldier was standing. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
7th Jan, Morning

51. The road from (1)/ my house (2)/ to temple is full of potholes. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
7th Jan, Evening

52. A rate of growing is different (1)/ for different sectors, but the service sector (2)/ always grows faster than the agriculture sector. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
10th Jan, Afternoon

53. There is renewed sense (1)/ of urgency in (2)/ completing the project. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
19th Jan, Morning

54. Your motivational speech (1)/ has had the tremendous (2)/ effect on my students. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
19th Jan, Morning

55. To improve your vocabulary (1)/ one thing that you should do (2)/ is to read Times of India (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
22nd Jan, Afternoon

56. The stadium was full (1)/ of spectators (2)/ from one end to other. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Morning

57. His mother hoped that (1)/ Bunty would grow up to be (2)/ the wise and famous man. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
27th Jan, Morning

58. The task of (1)/ writing a autobiography (2)/ is a difficult one. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(1st February, Morning)

59. She was an (1)/ only child who (2)/ had been very welcome. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(2nd February, Afternoon)

60. Since they were all dressed up, (1)/ she assumed they (2)/ were going to church together. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3th February, Evening)

61. It was like (1)/ reading a (2)/ open book. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Evening)

62. This town has an ancient temple (1)/ and beautiful waterfall (2)/ so many tourists come here. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(8th February, Afternoon)

63. He had already sent me message (1) / that his arrival (2) / was scheduled for Thursday (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(29th August, Evening)

64. A first European sailor (1) / who came to India (2) / was Vasco-da-Gama (3) / No error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Evening)

65. Variety (1)/ is (2)/ spice of life (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(7th September, Morning)

66. The King Juan Carlos of Spain (1)/ arrived in London today (2)/ for a three day visit (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Afternoon)

67. I was (1)/ at loss (2)/ and did not know what to do (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Afternoon)

68. Outside, the rain beats down (1) / in floods and the sea gives forth (2) / a sound like an alarm bells. (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Evening)

69. I was first (1) / to reach the school (2) / today (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Afternoon)

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70. Sakshi wrote essay (1)/ so well that (2)/ her teacher was very pleased with her. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

71. Mahatma Gandhi did not solve (1)/ all the future problems (2)/ but he did solve problems of his own age. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

72. I can give you the unique and (1)/ quality content that will definitely (2)/ lead value to your readers too. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

73. It is estimated that cows might be more (1)/ dangerous to a earth's atmosphere than trucks (2)/ and cars combined. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

74. Be prepared for the fact that the interview (1)/ panel may not agree with a opinions that (2)/ you present to them. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

75. Price theorizes that if he is at one extreme (1)/ end of an spectrum, then perhaps (2)/ there is somebody at the other end. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

76. Rajni is planning to settle (1)/ in Mumbai as soon as (2)/ she retires in August the next year. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Morning

77. The English is a very (1)/ popular language (2)/ amongst south Indians. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Evening

78. Ashish was listening (1)/ to a radio when (2)/ Sunita arrived. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Evening

79. We have issued (1)/ a order seeking immediate (2)/ printing of revised price tag. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

80. A Earth moves round the Sun.

(1) moves (2) the Sun
(3) A Earth (4) round

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

81. We had quite interesting talk on trekking at our college yesterday.

(1) quite interesting talk
(2) on trekking
(3) We had
(4) at out college

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

82. The Life-cycle hypothesis holds that individuals seek to smooth consumption over the course of a lifetime-borrowing in times of low-income and saving during period of high income.

(1) in times
(2) period of
(3) over the course
(4) to smooth

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

83. He spends good deal of money on eating out.

(1) good deal (2) He spends
(3) on eating out (4) of money

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Evening

84. Tesla designed system for sending electricity over the air through a series of enormous towers.

(1) for sending electricity
(2) Tesla designed system
(3) Through a series of enormous towers
(4) Over the air

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Afternoon

85. When Alexander the Great died in Babylon in 323 B.C., his body didn't begin to show signs of decomposition for a full six day, according to

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historical accounts.
(1) When Alexander the Great died
(2) according to historical acc®ounts
(3) his body didn't being to show
(4) signs of decomposition for a full six day

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Evening

86. Deepak said he would pack few things he had and vacate the hostel room the next day.
(1) the next day
(2) Deepak said he would pack
(3) pack few things he had
(4) and vacate the hostel room

CHSL-2018
10 July, 2019, Afternoon

87. We will use enamel paint on this wall because it gives a best finish.
(1) enamel paint on this wall
(2) We will use
(3) a best finish
(4) because it gives

CHSL-2018
11 July, 2019, Afternoon

88. Does an English examination begin at 10 o'clock?
(1) 10 o'clock?
(2) English examination
(3) begin at
(4) Does an

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

89. To write a poem I need a pen, a diary and also the quiet place.
(1) a diary (2) To write
(3) and also the (4) I need

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

90. Since a meeting drew to a close, I realized that people were not really listening to me.
(1) I realized
(2) Since a meeting
(3) drew to a close
(4) were not really

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

Answers with Explanation

1. (1) Here we are talking about a particular tea that I am drinking. Hence definite article 'the' should be used before 'tea'.

2. (2) Replace 'a' with 'the'. For particular person article 'the' is used. Here the doctor is known to me.

3. (3) 'A' will come before 'glimmer' because whenever we talk about something first time, we use a/an.

4. (1) We do not use article 'a/an' before any Uncountable Noun. Hence remove 'a'.

5. (1) Replace 'after knowing truth' with 'after knowing the truth' because here 'truth' is known to them so it is definite and hence will take article 'the'.

6. (1) When we talk about a personality present inside a person, article comes with the name of that personality. Hence replace 'Judge' with 'the Judge'.

7. (1) If Schools, Colleges, Temples are denoted in reference to their primary purpose, article is not used. Hence remove 'the'.

8. (3) When a specific thing is mentioned, we use definite article 'the' before it.

9. (3) Use article 'the' before 'Halloween night'.

10. (1) Use of article 'the' before 'food' is superfluous.

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11. (2) Remove article 'the' before 'Justice' because here there is nothing definite to be pointed out.

12. (2) The correct phrase is 'at such a rate'.

13. (1) Definite article 'the' is used before the name of Oceans and Seas.
Hence add article 'the' before 'Pacific Ocean'.

14. (3) Since the sentence is not mentioning about any particular hotel so using 'the' before hotel is wrong.
Hence replace 'the' with 'a'.

15. (2) Replace 'make mistake' with 'make a mistake' or 'make mistakes'.

16. (1) Add definite article 'the' before 'death' as here we are talking about particular death (i.e. of his son).

17. (3) Change 'in hurry' into 'in a hurry'

18. (2) Replace 'the couple of days' with 'a couple of days'.

19. (2) Use of 'the' before 'literature' is incorrect because article is not used before the name of the subject.

20. (1) When we talk about any specific thing definite article 'the' is used.
Hence replace 'All mangoes' with 'all the mangoes'. 'All' and 'both' take article 'the'.

21. (1) Replace 'In world of ours' with 'In the world of ours'.

22. (2) Add article 'the' before 'first'. Definite article 'the' is used before ordinal numbers (1^{st}, 2^{nd}, last etc.)

23. (1) Definite article 'the' is used before 'Equator'.
Hence replace 'equator' with 'the equator'.

24. (2) Replace 'a' with 'an' because pronunciation of word 'uniform' gives a consonant sound.

25. (3) Replace 'not same' with 'not the same' because when 'same' is used to compare things, 'the' is used with it. Usually same takes 'the'.

26. (4) Definite article 'the' is used before acronyms but when the letters are pronounced separately as in FCI but when it is pronounced as a word like UNICEF, it doesn't take any article.

27. (4) No error.

28. (4) No error.
'Great' takes article 'the'.
Eg: The great Ashoka.

29. (2) For particular person or thing definite article 'the' is used.
Hence replace 'a postal address' with 'the postal address.

30. (2) An article 'an/ the' should be used before the word 'engaged tone'.

31. (3) Change 'the' into 'his'.

32. (2) Replace 'a' with 'the' because when a proper noun is used to refer to the epitome of its type. Definite article 'the' is used before it.

33. (1) When two comparative degrees are shown directly or inversely proportional in a sentence, definite article 'the' is used.
Hence add 'the' before 'more'.

34. (1) Replace 'the' with 'a'.

35. (3) Add article 'the' before 'needy' because here we are talking about a class of people. Remove 'the' that comes before 'poor'.

36. (1) Replace 'a' with 'an'.

37. (1) Replace 'an' with 'a'.

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38. (3) Replace 'a' with 'an'.

39. (3) Remove 'the'.

40. (1) Replace 'a' with an'.

41. (2) Add 'a' before 'medical representative'

42. (1) Definite article 'the' should be used before 'Headmaster' because there is only one headmaster in a school and we are talking about that headmaster.

43. (2) Replace 'an' with 'the'.

44. (4) To refer a class of people we use definite article 'the'.

Hence replace 'an ancient' with 'the ancient'.

45. (4) No error

46. (4) Here 'insight' is abstract noun so definite article 'the' will be used before it.

Hence replace 'an' with 'the'.

47. (3) Indefinite article 'a' will be used before 'good pair of gloves'.

48. (4) Add 'a' before 'delicious flavour'.

49. (4) Replace 'A' with 'An'.

Article 'an' is used for 'Vowel sounding words'.

50. (1) We always use article 'The' before armed forces.

51. (3) (i) When we talk about a particular 'person or thing', Article 'The' is used. So article 'The' will come before 'temple'

Exception:- If 'Temple', 'School', 'College', etc are denoted in reference to their primary purpose, no article is used.

52. (1) Replace article 'a' with 'the' because here the rate of which we are talking about is definite.

53. (1) Add article 'a' before 'renewed sense'.

54. (2) Change 'the' into 'a'.

55. (3) Article 'The' is used before the names of newspapers. Add 'The' before 'Times of India'.

56. (3) When we talk about a particular person or thing, or one already referred to, definite article 'the' is used. Hence add 'the' before 'other'. We use phrase 'from one end to the other'.

57. (3) Indefinite article 'a/an' is used before singular countable noun which is not definite. Hence replace article 'the' with 'a'.

58. (2) Article 'an' comes before a word which has vowel sound at the starting. Hence replace 'a' with 'an'.

59. (1) The only child is more appropriate as it denotes the definite one present.

60. (4) No error

61. (2) Article 'an' is used before vowel sounds.

62. (2) If two noun refer to different persons or things, the article must be used with each noun. Hence add 'a' before 'beautiful waterfall'.

63. (1) 'Message' is a countable noun so it will take article 'a' before it because here it is singular in form.

64. (1) Article 'the' is used to indicate a specific noun. Also 'The' is used before ordinal numbers (first, second, third, etc.)

- Cardinal numbers such as one, two and three do not take any article before them.

65. (3) The correct proverb is 'Variety is the spice of life'.

66. (1) Article is not used before the name of the people. Hence remove 'the' before the name of the king.

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67. (2) The correct phrase is 'at a loss'. It means 'uncertain of what to do or say'.

68. (3) Article 'an' is used before a singular countable noun. Thus replace 'bells' with 'bell'.

69. (1) Article 'the' is used before an ordinal number. Hence, replace 'first' with 'the first'.

70. (1) Use 'the' before 'essay'. Definite noun takes 'the'.

71. (3) Use 'the' before 'problems'.

72. (1) Remove 'the' before Unique.

73. (2) Replace 'a' with 'the'. 'The' comes with heavenly objects.

74. (2) Replace 'a' with 'the'. Change 'with' into to.
Note:- Agree with someone, agree to something

75. (2) Replace 'an' with 'the'. Also remove 'then'. 'If ... then' is a wrong pair of conjunction. 'If ...,' is correct.

76. (3) Remove 'the'.

77. (1) Use 'English' instead of 'The English'.
The English depicts nationality.

78. (2) Replace 'a' by 'the'. Inventions take article 'the'.

79. (2) Replace 'a' with 'an'. Vowel sound takes article 'an'.

80. (3) Change 'A' into 'the'. We use 'the' before heavenly objects.

81. (1) Add 'an' before 'interesting'.

82. (*) Change 'smooth' into 'smoothen'. We need a verb here not an Adjective.
Change 'saving' into 'savings' (बचत)
Also add 'a' before 'period of time'.

83. (1) Use 'a' before 'good deal'. 'A good deal' means sufficient in quantity or amount. 'A good deal' can be used only with uncountable nouns.

84. (2) Use 'a' before 'system'.

85. (4) Remove 'a'. Change 'day' into days as six is a plural number.

86. (3) use 'a few' inspite of 'few'. A few means not equivalent to 0.

87. (3) use 'the' in place of 'a'. We use article 'the' with superlative degree.

88. (4) Replace 'an' with 'the'.

89. (3) Replace 'the' with 'a'.

90. (2) Replace 'a' with 'the'. 'The' denotes that we are talking about a definite meeting'.

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1. When viewed with his point of view, the (1)/ entire episode assumes (2)/ a different colour altogether. (3)/ No error (4)

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2. Having finished at school (1)/ Raghu thought/ of going to Bombay in (2)/ search some job. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

3. When shall we (1)/ arrive (2)/ to our destination ? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

4. The officer (1)/ is angry on the clerk (2)/ for not attending to the work. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

5. The patient (1)/ was accompanied (2)/ with his friend. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

6. We were looking forward (1)/ to hear news (2)/about the missing fishermen (3)./ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

7. The actress (1)/was shocked (2)/by the news of her dog's death (3). /No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

8. Heavy rain (1)/prevented us (2)/to go to the cinema. (3)/No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

9. We had a lot of difficulty(1)/to find (2)/the house. (3)/ No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

10. Teachers of various schools (1)/met to discuss about (2)/how to improve the standard of English. (3)/No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

11. Beside food, (1)/ the pilgrims carried (2)/ some medicines. /(3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

12. Adults suffering chicken pox (1)/ can develop (2)/ all kinds of complications (3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

13. The sweets (1)/ were shared (2)/ between the four girls. /(3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

14. They are a politically important family; (1)/one of his sisters is a minister (2)/ and the other is married with a minister (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

15. The members of the Opposition Party in the Parliament (1)/ shout upon the minister (2)/ if he makes a wrong statement (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

16. The Secretariat (1)/ comprises of (2)/ many air-conditioned rooms (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

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17. He walked (1)/ till the (2)/ end of the street. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 30.09.2007 (Second Sitting)

18. The officer (1)/ is angry on the clerk (2)/ for not attending to the work. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 30.09.2007 (Second Sitting)

19. He is (1)/ capable to do this work (2)/ within the stipulated period. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

20. I went into (1)/ the bank and (2)/ withdrew some money. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

21. Bacon, the father of the English essay (1)/ had a thirst (2)/ of knowledge. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

22. I am able (1)/ to cope up with (2)/ all these difficulties. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

23. She is confident (1)/ to win the gold medal (2)/ this time. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

24. He will not be able (1)/ to cope up with (2)/ the pressure of work. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

25. I take great pleasure (1)/ to welcome you (2)/ to this institution. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

26. The whole country (1)/ was suffering by (2)/ a financial crisis. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

27. I sat down opposite him (1)/ and produced (2)/ the packet of cigarettes. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

28. Our efforts are (1)/ aimed to bring about (2)/ a reconciliation. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 16.05.2010 (Second Sitting)

29. Sometimes (1)/ I get angry (2)/ on her. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CISF ASI Exam. 29.08.2010 (Paper-I)

30. The future of food companies (1)/ seems quite secure (2)/ owed to ever-growing demand. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (First Sitting)

31. He (1)/ loved her (2)/ despite of himself. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

32. The poet (1)/ describes about (2)/ the spring season (3)/. No error (4)

FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 25.02.2012 (Paper-I) North Zone (Ist Sitting)

33. (1) The Governing Board
(2) comprises of
(3) several distinguished personalities
(4) No error

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 31.08.2008)

34. We saw (1)/ sand sculptures (2)/ in the beach. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 02.08.2009)

35. On last Sunday (1)/ I met my friend (2)/ accidentally. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010)

36. I may not be able (1)/ to attend (2)/ to the function. (3)/ No error(4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

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37. At his return (1)/ we asked him (2)/ many questions. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

38. The chief guest (1)/ entered into (2)/ the room. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

39. She is (1)/ very angry (2)/ on him. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

40. Beside Hindi, (1)/ she knew (2)/ Bengali well. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CISF Constable (GD) Exam. 05.06.2011)

41. He walked (1)/ten miles (2)/ by foot. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

42. He is good (1)/ in mathematics (2)/ but his friend isn't.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

43. Christina's friends (1)/ preferred her remedies (2)/over the doctor's. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

44. Those who are in power (1)/ have to be sensitive of (2)/ the sufferings of the poor. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

45. He (1)/ is junior than (2)/ all his friends. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

46. Ram was (1)/ senior to (2)/ Sam in college. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

47. Ravi (1)/ told to his friend (2)/ to buy a car. (3)/ No error. (5)

48. After his illness, (1)/ the patient was (2)/ sick with life. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

49. I told him (1)/ that I availed (2)/ the opportunity. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (East Zone)

50. A large sign near (1)/ the entrance warns the visitors (2)/ to beware about bears. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (East Zone)

51. I am (1)/ looking forward for (2)/ the day of my wedding. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

52. "Can you cope up (1)/ with all this (2)/ work ?" he asked. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

53. Mother Teresa asked a building (1)/ where she and her workers (2)/could care for the poor people. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

54. Shelley is (1)/ superior than Byron (2)/ in his vision of democracy. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

55. Several prominent figures (1)/ involved in the scandal are required to (2)/appear to the investigation committee. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

56. Due to heavy work (1)/ in the office (2)/ I was unable to catch the five thirty train. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

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57. I would request to you (1)/ to consider my application (2)/ and grant me a job as early as possible. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

58. The minister for 'Education' (1)/ vehemently denied (2)/ the allegation that he had taken bribes. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

59. He says that (1)/ he reads novels / (2) to pass away the time. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

60. I had (1)/ a test in Mathematics (2)/ today morning. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

61. The Committee is thinking (1)/ not to bring around any change (2)/ in the basic structure.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

62. The Chief Minister had no time (1)/ to pay attention (2) on such simple matters.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

63. We should abide (1)/ to the promise (2)/ that we make. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (Ist Sitting))

64. Scarcely had it stopped raining (1)/ when I started (2)/ to my college. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

65. The Vice-Chancellor (1)/ wants all vacancies (2)/ to be filled up. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 11.11.2012 (1st Sitting)

66. How is Surinder (1)/ going with (2)/ his work ? (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 11.11.2012 (1st Sitting)

67. When she knocked the door, (1)/ I said to her, (2)/ "come in." (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 11.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

68. The month of January (1)/ takes its name (2)/ of the Roman god Janus. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 11.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

69. He (1)/ is addicted (2)/ with smoking. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Delhi Police Sub-Inspector (SI) Exam. 19.08.2012)

70. Entering the hotel (1)/ he ordered for (2)/ a drink and a sumptuous dinner. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Delhi Police Sub-Inspector (SI) Exam. 19.08.2012)

71. It was he who (1)/ came running in the house (2)/ with the news about the earthquake. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

72. He is very angry on me (1)/because I failed (2)/ to return his book.(3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

73. Sundar (1)/ is getting married (2)/ with Sita. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

74. She placed (1)/ the offering (2)/ to God in the altar. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

75. I saw him (1)/ coming out of the hotel (2)/ on 10 o'clock. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

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76. In the fourth semester (1)/ of the course, the (2)/ attendance fell down.(3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

77. A well-balanced diet (1)/ is essential for (2)/ good health. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

78. I went to (1)/ see the Taj Mahal (2)/ in a moonlit night. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

79. Having found a piece of cheese, (1)/ two cats went to a dog (2)/ to divide it among them. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

80. People living in low-lying areas (1)/ find it difficult (2)/ to cope up with the floods.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

81. The teacher advised to (1)/the student to borrow (2)/ a book from the library within three days.(3)/No error.(4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

82. I insisted (1)/ on his going (2)/ there immediately. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

83. I went there (1)/ with a view to survey (2)/ the entire procedure. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI & CISF ASI Exam. 23.06.2013)

84. He laughed (1)/ on her (2)/ as she fell off the tree. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI & CISF ASI Exam. 23.06.2013)

85. The students were (1)/ awaiting for (2)/ the arrival of the chief guest. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

86. People who live on (1)/ glass houses (2)/ should not throw stone at others. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

87. My friend (1)/has invited me (2)/for tea this Sunday. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

88. He discussed (1)/ the murder case (2)/ with his juniors. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

89. I (1)/ go to school (2)/ by walk. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

90. Krishnakali, an early riser and a nature-lover (1)/ goes to morning walk at Rabindra (2)/ Sarovar lake before dawn. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.10.2013, IInd Sitting)

91. As a boy Dhritiman is very obedient (1)/ polite and hard-working (2)/ but as a student he is/always inattentive in study. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.10.2013, IInd Sitting)

92. The redevelopment project is aimed (1)/ not just providing good houses to shanty dwellers, (2)/but also developing infrastructure around the major Mumbai localities. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, IInd Sitting)

93. The old man was (1)/ overwhelmed for joy at (2)/ the success of his only son. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

94. His composition (1)/ is inferior (2)/ than mine. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

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95. Our geography teacher told (1)/ to study the map of India (2)/ for a test. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

96. Have trust on(1)/God and everything (2)/ will be right. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

97. Smoking is undoubtedly (1)/ very injurious (2)/ for health.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

98. You can (1)/open the box (2)/ by a screwdriver.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

99. He is guilty (1)/ for killing (2)/ an innocent bird. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

100. I have just come (1)/ to know that Mr. Ray, one of my favourite (2)/ teachers, died with cancer recently. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

101. He has promised (1)/ to pay me the whole amount (2)/ in cheque with the stipulated time. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

102. After tasting both /(1) John prefers/ (2) tea than coffee./(3) No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

103. I could not put up at a hotel (1)/ because the board and lodging charges (2)/ were too expensive.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

104. The lovers walked (1)/ besides each other (2)/ in silence. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

105. On Senegal (1)/ it is considered impolite (2)/ if you do not share your food. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, Ist Sitting)

106. We discussed about the problem thoroughly (1)/on the eve of the examination (2)/ that I found it very easy to work it out. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, Ist Sitting)

107. The old lady swooned (1)/ but was soon (2)/ restored at senses. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014)

108. I shall have to (1)/ withdraw from my savings (2)/ to buy a new car. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014)

109. I wish to heartily (1)/ congratulate you for (2)/ your astounding success. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 26.10.2014)

110. The visitor took the vacant seat (1)/ next from mine (2)/ one of the many huge sofas in the room. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 26.10.2014)

111. Excuse (1)/ me (2)/interrupting you. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

112. The serene mountains(1)/ are conducive(2)/ for health. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

113. The children (1)/ laughed at (2)/ the clown. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

114. Our football team (1)/comprises of (2)/ eleven skilled players. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

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115. On a holiday (1)/ I prefer reading story books (2)/ than visiting my friends. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

116. Someone, they don't know (1)/ who, knocked at (2)/ their door in midnight.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

117. Mohan leapt (1)/ on the opportunity (2)/ that came his way. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

118. Just as (1)/ I was entering the room, (2)/ the family was going for a party. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

119. The beautiful, young girl (1)/ jumped in the river (2)/ in a state of depression. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

120. There is only one cure (1)/ to the evils which newly (2)/ acquired freedom produces and that cure is freedom. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014 TF No. 022 MH 3)

121. The crime rate increases inspite (1)/ formal moral education (2)/ given in schools. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014 , Ist Sitting TF No. 333 LO 2)

122. Do not write him of (1)/ as I feel he still has the fire (2)/ smouldering in him.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

123. You are required to give an explanation for your conduct within two days of the receipt of this letter.

(1) No error
(2) for your conduct
(3) within two days of the receipt of this letter.
(4) You are required to give an explanation

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 4239378)

124. Despite the speed in which he was driving he couldn't reach on time.

(1) Despite the speed
(2) No error
(3) in which he was driving
(4) he couldn't reach on time

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

125. Everybody wants to enjoy habitual peace in mind.

(1) peace in mind
(2) No error
(3) Everybody wants to
(4) enjoy habitual

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

126. There be a long queue for entry into the exhibition ground.

(1) for entry into
(2) No error
(3) There be a long queue
(4) the exhibition ground.

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

127. Until you are in the habit of putting off things you cannot ensure yourself of a good future.

(1) No error
(2) the habit of putting off things
(3) you cannot ensure yourself of a good future.
(4) Until you are in

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

128. Let us vie to one another in doing good.

(1) to one another
(2) Let us vie
(3) in doing good.
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

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129. He looked upon me eye to eye for a few moments before he spoke.
(1) before he spoke.
(2) No error
(3) eye to eye for a few moments
(4) He looked upon me

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

130. As per the invitation card Rahim marries with Sayra on 13th December, Monday.
(1) As per the invitation card
(2) No error
(3) on 13th December, Monday.
(4) Rahim marries with Sayra

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

131. This book is different than that.
(1) is different (2) This book
(3) No error (4) than that

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

132. You must abide on (1)/ the terms of (2)/this government. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 6636838)

133. They had to put of the garden party because of the heavy rain.
(1) They had to
(2) put of the garden party
(3) No error
(4) because ofthe heavy rain.

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 3441135)

134. He stated that (1)/ he prefers (2)/ tea than coffee. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

135. The baby was (1)/ clinging with her (2)/ mother in fear. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

136. I was taken by surprise (1)/ when I came (2)/ face to face with my school friend. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
9th Jan, Morning

137. India is in no way (1)/ inferior than China in (2)/ any aspect whatsoever (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Morning

138. Those who are averse with (A)/ hard work, will (B)/ seldom succeed in life. (C)/ No error. (D)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Morning

139. He says that (1)/ he has done engineering (2)/ besides an MBA. (3)/ No error/ (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Evening

140. Please put on a note (1)/ declaring that (2)/ Monday will be a holiday. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
15th Jan, Morning

141. We are pleased that (1)/ our daughter is married with (2)/ such a nice man. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
15th Jan, Morning

142. Entrance exams for the(1)/posts of associate professors(2)/will begin from Tuesday.(3)/No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
15th Jan, Afternoon

143. I told to the coach (1)/ that I won't be able (2)/ to come for the practice. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
18th Jan, Afternoon

144. Although of good (1)/ rains the production (2)/ of food grains fell. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
18th Jan, Evening

145. In summer, the ponds (1)/ just dry down (2)/ in the scorching heat (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
18th Jan, Evening

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146. The stock was (1)/ divided among (2)/ the two brothers. (3)No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
22nd Jan, Morning

147. The kitten sat up (1)/ the glass roof, and yawned (2)/ and blinked its round eyes. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Morning

148. Maya was not promoted to (1)/ the post of a manager (2)/ till for a few months of her resignation. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Evening

149. He woke on, rising (1)/ to a sitting position (2)/ and rubbed his eyes briskly. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Evening

150. There was already a sizable (1)/ gap between her car and (2)/ the one front of her. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Morning

151. For kindergarten children, / (1)drawing by crayons is always (2)/ even more preferable than sketch pens. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Afternoon

152. The two children were (1)/ identical except for (2)/ the colour for their eyes. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Morning)

153. You should never look (1)/ down to a man merely (2)/ because he is poor. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Afternoon)

154. The traveller took rest (1)/ below the shade (2)/ of a large Peepal tree. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Morning)

155. The Directors are (1)/ now inquiring (2)/ in the cause of the fire. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(2nd February, Afternoon)

156. The substitution of cream (1)/ instead of milk in the recipe (2)/ makes for a rich dessert. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3rd February, Morning)

157. She decided to drink (1)/ water instead of soft drinks (2)/ in order to lose weight. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3th February, Afternoon)

158. You want to stay (1)/ with him, in spite (2)/ off what he did? (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3th February, Afternoon)

159. The airplane took (1)/ of as soon as I (2)/ arrived at the airport. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Afternoon)

160. This is in between (1)/ you and me, not (2)/ the entire neighbourhood. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Afternoon)

161. Her heart was (1)/ pounding as he (2)/ stopped front of her. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(8th February, Morning)

162. I want to exchange (1)/my Maruri (2)/ from a Santro (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

163. I was pretty sure that (1)/ he would support me (2)/ for changing the age-old and static structure of our organization. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

164. According to one survey (1)/ only those forests which were (2)/ not under village management succumbed from fires recently. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

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165. We now look forward for (1)/ some great achievements (2)/ which to some extent can restore the country's prestige once again. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

166. Our school is making (1)/ every possible effort (2)/ to provide best facilities and personal attention for each child. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

167. You have received more than you bargained at.
(1) You have
(2) more than
(3) you bargained at.
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

168. I am taking a book with me so that I'll have something to read on the train.
(1) I am taking a book
(2) I'll have something
(3) on the train.
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

169. We are committed in providing (1)/ you a safe and (2)/ comfortable travel experience. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

170. Most of us have a (1)/ desire to create wealth in the (2)/ shortest period in time. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

171. Unless Geeta apologies (1)/ she should not be (2)/ allowed to go to picnic (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

172. I met the gentleman (1)/ today evening on my (2)/ way back to home (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

173. Ram is superior than (1)/ Shyam in his (2)/ vision of corruption free India. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

174. At the one hand, (1)/ she was elated that she'd finally (2)/ discovered her passion. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

175. Although it is far less common in the (1)/ atmosphere than carbon dioxide, (2)/ it has 20 times the ability heat-trapping. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

176. Imagine the kind of influence it (1)/ will steadily and perpetually infuse (2)/ on the viewer's mindset.(3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

177. Our cricket team (1)/ comprises of (2)/eleven skilled players. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

178. Ashutosh leapt on (1)/ the opportunity (2) that came his way. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

179. You don't have to invest (1)/ on an fancy camera if you're (2)/ not a photography buff. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

180. I also used to write scripts for hosting school (1)/ functions. Though, on that time I (2)/ hadn't identified this interest. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

181. Despite of minimal use of technology (1)/ they are able to manage (2)/ everything in a simple manner (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

182. Sri Lanka is an island country (1)/ into the Indian Ocean (2)/, south of India. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

183. Reading (1)/ provides nutrition (2)/ with the mind (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

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184. It brings to you a basket of opportunities (1)/ that takes you to the positions of high (2)/ responsibilities at top corporates. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

185. There were (1)/ curtains over (2)/ the cracked glass. (3)/ no error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

186. Ancient jewellery or decoration (1)/ has a new meaning (2)/ with the discovery bone ornaments. (3) / No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

187. The Kepler Space Telescope, (1)/ launched on 2009, was designed (2)/ to find planets around other stars. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

188. The children play on the park every evening.
(1) on the park
(2) The children
(3) every evening
(4) play

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5 Feb., 2019 Evening

189. This beautiful ring is made from gold.
(1) from gold (2) This
(3) beautiful ring (4) is made

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

190. The children in the colony fed the dogs by throwing pieces of meat on them.
(1) on (2) in
(3) by throwing (4) fed

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

191. They are going to build a new bridge in the river, if they can find the money in the next budget.
(1) are going
(2) find the money
(3) bridge in the river
(4) next budget

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

192. Every day I go to school in a bus today I went by foot because the bus operators are on strike.
(1) to school in a bus
(2) I went by foot
(3) Every day
(4) bus operators are on strike

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

193. In my dream, I saw vivid images of ghostly human figures, who were quite unusual as they imbued the quality of eeriness and they did not have any resemblance with living people.
(1) as they imbued
(2) who were quite unusual
(3) did not have
(4) I saw vivid images

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

194. Ramesh is very much sorry about the financial loss that he inflicted upon his close friends while working together on the same project.
(1) that he inflicted upon
(2) while working together
(3) on the same project
(4) Ramesh is very much sorry about.

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

195. The common advice that the doctor offers to patient is to make preventive measures such as proper intake of water hygienic food habit, and regular exercise.
(1) that the doctor
(2) and regular exercise
(3) such as proper intake of
(4) to patient is to

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

196. I cannot cope out with the work pressure.
(1) work pressure (2) I cannot
(3) with the (4) cope out

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

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197. A lot many people do not agree with me.
(1) A lot many (2) people
(3) do not agree (4) with me

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

198. Can you please dispose the old clothers?
(1) dispose (2) the old clothes
(3) Can (4) you please

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

199. They went for a Bhil village for a day visit.
(1) a day visit
(2) for
(3) for a Bhil village
(4) They went

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

200. To my point of view he should not have behaved in such a manner.
(1) should not have
(2) behaved
(3) To my point of view
(4) in such a manner

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Morning

201. This test comprises of grammar, vocabulary and reading comprehension.
(1) grammar, vocabulary
(2) This test
(3) and reading comprehension
(4) comprises of

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Morning

202. Where have you been from such a long time?
(1) Where
(2) from
(3) such a long time?
(4) have you been

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Morning

203. For the long-term strength of the economy the limit of corporate stock buybacks is a potential solution.
(1) is a potential solution
(2) strength of the economy
(3) limit of corporate stock buybacks
(4) For the long term

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Morning

204. There is something special about life: the closer one looks to these performances, the more impressive the show becomes.
(1) something special about
(2) the more impressive
(3) these performances
(4) the closer one looks to

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Morning

205. In 2016, after some unseemly back and forth to the Commons and Lords, it was decided that Acts of Parliament should no longer be printed on calfskin.
(1) to the Commons and Lords
(2) should no longer be printed on calfskin
(3) after some unseemly back and forth
(4) it was decided

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Morning

206. Haemophilia, a blood clotting disorder, can be passed about the maternal line within families; men are more likely to develop it, while women are usually carriers.
(1) the maternal line
(2) a blood clotting disorder
(3) can be passed about
(4) likely to develop it

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Evening

207. Rahul was ready for accept any job, even a part-time one.
(1) Rahul was ready
(2) even a part-time one
(3) any job
(4) for accept

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

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208. Each student will have to carry his own lunch on the picnic.
(1) Each student
(2) his own lunc
(3) on the picnic
(4) will have to carry

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

209. The actor smiled to me when I entered the room as if she knew me.
(1) The actor smiled to me
(2) knew me
(3) as if she
(4) when I entered the room

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

210. We reserved tickets for a journey on train for the next morning for my sisters and me.
(1) for a journey on train
(2) for my sisters and me
(3) for the next morning
(4) We reserved tickets

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

211. The Principal was extremely angry on the boys who threw the pieces of chalk at the teacher.
(1) at the teacher
(2) extremely angry on the boys
(3) who threw the pieces of chalk
(4) The Principal was

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

212. The Japanese artist Yoh Nagao(1)/ was busy splashing (2)/the wall from colours.(3)/No error (4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Afternoon

213. My father dissuaded me(1)/to try for a job as he wanted me(2)/to pursue higher studies.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Afternoon

214. Not complying by(1)/any of the laws can land(2)/you into serious trouble.(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Morning

215. Although there are(1)/more than a hundred known elements(2)/they rarely occur at a pure state.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Afternoon

216. I expect to return from Singapore during about a week's time.
(1) I expect to return
(2) during about
(3) a week's time
(4) from Singapore

CHSL-2018
3 July, 2019, Evening

217. On Saturday Rahul visited his professor to whom he had an appointment.
(1) to whom he had
(2) Rahul visited his professor
(3) an appointment
(4) On Saturday

CHSL-2018
4 July, 2019, Morning

218. Lack of formal education did not prevent Lincoln to become a great leader.
(1) did not prevent
(2) a great leader
(3) to become
(4) Lack of

CHSL-2018
8 July, 2019, Morning

219. I will stop to refreshments at the next restaurant of the highwat
(1) on the highway
(2) I will stop
(3) at the next restaurant
(4) to refreshments

CHSL-2018
11 July, 2019, Evening

220. She was unable to produce sufficient evidences for support her accusations.
(1) to produce
(2) She was unable
(3) sufficient evidences for
(4) support her accusations

CHSL-2018
11 July, 2019, Morning

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221. Inspite Smitha had taken part in many television serials earlier, this was the first time she was going to host a live show
(1) in many television serials earlier
(2) she was going to host
(3) this was the first time
(4) Inspite Smith had taken part

CHSL-2018
10 July, 2019, Morning

222. When we went to Ramgarh we see the snow-capped mountains in the distance.
(1) in the distance
(2) to Ramgarh we see
(3) the snow-capped mountains
(4) when we went

CHSL-2018
9 July, 2019, Afternoon

223. He asked from me it was interested in a career in modelling.
(1) from me if
(2) I was interested
(3) He asked
(4) in a career

CHSL-2018
8 July, 2019, Afternoon

224. Tilak rowed through the river and tied his boat on the other side.
(1) and tied his boat
(2) on the other side
(3) Tilak rowed
(4) through the river

CHSL-2018
1 July, 2019, Evening

225. The Principal requested to the Chief Guest to inaugurate the sports meet.
(1) The Principal requested
(2) the sports meet
(3) to the Chief Guest
(4) to inaugurate

CHSL-2018
4 July, 2019, Evening

226. On September 11, 2001, two hijacked aircrafts crashed to the World Trade Centre in New York.
(1) two hijacked aircrafts
(2) On September 11, 2001
(3) crashed to the
(4) World Trade Centre in New York

CHSL-2018
2 July, 2019, Afternoon

227. India's largest car maker is evaluating the launch to a small electric car next year.
(1) next year
(2) is evaluating the launch
(3) India's largest car maker
(4) to a small electric car

CHSL-2018
3 July, 2019, Afternoon

228. The launch of the small electric car will depend to the willingness of buyers of pay more for it.
(1) depend to the willingness
(2) of buyers to pay more for it
(3) The launch of the
(4) small electric car will

CHSL-2018
3 July, 2019, Morning

229. This summer, I've met down a lot of interesting people.
(1) interesting people
(2) I've met down
(3) a lot of
(4) This summer

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

230. I won't be here next week as I'm going to Mumbai to a conference.
(1) I won't
(2) be here
(3) to a conference
(4) as I'm going

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

231. Instead of studying in home I went to my friend's house.
(1) in home
(2) I went
(3) Instead of studying
(4) to my friend's house.

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11 September, 2019

232. High level security arrangements were made for the forthcoming visit to a Japanese Prime Minister.

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(1) security arrangements
(2) were made
(3) for the forthcoming
(4) visit to a

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11 September, 2019

233. It takes me one hour to get to work in the morning in week day.
(1) in week day
(2) in the morning
(3) takes me
(4) to get to work

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

234. We have sufficient food and clothing about the flood victims in Kerala.
(1) We have sufficient
(2) in Kerala
(3) about the flood victims
(4) food and clothing

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

235. I am going to a holiday to Panchmarhi tomorrow.
(1) tomorrow
(2) to Panchmarhi
(3) to a holiday
(4) I am going

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

236. The Social Media Department is headless at the moment and many are vying to the post.
(1) is headless at the moment
(2) The Social Media Department
(3) to the post.
(4) and many are vying

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

237. Each film will be checked by a government-appointed censor board along public exhibition.
(1) along public exhibition.
(2) each film
(3) by a government-appointed censor board
(4) will be checked

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

238. Instead of helping her mother at the kitchen, Rekha was on her mobile talking to her friend.
(1) talking to her friend
(2) of helping
(3) at the kitchen
(4) on her mobile

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

239. Please don't disturbs to me as I am reading a book.
(1) Please don't
(2) reading a book
(3) as I am
(4) disturbs to me

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Answers with Explanation

1. (1) Replace 'with his point of view' with 'from his point of view'.

2. (3) Replace 'in search some job' with 'in search of some job'.

3. (3) Replace 'arrive to' with 'arrive at'.
We generally say:
1) arrive in a country/ city.
2) arrive at a place.

4. (2) Replace 'angry on' with 'angry with'.
- Angry with someone.
- Angry at something he does.

5. (3) Change 'with' into 'by'
- accompany by someone.

6. (2) Replace 'hear' with 'hearing'. All Prepositions (including 'to') is followed by a Gerund.

7. (3) Replace 'by' with 'at'.
- Shocked at something.

8. (3) 'Prevent' takes Preposition 'from' with it and after 'from' (a preposition) V_{ing} is used.

9. (2) Replace 'to find' with 'in finding'.

10. (2) Verb 'discuss' is not followed by any Preposition. Hence remove 'about'.

11. (1) Replace 'beside' with 'besides'.
'Beside' means 'at the side of'.
'Besides' means 'in addition to'.

12. (1) 'Suffering' takes Preposition 'from' with it.

13. (4) Between is used when only two persons are involved whereas 'among' is used for more than two persons but here we have the exact number of girls so 'between' is correct.

14. (3) Change 'with' into 'to'.
'Married' is followed by preposition 'to' in Passive Voice.

15. (2) Replace 'upon' with 'at' because 'shout' is followed by Preposition 'at'.

16. (2) Remove 'of'.
'Comprise' is not followed by any preposition in active Voice.
'Comprise' means 'consist of'.

17. (2) Replace 'till' with 'upto'.

18. (2) Change 'on' into 'with'.
'Angry' takes preposition 'with' it.

19. (2) Replace 'capable to do' with 'capable of doing'.
'Capable' takes preposition 'of' with it.

20. (1) Replace 'into' with 'to'.

21. (3) Replace 'of' with 'for'. 'Thirst' takes preposition 'for'.

22. (2) Replace 'cope up with' with 'cope with'.

23. (2) Replace 'to win' with 'of winning'.

24. (2) Replace 'cope up with' with 'cope with'.

25. (2) Change 'to welcome' into 'in welcoming'. You take pleasure in doing something.

26. (2) Replace 'by' with 'from'.

27. (1) Replace 'opposite him' with 'opposite to him'. 'Opposite to' means 'facing each other'.

28. (2) Replace 'aimed to bring' with 'aimed at bringing'.

29. (3) Replace 'on' with 'with'.

30. (3) Replace 'owed to' with 'owing to'.

31. (3) Replace 'despite of' with 'beside oneself' means 'in an extreme state of some emotion'.

32. (2) Replace 'describes about' with 'describes'.
'Describe' does not take any preposition with it.

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33. (2) Remove 'of'. 'Comprises' does not take preposition 'of' with it' comprise — consist of

34. (3) Replace 'in the beach' with 'at the beach'.

35. (1) Replace 'on' before 'last Sunday'.

36. (3) Remove 'to' from 3rd part of sentence. 'Attend to' means 'to serve'. 'Attend' means 'to be present'.

37. (1) Replace 'At his return' with 'on his returning'.

38. (2) Replace 'entered into' with 'entered'.

'enter' is not followed by any preposition.

39. (3) Replace 'angry on' with 'angry with'.

Angry with someone.

Angry at something.

40. (1) Replace 'beside' with besides'.

'besides' means 'in addition to'.

'beside' means 'at the side of'.

41. (3) Replace 'by foot' with 'on foot'.

42. (2) Replace 'good in Mathematics' with 'good at Mathematics'.

43. (3) Replace 'over' with 'to'. 'Prefer' takes preposition 'to'.

'Prefer' is followed by Preposition 'to'.

44. (2) Replace 'sensitive of' with 'sensitive to'.

45. (2) Replace 'than' with 'to'.

46. (4) No error

Adjectives ending in 'ior' takes preposition 'to'.

47. (2) 'told' is directly followed by an object. Remove 'to'.

48. (3) Replace 'sick with life' with 'sick of life'. 'Sick of' means 'tired of'.

49. (2) Replace 'availed' with 'availed myself of'. 'Avail' is followed by a reflexive pronoun and preposition 'of'.

50. (3) Replace 'about' with 'of'.

51. (2) Replace 'looking forward for' with 'looking forward to'. 'Look forward to' means 'waiting in anticipation'.

52. (1) Replace 'cope up with' with 'cope with'. 'Cope with' means to handle or tackle.

53. (1) Replace 'asked' with asked for'. 'Ask for' means 'to demand'.

54. (2) 'Superior' is followed by Preposition 'to' with it. Any adjectives ending in 'ior' are followed by preposition 'to'.

55. (3) Replace 'appear to' with 'appear before'. Also change 'investigation committee' into investigating committee.

56. (1) Change 'heavy work into 'work load'.

57. (1) 'Request' is directly followed by object.

Hence replace 'request to you' with 'request you'.

58. (1) Replace 'The minister for education' with 'The education minister'.

59. (3) Replace 'pass away the time' with 'pass the time'.

'Pass away' means 'to die'.

'Pass the time' means 'to spend time'.

60. (2) Replace 'a test in Mathematics' with 'a test on Mathematics'.

61. (2) Replace 'around' with 'about'. 'Bring about' means 'to make something happen'.

62. (3) Replace 'on' with 'to'.

'Attention' is followed by preposition 'to'.

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63. (2) Replace 'to' with 'by'.
'Abide by rules' means 'to obey/ accept the rules'.

64. (3) Replace 'to' with 'for' because 'start for some place' means 'to begin to move towards a particular destination'.

65. (2) Add 'the' after 'all'.

66. (2) Replace 'going with' with 'going on with'. 'Go on' means 'to continue or persevere'.

67. (1) Replace 'knocked the door' with 'knocked at the door.

68. (3) Replace 'of' with 'from'.

69. (3) 'addicted' takes preposition 'to' with 'it'.

70. (2) Remove 'for'.
'Order' does not take any preposition with it.

71. (2) Replace 'in' with 'into'.

72. (1) Replace 'angry on' with 'angry with'.
- 'angry with someone'
  'angry at something he does.'

73. (3) Change 'with' into 'to'.
In Passive Voice 'married' is followed by Preposition 'to'.

74. (3) Replace 'in the altar' with 'on the altar'.

75. (3) Replace 'on 10 O' clock' with 'at 10 O' clock'.

76. (3) Replace 'fell down' with 'fell short'.

77. (2) 'Essential' takes preposition 'to'.

78. (4) Change 'in' into 'on'.

79. (3) Replace 'among' with 'between'.
'Between' is used for two whereas 'among' is used for more than two.

80. (3) Replace 'cope up with' with 'cope with'.

81. (1) Remove 'to'.
'Advise' is directly followed by an object.

82. (4) No error.
'Insist' takes preposition 'on'.

83. (2) 'with a view to' is followed by '–ing' form.
Replace 'survey' with 'surveying'.
If after preposition any verb comes it is used in Gerund form.

84. (2) Replace 'on' with 'at'.
- Laugh at someone.

85. (2) Replace 'awaiting' with 'waiting'.
'Await' doesn't take 'for'

86. (1) Replace 'live on' with 'live in'.

87. (3) Replace 'for' with 'to'. 'Invite' is followed by preposition 'to'.

88. (4) No error

89. (3) Replace 'by walk' with 'on foot'.

90. (2) Replace 'goes to morning walk' with 'goes for morning walk'.

91. (3) Replace 'in' with 'to'.
'inattentive' is followed by Preposition 'to'. Also change 'study' into studies'.

92. (1) Replace 'aimed' with aimed at'.
'aimed' is followed by preposition 'at'.

93. (2) Replace 'for' with 'with'.
'Overwhelmed' is followed by preposition 'with'.

94. (3) Replace 'than' with 'to'. 'Inferior' is followed by preposition 'to'. Any adjective ending with '-ior' is followed by preposition 'to'.

95. (1) Replace 'told' with 'told us'.
'Told' is followed by an 'object'.

96. (1) Replace 'trust on' with 'trust in'.

97. (3) Replace 'for' with 'to'. 'Injurious' is followed by preposition 'to'.

98. (3) Replace 'by' with 'with'.
For an instrument preposition 'with' is used.

99. (2) Replace 'for' with 'of'.
'Guilty' is followed by preposition 'of'.

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100. (3) Replace 'died with' with 'died of'. 'Die of disease'

101. (3) Replace 'with' with 'within'. Also change 'in cheque' into 'by cheque'.

102. (3) 'Prefer' is followed by preposition 'to'.

103. (4) No error

104. (2) Replace 'besides' with 'beside'.
'Besides' means 'in addition to'.
'Beside' means 'at the side of'.

105. (1) Replace 'on' with 'in'.
'Senegal' is the name of country.

106. (1) 'discuss' is not followed by any preposition.
Hence remove 'about'.

107. (3) 'Restored' is followed by preposition 'to'.

108. (2) Remove 'from'.

109. (2) 'Congratulation' is followed by preposition 'on'.

110. (2) Replace 'next from mine' with 'next to mine'.

111. (3) Here 'excuse me for interrupting you' should be used.

112. (3) Replace 'for'. with 'to'.

113. (4) No error

114. (2) 'Comprise' is not followed by preposition 'of'.
'Comprise' means 'consist of'.

115. (3) Replace 'than' with 'to'.
'Prefer' is followed by Preposition 'to' in most cases. When prefer is followed by 'to + infinitive' 'rather than' is used.
Ex: I prefer to leave rather than stay.

116. (3) Change 'in' into 'at'.

117. (2) Replace 'on' with 'at' 'leapt at an opportunity'.

118. (3) Replace 'going for a party' with 'going to a party'.

119. (2) Replace 'in' with 'into'.

120. (2) 'Cure for the evils' is correct usage.

121. (1) 'in spite' is followed by preposition 'of'.

122. (1) Replace 'write him of' with 'write him off'.
'Write something off' means 'to decide that somebody or thing will not be useful or important'.

123. (3) Replace 'of the receipt of this letter' with 'from the receipt of this letter'.

124. (3) Replace 'the speed in which' with 'the speed at which'.

125. (1) Replace 'peace in mind' with 'peace of mind'.

126. (3) Change 'be' into 'was'.

127. (3) Remove 'of'. 'Assure' is followed by 'of' not 'ensure'.

128. (1) Replace 'vie to' with 'vie with'. 'Vie' means 'compete eagerly with someone in order to do or achieve something'. (होड़ करना)
Vie with somebody
Vie for something.

129. (4) Replace 'look upon' with 'look at'.

130. (4) 'Marries' is not followed by any preposition in Active Voice.
Hence remove 'with'.

131. (4) Replace 'than' with 'from'.

132. (1) Replace 'on' with 'by'.
Abide by something means 'act according to rule'.

133. (2) 'Put off' means 'to postpone something'.
Hence replace 'of' with 'off'.

134. (3) Replace 'than' with 'to'.
'Prefers' is mostly followed by preposition 'to'.

135. (2) Replace 'clinging with her' with 'clinging to her'.
'Clinging ' takes Preposition 'to' with 'it'.

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136. (4) No error

137. (2) 'Superior', 'inferior' and all adjectives that end in 'ior' are followed by 'to'.

138. (1) 'Averse' is followed by 'to'.

139. (4) Here 'Besides' means – 'in addition to'.

140. (1) Change 'on' into 'in'.

'Put on' means 'to cover something' or 'to wear'.

'Put in' means 'to make an official request'.

141. (2) In passive voice 'married' is followed by preposition 'to'.

142. (3) Change 'from' into 'on'. Days take 'on' with them.

143. (1) 'To' should not be used with told as said to = told. So 'to' after told is superfluous.

144. (1) 'In spite of', 'despite' and 'although' all are used to show a contrast but there are difference in the structures used with them. After 'in spite of' and 'despite' we use 'a noun' or 'a pronoun' and after 'although' we use 'a subject' and 'a verb'. Here 'rains' is a noun hence In spite of/despite will come.

145. (2) 'Dry up' means '(of something perceived as a continuous flow or source) decrease and stop'.

'Dry down' means '(in perfumery) to most persistent or lingering element of a fragrance, remaining after the perfume has dried on the skin'. Thus replace 'dry down' with 'dry up'.

146. (2) 'Between' is used in reference to two. 'Among' is used for more than two. Hence replace 'among' with 'between'.

147. (1) Phrasal verb 'sit up' means 'to sit with a straight back'. Here the correct phrase would be 'sat down upon'.

148. (3) Change 'till for' into 'even before' to give a proper meaning to the sentence.

149. (1) Change 'on' into 'up'.

'Wake up' means 'to arise' (जाग जाना)

150. (3) The correct preposition is 'in front of'.

151. (3) 'Preferable' already means 'more desirable'. It is redundant to write more and most preferable.

Preferable is followed by preposition 'to'. Hence replace 'More preferable than' with 'preferable to'

152. (4) No error

153. (2) Correct phrase is 'look down upon'. It means 'to consider someone or something inferior'.

154. (2) We take rest 'in the shade of tree' not 'below the shade of tree'.

155. (3) 'Inquire about' is a phrasal verb which means 'to seek information'. Hence replace 'in' with 'about'.

156. (2) 'Substitution of cream for milk' is the correct formation.

157. (4) No error.

158. (3) Correct phrase is 'in spite of'.

159. (2) Phrasal verb 'take off' means 'to leave the surface'. Replace preposition 'of ' with 'off '.

160. (1) Remove 'in'.

161. (3) Correct phrase is 'in front of'.

162. (3) Replace 'from' with 'with' or 'for'

163. (3) Replace 'for' with 'in'.

164 (3) Replace 'from' with 'to'. Succumbed (fail to resist – हार जाना) takes preposition 'to'.

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165. (1) Replace 'for' with 'to'. 'Look forward to' means to feel happy and excited about something that is going to happen.

166. (3) Replace 'for' with 'to'.

(i) Provide something to someone

Eg:-Provide milk to the dog.

(ii) Provide someone with something

Eg:-Provide the dog with milk.

167. (3) Replace 'at' with 'for'. 'Bargain' takes preposition 'for'. Bargain for' means 'to expect (उम्मीद करना)

168. (4)

169. (1) Change 'in' into 'to' because committed takes 'to' which means dedicated or pledged or bound to a certain course of policy.

170. (3) Change 'in' into 'of' because 'period of time' is the correct structure.

171. (3) Change 'go to picnic' into 'go on a picnic'. 'Go on a picnic' means to 'have a picnic'. Here we mean the purpose not the place venue or event.

172. (1) Remove 'to'. 'On my, way back home is needed here.

173. (1) Change 'than' into 'to' because 'superior' takes preposition 'to'.

174. (2) Change 'at' into 'on' because 'on the one hand is used to present first of the two contrasting points.

175. (3) Add 'of' after ability.

176. (3) Change 'on ' into 'into' because 'infuse' takes preposition 'into'. It means to instill a specific quality etc.'

177. (2) Remove 'of'. 'Comprises' does not take 'of' in active voice.

178. (1) Change 'leapt on' into 'leapt at' because 'leap at' something means to accept a chance or an opportunity quickly.

179. (2) Change 'on' into 'in' because 'invest' takes preposition 'in' with it.

180. (2) Change 'on' into 'at' where 'at that time' means 'a moment of time'.

181. (3) Remove 'of'. We do not use 'of' with despite.

Despite - In spite of (के बावजूद)

182. (2) Replace 'into' with 'in'.

183. (3) Provide + direct object + to indirect object. Here we need 'to'.

184. (3) Change 'at' into 'it'.

185. (4) No Error.

186. (3) Use 'of' after 'discovery'.

187. (2) Replace 'on' with 'in'.

188. (1) Use 'in' in place of 'on'.

189. (1) Use 'of' in place of 'from'. 'Made from' comes when 'form' changes.

190. (1) Replace 'on' with 'over' or 'across'.

191. (3) Replace 'in' with 'over' or 'across'.

192. (*) Except Option (3), all options are wrong. In (1) Replace 'in' with 'by'. (2) Replace 'by' with 'on'- on foot (पैदल) (4) Replace 'are' with 'were'.

193. (2) Change 'who' with 'which'. For images 'which' will come.

194. (4) Change 'about' into 'for'.

195. (4) Remove 'to'. offer does not take any preposition.

196. (4) Remove 'out'. Cope with means to tolerate

197. (1) Use A lot of people or many people.

198. (1) Add 'of' after 'dispose'. Dispose takes preposition 'of'.

199. (2) Change 'went for' into 'went to'.

200. (3) Replace 'to' with 'from'.'From my point of view' means 'In my opinion'.

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201. (4) Remove 'of'. Comprise does not take 'of' in Active voice. Comprise = Consist of

202. (2) Replace 'from' with 'for'. Duration takes 'for'.

203. (3) Replace 'of' with 'on'.

204. (4) Replace 'to' with 'at'. 'Look at' – देखना

205. (1) Replace 'to' with 'of'

206. (3) Replace 'about' with 'through'. 'Pass through' means to be the medium of.

207. (4) Replace 'for' with 'to'.

208. (3) Replace 'on' with 'to'.

209. (1) Replace 'to' with 'at'. Smile at a person. (देख कर मुस्कुराना)

210. (1) Replace 'on' with 'by'. 'Journey by train'.

211. (2) Replace 'on' with 'with'. Angry with a person.

212. (3) Use 'with'. You use 'by' with does (in Passive Voice) and 'with' with instrument/ weapon etc.

213. (2) Use from 'trying' in place of 'to try'. Dissuade takes preposition 'from'.

214. (1) Comply takes with after it.

215. (3) Use 'in' in place of 'at'.

216. (2) Change 'during' into 'in'.

217. (1) Change 'to' into 'with'.

218. (3) Use 'from becoming' in place of 'to' become. Prevent takes preposition 'from'.

219. (4) use 'for' in place of 'to'.

220. (3) use 'to' in place of 'for'. Evidence cannot take plural form as it is an uncountable noun. Remove 's'.

221. (4) Use 'though' in place of 'inspite'.

222. (2) Change 'see' into 'saw'. The sentence is of past.

223. (1) Remove 'from'.

224. (4) use 'across' in place of 'through'.

225. (3) Remove 'to'.

226. (3) replace 'to' by 'into'.

227. (4) Use 'of' in place of 'to'.

228. (1) Use 'on' in place of 'to'.
Depend on - निर्भर होना

229. (2) Remove 'down'.

230. (3) Replace 'to' with 'for'.

231. (1) Replace 'in' with 'at'.

232. (4) Replace 'to' with 'of'. Also change 'a' into 'the'. Visit of the Japanese PM is talked about here'.

233. (1) Replace 'in' with 'on'. On week days.

234. (3) Replace 'about' with 'for'.

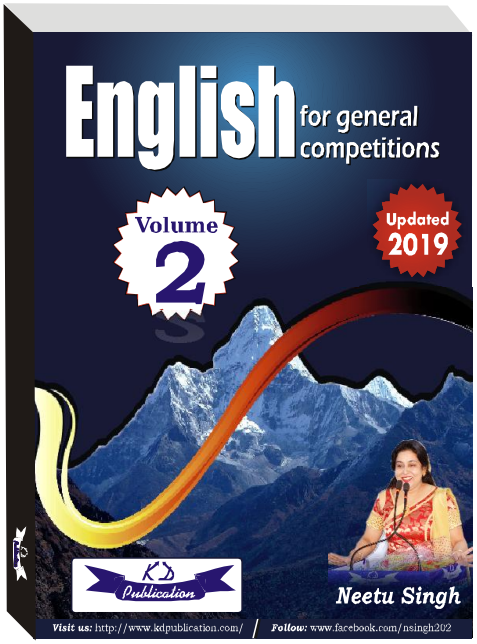
235. (3) Replace 'to' with 'on'.

236. (3) Replace 'to' with 'for'. You vie for something and vie with someone.
Vie– to compete (प्रतिस्पर्धा करना)

237. (1) Replace 'along' with 'before'.

238. (3) Replace 'at' with 'in'.

239. (4) Replace 'disturbs to' with 'disturb'.



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ADVERB

1. John is working very hardly (1)/as the examinations (2)/are fast approaching. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

2. The old man felled (1)/some of the trees in the garden (2)/with hardly no effort at all.(3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC SAS Exam. 26.06.2010 (Paper-I)

3. His son(1)/ is working (2)/ very hardly. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (First Sitting)

4. Thank you, (1)/I am fine (2)/ completely. (3)/ No error (4)

(FCI Assistant Grade-II Exam. 22.01.2012 Paper-I)

5. In the garden (1)/ were the more beautiful flowers (2)/ and silver bells (3)/. No error (4)

FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 25.02.2012 (Paper-I) North Zone (Ist Sitting)

6. He thinks (1)/ himself (2)/ as a great scholar. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010)

7. This is our second reminder (1)/ and we are much surprised (2)/ at receiving no answer from you. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

8. It was in 2006 (1)/ that we first flew (2)/ to the United States. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 20.02.2011)

9. He works hardly (1)/ to make (2)/ both ends meet. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

10. Old habits (1)/ die (2)/ hardly. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

11. Padmini had not rarely missed (1)/ a dance performance or festival since (2)/ she was eight years old. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

12. No sooner the minister had heard (1)/ about the accident (2)/ than he rushed to the spot. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

13. We need to surround ourselves with (1)/ caring people particular loved ones who (2)/ bring hope and support to our hearts and minds and with whom we can communicate. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

14. The scientists (1)/could not hardly (2)/ complete all the experiments. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

15. The hockey match (1)/ between India and Pakistan (2)/ was much exciting. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

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16. The Beatles (1)/ will ever be my favourite (2)/ pop group. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

17. After toiling very hardly (1)/ over a long period of time (2)/he found that he had met no profit at all. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

18. One must learn (1)/ to distinguish (2)/ good from bad. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

19. Seldom if ever (1)/ nature does operate (2)/ in closed and separate compartments. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

20. He flew (1)/ over extensively (2)/ the Pacific last winter. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014 TF No. 022 MH 3)

21. I really do regret not to learn to play the violin when I had so many opportunties to learn and practise in school.

(1) No error
(2) I really do regret not to learn to play the violin
(3) When I had so many opportunities
(4) To learn and practise in school.

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1443088)

22. So hoarse he was that he could not make the speech.

(1) So hoarse he was
(2) that he could not make
(3) the speech
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam, 30.08.2015)

23. The results of the survey were fairly disappointing.

(1) of the survey were
(2) The results
(3) fairly disappointing.
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

24. The doctor asked his patient to regularly take his medicine.

(1) asked his patient
(2) to regularly take his medicine.
(3) No error
(4) The doctor

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

25. Seldom we have been (1)/ treated in such (2)/ a rude manner. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 19th Jan, Evening

26. The professor informed that (1)/ they had all done (2)/ very badly. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 22nd Jan, Afternoon

27. I am coming directly (1)/ to my office (2)/ from the station. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 (1st February, Morning)

28. Mother does not hardly (1)/ know what happened (2)/ in school yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 (2nd February, Evening)

29. He only plays a subsidiary (1)/ role in the management (2)/of this organization. (3)/No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 (8th February, Morning)

30. For several years now (1)/ my newspaper agent has been spelling (2)/ my name incorrectly. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016 (28th August, Morning)

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31. Look at what (1)/ I am doing (2)/ and do like I do (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(30th August, Afternoon)

32. What man can die (1)/ better than (2)/ serving his country? (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(3rd September, Afternoon)

33. My friend's actual job (1)/ involves a lot (2)/ of administration. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(7th September, Evening)

34. Sheldon is an intelligent boy, he thinks quick.
(1) thinks (2) quick
(3) is (4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

35. This machine looks good but is very badly designed and doesn't work good.
(1) and doesn't work good.
(2) but is very badly designed
(3) No error
(4) This machine looks good

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

36. Her aunt didn't (1)/ give me (2)/ a minute of peace. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Morning

37. The teacher (1)/ explained everything (2)/ very clearly. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

38. Vegetables as well as fruits (1)/ have fallen considerably (2)/ in prices in recent days. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Morning

39. Although Rahul ran very (1)/ fastly he could not (2)/ catch the moving bus. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Evening

40. Bharatanatyam will also (1)/ feature in the two-week (2)/ World Music Festival. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

41. The captain of the team was very criticized for the quality of his leadership.
(1) his
(2) the
(3) for
(4) very

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

42. Although the toys are altogether in the cupboard they are not properly arranged.
(1) in the cupboard
(2) are altogether
(3) are not properly arranged
(4) Although the toys

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Evening

43. No matter he tries hard he cannot play the guitar.
(1) No matter
(2) he tries hard
(3) he cannot
(4) play the guitar

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

44. Please go out and check if it is yet raining.
(1) and check
(2) if it is
(3) yet raining
(4) Please go out

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

45. Found in many parts of India, the frangipani tree is a small, low – branching tree which is especial used for several medicinal purposes.
(1) a small, low –branching tree
(2) Found in many parts
(3) The frangipani tree is
(4) which is especial used

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

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Answers with Explanation

1. (1) Replace 'hardly' with 'hard'.
hardly (adv.) means 'almost not'.
hard (adv.) means 'with a great deal or effort'.

2. (3) Replace hardly no effort with hardly any effort.
Hardly, is negative word so it should not be used with not or other negative words.

3. (3) Replace 'hardly' with hard.

4. (3) Adverb is used to qualify an adjective and it is generally placed before an adjective that it qualifies.
Hence place completely (adv.) before fine (adjective).

5. (2) When a sentence begins with 'in the garden' it takes inversion form hence the structure is right. But since there is no sense of comparison in a sentence so use of 'more' in a sentence is redundant. Remove 'the more'. However 'the most' can be used.

6. (3) Remove 'as'. Think, consider, call, appoint, make, name and choose do not take 'as'.

7. (4) No error.

8. (2) Replace 'that' with 'when'. Here '2006' denotes time.

9. (1) 'Hardly' (adverb) means 'almost not'.
'Hard' (adverb) means 'putting a lot of energy into an activity'.
Hence replace 'hardly' with 'hard'.

10. (3) Replace 'hardly' with 'hard'.

11. (1) 'Rarely' itself is a negative word so it does not take any other negative words with it.
Hence remove 'not' from the first part of the sentence.

12. (1) When a sentence begin with 'no sooner' it takes inversion form.
So 'had' will come before 'the minister'

13. (2) Replace 'particular' with 'particularly'. An adverb is needed to qualify an adjective (loved)

14. (2) 'Hardly' itself is a negative word so it does not take another negative words with it.
Hence remove 'not' from the second part of the sentence.

15. (3) Replace 'much' with 'very'. Generally 'very' is used before Present Participle.

16. (2) Replace 'ever' with 'always'.

17. (1) Replace 'hardly' with 'hard'.

18. (2) After 'learn' 'wh-family' is used.
Hence the sentence should read as ... One must learn how to distinguish.

19. (2) When a sentence begins with 'seldom if ever' it takes inversion form.
Hence the sentence should read as ... Seldom if ever does nature operate...

20. (2) Place 'extensively' before 'over'.

21. (2) Here, I really (do) regret not learning how to play the violin ..... should be used. When you regret your past action, regret takes 'ing' form'. For official announcements 'regret' takes (to + V_1).
Eg: I regret to inform you that your flight is late.

22. (1) When a sentence begins with 'so' it takes inversion form.

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Hence the sentence should read as.

So hoarse was he that ...

23. (3) 'Fairly' is generally used with pleasant adjective. Here 'disappointing' is unpleasant adjective. Hence 'rather' should come in the place of 'fairly'.

24. (2) Adverb 'regularly' should be used at the end of the sentence. Hence the last part of the sentence should read as to take his medicine regularly.

25. (1) When a sentence begins with a negative adverb like never, barely, seldom, etc the auxiliary verb comes before the subject. Hence place 'have' before 'we'.

26. (4) No error

27. (1) Change 'directly' to 'direct'. Here 'direct' means 'straight' without stopping any where. Both don't take 'ly'.

28. (1) Hardly, scarcely, rarely etc are negative adverbs. They have negative meaning so we use them without another negative word. The correct sentence will be 'Mother hardly knows...'. So remove 'not' from part 'A'.

29. (1) Only will come before 'a subsidiary role' as it qualifies it.

30. (4) No error

31. (3) Replace 'like' with 'as'.

'As' is an adverb that qualifies an action

Eg:Nobody loved her as I do.

The same idea can be expressed using 'like' but differently.

Eg:Nobody loves her like me.

[here 'like' is followed by the object pronoun 'me'. 'Like' is an adjective that qualifies a noun or a pronoun]

32. (1) Replace 'what man can die with 'How can man die' to give an appropriate meaning to the sentence.

33. (1) Change 'actual job' into 'job actually'. Here 'actually' should qualify 'involves'.

34. (2) Replace 'quick' with 'quickly'.

35. (1) Replace 'good(Adj)' with 'well(Adv)'. work (a normal verb) is followed by an Adverb (well). Look (a verb of sensation) takes Adjective (good).

36. (3) Add 'even' before a minute of peace.

37. (4) No Error.

38. (4) No error.

39. (2) Use 'fast' in place of 'fastly'. There is no word like 'fastly'.

40. (1) Place 'also' after 'Bharatanatyam'.

41. (4) Replace 'very' with 'very much or much'.

42. (2) Relace 'altogether' with 'all together'. Altogether means completely and fully. All together means all in one place or group.

43. (2) Replace 'he tries hard' with 'how hard he tries'.

44. (3) Replace 'yet' with 'still'.

45. (4) Replace 'especial' with 'especially'. Is + Adverb + V_3. Verb 'used' is qualified by an Adverb.

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CONDITIONAL SENTENCES

1. John would have told (1)/you the truth (2)/ if you had asked him. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

2. I wish I am (1)/ the richest person (2)/ in the whole wide world. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

3. After you will return (1)/ from Chennai (2)/ I will come and see you. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

4. If you had told me(1)/ I would have helped you (2)/ solve the problem. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

5. If he is a millionaire (1)/ he would help (2)/ the millennium project. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. 28.08.2011 (Paper-I)

6. Unless (1)/ you will study hard (2)/ you cannot pass. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010)

7. After you will return (1)/ from New Delhi (2)/ I will meet you (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 27.02.2011)

8. He walks (1)/ as if the earth (2)/ belonged to him. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CISF Constable (GD) Exam. 05.06.2011)

9. Had you (1)/ worked hard (2)/ you will have passed. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

10. Supposing if (1)/ it rains (2)/ what shall we do? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

11. I would (1)/ accept the offer (2)/ if I were you. (3)/ No error. (4)

12. This letter will reach him (1)/before he left (2)/ for Delhi. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (Delhi Zone)

13. It is time (1)/ we should have done / (2) something useful. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (East Zone)

14. He will tell you (1)/ about it when (2)/ he will come back. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (East Zone)

15. Ask her to call me (1)/ when she (2)/ will come back. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011))

16. We shall (1)/go out (2)/if it does not rains. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

17. If he had walked (1)/ fast enough (2)/ he will get the bus. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

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18. The train will not start (1)/ until the guard (2)/ will blow the whistle. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

19. We shall wait (1)/ till you (2)/ will finish your lunch. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

20. Unless aid arrives (1)/ within the next few weeks/ (2) thousands are starving. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

21. If I was he,(1)/ I wouldn't accept (2)/ this project. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

22. Unless he apologizes (1)/ he should not be (2)/ allowed to stay with us. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, IInd Sitting)

23. Had the plane not been delayed, (1)/ I will reach here (2)/ in time for the function. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

24. If I would have realised (1)/ what a bad shape our library is in (2)/ I would have done something. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014 TF No. 022 MH 3)

25. If she had seen (1)/ the car coming, she (2)/ may not crossed the road. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, IInd Sitting TF No. 545 QP 6)

26. My friend will not come to attend this marriage unless he is not invited.

(1) No error
(2) My friend will not come
(3) to attend this marriage
(4) unless he is not invited.

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 IInd Sitting)

27. It began to rain as soon as we stepped out of the house.

(1) out of the house
(2) as soon as we stepped
(3) No error
(4) It began to rain

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

28. If I will play my best I can win any day against anybody.

(1) against anybody
(2) I can win any day
(3) No error
(4) If I will play my best

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, Ist Sitting)

29. You will not (1)/ succeed unless you (2)/ don't work hard. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

30. If I had remembered (1)/ this it will have (2)/ prevented some mistakes. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 21th Jan, Evening

31. "If I can see you (1)/ I am sure you would (2)/ be looking beautiful,"Naina said. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 23rd Jan, Morning

32. I wish you (1)/ can hear (2)/ yourself talking. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 23rd Jan, Afternoon

33. She has had the best medical facilities available (1) / but she will not be cured (2) / unless she does not have a strong desire to live (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016 (28th August, Evening)

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34. If the farmer got a washing machine (1)/ his wife can (2)/ do the laundry quickly (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Afternoon)

35. Had I been (1) / in my brother's position (2) / I would have refused the offer. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Afternoon)

36. I have come (1)/ as soon as (2)/ the customers leave your shop (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Evening)

37. Please note that you will be eligible for (1)/ the voucher only if you (2)/ had received this email. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

38. If you would still accepting posts, please (1)/ let me know so that I can put together (2)/ a draft for your approval. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

39. If I was he (1)/ I wouldn't (2)/ accept the offer. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

40. He commanded me (1)/ as if he was (2)/ my husband. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Evening

41. If you will finish your homework I (1)/ will give you (2)/ an ice-cream. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Evening

42. As soon as I will reach (1)/ Delhi I will send you (2)/ the books you have asked for. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Morning

43. If I was he, (1)/ I wouldn't (2)/ accept this gift. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Evening

44. If the car hadn't broken down we will be at the office now.
(1) If the car
(2) we will be
(3) hadn't broken down
(4) at the office

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Evening

45. If I join a software company I am getting a good deal of experience.
(1) If I join
(2) a software company
(3) I am getting
(4) a good deal of experience

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

46. We will rest(1)/for sometime when (2)/we will reach the top(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Evening

47. If so many catches(1)/had not being dropped,(2)/we would have won the match.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Evening

Answers with Explanation

1. (4) No error
The rule applicable here is
If + subject + had, subject + would + have + V_3.

2. (1) Replace 'I am' with 'I were'.

3. (1) Replace 'after you will return' with 'after you return'.
The rule applicable here is
If + Simple Present Tense, Simple Future Tense.

4. (4) No error

5. (1) For imaginary sentence 'were' is used with all subjects.
Hence Replace 'is' with 'were'.

6. (2) Replace 'will'. The 1st action of conditional sentence is is Simple Present Tense.

7. (1) Remove 'will' from the 1st part.

Rule: If two actions take place one after the other in future and if the second action depends on the first action, the first action is in Simple Present Tense and 2nd in Simple Future Tense.

If + Simple Present, Simple Future.

8. (4) No error.

If 'as if' is followed by total unrealistic action, it is in 'S + V_2' form.

9. (3) Change 'will have' into 'would have'. The sentence fits in the formula given below.

If + subject + had, subject + would + have + V_3.

10. (1) 'Supposing' and 'if' do not come together in a sentence so either keep 'supposing' or 'if'.

11. (4) No error.

12. (2) Replace 'left' with 'leaves'.

The formula applicable here is:

If + Simple Present, Simple Future.

13. (2) Replace 'should have done' with 'did'. It's time is followed by Past Tense.

14. (3) Replace 'will come' with 'comes'.

The given sentence is a conditional sentence and the formula applicable here is

If + Simple Present, Simple Future.

15. (3) Replace 'will come' with 'comes' because 'will' is not used in sub-ordinate clause of a conditional sentence. The formula applicable here is

$$\underbrace{\text{If+ Simple Present}}_{\text{sub-ordinate clause}}\ ,\ \underbrace{\text{Simple Future}}_{\text{Principal clause}}$$

16. (3) After 'do/ does' first form of verb (V_1) comes.

Hence replace 'rains' with 'rain'.

17. (3) Replace 'will get' with 'would have got'.

The formula applicable here is:

Rule: If + subject + had, Subject + would + have + V_3.

18. (3) Replace 'will blow' with 'blows'. the 1st action of a future conditional sentence is in Simple Present Tense.

19. (3) Replace 'will finish' with 'finish'.

20. (3) Replace 'are starving' with 'will starve'.

If Subordinate clause is in Simple Present Tense, the main clause will be in Simple Future Tense.

21. (1) Replace 'was' with 'were'.

For imaginary sentence the formula fit here is

Rule: If + subject + were, subject + would + V_1

22. (2) Replace 'should' with 'shall'. 'He shall not be allowed' shows determination. In sentences of determination 'shall' comes with 3rd person.

23. (2) Replace 'will reach' with 'would have reached'.

*Rule:*If + Subject + had,

Subject + would + have + V_3

24. (1) Replace 'would have' with 'had'.

25. (3) Replace 'may not crossed' with 'may/ would not have crossed'.

26. (4) 'not' does not come with 'unless'.

27. (3) No error.

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28. (4) Replace 'will'.

29. (3) 'Unless' is not followed by any negative word.

Remove 'don't' from 3rd part of the sentence.

30. (2) The correct formula is-

If + had + V_3, Sub + would + have + V_3

Hence replace 'will' with 'would'.

31. (1) For Present Imagination, the formula is-

If + simple past, subject + would + V_1. Hence replace 'present form (can)' with 'past form' (could).

32. (2) We use past forms to talk about wishes for the present. Thus 'I wish you could' will be used.

33. (3) If a word has negative meaning, we do not use 'not' with that word.

Words that do not take not with them are: unless, until, deny, prohibit, lest, hardly, barely, rarely and scarcely. Hence replace 'does not have' with 'has'.

34. (2) ***Rule:*** If 'if clause' is in simple past tense, the general formula we use is:

If + simple past, subject + would / could + V_1

Thus replace 'can' with 'could'.

35. (4) "Had +subject + V_3", Subject + would + have + V_3 is the formula if we remove 'if' from a conditional sentence.

36. (1) Rules for conditional sentence.

If + Present Indefinite, Simple Future.

'If clause' can also take unless, so long as, as soon as, etc.

Hence replace 'have come' with 'will come'.

37. (3) Change 'had received' into 'receive' because the sentence is in future conditional sentence where the structure of the subordinate clause is in simple present tense.

38. (4) 'If you still accept is the correct structure here because in a conditional sentence, the structure of 'if clause' is in simple present tense.

39. (1) Change 'was' into 'were' because the sentence is related to imaginary state. For imaginary state, we use 'were' with all subjects.

40. (1) In conditional sentence – we use 'were' instead of 'was'.

41. (1) Correct formation–

If + sub + V_1 + obj + S_2 + will/ shall + V_1 + obj.

Remove 'will'.

42. (1) Remove 'will'. 'Will/ shall' cannot come in sub-ordinate clause.

43. (1) Use 'were' in place of 'was'.

44. (2) Replace 'will be' with 'would have been'. Structure: If + subject + had + v_3 , subject + would have + v_3.

45. (3) Replace 'am getting' with 'will/ shall get'.

46. (3) 1st action will be in Simple Present Tense. 'When' will be followed by Simple Present Tense.

47. (2) Change 'being' into 'been'.

'Had + been + V_3' is used in Passive Voice.

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NARRATION

1. I told him (1)/that we enjoyed very much (2)/at the party. (3)/No error (4).

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2. He asked (1)/ that how long (2)/ I would be absent. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.11.2010 (IInd Sitting)

3. My sister asked me/(1) that how long (2)/ I would stay there. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

4. Henry asked his wife (1)/ what had she prepared (2)/ for dinner that night. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

5. My friends said (1)/ me that he was (2)/ unable to come. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

6. The other day my sister told me (1)/ that she will be moving (2)/ to her new apartment very soon.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

7. Susan said that she shall (1)/ try to attempt the task (2)/ to the best of her ability.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

8. Our social science teacher told (1)/ to study the map of the world (2)/ for a test. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

Answers with Explanation

1. (2) Replace 'enjoyed' with 'had enjoyed'.

2. (2) Remove 'that'.
When questions of 'Wh-family' is changed into indirect speech, Conjunction 'that' is not used.

3. (2) Remove 'that'. See explanation of Q. No. 2.

4. (2) Replace 'had she' with 'she had'.
In an indirect speech, the subject comes before the verb.

5. (1) Replace 'said' with 'said to'. 'Said' is not directly followed by an object. Either use 'said to' or told.

6. (2) Replace 'will' with 'would'. The reporting verb is in Past Tense hence Reported Speech should also in Past Tense.

7. (1) Replace 'shall' with 'should'. If reporting verb is in Past Tense, the Reported Speech should also be in Past Tense.

8. (1) Add 'us' after told. Told takes an object.

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1. Based on the newspaper reports, (1)/ we can conclude that (2)/ many accidents caused by reckless driving. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

2. If motorists do not observe the traffic regulations (1)/they will be stopped, ticketed (2)/and have to pay a fine. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

3. He who has suffered the most (1)/ for the cause, (2)/ let him speak. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam.16.05.2010 (First Sitting)

4. The same procedure (1)/ also should used (2)/ for the final assessment. (3)/ No error (4)

(FCI Assistant Grade-II Exam. 22.01.2012 Paper-I)

5. Paper should be (1)/ recycle (2)/ if possible. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

6. The capital of Yemen (1)/ is situating (2)/ 2190 metres above the sea level. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

7. It is said (1)/ that this room is not being opened (2)/ for the last fifty years. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 11.11.2012 (1st Sitting)

8. The social activist (1)/ was murder (2)/ in cold blood.(3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

9. The teacher made the boys (1)/ to do the sum (2)/ all over again. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, IInd Sitting)

10. The cruel lady made (1)/her step daughter to do (2)/ all the household chores. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

11. A weak-minded person is frighten away (1)/ by the initial difficulties and (2)/ gives up the attempt in despair. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

12. The government granted relief payments of Rs. 5,000 each to those who injured in the fire accident.

(1) No error
(2) The government granted
(3) Relief payments of Rs. 5,000 each
(4) To those who injured in the fire accident.

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1443088)

13. The heavy-weight fighter was knocking out in one punch.

(1) The heavy-weight fighter
(2) in one punch.
(3) was knocking out
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

14. Iodine deficiency is an easy and inexpensive nutrient disorder to prevent.

(1) Iodine deficiency
(2) is an easy and inexpensive
(3) nutrient disorder to prevent
(4) No error

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 01.11.2015, IInd Sitting)

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15. The promise was broken by him.
(1) was broken (2) by him
(3) The promise (4) No Error
(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1375232)

16. The door should be keep closed.
(1) keep closed (2) No Error
(3) should be (4) The door
(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1375232)

17. The last Mughal emperor was (1)/ send into exile (2)/by the British. (3)/ No error (4)
SSC CHSL-2016
21st Jan, Afternoon

18. No one knows (1)/how he escaped (2)/being dashed to pieces. (3)/No error (4)
SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Morning

19. I could scarcely think (1)/ what I was saying, (2)/ or what was being said to me. (3)/ No error (4)
SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Afternoon

20. Several visitors are (1)/ expected to visit the (2)/ trade fair this weekend. (3)/ No Error (4)
SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Morning

21. We were woke up in the middle of the night by the sound of bursting crackers.
(1) by (2) in the middle
(3) woke up (4) were
STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

22. Our kitten was bite by a dog.
(1) bite by (2) our kitten
(3) was (4) a dog
STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

23. The bridge repaired yesterday so the traffic was delayed.
(1) The bridge (2) was delayed
(3) repaired (4) so the traffic
STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

24. The author's new novel, which is about social change, will launched soon.
(1) The author's new novel
(2) will launched soon
(3) which is
(4) about social change
SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

25. She is always finding fault with the food I cook.
(1) I cook
(2) fault with
(3) the food
(4) is always finding
SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Morning

26. Regardless of class, income or race, parents believe that children who are bored after school should enrolled in extracurricular activities.
(1) Regardless of class, income or race,
(2) in extracurricular activities
(3) children how are bored after school
(4) should enrolled
SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Evening

27. A newly released study has found that more people were injuring riding electric scooters than by riding bicycles.
(1) that more people
(2) A newly released study has found
(3) injuring riding electric scooters
(4) than by riding bicycles
SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Evening

28. It seems that authors' creativity is not restrict to their work and happily overflows into their names too.
(1) happily overflows
(2) authors' creativity
(3) into their names too
(4) restrict to their work
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16 March, 2019 Morning

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29. Due to the Cyclone Ldai(1)/vast areas of land have been flooded,(2)/roads destroyed and communications(3)/ disrupting in Zimbabwe and Mosambique.(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Afternoon

30. The reduction in the cost of education(1)/due to an increase in subsidies(2)/offer by the government is also seen as a reason to get more educated.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Afternoon

31. Three more elevated roads have been propose in the new plan to unclog the traffic in Delhi.
(1) in the new plan
(2) Three more elevated roads
(3) to unclog the traffic in Delhi
(4) have been propose

CHSL-2018
1 July, 2019, Evening

32. Wealth creators are essential for money to distributed in the economy.
(1) for money to distributed
(2) are essential
(3) in the economy
(4) Wealth creators

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1. (3) Replace 'caused' with 'are caused'. The given sentence is in Passive Voice.

2. (3) Replace 'have to pay a fine' with 'fined'.
The complete sentence should be in same voice.

3. (3) Change 'let him speak' into 'should be allowed' because 'let' does not have any passive form.

4. (2) Replace 'also should used' with 'should also be used'. 'Should' change into 'should be' is Passive Voice.

5. (2) Replace 'recycle' with 'recycled'.
In Passive Voice 'V_3' is used.

6. (2) Replace 'situating' with 'situated' because verb 'situate' is used in Passive Voice.

7. (2) Replace 'being opened' with 'has been opened' since the action is in continuation for fifty years.

8. (2) Replace 'murder' with 'murdered' because. In Passive Voice after 'was/ were' V_3 is used.

9. (2) Replace 'to do' with 'do'.
After causative verb 'make' V_1 is used.

$$\underbrace{\text{Make}}_{\text{Made}} + \underbrace{\text{object}}_{\text{the boys}} + \underbrace{\text{Bare infinitive}}_{\text{do}}$$

10. (2) Replace 'to do' with 'do'.

11. (1) Replace 'frighten' with 'frightened'.
In Passive Voice after helping verb V_3 is used.

12. (4) Replace 'injured' with 'got injured'.

13. (3) Replace 'was knocking out' with 'was knocked out'.
In Passive Voice after helping verb V_3 is used.

14. (3) Replace 'to prevent' with 'that can be prevented'.
In Passive Voice after helping verb V_3 is used.

15. (4) No Error

16. (1) Replace 'should be keep' with 'should be kept'.
In Passive Voice 'V_3' is used.

17. (2) In passive sentence past participle (V_3) form of verb is used.
Hence replace 'send' with 'sent'.

18. (4) No error

19. (4) No error

20. (4) No error.

21. (3) Replace 'woke (V^2)' with 'woken (V^3)'.

22. (1) Replace 'bite' with 'bitten'.
In passive voice, subject + auxilliary verb + V^3

23. (3) Replace 'repaired (active)' with 'was being repaired (passive)'.

24. (2) Use 'be' before 'launched'. The sentence is in Passive Voice

25. (4) Replace 'is finding' with 'finds'. Routine action takes Simple Present Tense.

26. (4) Use 'be' before 'enrolled'.

27. (3) Replace 'injuring' with 'injured'.
Injure – घायल करना।
Were Infured – घायल होने के अर्थ में।

28. (4) Replace 'restrict' with 'restricted'.

29. (4) Replace 'disruping' with 'disrupted'.

30. (2) The sentence is in Passive Voice
Replace 'offer' by 'offered'.

31. (4) use 'proposed' in place of 'propose'. The sentence is in Passive voice.

32. (1) Replace 'to distributed' with 'to be distributed (Passive Infinitive)'.

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Question Tag

1. She pretends as if she has (1)/ never in her life, (2)/told a lie. Isn't it ? (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

2. The earth moves (1)/ round the Sun. (2)/ Isn't it ? (3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

3. He is not the fastest bowler (1)/ in the Indian team, (2)/ isn't he ? (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

4. Everybody in the office (1)/ has left early, (2)/ haven't they ? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 02.08.2009)

5. You will come (1)/ to my sister's wedding tomorrow, (2)/ isn't it? (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CISF Constable (GD) Exam. 05.06.2011)

6. I don't suppose (1)/ anyone will volunteer, (2)/ will they ? (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

7. He is (1)/ your brother (2)/ isn't it ? (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Delhi Police Sub-Inspector (SI) Exam. 19.08.2012)

8. You haven't responded (1)/ to my invitation (2)/ didn't you ? (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

9. You will come (1)/ to my party tomorrow (2)/ isn't it. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

10. We should make green vegetables (1)/ an essential part of our daily diet,(2)/ shouldn't we ? (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

11. She has not completed (1)/ her course, (2)/ Isn't it ? (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, IInd Sitting)

12. The collector (1)/ visits the office regularly (2)/ Isn't it ? (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, IInd Sitting)

13. You have prepared well (1) / for the examination (2) / isn't it ? (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016 (30th August, Morning)

14. You could find our house easily, didn't you?
(1) didn't you
(2) easily
(3) our house
(4) You could find

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'doesn't she'. because the sentence and Question Tag must be in the same tense.

2. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'doesn't it'.

3. (3) Replace 'isn't he' with 'is he'.
If a sentence is positive, the Question Tag must be negative.

4. (4) No error.
Every one is singular but in question tag it takes plural pronoun and plural verb.

5. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with won't you'.
'Question Tag' must agree with the Tense of a sentence.

6. (4) No error. The sentence has the main part 'anyone will volunteer' and not 'I don't suppose'.

7. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'isn't he'.
Hecause here the subject is 'he'.

8. (3) Replace 'didn't you' with 'have you' because the sentence and Question Tag must be in the same tense. The sentence is -ve, hence the question tag will be +ve.

9. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'won't you'.
The sentence and Question Tag must be in the same tense.

10. (4) No error

11. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'has she'.
The sentence and the Question Tag mus be in the same tense.

12. (3) Replace 'isn't it' with 'doesn't he/ she'?

13. (3) Since the sentence is in present perfect tense, Question Tag should also be in Present Perfect Tense. Replace 'isn't it ?' with 'haven't you?'.

14. (1) Replace 'didn't you' with 'couldn't you'.

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Superfluous Expression

1. The short story (1)/should not exceed (2)/more than two hundred words (3)./No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

2. He asked (1)/supposing if he fails (2)/ what he would do. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

3. The power to (1)/distinguish between differences (2)/is the basis of science and art. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

4. This happened (1)/ just exactly (2)/ five years ago. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

5. (1) When Darun heard the news that his father had been hospitalised
(2) he cancelled his trip
(3) and returned back to his village
(4) No error

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 31.08.2008)

6. Looking forward (1)/ to meeting you (2)/ in person. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

7. In the back side (1)/of our house (2)/ we have a rock garden. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

8. I (1)/ came to school (2)/ at the same usual time. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (Ist Sitting))

9. My father (1)/ has returned back (2)/ to Chennai yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

10. We (1)/ have to return back (2)/ immediately. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

11. I (1)/ will return back (2)/ in five minutes. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

12. The newspapers they admit that (1)/ advertising sometimes (2)/ influences their editorial policy.(3)/No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

13. The library members were asked (1)/ to return back the books (2)/ to the library. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

14. The teacher as well as his students, (1)/ all left (2)/ for the trip. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 20.10.2013)

15. She regards (1)/ negotiating prices with customers (2)/ as her special expertise. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, IInd Sitting)

16. They can promise you (1)/ an experience (2)/ you won't never forget. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, IInd Sitting)

17. I enjoy jogging (1)/ and I enjoy (2)/ playing the piano. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

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18. A study is going underway to determine the exact concentration of lead in the water supply.

(1) to determine the exact concentration

(2) No error

(3) of lead in the water supply

(4) A study is going underway

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 2176783)

19. He was (1)/ very kind enough (2) / to invite me (3)/ No Error (4).

SSC CGL-2016 (1st September, Evening)

20. The travellers were pacified when to hear that the plane had landed on the runway much before the official announcement.

(1) landed on the runway

(2) much before the

(3) were pacified when

(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

21. My mother has (1)/ returned back to (2)/ Delhi day before yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

22. The cheetah can run more faster than any other animal.

(1) any other animal

(2) more faster

(3) than

(4) can run

STENOGRAPHER - 2018 5 Feb., 2019 Evening

23. What shall we do on ourselves this evening?

(1) this evening (2) on ourselves

(3) What shall (4) we do

CGL MAINS 2018 11 September, 2019

24. In order for he to attend the meeting, he needs to prepare exhaustive notes.

(1) to attend the meeting

(2) he needs to prepare

(3) exhaustive notes

(4) In order for he

CGL MAINS 2018 12 September, 2019

25. It is be said that in 2019 the Indian Stock Market will fall drastically and we can expect that fall very soon.

(1) we can expect

(2) It is be said

(3) that in 2019

(4) the Indian Stock Market will fall

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Remove 'more than' from '3rd part of the sentence.
'Exceed' and 'more than' mean the same.

2. (2) 'Supposing' and 'if' cannot be used together. Both means the same hence either use 'supposing' or 'If' should be used at a time.

3. (2) Here 'between differences' is superfluous.
'distinguish' means 'to recognise the difference between things'.

4. (2) Here 'just end exactly' both means the same thing.
Hence either use 'just' or 'exactly'.

5. (3) 'Back' is not used with 'return'.
Return itself means 'to come or go back'.
Hence using 'back' with 'return' makes it superfluous'.

6. (3) 'In person' means 'meeting someone rather than talking or phone etc. So 'meeting and 'in person' together become superfluous'

7. (1) Use of 'side' is superfluous. 'Back' means the 'rear side'.

8. (3) The correct phrase is 'at the same time'.
Remove 'usual' from the 3rd part of the sentence. 'Same' with usual makes the sentence superfluous.

9. (2) 'Back' will be not 'used with return'.
Hence 'back' is superfluous'.

10. (2) Remove 'back'.

11. (2) Remove 'back'.

12. (1) Remove 'they' from 1st part of the sentence.
Use of 'they' is superfluous.

13. (2) Remove 'back' from the second part of the sentence.

14. (2) Here 'all' is superfluous.

15. (3) Here use of 'special' is superfluous.

16. (3) Here 'won't' and 'never' can't come together. Hence replace 'won't never forget' with 'will never forget' or 'won't ever forget'.

17. (2) Here again using 'I enjoy' in 2nd part of the sentence is superfluous. Hence remove 'I enjoy' from the 2nd part of the sentence.

18. (4) Here 'going' is superfluous' with 'underway'. 'Underway' means 'going on now'. The sentence should read as 'A study is underway'...

19. (2) Remove 'very' from the second part of the sentence. 'Very' and 'enough' together make the sentence superfluous.

20. (3) Remove 'when' or Change 'when to hear' into 'when he heard'.

21. (3) Remove 'back'. Here 'back' is superfluous.

22. (2) Remove 'more'. Two comparative degrees cannot come together.

23. (2) Remove 'on ourselves'.

24. (4) Remove 'for he'. 'In order to' will take base form of verb.

25. (2) Remove 'be'.
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Parallelism

1. It is better (1)/to keep one's head in the face of danger than (2)/losing one's courage (3). /No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

2. To die with honour (1)/ is better than (2)/ live with dishonour. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

3. Modern youth pay more attention(1)/ to seeing films (2)/ than to read books.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

4. His voice shook with emotion (1)/ and it was so funny to hear him (2)/ that all we longed to laugh and to cry. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, Ist Sitting)

5. I like reading (1)/ more than (2)/ to play. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014)

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'losing' with 'to lose'. Comparison should always be between same grammatical items.

Here 'to + infinitive' should be compared with 'to + infinitive' only.

2. (4) Replace 'live' with 'to live'. Comparison should always be between two same grammatical items. Here 'to die' should be compared with 'to live'.

3. (3) Replace 'to read' with 'to reading'. Here 'to seeing' should be balanced with 'to reading'.

4. (3) 'All that we longed was to laugh and cry' is the correct form.

5. (3) Replace 'to play' with 'playing'.

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Idioms & Phrases

1. A city dweller finds it difficult (1)/ to pass away the time (2)/ in a village. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 16.11.2003)

2. It is high time (1)/ he stood on his own (2)/ two legs (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

3. A lot of form-filling is just red tape, (1)/ and sometimes the forms are so complicated (2)/ that people can't make head or tail from them (3)./ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 26.11.2006 (Second Sitting)

4. Citizens cannot afford (1)/ to take the law (2)/ out of their hands. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010 (Ist Sitting)

5. Yesterday (1)/ it rained (2)/ like cats and dogs. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

6. There would have been (1)/ a disaster (2)/ and for your prompt action. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.10.2013, IInd Sitting)

7. On the arrival of the mail, (1)/ the car finally (2)/ made the start. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, IInd Sitting TF No. 545 QP 6)

8. A bird in the tree is worth two in the bush.

(1) A bird in the tree

(2) two in the bush.

(3) No error

(4) is worth

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 3196279)

9. The children are driving me to distraction today.

(1) No error

(2) distraction today

(3) The children are

(4) whose brother to

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

10. He finds fault at everything I do.

(1) No error

(2) at everything

(3) I do

(4) He finds fault

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, Ist Sitting)

11. When the workers threatened to go on a strike, the mill owner declared a lay off on his mill.

(1) declared a lay off on his mill.

(2) When the workers threatened to

(3) go on a strike, the mill owner

(4) No error

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 01.11.2015, IInd Sitting)

12. The children left (1)/ the playground (2)/ one after one. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

13. Today the cost of living(1)/is so high that many people(2)/find it difficult to make ends meet.(3)/No error(4)

SSC CHSL-2016
17th Jan, Evening

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14. His condition has only deteriorated, his life (hangs with threads).
(1) is hanging on threads
(2) hangs by a thread
(3) hangs on a thread
(4) no improvement

SSC CHSL-2016
20th Jan, Morning

15. What to speak of (1)/ shelter even food (2)/ was not available (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Afternoon)

16. The prince and princess (1)/ made their way (2)/ through the cheering crowd. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3rd February, Morning)

17. You must not (1)/ look down into (2)/ parents' advice. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(8th February, Evening)

18. It took her a long time (1)/ to get off (2)/ the death of her husband. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(29th August, Morning)

19. He was for all (1) / selling the car (2)/ and buying a bicycle (3) /No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(30th August, Afternoon)

20. He flowed into a rage (1)/ at the very (2)/ sight of that man (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(31st August, Morning)

21. If you permit me to speak the truth (1) / I shall state without hesitation (2) / that you have done a mistake (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Morning)

22. Still (1) / waters (2) / run deep. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Evening)

23. Several days passed before (1) / Jeff worked over enough (2) / courage to return to the house. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Morning)

24. He lost heart (1) / because he could not cope up with (2) / the difficulties in life. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Afternoon)

25. I do not think that (1)/ I can cope up (2)/ with this problem (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Morning)

26. I will not (1)/ stay here another minute (2)/ if I can help it! (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Morning)

27. There is something (1)/ stored in for (2)/ everyone. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

28. Even if our main players pull up, we will go ahead with the match as scheduled.
(1) go ahead with (2) pull up
(3) Even if (4) as

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

Answers with Explanation

1. (2) Replace 'pass away' with 'pass'. 'Pass away' means 'to die'.

2. (3) Replace 'legs' with 'feet'. 'Stand on your own two feet' is an idiom which means to be able to provide all of the things you need for living without help from any one else.

3. (3) The correct idiom is 'head or tail of'. Change 'from' into 'of'.

4. (3) Change 'out of' into 'in'.

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5. (3) Remove 'like'.
'Rain cats and dogs' means 'to rain very heavily'. (मुसला धार बारिश होना)

6. (3) Replace 'and for' with 'but for'.
'But for' means 'without'.

7. (3) The correct usage is 'make a start'. Change 'the' into 'a'.

8. (1) The correct proverb is ...
A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.

9. (1) No error. 'Drive someone to ... means to force someone to a bad situation or state.

10. (2) 'Find faults with something' means 'to look for mistakes sometimes unfairly'. Change 'at' into 'with'.

11. (3) The correct usage is ... on strike. Replace 'On a strike' with 'On strike'.

12. (3) Replace 'One after one' with 'One by one' or 'one after the other'. 'One by one' means 'one at a time'.

13. (4) No error
'To make both ends meet' means to live within means'.

14. (2) 'Hangs by a thread' is a phrase. It means 'be in a risky or unstable situation'.

15. (4) 'What to speak of ' means 'worthy to mention'.

16. (4) 'To make way' means 'to pass'.

17. (2) Replace 'into' with 'upon/on'. 'Look down upon' means 'to consider someone or something lesser or inferior'.

18. (2) 'Get off' means 'to escape a punishment'.
'Get over' means 'to recover from (an ailment or an upsetting experience)'. Thus replace 'get off' with 'get over'.

19. (1) Phrasal verb
- For all - means - in spite of
- All for - means - strongly in favour of

According to the meaning of the sentence 'all for' should be used.

20. (1) 'Fly into a rage' is a phrase which means 'to suddenly become very angry'.
- Past form of 'fly' is 'flew'. (For detail refer to book Volume-1, Chapter-1)

21. (3) Replace 'done a mistake' with 'made a mistake'. See Rule 16 of Verb (Advance) (Volume 1)

22. (4) 'Still waters run deep' is a proverb which is said about a person who says little, but who might in fact know a lot.

23. (2) Replace 'worked over' with 'worked up'. 'To work up the courage to do something' means 'to garner courage'. (हिम्मत जुटाना)

24. (2) Correct phrase is 'cope with'. 'Cope with' means 'to handle'.

25. (2) Replace 'cope up with' with 'cope with'.

26. (3) 'I can't help it' means 'it is beyond my control'. Change 'can' into 'can't'.

27. (2) Change 'stored in' into 'in store'. In store for someone means planned or likely to happen in future.

28. (2) Replace 'up' with 'out'.
Pull up – to criticize (आलोचना करना),
Pull out – to withdraw one's name from some programme (किसी programme से अपना नाम वापस ले लेना)

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Verb (Basic)

1. The new taxation rates (1)/ announced by the government (2)/ are bound to effect the export sector. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

2. I never considered him to be a person who would (1)/ go back on his promise and (2)/ then do not even apologise. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

3. Females (1)/ are not appointed (2)/ in our college. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

4. When students are ill (1)/they find that they have a lot of work (2)/to catch up with when they return. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

5. The firemen wore (1)/ inflammable clothing (2)/ for protection. /(3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

6. The well-known pianist (1)/ had to practice for several hours a day (2)/ even after he rose to fame. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

7. I must complement you (1)/ on your good manners (2)/ and your impeccable behaviour. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

8. The value of the dollar (1)/ declines as the rate (2)/ of inflation raises (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

9. I will send my servant (1)/ but I cannot insure (2)/ that he will reach there in time. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

10. The boy laid in the shelter (1)/ for a long time before (2)/ somebody came to rescue him. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

11. Scenes from the film (1)/ had to be censured (2)/ before it was released. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

12. I would appreciate if readers (1)/ would write to me (2)/ about how they meditate. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

13. The doctor advised Mr. Murugan that, (1)/ because of his severe cramps, (2)/ he should lay in the bed for a few days. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

14. I don't (1)/ want to (2)/ loose it. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CISF ASI Exam. 29.08.2010 (Paper-I)

15. Do not (1)/ get panicked (2)/ in emergencies. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CISF ASI Exam. 29.08.2010 (Paper-I)

16. I use (1)/ to go out (2)/ to work earlier. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CISF ASI Exam. 29.08.2010 (Paper-I)

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17. The relatives of the deceased (1)/ threatened to avenge (2)/ his death. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010 (Ist Sitting)

18. You should (1)/ be always greatful (2)/ to your mentor. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

19. Due to the heavy rains (1)/ the ship drowned (2)/ in the middle of the ocean. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (Delhi Zone)

20. You are (1)/ always doing (2)/ this mistake. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

21. These poisonous gases (1)/ will effect (2)/ our health. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

22. According to the radio (1)/it can rain (2)/this evening.(3) No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

23. The servant (1)/ hanged the lamp (2)/ on the wall. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

24. The President (1)/overtakes (2)/in Bangladesh.(3)/No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

25. After rising the flag to (1)/ inaugurate the sports meet, the Chairman (2)/ gave a long speech. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

26. Though the police tried all sorts of methods to illicit (1)/ information from the public (2)/ they remained silent. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

27. If we have no definite aim before us (1)/ we would only wonder about in aimless pursuits (2)/ and achieve nothing. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

28. The streets (1)/ are so wet (2)/it should have rained last night. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

29. Increasing racism and hate crimes (1)/ casted a shadow (2)/ over elections. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

30. He was present (1)/ in the court (2)/ to give witness. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI & CISF ASI Exam. 23.06.2013)

31. The reporter (1)/ was unable (2)/ to illicit information from the police. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

32. The river (1)/ has overflown (2)/ its banks. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014, Ist Sitting)

33. The United Nations (1)/ enquired for (2)/a cease fire. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014)

34. Most of my friends (1)/ heard the earthquake (2)/ but I was totally unaware of it. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014)

35. I was (1)/ laying down (2)/ when the door bell rang. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

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36. The arm was so badly injured (1)/ that he must have (2)/ it amputated (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

37. You need not tell a lie (1)/ when the judge asked you where you were (2)/ When the crime was committed. (3) No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

38. Jewellery retailers across India decided to suspend sold of gold coins and bars for six months.

(1) to suspend sold

(2) of gold coins and bars for six months.

(3) No Error

(4) Jewellery retailers across India decided

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

39. As soon as they (1)/ entered the temple (2)/ they prayed to the gods on bent knees. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014 , Ist Sitting TF No. 333 LO 2)

40. He adviced me (1)/ to join (2)/ the computer course later in the year.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

41. It is to certify that he has won (1)/ the essay writing competition organised (2)/ by the Department of Arts and Culture.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

42. He was conferred to his bed by illness.

(1) by illness

(2) to his bed

(3) No error

(4) He was conferred

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

43. It is not good to breed over past failure.

(1) to breed over

(2) It is not good

(3) No error

(4) past failure

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

44. The Ph.D. degree was confide on him in the convocation.

(1) The Ph.D. degree

(2) him in the convocation

(3) was confide on

(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

45. The kitchen need painting badly and I must get it done.

(1) need painting badly

(2) The kitchen

(3) No error

(4) and I must get it done

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, Ist Sitting)

46. Some members of the committee were opposed to use the club members' money to redecorate the meeting hall.

(1) the club members' money to redecorate the meeting hall.

(2) No error

(3) Some members of the committee

(4) were opposed to use

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

47. In twenty wrecks five lives were fortunately lost.

(1) In twenty wrecks

(2) five lives were

(3) No error

(4) fortunately lost.

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48. She was annoyed (1)/ when she found that (2)/ the chewing gum was stuck to her hair. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
9th Jan, Evening

49. Ramesh is far arrogant (1)/ to learn the error (2)/ of his ways. (3)/ No error (4) .

SSC CHSL-2016
20th Jan, Morning

50. Could you (1)/ like to read (2)/ his speech? (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Afternoon

51. I wonder if they (1)/ could treat me nicely (2)/ if I went there again. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Evening

52. She said a number of lies (1)/ and left without (2)/ completing her work. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Evening)

53. I used (1)/ a pair of black trousers (2)/ for a week (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(27th August, Morning)

54. He has made a mistake (1)/ of which (2)/ I am certain (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(27th August, Morning)

55. My lawn (1)/ which is overgrown (2)/ needs weeding (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Afternoon)

56. His parents usually spent (1)/ their summer in Ooty (2)/ but this year they are spending it in Darjeeling. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Afternoon)

57. If you turn the corner, (1)/ you will found a house (2)/ built of stone. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(9th September, Afternoon)

58. Much of modern scholarship of "To Kill a Mockingbird" have focused on its treatment of race and gender.

(1) Much of modern scholarship
(2) have focused
(3) on its treatment of race
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

59. The young child singed a very sweet song for the audience.

(1) The young chid
(2) singed
(3) a very sweet song
(4) for the audience

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

60. The fire in the apartment building effected over 20 families.

(1) The fire in
(2) the apartment bulding
(3) effected over 20 families.
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

61. Jayesh loved his Guru immensely (1)/ and gave him fullest loyalty, (2)/ yet he have his own independent way of thinking. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

62. A lot of efforts may (1)/ fell like they (2)/ are going unnoticed. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

63. Oh dear, (1)/ do have some relief (2)/ on my nerves (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

64. Tell me (1)/ what all you know about it (2)/ before I take a decision in the matter. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Morning

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65. I was born (1)/ on 14th July, 1990 (2)/ in Allahabad. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Morning

66. This master book concludes with pages (1)/ that contain lists of all (2)/ MBA colleges across India. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Morning

67. If you inform me of Kanika's (1)/ arrival time I shall go to (2)/ attend her at the airport. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Evening

68. Because copper prices are going down (1)/ demand for alternative (2)/ products to copper are lessening. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Evening

69. We were living (1)/ in Canada for (2)/ around eight years. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Morning

70. Rohan and I am (1)/ best friends and (2)/ we often meet each other. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Evening

71. On the way(1)/he was bited on his(2)/toe by a poisonous snake.(3)/ No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Evening

72. I visited my friend to whom I had made an appointment.

(1) I visitied my firend
(2) I had made
(3) to whom
(4) an appointment

CHSL-2018
2 July, 2019, Morning

73. Had she not known (1)/ about it she should (2)/ have stayed longer. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

74. I would (1)/ rather to (2)/ die than beg. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

75. I had to go to the doctor because I was not bear the pain in my tooth.

(1) had to go
(2) in my tooth
(3) to the doctor
(4) was not bear

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

76. I think boys and girls must be learning to do household chores from an early age.

(1) think (2) to do
(3) from (4) be learning

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'effect' with 'affect'. 'Affect' is a verb which means 'to produce a change'.

2. (3) Remove 'do' as 'would' is assumed to be there as helping verb for the part too.

3. (2) Replace 'appointed' with 'employed'.

4. (3) Replace 'return' with 'recover'. 'recover' means 'to get well again after begin ill'.

5. (2) Replace 'inflammable' with 'non - flammable' because 'inflammable' means 'easily set on fire' but 'non-flammable' means 'not likely to burn easily'.

6. (2) Replace 'Practice' with 'Practise'. Practice is a Noun and Practise is a verb.

7. (1) Replace 'complement' you with compliment'.
'Compliment' means to express admiration of' (प्रशंसा करना)
'Complement' means 'to make complete' (पुरा करना)

8. (3) Replace 'raises' with 'rises'.
'Rise' means 'to increase in amount'.
'Raise' means 'to move something to a higher level'.

9. (2) Replace 'insure' with 'assure'.
'Insure' means 'provide insurance cover in respect of'. (सुरक्षित करना/ बीमा करना)
'Assure' means 'make sure of something'. (आश्वासन दिलाना)

10. (1) Replace 'laid' with 'lay'.

$\underbrace{\text{Lie}}_{V_1}\ \underbrace{\text{lied}}_{V_2}\ \underbrace{\text{Lied}}_{V_3}$ Meaning is 'to make untrue statement'.

Lay laid laid →

Meaning
- to sacrifice
- to keep in a horizontal position
- Hens lay eggs

11. (2) Replace 'censured' with 'censored'.
'Censor' means 'to examine (a book, film etc.) officially and suppress unacceptable parts of it'.
'Censure' means 'to express severe disapproval. (निन्दा करना)

12. (2) Remove 'would'.

13. (3) After modal 'should' V_1 is used.'
Replace 'lay' with 'lie'.

14. (3) Replace 'loose' with 'lose'. Lose- खोना, loose- ढ़ीला

15. (2) Change 'get panicked' into 'panic'. We simply use 'do not panic'.

16. (1) Replace 'use to' with 'used to'. 'Used to' is used for past habitual actions.

17. (4) No error.

18. (2) Replace 'greatful' with 'grateful'.
'Grateful' means 'thankful'.

19. (2) Replace 'drowned' with 'sank'.
'Sink' is used for non-living things.

20. (2) Replace 'doing' with 'making'.
'Make a mistake' is correct usage.

21. (2) Replace 'effect' with 'affect'.
'Affect' is a verb which means 'to produce a change'. (असर करना)

22. (2) Replace 'can' with 'may'. For 'weather forecasting' may is used as this science of weather forecasting (meterology) predicts only possibility.

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23. (2) Replace 'hanged' with 'hung'.
Hang (V_1) (फाँसी पर लटकाना)- to suspend by the neck
Hanged (V_2), Hanged(V_3)
Hang (V_1) (टांगना)- to suspend from the peg.
Hung (V_2), Hung (V_3)

24. (2) Replace 'overtakes' with 'takes over'.
'Overtake' means 'catch up with and pass while travelling in same direction'.
'take over' means 'assume control of something'.

25. (1) Replace 'rising' with 'hoisting'.
'Rise' – उगना, उठना
'Hoist' – फहराना

26. (1) Replace 'illicit' with 'elicit'.
'Elicit' means 'draw out (an answer, or information) from someone. (प्रकाश में लाना)
'Illicit' means 'forbidden by law'. (अवैध)

27. (2) Replace 'wonder' with 'wander'.
'Wander' means 'move in aimless way'. The sentence is of strong possibility.

28. (3) Replace 'should have' with 'must have'. Here we are talking about high possibility.

29. (2) Change 'casted' into 'cast' because V_3 form of 'cast' is 'cast'.

30. (3) Replace 'witness' with 'evidence' or 'statement'.
Witness – गवाह (a person who sees a crime)
Evidence – गवाही

31. (3) Replace 'illicit' with 'elicit'.

32. (2) Replace 'overflown' with 'overflowed'.
The V_3 form of 'overflow' is 'overflowed'.

33. (2) Replace 'enquired' with 'appealed'.

34. (2) Replace 'heard' with 'felt'. The earth quake is always 'felt' not 'heard'.

35. (2) Replace 'laying down' with 'lying down'.

36. (2) Replace 'must have' with 'had to have'. This action is of past forced action.

37. (1) The first part of the sentence should read as 'You need not have told a lie'. It is a suggestion for a past action.

38. (1) Replace 'sold' with 'sale'.

39. (3) Remove 'On bent knees' with 'On bended knees'. 'Bent' is 'V_3' form of verb 'Bend'. Here we need an adjective (bended).

40. (1) Replace 'adviced' with 'advised'.
Advise (Noun) - an option or suggestion.
Advise (Verb) - to give suggestion.

41. (1) Change 'it' into 'this'. When we issue a 'certificate', we use the word 'certify'. The correct formation is 'This is to certify that'.

42. (4) Replace 'conferred' with 'confined'.
'Confer' means 'to give someone a degree, award, honour etc.
'Confine' means 'to keep a person in a small place'.

43. (1) Replace 'breed over' with 'brood over'.
'Brood' means 'think deeply about something'.

44. (3) Replace 'confide' with 'conferred'.
'Confer' means 'to give someone a degree, award, honour etc.

45. (1) Kitchen (a singular noun) takes singular verb (needs)

46. (4) Replace 'were opposed to use' with 'were opposed to using'.

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47. (4) Replace 'fortunately' with 'unfortunately'. Death is not a fortunate event.
Fortunately - सौभाग्यवश
Unfortunately - दुर्भाग्यवश

48. (4) Be careful when you deal with verb 'stick'. Its simple past and past participle forms are the same 'stuck'.

49. (2) 'Change' learn into 'see'. 'To see the error of one's ways' means 'to accept that one has been wrong about something'.

50. (1) For 'offers' and 'invitations' we use 'would' instead of 'could'.

51. (2) 'Could' is used to say that an action or event is possible. It shows capability. 'Would' is used to talk about a possible or imagined situation. Hence change 'could' into 'would'.

52. (1) You 'tell' a lie not 'say' a lie. Change 'said' into 'told'.

53. (1) Replace 'used' with 'wore'.

54. (4) No error

55. (4) No error

56. (1) Given sentence is in present tense. Hence replace V_2 (spent) with V_1 (spend).

57. (2) According to the meaning of the sentence it should be 'find'.
Find (V_1) - मिलना, पाना
Found (V_1)-to establish (स्थापित करना). To see the difference between 'find' and 'found' - (refer to chapter-1 of English volume-1)

58. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has'. Much takes singular verb.

59. (2) Replace 'singed' with 'sang'. V_2 of 'sing' is 'sang'.

60. (3) Replace 'effected' with 'affected'.
Affect – असर करना

61. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'. He takes singular verb 'has'.

62. (2) Change 'fell' into 'Fail'.

63. (2) Change 'relief' into 'mercy'. Have mercy - (दया करना)

64. (3) Replace 'take a decision' by 'make a decision'.

65. (4) No error.

66. (2) Replace 'contain' by 'contains'.

67. (3) Replace 'attend' by 'receive'.

68. (3) Use 'is' instead of 'are'.
Demard is singular.

69. (1) Replace 'were' by 'have been'.

70. (1) Use 'are' in place of 'am'. When two subjects are joined by 'and' plural verb follows.

71. (2) Replace 'bited' with 'bitten'.

V_1	V_2	V_3
Bite	Bit	Bitten

72. (2) Change 'made' into 'given'.

73. (2) Replace 'should' by 'would'. There is no suggestion here.
Conditional sentence – Had + S + past participle + priniciple clause – would/should/could/have + past participle.
Should have – to say that a different action was recomended in past.
Could have – to talk about possibilities if something had been different in past.
Would have – to imagine a result if something had been different in past.

74. (2) Remove 'to' Modals are followed by base form of verb.

75. (4) Replace 'was not bear' with 'could not bear'. For past ability we use 'could'.

76. (4) Replace 'must be learning' (सीख रहे होंगे) with 'must learn' (सीखना चाहिए). Here we are talking about an action strongly suggested.

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Tense

1. On many occasions (1)/ we did helped the poor (2)/ people by way of giving them food to eat and clothes to put on. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

2. Although the manager was keen on getting the work (1)/ done through Sudhir yesterday, (2)/ he tries to avoid it (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 1997)

3. Our new neighbours (1)/ had been living in Arizona (2)/ since ten years before moving to their present house. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 09.09.2001)

4. The fifth and final act (1)/ of Macbeth contain (2)/ the sleepwalking scene. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 16.11.2003)

5. I saw him (1)/a couple of times (2)/ since May(3). /No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

6. Gowri told me(1)/his name after(2)/ he left. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

7. If majority of the individuals in a State (1)/prosper (2)/the State itself would prosper. (3)/No Error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

8. The passer-by told us (1)/where was the marriage hall (2)/and even led us to it. (3)/ No Error/(4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

9. His tradition-bound attitude (1)/had to be a constant source of dissatisfaction (2)/among the younger members of the family. (3)/ No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

10. Two hours have passed (1)/since (2)/ he had fallen asleep. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

11. I have (1)/seen her only once (2)/but I'm liking her a lot. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

12. After making me wait for two agonising hours (1)/ the great man called me in (2)/ and asked me what do I want. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 25.09.2005)

13. He ate (1)/ nothing (2)/ since yesterday (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 25.09.2005)

14. I have passed (1)/ the examination (2)/ two years ago (3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

15. I now (1)/ am knowing (2)/ all the facts about him.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 26.11.2006 (Second Sitting)

16. The train had left (1)/ when he had reached (2)/ the station. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

17. He said (1)/ that he will never (2)/ repeat the mistake. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

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18. I do not know where could he have gone (1)/ so early (2)/ in the morning. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

19. By the time (1)/ we got our tickets and entered the cinema theatre, (2)/ the show was already begun. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

20. Good heavens ! (1)/ How has she (2)/ grown ! (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

21. Ramesh smiled when he was remembering (1)/ his hard early years (2)/ and his long road to success. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

22. It is time you (1)/ decide on your next (2)/ course of action. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam.16.05.2010 (First Sitting)

23. The teacher (1)/ has took (2)/ the responsibility. (3)/ No error. (5)

(SSC CISF ASI Exam. 29.08.2010 (Paper-I)

24. Did he tell you (1)/ why he hasn't (2)/ come yesterday ? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO Sub-Inspector Exam. 12.12.2010 (Paper-I)

25. We have discussing (1)/ all the known mechanisms (2)/ of physical growth (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (First Sitting)

26. The vaccine (1)/ when hit the Indian market (2)/ is dogged by controversy. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (First Sitting)

27. When I went there (1)/ Charles is playing (2)/ a game of chess.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

28. The political candidate talked (1)/ as if she has already been elected (2)/ to the presidency. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. 28.08.2011 (Paper-I)

29. You have been doing (1)/ your homework (2)/ regularly ? (3)/ No error (4)

(FCI Assistant Grade-II Exam. 22.01.2012 Paper-I)

30. He asked me (1)/ when could I finish (2)/ the work. (3)/ No error (4)

(FCI Assistant Grade-II Exam. 22.01.2012 Paper-I)

31. They were having (1)/ a birthday party at home (2)/ last week. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

32. The inaugural function (1)/ is temporarily interrupted (2)/ as the lights suddenly went out. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

33. His assistants have (1)/ and are still doing (2)/ excellent work for the organisation. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade'C' &'D') Exam. 26.09.2010)

34. He ate (1)/ nothing (2)/ since yesterday. (3) No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.11.2010 (IInd Sitting)

35. She (1)/ is working here (2)/ since 1983. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.11.2010 (IInd Sitting)

36. Madhuri Dixit is having (1)/ a large (2)/ fan following. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.11.2010 (IInd Sitting)

37. He is (1)/ residing here (2)/ since 1983. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

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38. When Anand reached the village (1)/ he found that (2)/ reports about him preceded him. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 20.02.2011)

39. By noon (1)/ the fog cleared (2)/ completely. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

40. Ahmed has been watching (1)/ the Oscar nominated film (2)/ three times. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

41. The police (1)/ has arrested him (2)/ on the charge of theft. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

42. Very soon (1)/ I realised (2)/ that he is at fault. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (North Zone)

43. This custom (1)/ has come down (2)/ since times immemorial.(3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (Delhi Zone)

44. He served as President (1)/ of the Lions Club (2)/ since fifteen years. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

45. When at last (1)/ we got to the theatre, (2)/the much publicized programme by the Bollywood stars was begun. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

46. Hari was appointed leader (1)/ of a group of young social workers (2)/ that have accepted to help and develop the village in three months. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

47. In a very harsh tone (1)/ he shouted at his servants (2)/ and told them that he does not need their services. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

48. He is having (1)/ many (2)/ friends here. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

49. Galileo proved that (1)/ the earth revolves (2)/ around the Sun. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

50. I want (1)/ that you should (2)/ perform well. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

51. The curator told us (1)/ that the museum was not opened (2) to the public on Sunday. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011))

52. I declined the invitation (1)/ not because I did not want to go,(2)/ but because I have no time. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011))

53. The speaker (1)/ left the scene (2)/ before long.(3)/No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

54. Nalini says that (1)/ she is living in Chennai (2)/ since 1991. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

55. It is high time (1)/ that we leave (2)/ this place. (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting)

56. I (1)/ am having (2)/ three children. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

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57. Why (1)/ they didn't turn up (2)/ for the workshop ? (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

58. We (1)/ are leaving (2)/ for Kerala today. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

59. I (1)/ have seen him (2)/ yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

60. I (1)/ have been studying (2)/since four hours. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

61. He said (1)/ that he will meet me (2)/ at the restaurant.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 11.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

62. I have (1)/ known him (2)/ since two years. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Delhi Police Sub-Inspector (SI) Exam. 19.08.2012)

63. Krupa and Kavya studied (1)/ in the Delhi Public School (2)/ and so does Kamya. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

64. Subha (1)/ is living (2)/ in Chennai since 1987. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

65. My nephew (1)/ begun working for me (2)/ about ten years ago. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

66. Prohibition aims at reducing (1)/ traffic accidents many of which (2)/ is caused by drunkenness. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

67. He asked me (1)/ what I am doing (2)/ out in the street at that hour (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

68. I have been (1)/ working in this organization (2)/ since three years. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

69. I am really disappointed (1)/ in not having saw my friends (2)/ while I was in New Delhi on vacation this summer. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

70. They are residing (1)/ in this city (2)/ for the last two decades. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

71. During the last few years (1)/ the company works hard (2)/ to modernise its image. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, Ist Sitting)

72. After he had apologised to the magistrate profusely (1)/ for having broke the promise (2)/ the magistrate was happy to forgive him. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, Ist Sitting)

73. Greatly to our surprise (1)/ we find that the ringleader (2)/was lame. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, IInd Sitting)

74. They have (1)/ played a game (2)/ last week. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, IInd Sitting)

75. I whistled thrice (1)/ with full might and raise my arms (2)/ towards the sky. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

KD Publication

76. You are a very lovable person (1)/ but I (2)/ am not loving you. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013)

77. The new dish (1)/ that I ordered (2)/ is tasting good.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

78. I have got your letter yesterday (1)/ and felt happy to learn (2)/ of your recovery. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

79. Sam is working (1)/ in a bank in Chennai (2)/ for the past five years. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

80. We have been knowing (1)/ each other (2)/ since we were children. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

81. It had laid (1)/ in the closet (2)/ for a week before we found it. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI & CISF ASI Exam. 23.06.2013)

82. When I fail (1)/ to solve the problem myself (2)/ I unhesitatingly called for his help. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.10.2013, IInd Sitting)

83. It being a rainy day (1)/ I will decide to skip work (2)/ and stay at home. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, Ist Sitting)

84. Another baffling change (1)/ that I noticed in him now-a-days (2)/ is that he avoids speaking to me. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, Ist Sitting)

85. I had asked him (1)/ how he could go out (2)/ if it started raining. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, Ist Sitting)

86. Although we reached his house in time (1)/ he was left (2)/ for the airport. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

87. I have seen (1)/ that film last year (2)/ but I do not remember its story.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

88. When I left (1)/ the house at 9 o'clock (2)/ my son was still at home. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

89. I did not receive (1)/ any letter from my parents (2)/ for the last two months. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

90. I sprained my ankle/(1) when I was/ (2) playing basketball./(3) No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

91. It is time/(1) we should accept all our people as equals/(2) and as partners in the task of building a strong and united nation./(3) No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

92. Part of the research programme (1)/ involved interviewing teenagers (2)/ in inner-city areas. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

93. She was shocked when (1)/ she heard the news (2)/that he has died. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

94. She was ill for five days (1)/ when the doctor (2)/ was sent for. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

95. It is high time (1)/ we renovate (2)/ our old house. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

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96. How long it takes (1)/to travel from Chennai to Trichy (2)/ by train? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

97. Due to inflation (1)/ the cost of living (2)/ escalated in the last one year. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

98. The decapitated body of a young girl was discovered yesterday.

(1) No Error
(2) The decapitated body
(3) of a young girl
(4) was discovered yesterday

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

99. We really wanted to go to the park but we were told not to go out if it rain.

(1) No Error (2) were told
(3) wanted to go (4) if it rain

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

100. It is now (1)/ five years since (2)/ I visit the Delhi. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

101. I have visited Mumbai two years ago (1)/ and I am planning to visit again (2)/ in the near future. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

102. The poor man saves the money (1)/ but then he began to worry (2)/ that thieves might take it away.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

103. It was only when they met that (1)/ they found he has a childish simplicity (2)/ about him.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

104. This is the second communication we have sent and we are much surprised at receiving no answer.

(1) This is the second communication we have sent
(2) at receiving no answer.
(3) and we are much surprised
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 IInd Sitting)

105. By May next year I have been working in this college for twenty years.

(1) No error
(2) By May next year
(3) I have been working in this college
(4) For twenty years.

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1443088)

106. We have finished our work three hours ago and have been waiting for you since then.

(1) three hours ago and have been waiting
(2) We have finished our work
(3) for you since then
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 2176783)

107. She stopped singing as soon as the telephone rings from across the hall.

(1) She stopped singing
(2) as soon as the telephone
(3) rings from across the hall
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam, 30.08.2015)

108. The full moon appearing in the sky and its silvery light spread across.

(1) The full moon appearing
(2) silvery light spread across
(3) No error
(4) in the sky and its

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

KD Publication

109. An idea was worth nothing if it has no champion.
(1) No error
(2) if it has no champion
(3) An idea
(4) is worth nothing

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, IInd Sitting)

110. The camp beside ours has been built in 1966 by John's brother.
(1) No error
(2) by John's brother
(3) The camp beside ours
(4) has been built in 1966

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, IInd Sitting)

111. I have been waiting for you since two hours.
(1) for you
(2) No error
(3) I have been waiting
(4) since two hours

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam, 04.10.2015, IInd Sitting)

112. I was convinced that the only thing I wanted to do ever, is to write novels.
(1) I was convinced that
(2) No error
(3) the only thing I wanted to do
(4) ever, is to write novels.

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

113. I meant to repair the radio but hadn't time to do it today.
(1) No error
(2) to do it today.
(3) I meant to repair the radio
(4) but hadn't time

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

114. They came here in (1)/ the evening and begin making (2)/ further arrangements. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 7203752)

115. Rakesh founds the newspaper very dull.
(1) very dull
(2) Rakesh founds
(3) No Error
(4) the newspaper

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1375232)

116. She has been (1)/ complaining about headache (2)/ from morning. (3) No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

117. The officer asked the recruit (1)/ which district (2)/ he came from. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
7th Jan, Evening

118. Those sort of people (1)/ are always nice (2)/ to you on your face. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
16th Jan, Evening

119. Vipul has been (1)/ suffering from fever (2)/ since seven days. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
17th Jan, Evening

120. Vaibhav was trying for admission in (1)/ the engineering college even though his parents (2)/ wanted him to take up medicine. (3)/ No error

SSC CHSL-2016
19th Jan, Afternoon

121. Some are born great. (1)/ Some achieve greatness (2)/ and some had greatness thrust on them. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
20th Jan, Afternoon

122. It was being hard to believe (1)/ that my brother could be (2)/ involved with anything so sinister. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21th Jan, Evening

123. We had to return because (1)/ when we reached the railway (2)/ station the train left. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21th Jan, Evening

KD Publication

124. I've been trying (1)/ to catch you as (2)/ you left college. (3) No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
23rd Jan, Morning

125. I'll never be marrying (1)/ anyone, but (2)/ will be a dancer. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
23rd Jan, Afternoon

126. Had anybody (1)/ ever told you (2)/ that you're beautiful? (3) No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Evening

127. Tanish has (1)/ changed a lot (2)/ since then. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Morning

128. The salesman tried to (1)/ sell me a solar water heater (2)/ but I already have one. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Afternoon

129. He swam to (1)/ an island that (2)/ was not far away. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(31st January, Morning)

130. His reputation for (1)/ being rough on (2)/ students was well earned. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(1st February, Evening)

131. I have sign over (1)/ the cheque, you can (2)/ collect it tomorrow. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(2nd February, Morning)

132. The angry bird flap (1)/ her wings, flies a short (2)/ distance and returns. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(29th August, Evening)

133. Although I have never seen the girl before, (1)/ I recognized her at once (2)/ from her photograph (3)/ no error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(31st August, Morning)

134. Now that I am back at work, (1) / I have beginning (2) / to feel much better. (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Morning)

135. The artist, plainly a better critic (1) / than painter, destroyed what (2) / he made over for ten years. (3) / No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Morning)

136. He is having an attack (1) / of fever every day (2) / for the last few days. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Afternoon)

137. Everyday new inventions (1)/ is make (2)/ for the good of humanity (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(3rd September, Evening)

138. I am very anxious (1)/ to know how are you (2)/ and mother are doing (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Morning)

139. Considering the (1) / gravity of the problems (2) / an early reply has expected (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Morning)

140. Why you (1) / copying your homework (2) / from someone else? (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Morning)

141. Every man in this world (1) / wishes to live long (2) / but nobody wanted to grow old. (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Afternoon)

142. When the stranger saw me, (1)/ he seemed to recognise me (2)/ and asked me what was my name. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Afternoon)

143. He told his friend (1) / that he could not do that work (2) / because it is not to his taste (3) / No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Evening)

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144. I called (1)/ at his house yesterday (2)/ and have given him money (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Evening)

145. My sister has been (1)/ interested in medicine (2)/ ever since she was a child (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Evening)

146. A recent survey indicates (1)/that the number of drug addicts (2)/ grew day by day (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

147. I shake his hand when he arrived and when he left
(1) I shake his hand
(2) when he arrived
(3) and when his left
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

148. I always had a fancy towards big luxurious cars.
(1) had a (2) a fancy
(3) towards big (4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

149. Foolish Rama threw (1)/ some water on the electric heater (2)/ when it catches fire and he got a shock. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

150. While Mahendra was away (1)/ on a long official tour (2)/ his office receive an important letter which was marked 'Urgent'. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

151. The house (1)/ is built in an (2)/ attractive manner. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

152. No country can long endure (1)/ if its foundations (2)/ were not laid deep in the material prosperity. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

153. It has becoming clear (1)/ that attempts to impress the (2)/ people have failed. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

154. A raise is important (1)/ since one had to beat (2)/ rising prices. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

155. What a comfort to see that you (1)/ have organizing and planning (2)/ everything for us. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

156. I have went through the write–ups guideline (1)/ too but still want to clear on mail (2)/ communication for topic confirmation. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

157. After the 'Pooja' in the temple (1)/ got over, people start (2)/ coming out to get their slippers. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

158. Neeta served as President (1)/ of the oshinara club (2)/ since ten years (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

159. I use to bunk classes to sneak in the (1)/ library and most of my class notebooks (2)/ were filled with poems and essays. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

160. I worked (1)/ as a verbal trainer (2)/ for eight months. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

161. When she left the (1)/ house at 10 o'clock her (2)/ daughter was still at home. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

162. Agent Chitrangada will telegraphed a secret (1)/ code word to her boss as part (2)/ of a dubious mission. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

163. The decoration (1)/ on the wall (2)/ were a horse painting. (3)/ no error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

164. The plane (1)/ has (2)/ sunk the ship (3)/ No error (4)/

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

165. Hema doesn't has (1)/ to give (2)/ the dissertation to me (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

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166. My mother (1)/ is having (2)/ grey hairs (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

167. He has been (1)/ working here (2)/ for quite some time (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

168. I'm content with what I make (1)/ and I am found simple joys in seeing a smile on customer's face (2)/ when they smell the jasmine flowers. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

169. The company is using (1)/ influence to persuade people (2)/ to buy its water purifiers (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

170. We will not want our kids (1)/ to be influenced by (2)/ such TV serials. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

171. The West Indies team had not won (1)/ any match (2)/ last year. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Evening

172. I finished my assignment before we (1)/ reached his wedding with great (2)/ difficulty because of heavy traffic. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Morning

173. Roshni always want (1)/ to get the best of facilities (2)/ whether she deserves it or not. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Evening

174. Madhuri did not reply (1)/ when I asked her (2)/ why was she weeping. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Evening

175. Ritesh could succeed (1)/ in catching the Frisbee before (2)/ it reaches the boundary line. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Evening

176. Dr. Ritu was explain the (1)/ benefits of doing yoga at (2)/ least four times a week. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Morning

177. After 70 years of independence many (1)/ socio-economic problems is still (2)/ remaining to be solved in India. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Morning

178. The government need to adopt (1)/ a multi-year expenditure outlook (2)/ while preparing the budget. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

179. Throughout the history, (1)/humans has existed side-by-side (2)/ with bacteria and viruses. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

180. A prince were (1)/ in search of a Sufi master (2)/ to help him in his mystical journey. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

181. Very few countries in the world is as big as India.

(1) is
(2) Very few countries
(3) as big as
(4) in the world

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

182. I have been living in Delhi since many years.

(1) since
(2) have been living
(3) in Delhi
(4) many years

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

183. Can anyone tell me what did we learn in Mathematics yesterday?

(1) anyone (2) Can
(3) did we learn (4) in

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

KD Publication

184. My nephew has been in hospital since four weeks because of mumps.
(1) because of
(2) in
(3) since
(4) has been

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

185. The Himalayas, the highest mountain range in the world, protects India from the cold winds blowing from central Asia.
(1) the cold
(2) blowing from central Asia
(3) protects India
(4) highest mountain range

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

186. He didn't knew the answer to the question.
(1) didn't knew
(2) to the question
(3) He
(4) the answer

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

187. We often went for boating when we live in Nainital.
(1) for boating
(2) we often
(3) when we
(4) live in Nainital

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

188. Our neighbour switch on his TV early in the morning at full volume
(1) his TV
(2) early in the morning
(3) switch on
(4) at full volume

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

189. Ever since Mary won the election, she has been behaving as if she was a queen.
(1) since
(2) the election
(3) has been behaving
(4) was

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

190. Why she was angry with her son?
(1) she was
(2) angry with
(3) her son
(4) Why

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Morning

191. I was not able to solve the questions as I was not knowing the answers.
(1) the answers
(2) I was not
(3) able to solve
(4) was not knowing

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Evening

192. This camping site is a naturally sculpted amphitheatre that serving as the perfect spot to lie back and count the stars.
(1) that serving as the perfect spot
(2) to lay back and count the stars
(3) a naturally sculpted amphitheatre
(4) This camping site is

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Evening

193. Though paper has been the dominant medium for print, the British parliament had managed valiantly to hold back the paper tide for over half a millennium.
(1) the dominant medium for print
(2) Though paper had been
(3) to hold back the paper tide
(4) Parliament had managed

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Morning

KD Publication

194. Security firms would get prosecuted for a breach of their duty if they do not introduced adequate procedures to protect children from harm.

(1) would get prosecuted
(2) for a breach of their duty
(3) to protect children
(4) do not introduced

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Afternoon

195. That his body did not decompose confirmed what the Greeks thought about him and what Alexander use to believe about himself-that he was not an ordinary man, but a god.

(1) thought about him
(2) use to believe about himself
(3) he was not an ordinary man
(4) his body did not decompose

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Evening

196. My father did never have an opportunity to go to a University.

(1) an opportunity
(2) a University
(3) to go to
(4) did never have

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

197. The files you were look for are placed on the table.

(1) are placed
(2) you were look for
(3) The files
(4) on the table

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

198. News of the calamity is reached the family members the next day.

(1) the family members
(2) News of the calamity
(3) is reached
(4) the next day

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

199. Torrential rains and winds of upto 170 km per hour swept away roads,(1)/homes and bridges and knocking down(2)/power and communication lines.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
4th June, 2019 Evening

200. The street artist Satish Munjal has been(1)/painting this wall since(2)/ the past one week(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Afternoon

201. Most disputes(1)/ can be solved amicably, (2)/ unless one are not rigid.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Morning

202. Entering(1)/ the hall, (2)/the show had started.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Evening

203. "I done(1)/ a lot of(2)/work today," she said.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Evening

204. The Cannes Film Festival attract some of the world's most famous people.

(1) the world's
(2) The Cannes Film Festival
(3) attract some of
(4) most famous people

CHSL-2018
2 July, 2019, Evening

205. The ambulance have arrived on time, the accident victim was taken to the hospital.

(1) the accident victim
(2) have arrived on time
(3) The ambulance
(4) was taken to the hospital

CHSL-2018
4 July, 2019, Evening

KD Publication

206. With this heat wave, on we are having a terrible weather.
(1) heat wave on
(2) a terrible weather
(3) with this
(4) we are having

CHSL-2018
9 July, 2019, Morning

207. The two states frequently has differences over the use of the river water especially during the summer months.
(1) over the use of the river water
(2) The two states frequently
(3) has difference
(4) especially during the summer months

CHSL-2018
9 July, 2019, Evening

208. My grandmother has been lives in Shimla since her childhood days.
(1) has been lives
(2) her childhood days
(3) My grandmother
(4) in Shimla since

CHSL-2018
10 July, 2019, Evening

209. The Public works Department has propose to construct an elevated corridor which will run parallel to the National highway.
(1) to the National highway
(2) The Public works Department has propose
(3) which will run parallel
(4) to construct an elevated corridor

CHSL-2018
2 July, 2019, Morning

210. The promoters of Med Hospitals has agreed to sell their business to Pal Hospitals.
(1) The promoters of
(2) to sell their business
(3) Med Hospitals has agreed
(4) to Pal Hospitals

CHSL-2018
3 July, 2019, Morning

211. The number of visitors at the fair were much larger than expected.
(1) The number of
(2) than expected
(3) visitors at the fair
(4) were much larger

CHSL-2018
4 July, 2019, Afternoon

212. Why should always we have to wait for her to join us?
(1) Why should
(2) have to wait for her
(3) always me
(4) to join us?

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

213. She is a great cook, has her own blog on YouTube and was followed by one lakh viewers.
(1) She is
(2) a great cook
(3) has her own blog
(4) was followed

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

214. The Prime Minister holding is the important meeting to review the security and safety of doctors working in government hospitals.
(1) of doctors
(2) working in
(3) to review
(4) holding is the

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

215. Last evening my friend tells me the funny joke that I have ever heard.
(1) that I have
(2) ever heard
(3) tells me the funny joke
(4) Last evening my friend

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216. I am really bored of this movie! When was it end?
(1) it end?
(2) I am really bored
(3) of this movie
(4) When was

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

217. No one inform me that you would be absent.
(1) No one inform me
(2) would be absent.
(3) No error
(4) that you

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

218. Prasad recalled that meeting people have been a part of his life as a student activist.
(1) meeting people have been
(2) Prasad recalled that
(3) a part of his life
(4) as a student activist.

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

219. Everything has became very expensive these days.
(1) No error
(2) Everything has became
(3) very expensive
(4) these days

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

220. Rohit did not came to the office because he got held up due to the heavy rains.
(1) to the office
(2) due to the heavy rains
(3) Rohit did not came
(4) because he got held up

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

221. Everybody is waiting to see whether the new leadership has effect some changes soon in the party.
(1) Everybody is waiting to see
(2) soon in the party
(3) has effect some changes
(4) whether the new leadership

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

222. A recent government report highlight that the shortage of teachers in higher educational institutions is greater than that in countries like China, Brazil, Sweden and Russia.
(1) A recent government report highlight
(2) in higher educational institutions
(3) that the shortage of teachers
(4) is greater than

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

223. Is she go to visit her parents in the evening?
(1) her parents
(2) to visit
(3) in the evening
(4) Is she go

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

224. Rescue officials was unable to find any survivors in the Californaia boat tragedy.
(1) was unable
(2) in the
(3) to find
(4) Rescue officials

CGL MAINS 2018, 13 September, 2019

225. Aanya's class teacher and her friends congratulates her warmly when she won the inter school debate and brought the trophy to the school.
(1) and brought the trophy
(2) congratulates her
(3) when she won
(4) and her friends

CGL MAINS 2018, 13 September, 2019

226. Some of us are plan to go for a movie tonight.
(1) for a movie (2) to go
(3) Some of us (4) are plan to go

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Answers with Explanation

1. (2) Replace helped' with 'help' because after 'did' first form of verb is used. We can simply remove 'did' too.

2. (3) Replace 'tries' with 'tried' because the given sentence is in Past Tense.

3. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'. 'For' is used for duration of time.

4. (2) Replace 'contain' with 'contains' because the subject (fifth and final act) is singular.

5. (1) Replace 'saw' with 'have seen'. 'Since + time' takes Perfect Tense with it.

6. (3) Replace 'left' with 'had left'.
If two actions take place in the past one after the other, the first action is expressed in Past Perfect Tense.

7. (3) Replace 'would' with 'will'
In future Conditional Sentence, the structure of the sentence is as follows :
If + Simple Present, Simple Future

8. (2) For indirect question the structure is assertive not interrogative.
Hence replace 'where was the marriage hall' with 'where the marriage hall was'.

9. (1) Replace 'had to be' with 'was'.

10. (3) Replace 'had fallen' with 'fell'.
The structure we follow is
Present Perfect + Since + Simple Past. (See Volume 1, Present Perfect Tense)

11. (3) Replace 'am liking' with 'like'.
'Like' (verb) is not used in continuous/ progressive form.

12. (3) Replace 'what do I want' with 'what I wanted'. Given sentence is an assertive sentence so it will follow assertive structure i.e. (sub + verb).

13. (1) Replace 'ate' with 'has eaten'.
Structure:
Subject+ Present Perfect + Since + Past Tense

14. (1) Replace ' have passed' with 'passed' because the given sentence is in Past Tense.

15. (2) Replace 'am knowing' with 'know'. 'Know' is not used in Progressive Tense.

16. (2) Replace 'had reached' with 'reached' because If two actions take place in Past, one after the other, the 1st action will be in Past Perfect Tense and 2nd in Simple Past Tense.

17. (2) Replace 'will' with 'would' because in Indirect Speech 'will' changes into 'would'.

18. (1) Replace 'where could he have gone' with 'where he could have gone' because the given sentence is an assertive sentence so it will follow assertive structure i.e. (Subject + Verb)

19. (3) Replace 'was' with 'had'. The structure we follow in this type of question is
By the time + Simple Past + Past Perfect.
Here two actions took place one after the other in the past.

20. (2) Replace 'How was she grown' with 'How she has grown' because it is an exclamatory sentence not an interrogative sentence.

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21. (1) Replace 'was remembering' with 'remembered'.

22. (2) Replace 'decide' with 'decided' because 'it's time' is followed by Simple Past Tense.

23. (2) Replace 'has took' with 'has taken'. After 'has/ have' 'V_3' is used.

24. (2) Replace 'hasn't' with 'hadn't' because the given sentence is in Past.

25. (1) Replace 'have discussing' with 'have been discussing' or 'We have discussed'.

26. (3) Replace 'is dogged' with 'was dogged' because the given sentence is in Past Tense.
Here 'dogged' means 'hounded by'

27. (2) Replace 'is' with 'was'.

28. (2) Replace 'has' with 'had'.

29. (1) Replace 'you have been doing' with 'have you been doing' because in an interrogative sentence, auxiliary verb comes before the subject.

30. (2) Replace 'could I' with 'I could' because the given sentence is an assertive sentence and in assertive sentence subject comes before the verb.

31. (1) Replace 'were having' with 'had'. Here action is of past and is already over.

32. (2) Replace 'is' with 'was' because the given sentence is of Past.

33. (1) Add 'done' after 'have'.
Different forms of verbs should be used in a sentence if needed.

34. (1) Replace 'ate' with 'has eaten'.
'Since + time' takes Perfect Tense.

35. (2) Replace 'is working' with 'has been working' because the action is continuing for some time. Hence Present Perfect Continuous Tense should be used.

36. (1) Replace 'is having' with 'has' because verb of possession does not come in the V_{ing} form.

37. (1) Replace 'is' with 'has been'.

38. (3) Replace 'Preceded' with 'had Preceded'.
If two actions take place in the past, one after the other, the first action will be in Past Perfect Tense and 2nd is Simple Past Tense.

39. (2) Replace 'cleared' with 'had cleared'. Here the action (cleared) took place before a past time (noon). Hence Past Perfect Tense is a better option.

40. (1) Replace 'has been watching' with 'has watched' because the action is not currently in continuation.

41. (2) Replace 'has' with 'have'.
As the subject is plural so it will take plural verb.

42. (3) Replace 'is' with 'was'.

43. (3) 'time immemorial' will replace 'times immemorial' because 'time immemorial means 'for longer than any one can remember'.
'Times' is countable (बार)
'Time' is uncountable (समय)

44. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'.
For is used for duration of time
Since is used for Point of time.

45. (3) Replace 'was begun' with 'had begun'
If two actions take place in past one after the other, the first action is expressed in Past Perfect Tense.

46. (3) Replace 'have' with 'had'. Sentence is in past.

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47. (3) Replace 'does' with 'did' since the given sentence is in Past Tense.

48. (1) Replace 'is having' with 'has' as 'having' (have in 'ing' form) means eating.

49. (4) Universal truth is in Simple Present Tense.

50. (1) Replace 'want' with 'wish'.

51. (2) Change 'opened' into 'open'.

52. (3) Replace 'have' with 'had' because the given sentence is in Past Tense

53. (3) Replace 'before long' with 'long ago'. 'Long ago' means 'in the distant part' of past.

54. (2) Replace 'is living' with 'has been living'.
An action that has started in Past and still going on comes under Present Perfect Continuous Tense.

55. (2) Replace 'leave' with 'left' because if 'it is time' is followed by a subject than the verb that will follow the subject will be in 'V_2' form.

56. (2) Replace 'am having' with 'have'.
Verb of possession does not come in –ing form. 'Having' means 'eating'.

57. (2) Replace 'they didn't' with 'didn't they' because the sentence is an interrogative sentence and in an interrogative sentence auxiliary verb always comes before the subject.

58. (4) No error.
Planned action of near future can come in Present Continuous Tense.

59. (2) Replace 'have seen' with 'saw' because the given sentence is in Past Tense.

60. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'
For is used for duration of time
Since is used for point of time.

61. (2) Replace 'will' with 'would' because the sentence has started with Past Tense hence it will continue in past.

62. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'.
'for' is used for 'duration of time'
'since' is used for 'point of time'.

63. (3) Replace 'does' with 'did' because the first clause is in Past Tense so the following clause will also be in Past Tense.

64. (2) Replace 'is living' with 'has been living'. An action already started and still going on comes under Present Perfect Continuous Tense.

65. (2) Replace 'begun' with 'began' because the given sentence is in Past Tense. ('Ago' denotes past time)

66. (3) Replace 'is' with 'are' because here 'accidents' is plural so it will take Plural verb.

67. (2) Replace 'I am' with 'I was'. Sentence started with Past Tense.

68. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'.
'for' is used for duration of time.
'Since' is used for 'Point of time'.

69. (2) Replace 'in not having saw' with 'in not having seen'. 'Have' takes V_3.

70. (1) Replace 'are residing' with 'have been residing'.

71. (2) Replace 'works' with 'worked'. 'Last' indicates that the sentence is in past.

72. (2) Replace 'broke' with 'broken' because after 'have' 'V_3' is used.

73. (2) Replace 'find' with 'found' because the sentence is in Simple Past Tense.

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74. (1) Change 'have played' into 'played' because the sentence is in Past Tense.

75. (2) Replace 'raise' with 'raised' because the sentence is in Past Tense.

76. (3) Replace 'am not loving you' with 'do not love you' because verbs that show emotion do not come in 'V_{ing}' form.

77. (3) Replace 'is testing' with 'tastes' because 'taste' a verb of sensation does not come in '–ing' form.

78. (1) Replace 'have got' with 'got' because the given sentence is in Past Tense.

79. (1) Replace 'is working' with 'has been working' because the event that started in the Past and still continuing comes under Present Perfect Continuous Tense.

80. (1) Replace 'have been knowing' with 'have known. 'Know' is not used in continuous form.

81. (1) Replace 'had laid' with 'had been lying'.

82. (1) Replace 'fail' with 'failed' because the sentence is a in past tense.

83. (2) Replace 'will decide' with 'decided'.

84. (2) Replace 'noticed' with 'notice'. because the given sentence is of Present time nowadays.

85. (1) Replace 'had asked' with 'asked'.

86. (2) Of the two past actions the action that happens earlier is expressed in Past Perfect Tense.
Hence replace 'was left' with 'had left'.

87. (1) Replace 'have seen' with 'saw' since the given sentence talks about past events.

88. (4) No error

89. (1) Replace 'did no receive' with 'have not received'.

90. (4) No error

91. (2) Replace 'should accept' with 'accepted'. 'It is time' is followed by Past form of verb (V_2).

92. (2) No error.

93. (3) Replace 'has died' with 'had died'.
Of the two past events, Past Perfect Tense is used for an action that happens earlier, and Simple Past Tense for the action that followed.

94. (1) Replace 'was ill' with 'had been ill' because the work continued in past for a period of time.

95. (2) 'It is high time' is followed by Simple Past Tense.
Hence replace 'renovate' with 'renovated'.

96. (1) The first part of the sentence should read as ... 'How long does it take'. In an interrogative sentence the helping verb comes before the subject.

97. (3) Replace 'escalated' with 'has escalated'. 'In the last one year' is a duration.

98. (4) No error

99. (4) Replace 'if it rain' with 'if it rained' because the sentence shows past time.

100. (3) Replace 'visit the' with 'visited'. 'Since' is followed by 'Simple Past Tense'. In this type of sentences. 'Delhi' being a proper noun will not take 'the'.

101. (1) Replace 'have visited' with 'visited' because the event is of past time.

102. (1) Replace 'saves' with 'saved' because the sentence is in Past Tense.

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103. (2) Replace 'childish' with 'childlike'. 'Childish' means 'stupid/foolish'. Childlike means 'innocent'. Also change 'has' into 'had' as the sentence is in past.

104. (1) Change 'communication' into 'letter' or 'message'. We don't send communication.

105. (3) Since the sentence talks about future time so it should be 'will have been' in the place of 'have been'.

106. (2) Replace 'have finished' with 'finished' because the event took place in past.

107. (3) Change 'ring' into 'rang' as the given sentence is in Past Tense.

108. (1) Replace 'appearing' with 'appeared'.

109. (4) Since the given sentence is a general statement so it should be in Present Tense.
Thus replace 'was' with 'is'.

110. (4) Replace 'has been built' with 'was built' because the sentence is in Past Tense.

111. (4) Replace 'since' with 'for'.
For is used for duration of time.
Since is used for point of time.

112. (4) Replace 'is' with 'was' since the given sentence is in Past Tense. So the complete sentence should be in Past Tense.

113. (4) Replace 'hadn't' with 'didn't have'.

114. (2) Replace 'begin' with 'began'.

115. (2) Replace 'founds' with 'found' because the (V_2) of 'find' is 'found.

116. (3) Replace 'from' with 'since'.

117. (3) Change 'came' to 'had come'. The action of 'coming' took place before the action of 'asking' so the 1st action will be in past perfect tense.

118. (1) 'Those' is plural while 'sort' is singular. Hence replace 'sort' with 'sorts'.

119. (3) 'For' is used for duration of time. 'Since' is used for point of time. Hence replace 'since' with 'for'.

120. (4) No error

121. (3) According to the rule of parallelism, third part should also be in simple Present Tense. Change 'Had' into 'Have'.

122. (1) Sentence should be in Simple Past Tense and in Active Voice. Hence replace 'was being' with 'was'.

123. (3) If two actions take place in past, one after the others the first action will be in Past Perfect Tense and the second action in 'Simple Past Tense'. Hence replace 'left' with 'had left'

124. (2) In Present Perfect Continuous Tense, for point of time, 'since' is used. So replace 'as' with 'since'.

125. (1) Simple future tense will be used. Replace 'I will never be marrying' with 'I will never marry.

126. (1) Given sentence must in Present Perfect Tense as the action is important not time. So replace 'had' with 'has'.

127. (4) Since is used for point of time. Therefore 'since then' is correct.

128. (3) Change 'have' into 'had' as the sentence is in past tense.

129. (4) No error

130. (4) No error

131. (1) After 'has/have' V_3 comes hence replace 'sign' with 'signed'. Also remove 'over'.

132. (1) 'The angry bird' is a singular countable noun so it will take singular verb (flaps).

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Replace 'flap' with 'flaps'.
'Flap (of a bird)' means 'to move (its wing) up and down when flying'

133. (1) Rule: If two actions take place in the past, one after the other, the 1st action will be in past perfect tense and the 2nd action is in simple past tense.
Here the 1st action is 'seeing' and 2nd is 'recognizing'. Thus, instead of 'have seen' 'had seen' will come in the first part of the sentence.

134. (2) After 'have' 'V_3' form of verb is used. Thus replace 'beginning' with 'begun'.

135. (3) Replace 'made' with 'had made' as this action precedes the act of destroying.

136. (1) Replace 'is having' with 'has had'

137. (2) Here the main subject (inventions) is plural hence it will agree with plural verb.
Thus replace 'is' with 'are'. Also it is passive in form. Change 'make' into 'made'.

138. (2) For an assertive sentence the structure we follow is
Subject + verb + object
So there is no need of putting 'are' before 'you'. Hence remove 'are from part 'B' of the sentence.

139. (3) Replace 'has' with 'has been' or 'is'. The sentence is in Passive Voice.

140. (1) In an interrogative sentence the helping verb comes before the subject. Add 'are' before 'you'.

141. (3) Given sentence is a universal truth tense so replace 'wanted' with 'wants'

142. (3) For assertive sentence the structure is
Subject + verb + object
Hence replace 'what was my name' with 'what my name was'.

143. (3) Replace 'is' with 'was'.

144. (3) Given sentence is an past tense, thus replace 'have given' with 'gave'

145. (4) No error

146. (3) Replace 'grew' with 'is growing'. 'Day by day' indicates a going on process.

147. (1) Replace 'shake' with 'shook'. Sentence is past tense.

148. (1) Replace 'had' with 'have'.

149. (3) Replace 'catches' with 'caught'. Because sentence is in past.

150. (3) Replace 'receive' with 'received'.

151. (4)

152. (3) Replace 'were' with 'are'. The sentence is a general fact.

153. (1) Change 'becoming' into 'become' because the sentence is in present perfect tense where the structure is-**sub+have/has+ V_3**

154. (2) Change 'had' into 'has' because the starting part of the sentence is in present tense.

155. (2) Change 'organising' and Planning into 'organised' and planned because sentence is in present perfect tense where the structure is- Sub + have+V_{3rd}

156. (1) Replace 'went' with 'gone' become 'go through' means to examine carefully.

157. (2) Change 'start' into 'started' because the sentence is in past tense.

158. (3) Change 'since' into 'for' because the time period is given.

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159. (1) Change 'use' into 'used' because the sentence is of past routine.

160. (4) No error.

161. (4) No Error.

162. (1) Change 'telegraphed' into 'telegraph' because the correct structure is 'will $+V_{b.f}$'.

163. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'. The subject 'the decoration' is singular hence it will take singular verb.

164. (4) No error.

165. (1) Replace 'has' with 'have'. Does not takes V_1 not V_1 + s/es.

166. (2) Replace is having' with 'has'. Having something means enjoying or eating which is not suitable here according to the meaning of the sentence.

167. (4) No error.

168. (2) Replace 'am' with 'have'. Have found is the appropriate structure. According to the meaning of the sentence, the sentence should be in Present Perfect Tense.

169. (4) No error.

170. (4)

171. (1) Change 'had not won' into 'did not win'. The sentence is of past hence Simple Past Tense will come.

172. (1) Correct formation –
Past Perfect ----- before ---- simple past. Use had before finished.

173. (1) Use 'wants' instead of 'want'.

174. (3) Use 'was' after 'she'. The sentence is not interrogative so helping verb will come after the subject.

175. (3) Past Participle will be use. Replace 'reaches' by 'reached'.

176. (1) Use 'explained' in place of 'was explain' or use 'was explained (Passive).

177. (2) Use 'are' in place 'is'. Problems take plural verb.

178. (1) Replace 'need' with 'needs'.

179. (2) Replace 'has' with 'have'.

180. (1) Replace 'were' with 'was'.

181. (1) Use 'are' in place of 'is'. Countries will take plural verb.

182. (1) Use 'for' in place of 'since'.
for + period of time
since + point of time

183. (3) Replace 'did we learn' with 'we learnt'. After using interrogative form once we cannot use it again.

184. (3) Replace 'since' with 'for'.

185. (3) Replace 'protects (singular)' with 'protect (plural)'. Subject (Himalayas) is plural.

186. (1) Replace 'knew' with 'know'.
didn't takes V_1.

187. (4) Replace 'live' with 'lived or were'. Sentence is in past.

188. (3) Replae 'switch (V^1 plural)' with 'switches (V^5 singular)'. Subject (neighbour) is singular. V_2 (switched) may also be correct.

189. (4) Replace 'was' with 'were'. The sentence is of Present imagination.

190. (1) Replace 'she was' with 'was she'. Structure of Interrogative Sentence Interrogative word + auxiliary verb + subject... ?

191. (4) Replace 'was not knowing' with 'didn't know'. 'Know' does not come in 'ing' form'

192. (1) Replace 'serving' with 'serves'.

193. (4) Replace 'had' with 'has'. The sentence started with Present Perfect.

194. (4) Replace 'introduced' with 'introduce'. Do not takes V_1.

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195. (2) Replace 'use' with 'used'. Used to + base form of verb is used to denote Past Routine.

196. (4) Replace 'did never have' with 'never had'.

197. (2) Replace 'look' with 'looking'. 'Look for' means 'search'.

198. (3) Remove 'is'. The action is of past hence Simple Past tense will come.

199. (2) Replace 'knocking' with knocked
Knocked down – गिराना

200. (2) Change 'since' into 'for'. 'One week' is a duration and will take 'for'.

201. (3) Change 'are' into 'is'. 'One' is singular and takes singular verb.

202. (1) Replace 'entering' with 'before I entered'.

203. (1) Sentence is in past tense.
Replace 'done' with 'did'.

204. (3) Use 'attracts' inspite of 'attract'.

205. (2) use 'has' in place of 'have'.

206. (2) Remove 'on'.

207. (3) use 'have' in place of 'has'.

208. (1) use 'living' in place of 'lives'. Has been is followed by V_1 + ing.

209. (2) 'Has' is always followed by 'third form of verb'. Use 'proposed' in place of 'propose'.

210. (3) Use 'have' in place of 'has'. Promoters will take plural verb.

211. (4) Use 'was' in place of 'were'. The number takes singular verb.

212. (3) In interrogative sentences only helping verb precedes the subject. Adverb remains at its place.

213. (3) Replace 'was' with 'is'. The sentence is of Present.

214. (4) Replace 'holding is' with 'is holding'.

215. (3) Replace 'tells' with 'told'. Last evening (past time) takes Simple Past Tense.

216. (4) Replace 'was' with 'will'. In the sentence the movie is yet to end so the sentence will be in future tense.

217. (1) Replace 'inform' with 'informed'. The action is in past tense.

218. (1) Replace 'have' with 'had'. The action is of Past.

219. (2) Replace 'became' with 'become'. Has takes V_3.

220. (3) Replace 'came' with 'come'. Did not takes V_1.

221. (3) Replace 'has' with 'will'. 'Soon' depicts future. So 'will + $V_{b.f}$' will come.

222. (1) Replace 'highlight' with 'has highlighted'. The sentence is of present.

223. (4) Replace 'is' with 'will'. 'In the evening' means 'the time is of future'.

224. (1) Replace 'was' with 'were'. 'Officials' a plural noun will take plural verb.

225. (2) Replace 'congratulates' with 'congratulated' because sentence is in past tense.

226. (4) Replace 'plan' with 'planning'.

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Subject Verb Agreement

1. The various consequences of(1)/ the decision taken by the (2)/ finance ministry was not foreseen by the bureaucrats. (3)/ No error (4)

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2. One of the terrorists (1)/ of the Kashmir valley (2)/ are shot dead. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 16.11.2003)

3. Ten kilometres (1)/ is (2)/ a long distance to walk. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 16.11.2003)

4. The introduction of job-oriented courses (1)/in the self-financing colleges (2)/ attract many students (3)./ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 14.12.2003)

5. It is I (1)/who is to blame.(2)/for this bad situation(3)./ No Error.(4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 05.12.2004)

6. Patience as well as perseverance (1)/ are necessary (2)/for success. (3)/ No Error/(4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

7. In Singapore (1)/my brother-in-law with his wife (2)/were present at the function. (3)/No Error. (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 05.06.2005)

8. He is one of those writers (1)/who has won acclaim (2)/the world over.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

9. The ebb and flow of the tides (1)/ are (2)/ now understood (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 25.09.2005)

10. Knowledge of (1)/ at least two languages (2)/ are required to pass the examination (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

11. The Secretary and the Principal of the college (1)/ are attending (2)/ the District Development Council Meeting at the Collectorate (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

12. A hot and (1)/ a cold spring (2)/ was found near each other (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

13. Either of the roads (1)/ lead (2)/ to the park (3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

14. One of my desires (1)/ are to become (2)/ a doctor (3)/. No error. (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

15. The strain of all (1)/ the difficulties and vexations and anxieties (2)/ are more than he could bear. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 30.09.2007 (Second Sitting)

16. Kambli is one of the players (1)/ who has been selected (2)/ for the test match. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

17. The introduction of tea and coffee (1)/ and such other beverages (2)/ have not been without some effect. (3)/ No error. (4)

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(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

18. The newer type of automatic machines (1)/ washes (2)/ the clothes faster. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

19. Each of the students in the computer class (1)/ has to type (2)/ their own research paper this semester. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

20. A variety of pleasant items in the shop (1)/ attract (2)/ everybody. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

21. Neither of the two children (1)/ said their prayer (2)/ before going to bed. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

22. Nine-tenths (1)/ of the pillar (2)/ have rotted away.(3)/No error (4).

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 16.05.2010 (Second Sitting)

23. He walks (1)/ as if the earth (2)/ belongs to him (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (South Zone) Investigators Exam. 12.09.2010)

24. A great many student (1)/ have been declared (2)/ successful. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

25. Do you know that it was I (1)/ who has done (2)/ this piece of beautiful work? (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (First Sitting)

26. "The Arabian Nights" (1)/ are indeed (2)/ an interesting book. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

27. The Prime Minister along with his Cabinet colleagues (1)/ have been welcomed by the Chief Minister (2)/ at a formal ceremony. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. 28.08.2011 (Paper-I)

28. He is (1)/ one of the tallest boy (2)/ in the class. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Data Entry Operator Exam. 02.08.2009)

29. The Principal and staff (1)/ are waiting for (2)/ the chief guest. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010)

30. Our success or our failure (1)/ largely depend (2)/ upon our actions. (3)/ No error. (5)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 20.02.2011)

31. Neither the mouse (1)/ nor the lion (2)/ were caught. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 27.02.2011)

32. Time and tide (1)/ wait (2)/ for no man. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

33. He as well as (1)/ you like (2)/ to go.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (North Zone)

34. Neither of these two documents (1)/ support your claim (2)/ on the property. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

35. The captain along with his team (1)/ are practising very hard (2)/ for the forthcoming match. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

36. Each of these boys (1)/ play games (2)/ in the playground. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

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37. Not one of his lectures (1)/ have ever been (2)/ printed. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

38. Either Sohan or his friends (1)/ is to be blamed (2)/ for this mischief. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

39. The increasing mechanisation of life (1)/ have led us farther away from daily contact with nature and (2)/ the crafts of the farm.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

40. Drinking and driving (1)/ are (2)/ a major cause of accidents. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

41. The company is using (1)/ influence to persuade people (2)/ to buy its refrigerators. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (Ist Sitting))

42. Everyone are expected (1)/ to come (2)/ to school tomorrow. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

43. The artist and writer (1)/ has (2)/ died. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

44. Either an officer (1)/ or an assistant (2)/ are required. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

45. 'Gulliver's Travels' (1)/are indeed (2)/ an interesting book. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

46. Either Parmeet (1)/ or Jyoti (2)/ have done the crime. (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

47. I read (1)/ a great deal of (2)/ books.(3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013, Ist Sitting : Patna)

48. Every child in the class (1)/ are wearing (2)/ sandals today. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

49. One of my friend (1)/ is returning (2)/ to India from the U.S.A. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

50. Flowers (1)/that are just picked (2)/ begins to rot in 15 seconds. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

51. According to some estimates, (1)/ there are (2)/seven thousand type of plants. (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

52. Every one (1)/ must sign their full names (2)/ before entering the hall. (3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

53. The Great Wall of China (1)/is the one structure build by man (2)/ visible from the moon.(3)/No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

54. Most countries in the world (1)/ is for (2)/ peace. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

55. Our office buys (1)/ five kilograms of paper (2)/ every month. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

56. Many a man (1)/ have realized (2)/ that real happiness lies in making sacrifices. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

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57. One of the most important factor (1)/ that contribute to the success of a person (2)/ is his sincerity. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

58. A technical view of new gadgets (1)/ sometimes differ(2)/ from an economic perspective. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

59. Each of the girls (1)/ are (2)/ clever. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

60. As a person who believes (1)/ that honesty is the best policy (2)/ I feel that politics are not my cup of tea. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

61. A Tale of Two Cities (1)/ are written (2)/ by Charles Dickens. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

62. Neither of the two (1)/ candidates have (2)/ paid his subscription. (3) No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

63. The company have (1)/ thousands of customers (2)/ happy with its service. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

64. Our new television-set come (1)/ with a 90-day warranty (2)/ on all electrical components. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

65. Each one of you (1)/ must make up their mind (2)/ as I did. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, Ist Sitting)

66. This stamp is only one (1)/ of the design (2)/ ever printed. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, Ist Sitting)

67. In India (1)/ working woman lead a life of dual responsibilities(2)/if they are married and have a family.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013, IInd Sitting)

68. The teacher, as well as the students, (1) have gone on an excursion (2)/ to Ooty during their summer vacation. (3)/ No Error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

69. The US (1)/ don't want (2)/India in the Security Council. (3)/ No Error.(4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

70. At certain seasons (1), some areas on Mars (2)/ is subject to strong winds. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

71. Short stories and poems (1)/of varying quality (2)/appears in dailies and periodicals (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013, Ist Sitting)

72. One of the (1)/most dangerous disease (2)/is AIDS (3)/. No error (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013, Ist Sitting)

73. The director along with his assistants (1)/ have thoroughly examined (2)/ the new proposals. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013)

74. Neither of the teams (1)/ are sensible enough (2)/ to do this task. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

75. Each of these boys (1)/ play (2)/ games. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

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76. Neither the girl nor her parents (1)/ was present (2)/ to receive the award. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

77. The police is investigating (1)/ for the recent happening (2)/ in the area. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, IInd Sitting)

78. A lot of money (1)/ were spent (2)/ on the common wealth games. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

79. My brother-in-law(1)/who lives in Mumbai (2)/ have come to stay with us.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

80. My friend Anu (1)/is one of the best tennis player (2)/ in the country. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

81. Suddenly they saw a car coming /(1) at a break neck speed./(2) An old man were crossing the road at the zebra crossing. /(3) No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

82. Every boy and every girl (1)/ were given (2)/ a packet of sweets. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

83. His parents does not (1)/ approve of (2)/ his business. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

84. The behaviour of young (1)/ boys are the subject of (2)/ comment the world over. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 22.06.2014)

85. They dreamed of a society (1)/ where everyone (2)/ were equal. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, Ist Sitting)

86. The box of eggs (1)/ are lying (2)/ on the table. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, Ist Sitting)

87. Fifty years has passed (1)/ since man first ventured (2)/ into outer space. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, IInd Sitting)

88. One of the most (1)/ widely spread (2)/ bad habit is the use of tobacco. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014, Ist Sitting)

89. The whole block of flats (1)/ including two shops were (2)/ destroyed in fire. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014)

90. One of my friends (1)/ are (2)/an I.A.S officer. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

91. The Arabian Nights' (1)/ are enjoyed (2)/ by all kinds of readers. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 02.11.2014, IInd Sitting)

92. Neither of the girls (1)/ were willing to (2)/ accept the proposal. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 09.11.2014)

93. Many a man (1)/ have come to India from Bangladesh (2)/to live here permanently. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

94. Knowledge and wisdom makes (1)/ an individual truly complete (2)/ and self-assured. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

95. It has been said that history is the essence of innumerable biography.

(1) No Error
(2) of innumerable biography
(3) that history is the essence
(4) It has been said

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

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96. If man makes proper use of his time and opportunities and follow his aim in life with patience and perseverance, he is sure to succeed.
(1) and perseverance, he is sure to succeed.
(2) If man makes proper use of his time and opportunities
(3) and follow his aim in life with patience
(4) No Error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

97. My cousin cannot understand why his teacher says that the earth move round the sun.
(1) teacher says
(2) cannot understand
(3) No Error
(4) move round the

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

98. A person who sticks to one thing inspite of initial difficulties is sure to succeed in the end.
(1) A person who sticks to one thing
(2) is sure to succeed in the end
(3) inspite of initial difficulties
(4) No Error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

99. What make people angry or tense is actually a mystery which is difficult to explain.
(1) No Error
(2) What make people angry
(3) or tense is actually a mystery
(4) which is difficult to explain

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

100. Africa is the second largest continent (1)/ and it contain about one fifth (2)/ of all the land in the world. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

101. When no individual is (1)/ responsible there are no (2)/ sense of responsibility. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

102. Prisoners, especially long term convict (1)/ have to suffer most (2)/ from emotional starvation. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

103. Three–fourths of the men (1)/ has gone (2)/ to war. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014 , Ist Sitting TF No. 333 LO 2)

104. The conversation (1)/ we are having is completely (2)/ out of the main topic. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014 , Ist Sitting TF No. 333 LO 2)

105. Although Niratyay is very intelligent and sincere (1)/ in his dealings he (2)/ often tells lies. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, IInd Sitting TF No. 545 QP 6)

106. Each of the students participating (1)/ in the drawing competition (2)/ have to bring his own materials.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

107. Raj surprised everyone (1)/ when he created an unbreakable record (2)/ of one and a half centuries.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

108. Some of our latest canon (1)/ that have come out of the production (2)/ line have a very long range.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

109. Most of the members at the meeting felt (1)/ that the group appointed to investigate the case (2)/ were not competent to do the job efficiently. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

110. Neither the size (1)/ nor the colour of the gloves (2)/ were right.(3)/ No error (4)

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(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

111. Neither of the sisters (1)/ are sensible enough (2)/ to carry out the plan.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

112. Everyone were happy to hear about his success.
(1) to hear
(2) about his sucess
(3) No error
(4) Everyone were happy

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 8037731)

113. The lions kill the animals and eat his meat.
(1) The lions
(2) and eat his meat
(3) kill the animals
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 8037731)

114. The team was now in the field and about to take their place.
(1) No error
(2) The team was
(3) about to take their
(4) now in the field and place

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 8037731)

115. The media play a vital role in popularising a brand.
(1) The media play
(2) in popularising a brand.
(3) No error
(4) a vital role

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 IInd Sitting)

116. The sum and substance of this poem is as follows.
(1) of this poem
(2) No error
(3) The sum and substance
(4) is as follows

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 4239378)

117. Just outside my house are a playground for school boys and girls.
(1) Just outside my house
(2) are a playground
(3) No error
(4) for school boys and girls

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 3196279)

118. Many a man want to be rich quickly.
(1) rich quickly (2) want to be
(3) Many a man (4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 2176783)

119. The Russian ambassador's whereabouts is not known to anyone.
(1) No error
(2) The Russian ambassador's
(3) not known to anyone
(4) where abouts is

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 2176783)

120. Thoughts about the slaughtered children is uppermost on my mind.
(1) are uppermost on my mind
(2) slaughtered children
(3) Thoughts about the
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

121. The luxuries of the riches are maintained by depriving the poor of their dues.
(1) The luxuries of the riches
(2) the poor of their dues
(3) are maintained by depriving
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

122. Orwell is one of those authors who do his best to irritate the reader.
(1) Orwell is one of those
(2) No error
(3) who do his best
(4) to irritate the reader

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

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123. Things in Nature die a temporary deaths only to appear again.
(1) only to appear again
(2) die a temporary deaths
(3) Things in Nature
(4) No error

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

124. Riches are uncertain things, and the fame that power give or is won by foul means is as shortlived as the dewdrop.
(1) is as shortlived as the dewdrop.
(2) that power give or is won by foul means
(3) Riches are uncertain things, and the fame
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

125. Whoever assumes his statement true is foolish
(1) his statement true
(2) No error
(3) Whoever assumes
(4) is foolish

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 01.11.2015, IInd Sitting)

126. Electronic mail or E-mail (1)/ are a method of exchanging (2)/digital messages. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 6636838)

127. Scientist now hope that cloning can successfully be conducted in human beings in the near future.
(1) No error
(2) can successfully be conducted in
(3) human beings in the near future
(4) Scientist now hope that cloning

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 3441135)

128. That summer, elections were (1)/ held at many a place (2)/ without any untoward incident. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
8th Jan, Evening

129. We have to accept (1)/ that driving vehicles (2)/ require expertise. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
17th Jan, Afternoon

130. The average age at which (1)/ people die of heart diseases (2)/ are decreasing. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21st Jan, Morning

131. I asked two persons (1)/ the way to the school (2)/ but neither of them knew it. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21th Jan, Evening

132. One of the state (1)/ in which there was a severe drought (2)/ last year is Maharashtra. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
22nd Jan, Morning

133. Grandfather along (1)/ with the children (2)/ have gone to Chennai. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
23rd Jan, Evening

134. The unique selling proposition of (1)/ our products are that (2)/ they are unbreakable. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
30th Jan, Evening

135. Each of the girls (1)/ have come (2)/ with her books. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(27th August, Evening)

136. A period of six years (1)/ have elapsed (2)/ since I last saw her. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(28th August, Morning)

137. My brother (1)/ along with his friends (2)/ are going on a tour (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(30th August, Morning)

138. Police reports claim that (1)/ substantial seizure of cocaine have been made (2)/ in the last two months. (3)/ No Error (4).

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Evening)

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139. The leader (1)/ with all his followers (2)/ are send to prison. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Afternoon)

140. Neither of the scout leaders know (1)/ how to trap wild animals (2)/ or how to prepare them for mounting (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(7th September, Morning)

141. Some of the richest (1)/ business magnate (2)/ live in Mumbai. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(10th September, Evening)

142. Too great a (1)/ variety of studies (2)/ distract the mind (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Evening)

143. There were extensive (1)/lawn in front (2)/of the bungalow (3)/No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2016

144. The chairs in the (1) room are in a (2)/ state disarray (3)/No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

145. The light bulbs (1)/or the hall (2)/ need to be changed (3)/No error. (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

146. My husband was work, so I went shopping.
(1) My husband
(2) was work
(3) I went shopping
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

147. Volkswagen literally translates to 'people's car', but ironically most of its cars is out of reach of the common people.
(1) translates to 'people's car',
(2) most of its cars is
(3) out of reach of
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

148. Bradbury, one of the most versatile writer ever lived, was a school dropout.
(1) Bradbury, one of the most
(2) versatile writer ever lived
(3) was a school dropout
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

149. My brother, along with his friends, have gone to watch a movie at the nearest cinema hall.
(1) at the nearest cinema hall.
(2) My brother, along with his friends,
(3) have gone to watch a movie
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

150. Each of the girls in my class sing well.
(1) Each of the girls
(2) sing well.
(3) in my class
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

151. The moon are full and the stars are out.
(1) The moon are full
(2) and the stars
(3) are out.
(4) No errors

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

152. A fatigued relationship with her husband persuaded her to consult a marriage counsellor in order to save her marriage.
(1) fatigued (2) persuaded
(3) consult (4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

153. The report is candid in admitting (1)/ that the investment by the Government (2)/ in health and family planning have eroded considerably. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

154. The number of guests (1)/ invited to the party (2)/ are five hundred (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Morning

155. Many a man have (1)/come to India from Canada (2)/ to live here permanently. (3)/No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

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156. Every student have (1)/ to submit the assignment (2)/ by this afternoon. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

157. My sister-in-law (1)/ who lives in Chennai (2)/ have come to stay with us. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

158. My friend Sahib (1)/ is one of the best football player (2)/ in the country. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

159. This short-term mentality, (1)/ most of the times, leads to undesired (2)/ loss and disappointment. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Evening

160. The Roman Church of Catholics (1)/ is one of the (2)/ precious institutions. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

161. Mr. Gupta with his wife (1)/ and younger brother (2)/ were present at the station. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Morning

162. Tickle is (1)/one of the broadest and deepest (2)/ subject in science. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

163. The behaviour of resident spiders (1)/ towards pirate spiders and their own prey (2)/ are quite different. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

164. If you describe someone as a maverick, (1)/ you mean that he is unconventional and independent (2)/ and do not think or behave in the same way as other people. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

165. King penguins (1)/ are active throughout (2)/ the long summer days. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

166. Earth's deserts (1)/ is a land of extremes,(2) /constantly pushing life to the limit. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

167. Men who has risen (1)/ by their own exertions (2)/ are always respected. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

168. Neither Nita nor her sisters has applied for this job

(1) nor her (2) has applied
(3) Neither Nita (4) for this job

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

169. The manager along with his colleagues are preparing for the annual report to be submitted at the end of the financial year.

(1) at the end
(2) of the financial year
(3) are preparing
(4) along with his colleagues

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

170. The staff of the dairy was firm that there was no space inside for more cattle as there was already 2500 stray animals inside.

(1) there was already
(2) for more cattle
(3) was firm
(4) there was no space

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

171. His chances of winning both the races seems slight to me.

(1) of winning (2) His chances
(3) seems slight (4) both the races

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

172. A number of points of resemblance between the Australian and Dravidian languages is discovered, despite the fact that the homes of the two races are so far apart.

(1) despite the fact
(2) point of resemblance

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(3) so far apart
(4) is discovered

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

173. Many a girl were influenced by the inspirational lecture given by the Nobel laureate.
(1) Nobel laureate
(2) were influenced
(3) inspirational lecture
(4) Many a girl

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

174. Lupin is one of the least important person in the opposition and can never hope to become a minister.
(1) become
(2) in the opposition
(3) can never
(4) least important person

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

175. Neither Mohit nor Rohit were there at the shop when I sent there.
(1) when
(2) Neither Mohit nor Rohit
(3) were there
(4) at the shop

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Evening

176. Either Avika or Nikunj are going to win the prize in the handwriting competition.
(1) Either Avika (2) or Nikunj
(3) in the (4) are going to

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Morning

177. Neither I nor my sisters was interested in learning music.
(1) nor my sisters
(2) in learning music.
(3) was interested
(4) Neither I

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Morning

178. The village, with all its houses, were flooded by the river.
(1) by the river (2) were flooded
(3) it houses (4) with all

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Morning

179. Silver, as well as gold, are considered as precious metals.
(1) as precious metals.
(2) as well as
(3) Silver
(4) are considered

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Evening

180. From my hotel I could see that a flock of birds were flying over the lake.
(1) over the lake
(2) were flying
(3) From my hotel
(4) I could see

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Evening

181. A new research study has shown that long before they took up a strict vegetarian diet, the much loved pandas was a meat-eater.
(1) has shown
(2) that long before
(3) was a meat-eater
(4) took up

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Evening

182. During hair transplantation, hair follicles is transplanted from one part of the head to another where the hair is thinning.
(1) hair follicles is transplanted
(2) During hair transplantation
(3) from one part of the head to another
(4) where the hair is thinning

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Evening

183. The Natural History of Selborne records the importance of the earthworm to soil and describe an England unspoiled by the industrial revolution.

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(1) describe an England
(2) of the earthworm to soil
(3) records the importance
(4) unspoiled by the industrial revolution

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Morning

184. More than 25% people admits they have not sent or received a hand-written letter in the past decade.
(1) a hand-written letter
(2) More than 25% people admits
(3) they have not sent or received
(4) in the past decade

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Afternoon

185. Economic growth is sustainable only if all countries has food security.
(1) has food security
(2) all countries
(3) Economic growth is
(4) sustainable only if

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Evening

186. The problem of world hunger arises because of the economic inequality that distort food distributions.
(1) The problem of
(2) because of the economic inequality
(3) that distort food distribution
(4) world hunger arises

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Evening

187. Prema is the girl in my class who write beautiful poems.
(1) Prema is the girl
(2) who write
(3) beautiful poems
(4) in my class

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

188. The box of paper clips are kept in the drawer.
(1) are kept (2) The box
(3) of paper clips (4) in the drawer

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

189. Sunita is senior to me in this office and know all the rules.
(1) Sunita is senior to me
(2) all the rules
(3) and know
(4) in this office

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

190. The list of candidates to be called for the interview were put up on the board.
(1) for the interview
(2) The list of candidates
(3) were put up on the board
(4) to be called

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

191. Neither Amit nor Raju are staying with his parents in Mumbai.
(1) are staying
(2) in Mumbai
(3) with his parents
(4) Neither Amit nor Raju

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

192. Economics is one of the subject which I have found very difficult since school.
(1) Economics is
(2) which I have found
(3) very difficult since school
(4) one of the subject

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

193. Cyclone Idai is regarded as one of(1)/ the worst tropical cyclone on record(2)/to affect Africa and Southern hemisphere(3)/ as the whole (4)

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Morning

194. Every employee of the company (1)/ were given a two bedroom (2)/flat as Diwali bonus(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Morning

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195. The river Yamuna has many(1)/non-native species like goldfish(2)/that is affecting its eco-system.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Evening

196. Lodi colony in Delhi is very different(1)/from other places in the city(2)/that is crowded and noisy.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Morning

197. The Doon Valley with all its lights (1)/look beautiful at night (2)/from the top of the mountain.(3)/No error (4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Afternoon

198. Each of the girls(1)/have given(2)/ an impression dance performance. (3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Evening

199. The match is about to(1)/begin since the captain(2)/as well as the team are on the field.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Afternoon

200. Supriya asked Kiran(1)/where had her mother gone(2)/when the results of the contest were being declared.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
10th June, 2019 Evening

201. Ten kilometres are(1)/ to cover on foot(2)/a long distance for a child(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Morning

202. The length of a male swallow's tail(1)/reveal his attractiveness(2)/for a female swallow.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Afternoon

203. The child along with his parents were(1)/waiting for(2)/ the programme to begin.(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Evening

204. Raja Ravi Varma was(1)/one of the first artist who tried(2)/to create a style that was both modern and traditional.(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Morning

205. There is many modes(1)/of travel to go to Agra(2)/but I prefer road.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Evening

206. The cost of fruits and vegetables(1)/have risen(2)/abnormally this month.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Morning

207. Cows are amongst(1)/the gentlest of animals; none shows more(2)/passionate tenderness towards their young.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Morning

208. The picture of the king's is exactly like the king himself.
(1) the king himself
(2) the picture
(3) is exactly like
(4) of the king's

CHSL-2018
8 July, 2019, Afternoon

209. The soldiers had no choice when to obey the commander.
(1) when to obey
(2) had no choice
(3) The soldiers
(4) the commander

CHSL-2018
4 July, 2019, Afternoon

210. The birth of a girl bring great joy to Neha's family.
(1) The birth
(2) of a girl
(3) to Neha's family
(4) bring great joy

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

211. Having been a student activist once, a politician never forget those days.

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(1) a politician (2) never forget
(3) Having been (4) those days

CGL MAINS 2018, 12 September, 2019

212. Organizing World Cup matches in England imply that rains can be a constant threat.

(1) be a constant threat.
(2) in England imply
(3) that rains can be
(4) Organizing World Cup matches

CGL MAINS 2018, 12 September, 2019

213. Over the years, the writer Amish has evolved to what millions of youngsters aspires to be today – an intellectual.

(1) Over the years
(2) aspires to be today
(3) Amish has evolved
(4) millions of youngsters

CGL MAINS 2018, 13 September, 2019

214. Their house aren't very big but their garden is.

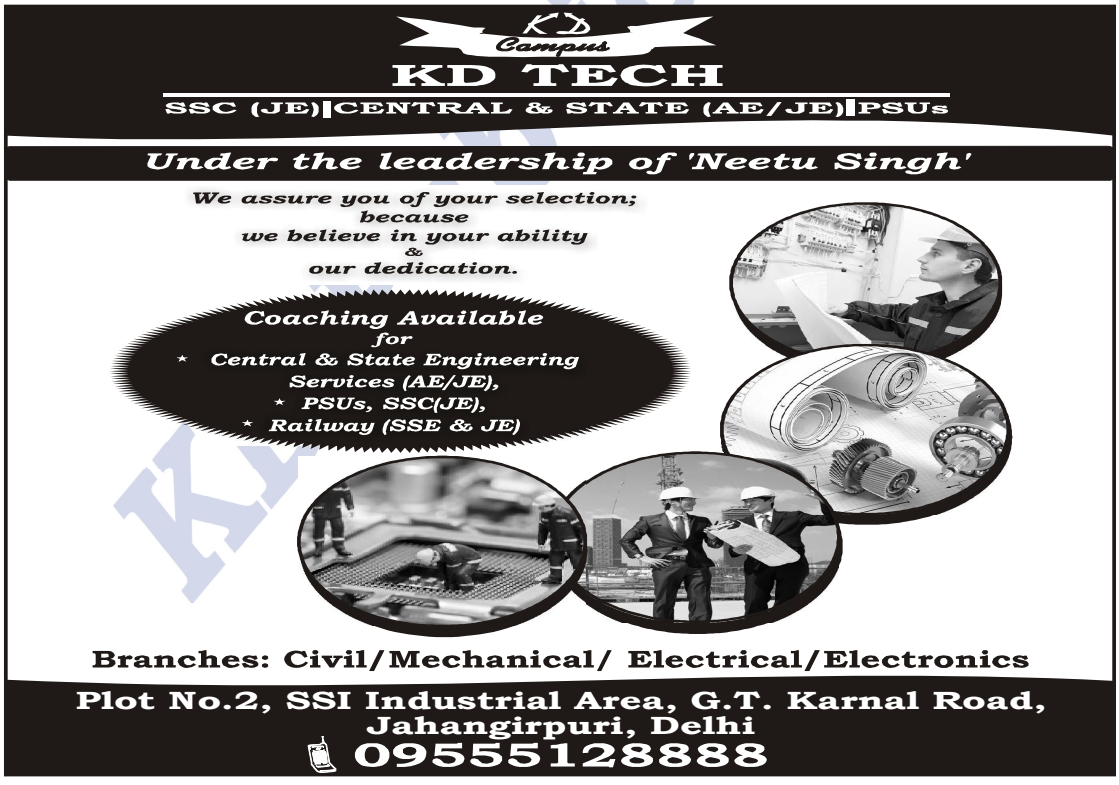
(1) aren't very big
(2) Their house
(3) garden is
(4) but their

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019

215. Our most memorable meeting with Spielberg happened while we were at the Berlin Film Festival in 1977, where the film 'Shatranj ke Khilari 'were being screened as India's official entry.

(1) Our most memorable meeting
(2) while we were at
(3) where the film
(4) were being screened

CGL MAINS 2018
13 September, 2019



Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'was' with 'were' because here the main subject (The various consequences) is plural.

2. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'. If 'of' is used after 'each', every, one etc, the Noun or Pronoun that comes immediately after 'of' will be Plural in form. However the verb, Pronoun, Adjective etc. that comes in the latter part of the sentence will be singular in form.

Structure:

One + of + Plural Noun + Singular Verb

3. (4) If Plural Noun is used after cardinal adjectives (one, two, three etc.) and if plural noun denotes certain amount, weight, height or period singular verb will be used.

4. (3) Replace 'attract' with 'attracts'. Here the main subject is singular (introduction) hence it will take singular verb.

5. (2) Replace 'is' with 'am'. The verb that follows a relative pronoun (here 'who') agrees to the antecedent to the relative pronoun (here 'I')

6. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'. If the subject is joined by 'as well as', 'with', 'along with', 'together with' ... etc, the verb will agree with the first subject. Here first subject is uncountable noun so it will take singular verb.

7. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'. If the two subject are joined by 'as well as' 'with', 'together with' 'along with' etc, the verb will agree with first subject.

Here the first subject is singular (brother-in-law).

8. (2) Replace 'has' with 'have'.

The verb that comes after relative Pronoun depends upon its antecedent. Here antecedent of Relative Pronoun (who) is Plural Noun (writers) hence it will agree with Plural verb (have).

9. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.

If 'two' or more than two Nouns or Adjectives are joined by 'and' but only Person or thing or idea is discussed, singular verb is used.

Here 'ebb and flow' is considered as singular subject.

10. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is' because here the main subject is knowledge which is an uncountable noun so it will take singular verb.

11. (4) No error.

12. (3) Replace 'was' with 'were'.

If two different subjects are joined by 'and', Plural verb is used. Here Article has come before both the subject. This indicates that there are two subjects.

13. (2) Replace 'lead' with 'leads'.

The structure we follow for this type of sentence is

Either+ of + plural noun + singular verb.

14. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.

If 'of' is used after 'each', 'every' 'one' etc, the Noun or Pronoun that comes immediately after 'of' will be plural in form. However the verb that comes in latter part of the sentence will be singular.

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15. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Here the main subject is 'strain' which is singular, so the verb should also be singular.

16. (2) Replace 'has' with 'have'.
The verb used after the relative Pronoun depends upon its antecedent.
Here 'antecedent' of 'who' is plural.
So plural verb will be used.

17. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Here the main subject is 'introduction' which is singular. Hence it will agree with singular verb.

18. (2) Change 'wash' (P.V.) into washes (S.V). 'Washes' agrees with singular subject (newer type).

19. (3) Replace 'their' with 'his'.
The structure we follow is
Each of the + Plural Noun + Singular verb/ Pronoun/ Adjective.
If 'of' is used after 'each', the Noun or Pronoun that comes after 'of' will be plural in form. However, the verb, Pronoun, Adjective that comes in the latter part of the sentence will be singular.

20. (2) Replace 'attract' with 'attracts' because here the subject is singular so it will take singular verb.

21. (2) Replace 'their' with 'his'.
Neither + of + the + plural noun + singular verb/ adjective/ Pronoun.

22. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Rule:
Nine-tenths of → S.C.N + S.V
Nine-tenths of → P.C.N + P.V
Nine-tenths of → U.C.N + S.V

23. (3) Replace 'belongs' with 'belonged'.
Here the action given is completely unrealistic hence it will take 'V_2'.

24. (1) Replace 'student' with 'students'.
After 'many', 'a great many' and 'a good many' plural countable noun is used.

25. (2) Replace 'has done' with 'have done'. The verb to be used after Relative Pronoun depends on its antecedent. Here antecedent of 'who' is 'I', hence it will agree with plural verb (have) but the sentence is in past. So change 'have' into 'had'.

26. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Here 'the Arabian Nights' is the name of one book and it is singular so singular verb will be used.

27. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has' when two or more subject are joined by 'along with' the verb agrees with the first subject.
Here the first subject is singular so it will agree with singular verb.

28. (2) Replace 'boy' with 'boys'.
Structure:
One of + the + plural noun + singular verb

29. (1) Add article 'the' before the word 'staff'.

30. (2) Replace 'depend' with 'depends'.
Here two subjects are joined by 'or', so verb agrees with the nearest subject.

31. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'.
When two subjects are joined by neither ... nor, the verb agrees with the nearest subject.

32. (4) No error.
Here two subjects 'time' and 'tide' are joined by 'and' hence plural verb follows.

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33. (2) Replace 'like' with 'likes'.
When two nouns or pronouns are joined by 'as well as', the verb agrees with 1st subject.

34. (2) Replace 'support' with 'supports'.
The structure should be
Neither of + plural noun + singular verb

35. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
When two nouns or pronouns are joined by 'along with' the verb will agree with the first noun.

36. (2) Replace 'play' with 'plays'
Structure:
Each of + plural noun + singular verb.

37. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Structure:
One of + Plural Noun + Singular Verb.

38. (2) Replace 'is' with 'are'.
When two nouns or pronouns are connected with 'Either ... or', the verb agrees with the nearest subject. Here nearest subject is plural, hence plural verb should be used.

39. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Here the main subject is singular. So it will agree with singular verb.

40. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
If two or more than two nouns are joined by 'and' but only one thing or idea is discussed, it takes singular verb. Here the action is singular as a whole which means driving while drunk.

41. (4) No error.

42. (1) Replace 'are' with 'is' because everyone and everybody takes singular verb with it.

43. (4) No error

44. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is' because when two Nouns or Pronouns are connected with Either ... or, the verb agrees with its nearest subject.

45. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
'Gulliver's Travels' is a name of single book, hence it will take singular verb.

46. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'.

47. (2) Replace 'a great deal of' with 'a great number of'. 'A great number' is used for plural countable noun whereas 'a great deal of' is used in two senses 'to a very great degree or extent' or 'or in great quantity'. This means 'a great deal' is used with uncountable Nouns.

48. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
When words like each, every, either, neither are used as subjects, they take singular verb.

49. (1) Replace 'friend' with 'friends'.
'One of' is followed by Plural Noun and singular verb.

50. (3) Replace 'begins' with 'begin'.
A Plural subject always agrees with Plural verb.

51. (3) Replace 'type' with 'types'.

52. (2) Replace 'their' with 'his'.
Everyone is singular Pronoun so it takes singular adjective.

53. (2) Replace 'one structure build' with 'one of the structures built'.

54. (2) Replace 'is' with 'are' Since 'countries' is a plural subject.

55. (4) No error.

56. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has' .
Here 'man' is singular noun so it will take singular verb.

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57. (1) Replace 'factor' with 'factors'.
'One of' is followed by Plural Noun and Singular Verb.

58. (2) Replace 'differ' with 'differs'.
Here the subject is singular so it will take singular verb.

59. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
'Each of' is followed by plural Noun and Singular Verb.

60. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Here 'Politics' is a singular noun so it will agree with singular verb.

61. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
'A tale of two cities' is the name of singular book so it will take singular verb.

62. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has'
Structure:
Neither of+Plural Noun + Singular Verb.

63. (1) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Here 'company' is singular Noun so it will take singular verb.

64. (1) Replace 'come' with comes.
A singular subject (television set) takes with singular verb.

65. (2) Replace 'their' with 'your'. 'Each of you' will take possessive adjective 'your'.

66. (2) Replace 'design' with 'designs'.
'One of' is followed by singular verb.

67. (2) Replace 'woman' with 'women' because here subject (woman) is singular while the remaining sentence talks about plural noun.

68. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
When two or more nouns are joined by 'as well as', the verb agrees with the first subject. Here the first subject is singular so it will take singular verb.

69. (2) Replace 'don't' with 'doesn't'. The 'U.S' is a single country.

70. (3) Replace 'is subject to' with 'are subjected to' because the main subject is plural and so it will take plural verb. The sentence is in Passive Voice.

71. (3) Replace 'appears' with 'appear' because short stories and poems are joined by 'and' are Plural. Plural verb will follow.

72. (2) Replace 'disease' with 'diseases'.
'One of' is followed by 'Plural Noun'.

73. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has' because here first subject is singular.
Rule: If two subjects are joined by 'along with' the verb agrees with first subject.

74. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Rule: Neither of + Plural Noun + Singular verb.

75. (2) Replace 'play' with 'plays'.
Rule: Each of + Plural Noun + Singular verb.

76. (2) Replace 'was' with 'were'.
When two Noun or Pronouns are connected by 'either ... or', 'neither ... nor', the verb agrees with the nearest subject.
Here the nearest subject (parents) is plural so it will take plural verb.

77. (1) Replace 'is' with 'are'.
Here the main subject 'Police' is plural noun so it will take plural verb.

78. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was' because money is an uncountable noun so it will take singular verb.

79. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'.

80. (2) Replace 'player' with 'players'.
'One of' is followed by Plural Noun.

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81. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was' because 'An old man' is singular Noun so it will take singular verb.

82. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was' because 'every' takes singular verb with it.

83. (1) Replace 'does' with 'do' because here the main subject is plural so it will take plural verb.

84. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' because in this sentence 'the behaviour' is the main subject which is uncountable hence will take singular verb with it.

85. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'. Everyone, Everybody takes singular verb with it.

86. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' because a singular subject always takes singular verb. Here 'the box' is a singular countable Noun.

87. (1) Replace 'has' with 'have'.

88. (3) Replace 'habit' with 'habits'.
'One of' is followed by Plural Noun.

89. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was' because here the main subject is singular so it will take singular verb.

90. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Rule: One of + Plural Noun + singular verb.

91. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' because 'The Arabian Nights' is the name of a singular book.

92. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was' because 'neither of' is followed by plural noun and singular verb.

93. (2) Replace 'have' with 'has' because here the main subject is 'many a man' which is singular so it will take singular verb.

94. (1) 'Knowledge and wisdom' are two different things so plural verb will follow.
Hence replace 'makes' with 'make'.

95. (2) Here, 'of innumerable biographies' should be used. 'Innumerable' means 'too many to be counted'.

96. (3) Replace 'follow' with 'follows' because here the main subject (man) is singular so it will take singular verb.

97. (4) Change 'move' into 'moves'.
Universal truth always comes in Simple Present Tense and singular subject takes singular verb.

98. (4) No error

99. (2) When 'what' is the subject of a sentence, it takes singular verb with it. Hence replace 'make' with makes'.

100. (2) Replace 'contain' with 'contains' because the subject (Africa) is singular.

101. (2) Here subject (individual) is singular hence it will take singular verb. Replace 'are' with 'is'.

102. (1) Here word 'convict' is used for 'Prisoners who have been found guilty' so it must be in Plural form.
Replace 'convict' with convicts'.

103. (2) Replace 'has' with 'have'.
Rule: Three – fourths + Plural countable noun + Plural verb.

104. (4) No error

105. (4) No error

106. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'.
Each of + Plural Noun + Singular verb.

107. (3) Change 'one and a half centuries' into 'one century and a half'.

108. (1) Replace 'canon' with 'canons'.
'Some of' is followed by Plural Noun/Pronoun if 'some' is used with Countable Noun.

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109. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was' because 'group' is a Collective Noun and Collective Noun takes singular verb with it.

110. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was' because when two Nouns/Pronouns are joined by neither ... nor, the verb agrees with the nearest subject.
Here the nearest subject (colour) is singular so it will take singular verb.

111. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' because 'neither of' is followed by Plural Noun and Singular Verb

112. (4) Replace 'were' with 'was' because 'everyone' is followed by Singular Verb.

113. (2) Replace 'his' with 'their' because here the object (animals) is plural so it will take plural possessive adjective (their).

114. (2) Replace 'was' with 'were' because 'Team' is considered plural here. We are talking about the players here taking their respective position here.

115. (1) Replace 'play' with 'plays' because here the main subject (the media) is taken as singular though it is plural of noun 'medium'.

116. (2) No error

117. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' because here subject (the playground) is singular. A singular subject always takes Singular Verb.

118. (2) Replace 'want' with 'wants' because here the main subject 'man' is singular and will take Singular Verb.

119. (4) Change 'is' into 'are'
"Whereabouts' is Plural.

120. (1) Replace 'is' with 'are' because here the main subject is 'thoughts' which is plural. A plural subject takes plural verb.

121. (1) Replace 'the riches' with 'the rich'.

122. (3) Replace 'his' with 'their' because 'Relative Pronoun' is followed by verb and adjective that agree to the antecedent of the Relative Pronoun.

123. (2) Here 'die a temporary death' should be used.

124. (2) Replace 'give' with 'gives' because here the main subject is singular hence will take singular verb.

125. (4) Replace 'is foolish' with 'is a fool'.
Because here Noun is required not an adjective.

126. (2) Replace 'are' with 'is' when two nouns are joined by 'or', it takes Singular Verb.

127. (4) Replace 'scientist' with 'scientists'.

128. (4) 'Many a' is used with 'singular noun'.

129. (3) If the subject is singular, the verb must be singular.
Use 'requires' in place of 'require' as the main subject is 'driving'.

130. (3) Here the subject is 'average age', and it is singular hence it will take singular verb (is). So replace 'are' with 'is'.

131. (4) No error

132. (1) If 'of ' is used after each, every, one, etc, the noun or pronoun that comes immediately after 'of' will be in plural in form. Hence replace 'state' with 'states'.

133. (3) If the subject is joined by 'as well as', 'with', 'along with' 'together with', etc, the verb will agree with the first subject. Thus 'have' will be replaced by 'has'.

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134. (2) In this sentence the subject is 'The unique selling proposition' and it is singular hence it will take singular verb. So replace 'are' with 'is'.

135. (2) If 'of' is used after each, every, one, etc., the noun or pronoun that comes immediately after 'of' will be plural in form. However the verb, pronoun, adjective, etc., that comes in the latter part of the sentence will be singular in form.

Ex: One of the $\underbrace{\text{boys}}_{\text{Plural Noun}}$ $\underbrace{\text{has}}_{\text{S.V.}}$ done $\underbrace{\text{his}}_{\text{S.A.}}$ work.

Hence replace '$\underbrace{\text{have}}_{\text{Plural verb}}$' with '$\underbrace{\text{has}}_{\text{Singular verb}}$'.

136. (2) 'Period' being a singular noun will take a singular verb.

137. (3) If the subject is joined with 'along with', the verb will agree with the first subject. Here the first subject (my brother) is singular and so it will take singular verb (is). Replace 'are' with 'is'.

138. (2) Here the main subject (seizure) is singular hence the verb that follows should also be singular. Replace 'have' with 'has'.

139. (3) Rule: If the subject is joined by 'as well as', 'with', 'along with', 'together with' etc, the verb will agree with the first subject.

Here the first subject is singular hence verb used should also be singular. Hence replace 'are' with 'is'.

- Also the sentence is in passive voice. Thus 'send' will be replaced by (V_3) 'sent'.

140. (1) Replace 'know' with 'knows'. 'Neither of' takes singular verb.

141. (2) 'Some of' is used for plural noun. Hence replace 'Business Magnate' with 'Business Magnates'. 'Magnate' means 'an influential business man'.

142. (3) Here the subject (a variety) is singular hence it will agree with singular verb (distracts). Replace 'distract' with 'distracts'.

143. (2) 'Lawns in front' is the correct use

144. (4) No error

145. (2) Use 'needs (S.V)' for hall (S.S).

146. (2) Change 'work' into 'working'.

147. (2) Replace 'is' with 'are'. Most of its cars will take plural verb.

148. (2) Replace 'writer' with 'writers'. Use plural noun after 'one of'.

149. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'. Verb agree to the 1st subject if the conjunction is 'along with'.

150. (2) Replace 'sing' with 'sings'. Each takes singular verb.

151. (1) Replace 'are' with 'is'. Moon (singular noun) takes singular verb.

152. (4)

153. (3) Replace 'have' with 'has'. Investment (singular noun) will take singular verb.

154. (3) Change 'are' into 'is' because 'the number of' denotes the number, hence it will take singular verb.

155. (1) Change 'have' into 'has' because after 'Many a/an' + singular countable noun in followed by singular verb.

156. (1) Change 'have' into 'has' because 'every', takes singular verb.

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157. (3) Change 'have' into 'has' because the antecedent of relative pronoun 'who' is my sister-in-law which is singular so the verb should be singular.

158. (2) Change 'player' into 'players' because 'one of' is followed by a plural noun/pronoun.

159. (4)

160. (4) No error.

161. (3) Use 'was' instead of 'were'.
If the subject is joined by 'as well as', 'with', 'but', 'except', 'like' etc. the verb agrees to the first subject.

162. (3) Replace 'subject' with 'subjects'. 'One of' is followed by plural noun.

163. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'. Behaviour is singular and hence will take singular verb.

164. (3) Replace 'do' with 'does'.

165. (4)

166. (2) Replace 'is' with 'are'.

167. (1) Replace 'has' with 'have'. Men (Plural subject) take plural verb.

168. (2) Replace 'has' by 'have'. Verb follows the nearest subject when joined by neither ... nor.

169. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'. Subject (manager) is singular. When two subjects are joined by alongwith, the verb agrees to the 1st subject.

170. (3) Replace 'was' with 'were'. Subject (animals) is plural.

171. (2) Replace 'seems (singular)' with 'seem (plural)'. Subject (chances) is plural.

172. (4) Replace 'is' with 'are'. A number of takes plural noun and plural verb.

173. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was'. Many a takes singular Subject and Singular Verb

174. (4) Replace 'person' with 'persons'. One of takes plural noun.

175. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'. The verb agrees to the nearest subject if connected by 'neither ... nor'.

176. (4) Replace 'are' with 'is'. The verb agrees to the nearest subject (here- Nikunj) if joined by 'neither ... or'.

177. (3) Replace 'was' with 'were'. 'Sisters' will take plural verb.

178. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was'. If two subjects are joined by with, the verb agrees to the 1st subject.

179. (4) Replace 'are' with 'is'. If two subjects are joined by 'as well as', the verb agrees to the 1st subject.

180. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was'. Flock will take singular verb.

181. (3) Replace 'was' with 'were'. Pandas -plural noun.

182. (1) Replace 'is' with 'are'. Follicles will take plural verb.

183. (1) Replace 'describe' with 'describes'.

184. (2) Replace 'admits' with 'admit'. x% of plural noun takes plural verb.

185. (1) Replace 'has' with 'have'. All countries will take plural verb.

186. (3) Replace 'distort (v_1)' with 'distorts. Economic inequality will take singular verb.

187. (2) Replace 'write (v_1)' with 'writes'. Prema will take singular verb.

188. (1) Replace 'are' with 'is'. 'Box' takes singular verb.

189. (3) Replace 'know' with 'knows'. Sunita will take singular verb.

190. (3) Replace 'were' with 'was'. List will take singular verb.

191. (1) Replace 'are' with 'is'. If two subjects are joined by 'neither ... nor', the verb follows the nearest subject.

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192. (4) Replace 'subject' with 'subjects'. One of + plural noun. 'One of' is followed by plural noun.

193. (2) If 'of' is used after each, every one etc, the noun or pronoun that comes immediately after 'of' will be plural in form.
Change 'Cyclone' into 'cyclones'.

194. (2) Use 'was' instead of 'were'. Because every is singular.

195. (3) Replace 'is' with are
If a subject and the verb are joined by relative pronoun, the verb will agree to the antecedent to the relative pronoun.

196. (3) Replace 'is' with 'are'. 'Places' a plural noun will take plural verb.

197. (2) Verb will be singular because the subject 'valley' is singular. Change 'look' into 'looks'.

198. (1) Each of + Definite article + plural noun takes singular verb.

199. (3) Replace 'are' with 'is'.
Verb agrees to the first subject if conjunction is 'as well as'.

200. (2) Place 'Had' after 'her mother'. The senten is not interrogative.

201. (1) A plural number taken as a singular unit takes singular verb.

202. (1) Use 'reveals' in place of 'reveal'. Length a singular noun takes singular verb.

203. (1) Use 'was' in place of 'were'. The verb agrees with first subject. If conjunction is 'alongwith'.

204. (2) One of takes plural noun. Change 'artist' into 'artists'.

205. (1) Subject 'many modes' is plural so, 'are' will be used in place of 'is'.

206. (2) The main subject 'cost' is singular. Hence 'has' will come in place of 'have'.

207. (3) Add 'ones' after 'young'.

208. (4) Remove 'apostrophe and s'.

209. (1) Change 'when' into 'but'.

210. (4) Replace 'bring' with 'brings'. Birth (S.N) takes S.V.

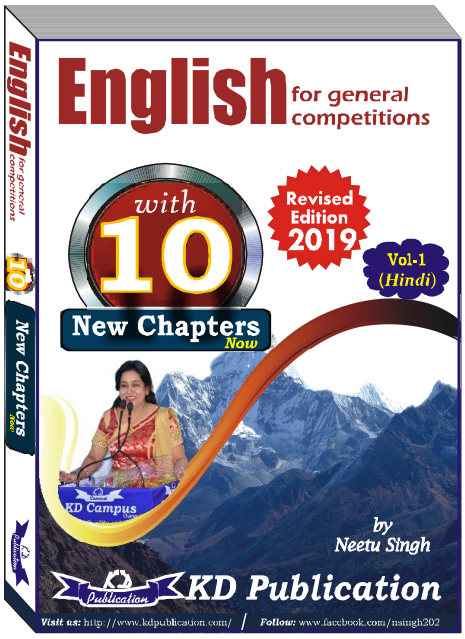
211. (2) Replace 'forget' with 'forgets'. A politician (S.N) takes S.V.

212. (2) Replace 'imply (Plural)' with 'implies (Singular Verb)'. Organizing world cup is a singular noun.

213. (2) Replace 'aspires(Singular verb)' with 'aspire(Plural verb)'. Youngesters will take plural verb.

214. (1) Replace 'aren't' with 'isn't'. House is singular noun and will take singular verb.

215. (4) Replace 'were' with 'was'. 'Shatranj ke Khilari' is a singular noun (name of a film).



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Verb Advance

1. Visitors (1)/ were not permitted (2)/ entering the park (3)/ after dark. No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 16.11.2003)

2. Having broken down (1)/the driver sent the car (2)/to the garage. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 31.7.2005)

3. You should avoid (1)/ to travel (2)/in the rush hour (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

4. He denied (1)/ to have (2)/ been there (3)/. No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 12.11.2006)

5. I meant nothing (1)/ less than (2)/ to compel you to come. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 30.09.2007 (Second Sitting)

6. Being (1)/ a rainy day (2)/ I could not go out. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

7. Standing at (1)/ the top of the hill, (2)/ the houses below were hardly visible. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) Exam. 10.12.2006)

8. I suggest that (1)/ he goes (2)/ to the doctor as soon as he returns from the examination. (3)/No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

9. In spite of the roadblock (1)/ the guards allowed us (2)/ enter the restricted area to search for our friends. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

10. The fact of me (1)/ being a stranger (2)/ does not excuse his conduct. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 14.12.2008)

11. A cup of coffee (1)/ is an excellent complement (2)/ to smoked salmon. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam.16.05.2010 (First Sitting)

12. A senior doctor (1)/ expressed concern (2)/ about physician's recommended the vaccine. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (First Sitting)

13. I hope to go to shopping (1)/ this weekend (2)/ if the weather permits. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

14. The lawyer asked (1)/ if it was worth to take (2)/ the matter to court. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (Second Sitting)

15. The girls watched intently (1)/ as the model applied her make-up (2)/ with a practiced hand. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. 28.08.2011 (Paper-I)

16. Due to me being a new comer (1)/ I was unable (2)/ to get a good house (3)/. No error (4)

FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 25.02.2012 (Paper-I) North Zone (Ist Sitting)

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17. I remember (1)/ meet him/ (2) five years ago. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.11.2010 (IInd Sitting)

18. Several guests noticed Mr. Sharma (1)/collapsing in his chair (2)/ and gasping for breath. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

19. Get this book (1)/ be published (2)/ in time. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

20. I am going (1)/ to have this certificate (2)/ attest by the Director. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (IInd Sitting (North Zone)

21. Students are prohibited (1)/ to bring cycles (2)/ into the college. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (Delhi Zone)

22. He has (1)/ a large family (2)/ to care. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 11.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

23. You should have used the money (1)/ for paying your debts (2)/ instead of buy a motor cycle. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (Ist Sitting))

24. Being very dark, (1)/ the visitors found it difficult (2)/ to locate the switch. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

25. Being a rainy day (1)/ we didn't (2)/ go out. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

26. Having deprived of their houses (1)/ in the recent earthquake (2)/ they had no other option but to take shelter in a school. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Delhi Police Sub-Inspector (SI) Exam. 19.08.2012)

27. Her mother does not approve of (1)/ her to go to the party (2)/ without dressing formally. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

28. Riding across the battle field (1)/ the famous Bhishm (2)/ saw a large number of dead warriors. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012, Ist Sitting)

29. Being a holiday (1)/ we went out (2)/ for a picnic. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.05.2013)

30. His father would (1)/ rather die than (2)/ to beg from door to door. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

31. Much harassed (1)/ he left hostel (2)/ bag and baggage. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam–2013, 27.04.2014)

32. Water contamination has become more serious (1)/ since chemists have begun to use (2)/ new substances. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

33. For testing (1)/ the new microphone, (2)/ I tried to record my voice. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

34. The hurrying crowds (1)/ of people past (2)/ each other amazed him. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

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35. He couldn't but help (1)/ shed tears at the plight of the villagers (2)/ rendered homeless by a devastating cyclone.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

36. Hearing these strange noise above, the thought at once occurred to me that thieves had entered the house.

(1) No error
(2) the thought at once occurred to me
(3) that thieves had entered the house
(4) Hearing these strange noises above

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 21.06.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 8037731)

37. Several guests noticed Mr. Sharma falling back in his chair and gasping for breath.

(1) falling back in his chair
(2) Several guests noticed Mr. Sharma
(3) and gasping for breath
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 2176783)

38. Being a very cold I could not go out for a morning walk.

(1) for a morning walk
(2) No error
(3) Being a very cold
(4) I could not go out

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

39. After he was caught cheating he was disqualified to appear at the examination.

(1) After he was caught cheating
(2) he was disqualified
(3) to appear at the examination
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam, 30.08.2015)

40. I forbid you not to go there again.

(1) there again (2) No error
(3) not to go (4) I forbid you

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

41. My wife, having finish her work (1)/ rushed to meet me (2)/ at the event. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 6636838)

42. She made the child to study hard.

(1) study hard (2) No Error
(3) She made (4) the child

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 1375232)

43. It is painful to saw that some youngsters are killing time without doing anything useful.

(1) some youngsters are
(2) killing time without doing anything useful.
(3) No error
(4) It is painful to saw that

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 20.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 9692918)

44. I knew the town well (1)/ so I was able (2)/ to advice him where to go. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

45. Due to me being new (1)/ to the city, I had (2)/ difficulty in finding a job. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 15th Jan, Evening

46. There is no question (1)/ of me failing (2)/ in the examination. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 16th Jan, Morning

47. Being occupied with (1)/ work, father had no (2)/ time to see us (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 17th Jan, Morning

48. Visitors to the zoo (1)/ are amused by the monkeys (2)/ play in the cages. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 17th Jan, Morning

49. Another change that (1)/ I notice in her is that she (2)/ avoids to speak to me (3)/ No error

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SSC CHSL-2016
19th Jan, Afternoon

50. Being a sunny day (1)/ I decided to stay at home (2)/ and take a nap. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
21st Jan, Afternoon

51. Being in awe of them, (1)/ the young man followed (2)/ their direction to a tee (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
27th Jan, Afternoon

52. I am sorry worrying you (1)/ of my troubles (2)/ but I could not help. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
27th Jan, Evening

53. In spite of (1)/ her irritation, she (2)/ couldn't help smile. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(3rd February, Evening)

54. I always enjoy (1)/ to read (2)/ books (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(7th September, Morning)

55. They are looking forward (1)/ to meet (2)/ their parents (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Morning)

56. I'd like a bike in commuting to work.
(1) I'd like
(2) a bike
(3) in commuting to work.
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

57. It was very unfortunate of him to have lost the battle.
(1) It was
(2) very unfortunate
(3) him to have
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

58. Intrigued by this (1)/ problem, I began search (2)/ for a solution. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

59. We hope devotees will (1)/ participate in the event and (2)/ get spiritually benefit. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Morning

60. Once you graduate (1)/ get a job (2)/ would be easier (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

61. I decided (1)/ to climbed to the (2)/ top of the hill (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Evening

62. Scientists intended (1)/ to reintroduce and conserve grey wolves (2)/ in their original habitats. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

63. Jayan woke up have a sore throat and by evening his voice had disappeared.
(1) woke up
(2) by
(3) had disappeared
(4) have

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Morning

64. A few years back, I used to have complaints regarding the night shifts but now I am used to work in nights
(1) I used to have
(2) work in nights
(3) A few years back
(4) regarding

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

65. You need not to worry about money.
(1) need (2) you
(3) about money (4) not to worry

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

66. She doesn't have any dressing sense.
(1) doesn't
(2) have any
(3) She
(4) dressing sense

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

67. Yesterday, the farmer in Hathras rounded up about 25 abandoning cows and bulls and took them to a dairy in a truck.
(1) rounded up
(2) about 25 abandoning cows
(3) the farmers
(4) took them to a dairy

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STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Evening

68. Dwarf galaxies have to hold clues that could help us to understand better the nature of dark matter.
(1) dark matter
(2) to understand better
(3) have to hold
(4) could help us

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

69. The landlady made me changing the design of the kitchen three times.
(1) the design
(2) made me
(3) changing
(4) of the kitchen

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Evening

70. He was surprised at me refusing his offer.
(1) He was
(2) at me refusing his offer
(3) his offer
(4) surprised

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Evening

71. No sooner he had left the house than there was a phone call for him.
(1) No sooner
(2) he had left
(3) for him
(4) than there was

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
13 March, 2019 Evening

72. Scarcely she had heard the news when she fainted.
(1) she fainted
(2) when
(3) heard the news
(4) Scarcely she had

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Morning

73. Hardly he had stepped out of the house when a tree fell on the roof.
(1) out of
(2) Hardly he had
(3) when a tree
(4) fell on the roof

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Evening

74. She forgot lock(1)/the door when she(2)/went out in a hurry.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
7th June, 2019 Morning

75. Having just(1)/taking a heavy lunch,(2)/she was not ready to have any fruit.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
12th June, 2019 Evening

76. You may(1)/the class(2)/when completed the test.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
13th June, 2019 Afternoon

77. I'm going to the airport to receives my friend.
(1) my friend
(2) to the airport
(3) to receives
(4) I'm going

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

78. I use to going for a morning walk when I was living in Dehradun.
(1) living in Dehradun
(2) for a morning walk
(3) when I was
(4) use to going

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

79. He switched on the TV to listening to the speech of the PM on the Independence Day.
(1) He switched on the TV
(2) of the PM
(3) to listening to the speech
(4) on the Independence Day.

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

80. Two American cities, witnessed shooting and resulting in mass fatalities over the weekend.
(1) over the weekend
(2) Two American cities
(3) witnessed shooting
(4) and resulting in mass fatalities

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'entering' with 'to enter'. To show purpose 'to + infinitive' is used'.

2. (1) From the given structure it seems that 'the driver was broken down' which is wrong. Hence the correct structure should be as follows:
The car having broken down, the driver sent the car to the garage.

3. (2) Replace 'to travel' with 'travelling'. 'Avoid' is followed by a gerund (-ing form).

4. (2) Replace 'to have' with 'having'. After 'deny' if any verb comes it is used in gerund form.

5. (3) Replace 'to compel' with 'compelling'. 'Than' is followed by 'V_1 + ing'.

6. (1) Add 'it' before 'being' a rainy day or 'I' will become the subject of the 1st part of the sentence and then the sentence will have wrong meaning.

7. (1) Add 'As I was' before 'standing' else 'the houses' become the subject of the 1st part too which gives a wrong meaning to the sentence.

8. (2) Replace 'goes' with 'go'. Here 'go' is a suggestion not a routine action, hence 'he go' is the correct form.

9. (3) Replace 'enter' with 'to enter'.

10. (1) Replace 'me' with 'my'. When a pronoun is followed by a gerund, it comes in possessive form.

11. (4) No error

12. (3) Replace 'recommended' with 'recommending'. After possessive adjective gerund is used.

13. (1) Replace 'go to shopping' with 'go shopping'.

14. (2) Replace 'worth to take' with 'worth taking'. After 'worth' V_{ing} comes.

15. (3) Replace 'practiced' with 'practised'. A verb is used in V_3 form as an adjective and not a noun.

16. (1) Replace 'due to me being' with 'due to my being'. Generally when a pronoun comes before a gerund, it is used in Possessive form.

17. (2) Replace 'meet' with 'meeting'. After 'remember' gerund is used.

18. (4) No error

19. (2) Remove 'be'. After causative verb 'get', V_3 comes.

20. (3) 'attested' will replace 'attest'. Here 'have' is a causative verb that takes V_3 after it.

21. (2) Replace 'to bring' with 'from bringing'.

22. (3) Replace 'to care' with 'to care for'.
* If a noun is immediately followed by a 'to + infinitive' the suitable preposition is used after it.

23. (3) Replace 'buy' with 'buying'. After preposition '-ing' form of verb is used.

24. (1) If we won't put a subject in first part of the sentence, 'the vistor' will become the subject of 'being very dark' and give the wrong meaning. Hence we should put 'it' before 'being very dark'. The sentence should read as:
'It being very dark ...

25. (1) Replace 'Being a rainy day' with 'It being a rainy day'
* See explanation of 24.

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26. (1) 'Perfect Participle' is used when the 1st action has already finished before the 2nd starts. Here we need Passive Voice. 'Having been deprived ...

27. (2) Replace 'to go' with 'going'. A preposition is always followed by a gerund.

28. (2) 'Bhism' a proper noun will not take article 'the'.

29. (1) Replace 'Being a holiday' with 'It being a holiday'. If we wont' put a subject in the first part of the sentence 'we' will become the subject of 'being a holiday' and will give the wrong meaning to the sentence.

Hence replace 'being a holiday' with 'it being a holiday'.

30. (3) Replace 'to beg' with 'beg'. After 'rather than' bare infinitive will come to balance 'die' see rule of Parallelism.

31. (1) 'Harassed' is an Adjective so it must qualify a Noun. But, here it isn't qualifying anything. Hence, 'having been' will be placed before 'much' to make it a correct statement.

32. (2) Replace 'to use' with 'using' because after 'began' if any verb comes it is used in Gerund form

33. (1) Replace 'for testing' with 'to test'. To show purpose 'to + infinitive' is used.

34. (2) Replace 'of people pass' with 'of people passing'. 'Each other' change into 'one another'.

35. (1) Replace 'couldn't but help with' couldn't help but'. After preposition '-ing' form of verb is used.

36. (4) The strange noises were coming from above not heard above. The appropriate starting will be 'Hearing these strong noise coming from above'.

37. (4) No error

38. (3) Replace 'being a very cold' with 'it being a very cold'.

See explanation of 24.

39. (3) Replace 'to appear' with 'from appearing'.

40. (3) Replace 'not to go' with 'from going there' or 'to go there'.

'Forbid' means 'order someone not to do something'. (मना करना). Forbid, deny, prohibit etc do not take 'not'.

41. (1) Replace 'having finish' with 'having finished'. After 'having' V_3 is used.

42. (1) Replace 'to study' with 'study'. After causative verb 'made' bare infinitive (V_1) is used.

43. (4) Replace 'to saw' with 'to see'. After 'to', V_1 is used.

44. (3) Replace 'to advice' with 'to advise'. After 'to' V_1 is used. Here advice is noun whereas advise is verb.

45. (1) Here 'being' is a Gerund and possessive adjective comes before a Gerund. Change 'me' into 'my'.

46. (2) Possessive case of pronouns is used before gerunds. Hence replace 'me' with 'my'. 'Me' is objective case of pronoun 'I'.

47. (4) No error

48. (3) 'Play' will change into – 'Playing'.

49. (3) These are certain verbs which is commonly followed by gerund.

e.g. admit, advise, avoid, consider, delay .... etc. Change 'to speak' into 'speaking'.

50. (1) If 'It' is not mentioned before 'being', 'I' will automatically

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become the subject of 'sunny day' and will give a wrong meaning to the sentence. Hence add 'It' before 'being'.

51. (4) 'To a tee' means perfectly.

52. (1) Structure:

sorry + for/ about + V ing } **for past actions**
sorry + to have + V_3 }

sorry + to + V_1 } **for present action**

In Part A

Replace 'sorry worrying you' with 'sorry for worrying you'.

In Part B

Replace 'of my trouble' with 'with my trouble'.

53. (3) If after 'can't help' any verb comes, it takes present participle form. So replace 'smile' with 'smiling'.

54. (2) After 'enjoy' Gerund is used. Hence replace 'to read' with 'reading'.

55. (2) After preposition Gerund is used. Hence replace 'meet' with 'meeting'.

56. (3) Replace 'in commuting' with 'to commute'.

57. (4)

58. (2) Change 'Search' into 'to search' or 'Searching' because both 'Gerund' and 'Infinitive' can be used after begin.

59. (3) Change 'benefit' inot 'benefitted' because 'get' is followed by V_3.

60. (2) Replace 'get' with 'getting'. Here we need a Gerund.

61. (2) Replace 'Climbed' with 'Climb'. We use bare form of verb after 'to'.

62. (4)

63. (4) Replace 'have (V^1)' with 'having (participle)'.

64. (2) Replace 'work' with 'working'. is/are/am + used to (habituated) V_1 + ing.

65. (4) Remove 'to'. need not takes base form of verb.

66. (4) Change 'dressing sense' into 'dress sense'.

67. (3) Replace 'abandoning' with 'abandoned' (जिसे त्याग दिया गया हो). We need past participle (V_3) here.

68. (3) Here 'have to' is unnecessary.

69. (3) Replace 'changing' with 'change'. Make + V_1. Make when used as a causative verb is followed by Bare Infinitive (base form of verb)

70. (2) Replace 'me' with 'my'. Gerund (here- refusing) is preceded by possessive Adjective.

71. (2) Replace 'he had' with 'had he'. No sooner + auxiliary verb + subject. (See 'Negative Introductory Sentence' in Inversion)

72. (4) Replace 'she had' with 'had she'. Scarcely is followed by Inversion if the sentence starts with scarcely.

73. (2) Replace 'he had' with 'had he'. Hardly is followed by Inversion.

74. (1) Forgot to lock the door is the correct formation.

75. (2) Having is followed by V_3. Change 'taking' into 'taken'.

76. (1) Use 'leave' in place of 'left'. Modal takes base form of verb.

77. (3) Replace 'to receives' with 'to receive'. 'To' is followed by base form of verb.

78. (4) Replace 'use to going' with 'used to go'. For 'Past Routine', S+used to + base form of verb is used.

79. (3) Replace 'listening' with 'listen'. To takes base form of verb.

80. (4) Replace 'and resulting in' with 'that resulted'.

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NOUN

1. My sister (1)/has read (2)/pages after pages of the Bible. (3)/ No Error. (4)

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2. The Prime Minister was asked (1)/ to write a forward (2)/ to the book. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

3. The long-distance train (1)/ which met with an accident (2)/ was carrying some army personal. /(3) No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

4. The young men from Japan (1)/ found the assent of the mountain (2)/ hard going. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 11.12.2005)

5. The items I liked most (1)/were the rosewood carvings (2)/and the teak-wood furnitures of Dutch design (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Statistical Investigators Grade-IV Exam. 13.08.2006)

6. When the football team walked onto the field (1)/ the crowd burst into applause, (2)/ but some cheers were heard too. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Section Officer (Commercial Audit) Exam. 26.11.2006 (Second Sitting)

7. The lawyer asked the complainant (1)/ to put his sign (2)/ on the paper. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 25.11.2007)

8. The beautiful (1)/ surrounding of the place (2)/ enchanted me. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

9. No porter being available (1)/ he carried (2)/ all his luggages himself. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Section Officer (Audit) November 2008)

10. The table's legs (1)/ have been (2)/ elaborately carved. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

11. The sceneries (1)/ of Kashmir (2)/ is very charming. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Tax Assistant (Income Tax & Central Excise) Exam. 29.03.2009)

12. A few tiles on skylab (1)/ were the only equipments (2)/ that failed to perform well in outer space.(3)/ No error (4).

(SSC SAS Exam. 26.06.2010 (Paper-I)

13. The clerk was (1)/ not intimidated by (2)/ his boss's bullying (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (South Zone) Investigators Exam. 12.09.2010)

14. This misogynist hates (1)/ all mother-in-laws, (2)/ woman-doctors and house maids (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (South Zone) Investigators Exam. 12.09.2010)

15. I (1)/ have (2)/ many works to do. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 19.06.2011 (First Sitting)

16. The company has ordered (1)/ some (2)/ new equipments. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Combined Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 26.06.2011 (First Sitting)

17. I like (1)/ the poetries (2)/ of Byron and Shelley. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010)

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18. The Manager put forward (1)/ a number of critereons/ (2) for the post. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Higher Secondary Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.11.2010 (Ist Sitting)

19. The furnitures (1)/ had become (2)/ old and rusty. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

20. Most people (1)/ are afraid of (2)/ swine flu these days. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer (Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 09.01.2011)

21. There are (1)/ no poetries (2)/ in my book.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (North Zone)

22. That house (1)/is built of (2)/ stones. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (North Zone)

23. Santosh lives (1)/ by the principals (2)/ he professes.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (North Zone)

24. There is (1)/ no place of you (2)/ in this compartment. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 16.09.2012)

25. Last week's sharp hike in the wholesale price of beef (1)/ is a strong indication for (2)/ higher meat costs to come. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. Paper-II 04.08.2011)

26. They are standing (1)/ at the gate of the auditorium (2)/ as there is no place inside. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CPO (SI, ASI & Intelligence Officer Exam. Paper-II 28.08.2011)

27. We get (1)/ excellent furnitures (2)/ in this shop. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

28. We should arrange (1)/ for a porter as (2)/ the luggages are heavy. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 21.10.2012 (2nd Sitting))

29. Hari lost (1)/ a hundred rupees note (2)/ yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 28.10.2012 (1st Sitting)

30. Speakers after speakers (1)/ came on the stage (2)/ to perform.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

31. On receiving the mark-sheet from the University (1)/ I realised (2)/ that I had got only passing marks in English.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Exam. 11.11.2012 (2nd Sitting)

32. Some of his (1)/ luggages was lost (2)/ in the train. (3)/ No Error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, IInd Sitting)

33. An emminent surgeon (1)/ is visiting the hospital (2)/ to attend a surgeons' conference. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

34. Books fair (1)/ encourage (2)/ reading habit. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

35. I bought (1)/ two (2)/ slippers. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Constable (GD) Exam. 12.05.2013)

36. The paintings of natural sceneries (1)/ are selling (2)/ like hot cakes. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

37. You shall get (1)/ all the informations (2)/ if you read this book carefully. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-II Exam. 29.09.2013)

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38. My father gave me (1)/ a pair of binocular (2)/ on my birthday. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 20.10.2013)

39. Eighty–five thousand rupees (1)/ is a large sum of money (2)/ to earn in a month. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 10.11.2013, Ist Sitting)

40. The cattles (1)/ are grazing (2)/ in the fields. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

41. When I was passing through the forest (1)/ I happened to see (2)/ a number of deers.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff (Patna) Exam. 16.02.2014)

42. Many persons must have read(1)/The Arabian Nights', (2)/which is very interesting. (3)/No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

43. The new device (1)/ aims at eliminating (2)/ the risk of short - circuiting. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 26.10.2014)

44. Shakespeare has written(1)/ many plays (2)/as well as some poetries. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 09.11.2014)

45. In India, hill stations (1)/ usually have (2)/ beautiful sceneries. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, Patna Region : Ist Sitting)

46. In these days of inflation (1)/ a ten rupees note will not buy you/ (2) even an ordinary meal. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014)

47. The first inning (1)/ of the match (2)/ was very sensational. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

48. The International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Traffickings is observed on June 26th.

(1) Drug Abuse and Illicit Traffickings
(2) No Error
(3) is observed on June 26th
(4) The International Day against

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

49. Reading is no longer popular among the youthful of today. As the influence of the internet has taken over a very important and active hobby.

(1) among the youthful of today
(2) very important and active hobby
(3) influence of the internet
(4) No Error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam. 12.04.2015)

50. I saw (1)/ two deers (2)/ in the woods. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam. 28.09.2014 (TF No. 482 RN 5)

51. A five–men (1)/ enquiry committee was appointed (2)/ to look into the matter. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014 , Ist Sitting TF No. 333 LO 2)

52. Second hand (1)/ furnitures were(2)/ put to auction.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, IInd Sitting TF No. 545 QP 6)

53. His father (1)/ bought these furnitures (2)/ the day before yesterday. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) DEO & LDC Exam. 16.11.2014, IInd Sitting TF No. 545 QP 6)

54. Bobby learnt the alphabets at the age of two.

(1) No error
(2) age of two
(3) Bobby learnt the
(4) alphabets at the

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 4239378)

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55. I watched how the pianoist used her left hand.
(1) I watched how
(2) the pianoist
(3) No error
(4) used her left hand

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 09.08.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 4239378)

56. It is not advisable to take heavy luggages while on a journey.
(1) to take heavy luggages
(2) while on a journey
(3) No error
(4) It is not advisable

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 3196279)

57. The childrens were happy when the film started.
(1) The childrens
(2) when the film started
(3) No error
(4) were happy

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

58. This is Johns book on the table.
(1) No error (2) Johns book
(3) on the table (4) This is

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

59. It is not advisable to take heavy luggages while on travelling these days.
(1) No error
(2) to take heavy luggages
(3) It is not advisable
(4) while on travelling these days

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

60. Did you hear many news about the political situation while you were in that country ?
(1) about the political situation while you were in that country ?
(2) many news
(3) Did you hear
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

61. The people gathered at the funeral to pay respect.
(1) No error
(2) The people gathered
(3) at the funeral
(4) to pay respect.

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 01.11.2015, IInd Sitting)

62. She always fed (1)/ her childrens (2)/ before she fed her dog. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 7203752)

63. The government (1)/ must provide facilities for the (2)/ upbringing of women. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC (10+2) Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 31.01.2016 TF No. 3513283)

64. The landlord could not (1)/ tell which of the servant (2)/ broke the glass. (3)/ No error (4) .

SSC CHSL-2016 7th Jan, Morning

65. I asked the shopkeeper (1)/ "Do you have change (2)/ for a five hundred rupees note?" (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 8th Jan, Morning

66. Their luggage which were (1)/ kept at the station's (2)/ lockers, was later retrieved. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 8th Jan, Evening

67. The factory complex houses a shop floor (1)/ and 10 cubicles for the staff in an area (2)/ of about thousand squares metres. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 9th Jan, Morning

68. Recently I visited Kerala (1)/ and found the sceneries (2)/ to be breathtaking. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016 10th Jan, Morning

69. The food basket contained (1)/ a dark chocolate, an eclair and a pastry (2)/ neatly wrapped in foil paper. (3)/ No error

SSC CHSL-2016 10th Jan, Afternoon

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70. The shifting task is almost done, (1)/ only the furnitures (2)/ have to be delivered. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
10th Jan, Evening

71. If you are in the wrong gears (1)/ the car won't be (2)/ able to climb the hill. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Afternoon

72. I had invited (1)/ all my sister-in-laws (2)/ to my son's birthday party. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
15th Jan, Evening

73. I express my gratitudes (1)/ to all those who (2)/ have voted for me. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Morning

74. Rehana had everything (1)/ beauties, a good figure, (2)/ and a sweet personality. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
29th Jan, Afternoon

75. For a full week (1)/ she enjoyed the benefits (2)/ of being a big sister. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(1st February, Afternoon)

76. No beggar who comes (1)/ to our doors (2)/ goes back empty handed. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(2nd February, Evening)

77. To the whale, its (1)/ tail is the sole (2)/ mean of propulsion. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(7th February, Morning)

78. All the furnitures (1)/ has been replaced (2)/ by the landlord. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(8th February, Afternoon)

79. Essay writing is an art (1)/ that requires many planning (2)/ on the part of the writer. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(27th August, Evening)

80. He learnt (1)/ the alphabets (2)/ at the age of four. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(30th August, Evening)

81. Vermin (1)/ does much harm (2)/ to crops (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Morning)

82. Every conceivable race and nationality (1)/ had its shared of suffering (2)/ in the world wars (3)/ No Error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(1st September, Evening)

83. The book, being written (1)/ in simple language, is suitable for children (2)/ as it contains many good advices. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(3rd September, Evening)

84. All my hope (1)/ were duped (2)/ and I was plunged in deep sorrow. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(6th September, Morning)

85. It is not possible for me (1)/ to give you the accurate date (2)/ of my departure yet. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(7th September, Evening)

86. The severe cyclonic storm (A)/ has left behind (B)/ a trial of misery (C)/ No Error (D)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Evening)

87. He acted not (1)/as per my advice (2)/ but somebody else (3)/ No error. (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2016

88. The scissors, which are on the table, belongs to Radha.
(1) The scissors, which
(2) are on the table
(3) belongs to Radha.
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

89. If a student needs advices about careers, he or she should consult the careers officer.
(1) he or she should consult

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(2) No error
(3) If a student needs advices about careers,
(4) the Careers officer.

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

90. The lawyer deduced from the existing evidences that the accused was involved in the heinous crime.
(1) in the henious crime
(2) deduced from the existing evidences
(3) accused was involved
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

91. I told him (1)/ the story (2)/ in details to make his understand it fully. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2016

92. Mrs. Gupta invited (1)/ all her daughter-in-laws (2)/ to the grand party last Sunday. (3)/ No error (4).

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 13 Sept., Morning

93. Mr Roy's (1)/ eyes widened (2)/ in surprise. (3)/ no error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

94. I have (1)/ checked this (2)/ month calendar. (3)/ no error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 14 Sept., Morning

95. Aayushi has come (1)/ here to do a master (2)/ degree in Social Work. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Morning

96. There is no money in (1)/ the bank in Rajesh's and (2)/ Reena's joint account. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Morning

97. Can you imagine (1)/ that she has thirty (2)/ five pair of shoes. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Morning

98. Three summons have been (1)/ issued by the district court (2)/ but he has not turned up yet. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
3 July, 2018 Morning

99. Three lakhs of people (1)/ attended the workshop (2)/ held in Ramleela ground. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

100. Ankit cannot (1)/ succeed because (2)/ he labours hard. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

101. Her son has done and (1)/ is still doing excellent (2)/ work for his business. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
7 July, 2018 Evening

102. The furnitures in this shop is very costly.
(1) in this shop
(2) The furnitures
(3) is
(4) very costly

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

103. The function was attended by their three son-in-laws.
(1) The function
(2) was attended
(3) three son-in-laws
(4) by their

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

104. Scientists have discovered a new tree frog species, with an extraordinary, enlarged claw-like structure located at the base of the thumb, that live on a remote tabletop mountain in the Andes.
(1) located at
(2) have discovered
(3) with an extraordinary
(4) live on a remote tabletop mountain

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

105. Baghdad remains a profoundly damaged place, and for all its newness, Dream city echo many of the city's continuing issues.

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(1) continuing issues
(2) a profoundly damaged
(3) newness
(4) echo

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
8 Feb., 2019 Evening

106. I thanked him for his advices.
(1) him (2) I thanked
(3) advices (4) for his

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
12 March, 2019 Morning

107. These stray cattles are roaming around the town.
(1) These
(2) stray cattles
(3) the town
(4) are roaming around

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
14 March, 2019 Evening

108. The chart papers were distributed among all the childrens.
(1) The chart papers
(2) among all
(3) were distributed
(4) the childrens

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

109. There isn't many rice(1)/left in the house so we must(2)/replenish our stock soon.(3)/No error(4).

SSC PRE - 2018
11th June, 2019 Morning

110. The children's are fond of climbing the mango tree in the garden.
(1) climbing the mango tree
(2) are fond of
(3) in the garden
(4) The children's

CHSL-2018
9 July, 2019, Evening

111. I had a hard time paying the driver as I had only hundreds rupee note.
(1) paying the driver
(2) only hundreds rupee note
(3) I had a hard time
(4) as I had

CGL MAINS 2018
11 September, 2019

112. Most of the work of this NGO are of little benefit to the disadvantaged.
(1) Most of the work
(2) of this NGO
(3) to the disadvantaged
(4) are of little benefit

CGL MAINS 2018
12 September, 2019

113. What is the function of the kidney in the body?
(1) in the body
(2) the function of the kidney
(3) What is
(4) No error

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Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'pages after pages' with 'page after page'.
If the same noun comes on the either side of a preposition, the noun will be in singular form.

2. (2) Replace 'forward' with 'foreword'.
'Foreword' means 'preface'.

3. (3) Replace 'personal' with 'personnel'. Here instead of an adjective (personal), plural Noun (Personnel) which means 'staff' should be used.

4. (2) Replace 'assent' with ascent'.
'Ascent' means 'a climb to the summit of a montain' (चढ़ाई, ढाल)

5. (3) Replace 'furnitures' with 'furniture'.
'Furniture' is an uncountable noun so it must be in singular form.

6. (3) Replace 'cheers' with 'abuses'.
Here contrast is evident.

7. (2) Replace 'sign' with 'signature'.
'Sign' is a verb.
'Signature (Noun)' must come after possessive adjective 'his'.

8. (2) Replace 'surrounding' with 'surroundings'. 'Surroundings' when used as a noun is used in plural form.

9. (3) Replace 'luggages' with 'luggage'.
'Luggage' is an uncountable noun so it must be in singular form.

10. (1) Replace 'table's legs' with 'The legs of table'. Apostrophe is not used with non-living things (There are certain exceptions to this rule).

11. (1) Replace 'sceneries' with 'scenery'.
'Scenery' is an uncountable noun so it must be in singular form.

12. (2) Replace 'equipments' with 'equipment'.
'Equipment' is an uncountable noun. An uncountable noun always exists in singular form.

13. (3) Replace 'boss's' with 'boss'. If a plural noun ends in 's/es', 's' is not added while using apostrophe with the plural form and those ending with hissing sound.
Boys' college.
Girls' school.
Boss' bullying.

14. (2) Replace 'mother-in-laws' with 'mothers-in-law'.

15. (3) Replace 'many works' with 'much work' or 'many pieces of work'.
Here 'work' is an uncountable noun.

16. (3) Replace 'equipments' with 'equipment'. 'Equipment' is an uncountable noun so it must be in singular form.

17. (2) Replace 'Poetries' with 'Poetry'.
'Poetry' is an uncountable noun.

18. (2) Replace 'criterions' with 'criteria'.
Criteria (Noun) is plural of criterion.

19. (1) Replace 'furnitures' with 'furniture'.

20. (1) Replace 'most people' with 'most of the people'.

21. (2) Replace 'Poetries' with 'Poetry'.

22. (3) Replace 'stones' with 'stone' .
'Stone' is an Uncountable Noun.

23. (2) Replace 'Principals' with 'Principle'.
'Principle' means 'a basic idea or belief about'.

24. (2) Replace 'place' with 'room'.

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25. (3) Replace 'costs' with 'cost'.

26. (3) Replace 'place' with 'room'.

27. (2) Replace 'furnitures' with 'furniture'.

28. (3) Replace 'luggages' with 'luggage'.

29. (2) Replace 'a hundred rupees note' with 'a hundred rupee note'. Here hundred rupee is used as an adjective to qualify noun 'note'.

30. (1) Replace 'speakers after speakers' with 'speaker after speaker'.
If a preposition comes after a noun and then the same noun is repeated, the noun should be in singular form.

31. (3) Replace 'passing marks' with 'pass marks'.
'Passing marks' is wrong English.

32. (2) Replace 'luggages' with 'luggage'.

33. (1) Replace 'emminent' with 'eminent'. Eminent means '(of a person) famous and respected'. (उत्कृष्ट)

34. (1) Change 'Books fair' into 'Book fairs'.

35. (2) Replace 'two' with 'two pairs of'.

36. (1) Replace 'sceneries' with 'scenery'.
'Scenery' is an Uncountable Noun.

37. (2) Replace 'informations' with 'information'.
'Information' is an uncountable Noun so it must be in singular form.

38. (2) Replace 'binocular' with 'binoculars'.
'Binoculars' always exist in plural form.

39. (4) No error.

40. (1) Replace 'Cattles' with 'cattle'.
'Cattle' always exist in singular form but it has Plural meaning.

41. (3) Replace 'deers' with 'deer'. Deer is a plural noun but it always exists in singular form.

42. (1) Change 'persons' into 'people. For large number we use 'people'.

43. (3) Replace 'short-circuiting' with 'short-circuit'.

44. (3) Replace 'Poetries' with 'Poems'.
'Poetry' is an Uncountable Noun.

45. (3) Replace 'sceneries' with 'scenery'.

46. (2) Replace 'a ten rupees' note with 'a ten rupee'. Here 'ten rupee' is an adjective qualifying a noun 'note'.

47. (1) 'Innings' always exist in plural form but singular in meaning.

48. (3) Change 'June 26th' into 'June 26'.

49. (1) Replace 'youthful' with 'youth'. Here we are talking about young people.

50. (2) Replace 'deers' with 'deer'.
The plural of 'deer' is ... 'deer'.

51. (1) Replace 'Five-men' with 'Five-man'. Hyphenated (-) noun does not have plural form.

52. (2) Replace 'furnitures were' with 'furniture was'. 'Furniture' is an uncountable noun so it always exists in singular form so it takes singular verb.

53. (2) Replace 'furnitures' with 'furniture'.

54. (4) Replace 'alphabets' with 'alphabet'.
'Alphabet' is used in singular form. 'Letters' of a language are collectively called 'alphabet'.

55. (2) Correct spelling is 'Painist'.

56. (1) Replace 'luggages' with 'luggage'.
'Luggage' is an uncountable noun. It always exist in singular form.

57. (1) Replace 'childrens' with 'children'.
'Children' exists in singular form but plural in meaning.

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58. (2) Replace 'Johns' with 'John's'.

59. (2) Replace 'luggages' with 'luggage'. 'Luggage' is uncountable noun. It must be in singular form.

60. (2) Replace 'many' with 'any'.

61. (4) Change 'respect' into 'tribute' or 'homage'.

62. (2) Replace 'childrens' with 'children'.

63. (3) Replace 'upbringing of woman' with 'upbringing of a girl child' or 'uplifting of women'.

64. (2) Rule: Which + of + the + plural noun

Also plural noun is used after 'which of'. Replace 'servant' with 'servants'.

Also 'Tell' is followed by an object but here it has not been.

65. (3) Change 'rupees' into 'rupee'. Here a noun 'rupee' works as an adjective and an Adjective can't be plural.

66. (1) Replace 'were' with 'was' because the main subject 'luggage' is an uncountable noun and it takes singular verb.

67. (3) Correct usage is 'thousand square metres'. Replace 'squares' with 'square' as here it is used as an adjective.

68. (2) 'Scenery' is an uncountable noun, we cannot change it into a plural form by adding 'ies' to it.

69. (2) Change 'a dark chocolate' into 'a bar of dark chocolate'.

70. (2) In Part (2) 'Furniture' is an uncountable noun. We cannot make it plural by adding 's' to it but in part (3) 'have' is used so change'furniture' into 'pieces of furniture'.

71. (1) 'Gear' will replace 'Gears' as you put the car in one gear at one time.

72. (2) Compound nouns are made plural by adding 's' to the main word.

Replace 'sister-in-laws' with 'sisters-in-law'.

73. (1) We cannot add 's/es' at the end of uncountable noun. 'Gratitude' is an uncountable noun. Thus replace 'gratitudes' with 'gratitude'.

74. (2) 'Beauty' can be both adjective and noun. But when it means the quality that makes someone beautiful, it is adjective and hence cannot come is plural form.

75. (3) Change 'a big sister' into 'the elder sister'.

76. (2) Replace 'doors' with 'door'.

77. (3) Change 'mean' into 'means'. It means 'an instrument by which an act can be acconplished.

78. (1) 'Furniture' is uncountable noun. Hence replace 'Furnitures' with 'Furniture'.

79. (2) Replace 'many' with 'much'. Planning being uncountable takes 'much'.

80. (2) 'Alphabet' is not used in plural form.

Replace 'Alphabets' with 'Alphabet'

81. (2) 'Vermin' means 'animals which are believed to be harmful to crops' (E.g. rodents).

'Vermin' is a plural noun so it will agree with plural verb. Thus replace 'does' with 'do'.

82. (2) Replace 'shared' with 'share'. Here we need a noun.

83. (3) 'Advice' being an uncountable noun will take 'much' before it. So replace 'many good advices' with 'much good advice' or 'many good pieces of advice'.

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84. (2) Replace 'were' with 'was'.
85. (2) Replace 'accurate' with 'exact'.
86. (3) 'Cyclone' leaves 'a trail of misery' not 'trial of misery'. Hence replace 'trial' with 'trail'. 'Trail' means 'a series of objects left behind by the passage of someone or something'.
87. (3) Change 'else' into 'else's'.
88. (3) Replace 'belongs' with 'belong'. 'Scissors' a plural noun will take plural verb.
89. (3) Replace 'advices' with 'advice'. 'Advice (सलाह)' is an uncountable noun.
90. (2) Evidence is an uncountable noun. It cannot take plural form.
91. (3) Replace 'details' with 'detail'.
92. (2) Change 'daughter-in-laws' into daughters-in-law' because compound nouns are made plural by adding 's' to the main word.
93. (4) No Error. Verb form of Adjective Wide is 'Widen'. V_2 and V_3 are widened.
94. (3) Replace 'month' with 'month's'.
95. (2) Use 'master's' instead of 'master'.
96. (2) Rajesh and Reena's joint account is correct. Remove 's from Rajesh's. When the possession of two people is on one thing's comes with the 2nd noun.
97. (3) Replace 'pair' by 'pairs'.
98. (1) Plural of 'summons' is 'summones'.
99. (1) The correct structure is 'three lakh people'.
100. (3) Use 'he does not labour hard'.
101. (4) No error.
102. (2) 'furnitures' is wrong. Furniture is uncountable noun and cannot take plural form. 'Pieces of furnitures' in plural form.
103. (3) Replace 'son-in-laws' with 'sons-in-law'.
104. (4) Here species has been used for just one species of a new tree frogs hence 'lives' (S.V) will follow.
105. (4) Baghdad (S.N) will take singular verb echos.
106. (3) Replace 'advices' with 'advice'. Advice is an uncountable noun and cannot take plural form.
107. (2) Replace 'cattles' with 'cattle'. Cattle is a plural noun and hence no 's' is needed.
108. (4) Replace 'childrens' with 'children'. Children is the plural form of Child.
109. (1) 'Much' will come in place of 'many' 'Much' comes with uncountable nouns.
'Many' comes with countable nouns.
110. (4) Remove 'apostrophe s'.
111. (2) Replace 'hundreds rupee note' with 'a hundred rupee note'.
112. (4) Replace 'are' with 'is'. Because 'work' is an uncountable noun.
113. (2) Change 'Kidney' into 'Kidneys'. We have two Kidneys'.

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1. He is a university professor (1)/ but of his three sons (2)/ neither has any merit. (3)/ No error (4)

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2. The poor man (1)/ poisoned him (2)/ and his own children.(3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 20.02.2011)

3. She is one of the (1)/ best mothers (2)/ that has ever lived. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 27.02.2011)

4. John, I and Hari (1)/ have finished (2)/ our studies. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff Exam. 27.02.2011)

5. I am (1)/ your's (2)/ affectionate son.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CISF Constable (GD) Exam. 05.06.2011)

6. Both me (1)/ and my sister (2)/ went to a boarding school. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Stenographer Grade 'C' & 'D' Exam. 16.10.2011)

7. It was him (1)/ who came running (2)/into the classroom. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

8. May I know (1)/ to who (2)/ I am speaking ? (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 04.12.2011 (Ist Sitting (East Zone)

9. If your coming home tomorrow (1)/ let me know at what time (2)/ I can expect you. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

10. He is (1)/ fatter (2)/ than me. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 10.03.2013)

11. I and him (1)/ are (2)/ very good friends. (3)/No error (4).

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

12. I and he (1)/ have prepared (2)/ the lesson thoroughly. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 17.03.2013, Kolkata Region)

13. The boy who studies hard (1)/ he will pass (2)/ with flying colours. (3)/ No error (4)/

(SSC Multi-Tasking Staff Exam. 24.03.2013, Ist Sitting)

14. My uncle forced (1)/ my friend and I (2) to stay back. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC FCI Assistant Grade-III Main Exam. 07.04.2013)

15. Both science and religion (1)/ are necessary for man and for their (2)/ outer and inner self respectively. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Graduate Level Tier-I Exam. 21.04.2013)

16. I and Tina will (1)/ go to the market (2)/ in the evening. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC (10+2) Level Data Entry Operator & LDC Exam. 27.10.2013, IInd Sitting)

17. Rustam and (1)/ myself saw (2)/ the picture. (3)/ No error.(4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 16.02.2014)

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18. There is no agreement (1)/ between you and I (2)/ so we are free to go our way. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC Multi-Tasking (Non-Tech.) Staff Exam. 23.02.2014, IInd Sitting)

19. The ant who was nearby (1)/ walked forward and bit the hunter (2)/ sharply in the ankle. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Re-Exam. (2013) 20.07.2014, IInd Sitting)

20. Such rules (1)/ do not apply to (2)/ you and I. (3)/ No error (4).

(SSC GL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014, Ist Sitting)

21. One of the boys (1)/ who always give the correct answer (2)/ is Samuel. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

22. One should respect (1)/ the religions of others (2)/ as much as his own. (3)/ No error. (4)

(SSC GL Tier-II Exam. 21.09.2014)

23. It is I (1)/ who is responsible (2)/ for the delay. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam. 19.10.2014 TF No. 022 MH 3)

24. The children which are assembled (1)/ in the hall are the ones (2)/ chosen for the field trip.(3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam.12.04.2015 Kolkata Region, TF No. 315 RI 3)

25. Who do you think I met ?

(1) Who (2) No error
(3) do you think (4) I met ?

(SSC CGL Tier-I Exam, 16.08.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 3196279)

26. This is the girl whose brother is a doctor.

(1) is a doctor
(2) This is the girl
(3) No error
(4) whose brother to

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

27. They brought to themself this disaster.

(1) No error
(2) to themself
(3) this disaster
(4) They brought

(SSC CAPFs SI, CISF ASI & Delhi Police SI Exam, 30.08.2015 TF No. 4039770)

28. The article suggests that when a person is under unusual stress you should be especially careful to eat a well-balanced diet.

(1) The article suggests that when a person is under unusual stress
(2) you should be especially careful
(3) to eat a well-balanced diet.
(4) No error

(SSC CGL Tier-II Exam, 25.10.2015, TF No. 2148789)

29. One must (1)/ obey one's (2)/ teachers. (3)/ No error (4)

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 15.11.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 7203752)

30. When one takes great risks they must be prepared for great losses.

(1) they must be prepared
(2) When one takes great risks
(3) for great losses.
(4) No error

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 06.12.2015 (IInd Sitting) TF No. 3441135)

31. One should have their teeth checked every six months.

(1) their teeth checked
(2) every six months.
(3) No error
(4) One should have

(SSC CHSL (10+2) LDC, DEO & PA/SA Exam, 20.12.2015 (Ist Sitting) TF No. 9692918)

32. Each boy was given (1)/ a toy as a parting gift, (2)/ which made them happy. (3)/ No error (4)

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33. This is the sportsperson (1)/ whom I think has won (2)/ the much coveted prize. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Afternoon

34. My twin (1)/ is five minutes younger (2)/ than myself. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
11th Jan, Evening

35. Was it him, that the teacher (1)/ punished for not submitting (2)/ his project on time (3)/ No error

SSC CHSL-2016
15th Jan, Afternoon

36. One should respect (1)/ religious beliefs of others, (2)/ as much as his owns. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
16th Jan, Morning

37. As it was his first date, (1)/ he dressed (2)/ himself in best suit. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
16th Jan, Afternoon

38. The audience are (1)/ humbly requested to be (2)/ seated in their seats. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
16th Jan, Afternoon

39. Vicky is the one who (1)/ always finds faults with (2)/ whatever Priya does. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
20th Jan, Afternoon

40. Sairat is one of the latest (1)/ in the list of contemporary Marathi movies (2)/ which appeared in recent times. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
22nd Jan, Evening

41. When you have (1)/ gone through my notes, (2)/ give the same to me. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
24th Jan, Afternoon

42. One who perpetually hesitates (1)/ which of the two things he will do first (2)/ will ultimately do neither. (3) No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
25th Jan, Evening

43. Reeta is a spiritually centred person (1)/ who loves every being (2)/ she comes in contact with. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
27th Jan, Morning

44. Tom Sawyer is one (1)/ of the best kid stories (2)/ that was ever written. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(1st February, Evening)

45. He told me the same (1)/ story which he told (2)/ you yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CHSL-2016
(2nd February, Morning)

46. Me and my wife (1)/ were at home (2)/ last night. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(27th August, Evening)

47. Science and technology and (1)/ their fallouts do not (2)/ complete human culture (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(29th August, Evening)

48. There was a (1)/ comparison between (2)/ you and he (3)/ no error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(31st August, Morning)

49. I enjoyed during (1)/ my tenure (2)/ at Shimla (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(31st August, Afternoon)

50. Do you know (1)/ whom the (2)/ next speaker is? (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(2nd September, Afternoon)

51. You are the man (1)/ who have (2)/ spoiled it (3)/ No error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(3rd September, Evening)

52. I and my wife (1)/ were declared (2)/ the best couple at the party (3)/ No error (4) .

SSC CGL-2016
(4th September, Afternoon)

53. I remember him as (1)/ someone who

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was a lot nicer (2)/ than circumstances warranted. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(8th September, Morning)

54. One (1)/ should keep (2)/ his word. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(9th September, Afternoon)

55. The boy (1)/ which money (2)/ was lost felt sorry (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(9th September, Evening)

56. Roger dressed (1)/ in is best shirt, (2)/ silver tie and black jacket (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC CGL-2016
(11th September, Morning)

57. Me and my friend have started working on a summer project which was approved by our teacher.

(1) Me and my friend
(2) have started working on a summer project
(3) which was approved
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

58. The teachers, who I worked with, were very insensitive towards children's needs.

(1) The teachers, who I worked with
(2) were very insensitive
(3) towards children's needs
(4) No error

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2016

59. We take security very seriously and (1)/ we want to keep you in the loop on (2)/ important actions in our account. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 11 Sept., Evening

60. Last week I made a list of 10 classics (1)/ those make for great reads and a (2)/ few of my son's favourites. (3)/ No Error(4)

SSC (Steno.) 2017, 12 Sept., Evening

61. Our professor taught us that (1)/ one should respect the (2)/ religions of others as much as his own. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Morning

62. During India's struggle for (1)/ freedom many brilliant students (2)/ gave up their studies by Bhagat Singh's call. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Morning

63. Madhuri and I have done my (1)/ work patiently and diligently (2)/ just for our safe and secure future. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
1 July, 2018 Evening

64. This container is full with water (1)/ so I can't carry it for a (2)/ long distance at one go. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
2 July, 2018 Evening

65. Mr. Mukesh Bhatnagar our (1)/ colleague he will attend (2)/ the meeting on our behalf. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Morning

66. The CEO has decided to visit all the (1)/ departments of the office tomorrow (2)/ evening to review of the situation. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Evening

67. Neha is a very good fashion (1)/ designer but her designs are not (2)/ easily accessible with the public. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Evening

68. Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam's life was a (1)/ sage of dedication in the (2)/ cause of educational reforms in India. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Evening

69. When the professors are on strike (1)/ and a notice of this effect is pasted on the university gate (2)/ there is no sense to go there. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
4 July, 2018 Evening

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70. I insisted but neither Praveen or his (1)/ friend Bharat is ready (2)/ to work on holiday. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
5 July, 2018 Evening

71. Ayesha is among the few people (1)/ in the office which did not (2)/ blindly follow the path of other. (3)/ No Error (4)

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2017
6 July, 2018 Morning

72. The scientists found that (1)/ leopards tend to hoist prey (2)/ that are between half and one-and-a-half times it's own weight. (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

73. Can you tell me (1)/ the name of the person (2)/ whom wrote the book? (3)/ No error (4)

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2017

74. My sister and myself are pleased to accept your invitation to dinner.
(1) My sister and myself
(2) are pleased
(3) to accept
(4) your invitation to dinner

STENOGRAPHER - 2018
5 Feb., 2019 Evening

75. It was him who was responsible for this mishap that took place yesterday.
(1) for this mishap
(2) It was him
(3) that look place
(4) who was responsible

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
6 Feb., 2019 Evening

76. The woman which lives next door is a teacher.
(1) which lives (2) The woman
(3) next door (4) is a teacher

STENOGRAPHER- 2018
7 Feb., 2019 Morning

77. The subway system has become very safe and it has come a long way since the 1980s and 1990s where violence was rampant.
(1) has become very safe
(2) a long way
(3) where violence
(4) it has come

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
15 March, 2019 Morning

78. Last year the UK saw it's first child diagnosed with internet addiction.
(1) Last year
(2) the UK saw
(3) it's first child
(4) diagnosed with

SSC (CPO) PRE- 2018
16 March, 2019 Afternoon

79. One should be careful to re-read what they has written.
(1) to re-read what
(2) be careful
(3) One should
(4) they has written

SSC (CPO) MAINS- 2018
27 September, 2019

80. I know the cobbler(1)/which mends the shoes outside(2)/the gate of our colony(3)/No error(4)

SSC PRE - 2018
6th June, 2019 Afternoon

81. The team began searching for reasons for their poor performance in the tournament
(1) The team began
(2) in the tournament
(3) searching for reasons
(4) for their poor performances

CHSL-2018
11 July, 2019, Morning

82. Pleasure cannot derive from giving pain to innocent people.
(1) Pleasure cannot derive
(2) pain to
(3) innocent people
(4) from giving

CHSL-2018
8 July, 2019, Morning

83. Climatic change are a greatest threat facing our planet which needs our

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immediate attention.
(1) our immediate attention
(2) are a greatest
(3) which needs
(4) facing our planet

CHSL-2018
8 July, 2019, Evening

84. The young girl was helping her father to look after shop.
(1) her father
(2) The young girl
(3) was helping
(4) to look after shop

CHSL-2018, 9 July, 2019, Afternoon

Answers with Explanation

1. (3) Replace 'neither' with 'none' because 'neither' is used for only two person whereas 'none' is used for 'more than two'.

2. (2) Change 'him' into 'himself'.

3. (3) Replace 'has' with 'have' because the verb to be used after the relative Pronoun depends upon its antecedent.
Here antecedent to relative Pronoun 'that' is 'mothers' which is plural hence it will take plural verb.

4. (1) Replace 'John, I and Hari' with 'John, Hari and I' because if two or more than two Pronoun are used in a sentence they follow the order 231 [i.e., 1- First Person, 2- Second Person, 3- Third Person]

5. (2) Replace 'your's' with 'your'. 'Your's' is a wrong word. Here we need Possessive adjective 'your'.

6. (1) Replace 'me' with 'I'. In the place of subject we always use nominative case.

7. (1) Replace 'him' with 'he'.

8. (2) Replace 'who' with 'whom'. 'Who' refers to the subject of a sentence whereas 'whom' refers to the object of a sentence.

9. (1) Replace 'your' with 'you are' or 'you're'.

10. (3) Replace 'me' with 'I'.
Nominative Pronoun should be compared with nominative Pronoun only.

11. (1) Replace 'him' with 'he' because when Pronouns serve the same function, they should be used in same form. The sentence must read 'He and I' as the order of Pronoun is 231.

12. (1) The 1st Part should read as ...
He and I ... because when two or more Pronoun are used in a sentence, the order should be 231 (i.e., 231)

13. (2) Remove 'he' because in a single sentence a Noun and a Pronoun for the same Noun cannot come together.

14. (2) Replace 'I' with 'me' because here 'my friend' and 'me' are the object of the sentence.

15. (2) Replace 'for their' with 'his' because here we are talking about 'a man' which is singular.

16. (1) Replace 'I and Tina' with 'Tina and I'.

17. (2) Replace 'myself' with 'I' because the subject of a sentence cannot be a reflexive Pronoun.

18. (2) Replace 'I' with 'me' because between (Preposition) is followed by objective Pronoun. Here 'me' is object form of Pronoun.

19. (1) Replace 'who' with 'that' because Relative Pronoun 'who' is used for human beings.

20. (3) Replace 'I' with 'me' because a Preposition is always followed by objective case of Pronoun.

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21. (4) No error

22. (3) Replace 'his' with 'one's' because when 'one' is used as a subject, Possessive adjective 'one's' is used.

23. (2) Replace 'is' with 'am' because antecedent to Relative Pronoun is 'I' which agrees with verb 'am'.

24. (1) Replace 'which' with 'who' because for human beings, Relative Pronoun 'who' is used.

25. (1) Replace 'who' with 'whom' because 'whom' is used as the object of verb or Preposition.

26. (3) No error

27. (2) Replace 'to themself' with 'to themselves' because Reflexive Pronoun of 'they' is 'themselves'.

28. (2) Replace 'you' with 'he'.

29. (4) No error

30. (1) Replace 'they' with 'one'.

31. (1) Replace 'their' with 'one's' because Possessive Adjective of one is 'one's'.

32. (4) No error

33. (2) Relative pronoun 'who' is used as the sportsperson is the subject here who was won.

34. (3) If there is a comparison between two nominative cases, the pronoun of the nominative case is used after than. Hence 'myself' will be replaced by 'I'.

35. (1) 'Him' is used as an object form of pronoun. Hence replace 'him' with 'he'. Also 'It+ $\underbrace{\text{be}}_{\text{any form}}$ ' is followed by subject form of pronoun.

36. (3) If 'one' is used as the subject, possessive pronouns 'one's' is used. Hence replace 'his' with 'one's'. Also change 'owns' with 'own'.

37. (3) When we use a superlative adjective before the noun, we generally use it with 'the' but remember, we don't use 'the' when there is a possessive adjective. Hence add 'his' before 'best'. 'Remove 'himself'. Dressed doesn't take a reflexive pronoun.

38. (4) No error

39. (2) Change 'faults' into 'fault. 'Find fault' means to make an adverse criticism or objection sometimes unfairly.

40. (3) Change 'which' into 'that'. Also change 'appeared' into 'have appeared' as 'in recent times' means 'lately' or 'recently'.

41. (3) Change 'the same' into 'them'. 'The notes' will take pronoun 'them'.

42. (2) Change 'will' into 'should'.

43. (4) No error

44. (3) 'Verb' to be used after relative pronoun agrees to the antecedents of the relative pronoun. Here 'stories' is plural so replace 'was' with 'were'.

45. (2) The same + noun is followed by relative pronoun 'that'. So replace 'which' with 'that'. Also change 'told' into 'had told' as it is the Ist action out of the two past actions.

46. (1) Replace objective case 'me' with nominative cause 'I'. Also the order of pronoun should be 231 (i.e. Second Person, Third Person, First Person). Hence replace 'me and my wife' with 'my wife and I'.

47. (2) Here 'science and technology' is singular so possessive adjective 'its' will be used in place of 'their'.

48. (3) 'Between ... and' should be followed by objective form of pronoun (Such as him, her, me). Hence replace 'he' with 'him'.

49. (1) 'Enjoy' takes a reflexive pronoun (here 'myself') if it is not followed by any object.

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50. (2) 'Who' is used' to refer the subject of the sentence whereas 'Whom' is used to refer the object of the sentence. Here we are talking about 'the speaker' which is the 'subject'
Hence 'who' will be used in place of 'whom'.

51. (2) The verb used after the relative pronoun should agree with its antecedent.
Here the antecedent (man) is singular thus verb will also be singular hence replace 'have' with 'has'.

52. (1) If two or more personal pronouns are to be used in a sentence, the order should be 231 (second person, third person, first person). So replace 'I and my wife' with 'my wife and I'.

53. (4) No error

54. (3) If 'one' is used as the subject of a sentence 'one's' is used as possessive adjective.

55. (2) Possessive pronoun 'whose' is used for human beings.

56. (2) Replace 'is' with 'his'.

57. (1) Replace 'me' with 'I'. The order will be 231. 'My friend and I' is the correct order.

58. (1) Change 'who' into 'whom'. The teachers are the object and hence will take 'whom'.

59. (3) Change 'our' into 'your'. 'Keep someone is loop' means 'to keep someone informed'.

60. (2) Change 'those' into 'that' or 'which'.

61. (3) Replace 'his' by 'one's'.
'one's' is the possessive case of 'one'.

62. (3) Replace 'by' by 'on'.
On call - Ready to go to work at any time on demand.

63. (1) Replace 'my' by 'our'.

64. (1) Replace 'with' by 'of'.
full of – containing a lot of

65. (2) Remove 'he' with Mr. Mukesh, he becomes superfluous.

66. (3) Remove 'of' after' review'.

67. (3) Use 'to' after 'accessible'.
accessible to – easy to get

68. (2) Replace 'in' by 'for'.

69. (3) Use 'in going' instead of 'to go'.

70. (1) Replace 'or' by 'nor'. 'Neither ... nor' is a pair of conjunction.

71. (2) Replace 'which' by 'who'.

72. (3) Replace 'it's' with 'their'.

73. (3) Replace 'whom' with 'who'. For subject use 'who'.

74. (1) Use 'I' in place of 'myself'. Myself cannot come as subject.

75. (2) Replace 'him' with 'he'.

$$\text{It} + \underbrace{\text{be}}_{\text{is/was/has been}} + \text{Nominative form of Pronoun.}$$

76. (1) Replace 'which' with 'who'. For person we use 'who'.

77. (3) Replace 'where' with 'when'. For time (here- 1980s and 1990s) when will come.

78. (3) Replace 'It's' with 'its'. 'Its' is possessive adjective. It's is contracted form of it is.

79. (4) Replace 'they' with 'one'.

80. (2) Change 'which' into 'who'. Cobbler will take 'who'.

81. (4) use 'its' in place of 'their'. Team takes singular adjective 'its'.

82. (1) 'Cannot derive' be changed into 'cannot be derived'.

83. (2) Superlative degree takes article 'the'.

84. (4) Change 'to look' into 'in looking'.

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