

I. Vocabulary and Grammar

1. Select the option showing correctly the part of speech of the Wow word in the following sentence :

Wow ! They are going to Goa today.

- A. conjunction B. interjection
C. noun D. verb

Use correct options to fill the blanks.

2. You _____ touch the walls. They have just been painted.

- A. can B. can't
C. won't D. wouldn't

3. She cried _____ on hearing the news of her failure.

- A. bitter B. better
C. bitterly D. bitterness

Read the following sentences carefully. There is an error in some part of each sentence. Choose the option that has the 'error part' of that sentence.

4. Where/we shall/park/the car ?

P Q R S

- A. P B. S
C. R D. Q

Observe the following pictures and select the option that best represents the picture in each case.

5.



- A. a band of musicians B. a gang of musicians
C. a troop of musicians D. a cluster of musicians

Choose the options carrying the wrongly spelt word.

6.

- A. physician B. handkerchief
C. paragraph D. autobiographi

Select the option showing the jumbled parts of the given sentences arranged correctly, to make a meaningful sentences, in each case. (Ignore punctuation).

7.

- P. back Q. two hours
R. within S. I'll be
A. SQRP B. SQPR
C. QPRS D. SPRQ

Select the options opposite in meaning to given words.

8.

- agree B. disagree
A. defer D. deviate
C. unagree

II. Reading Comprehension

Read the story given below carefully and choose correct options as answers to the questions that follow.

An old monk lived in a monastery which was situated high on a mountain. One day he found a tiger cub trapped in a pit. Taking pity on the animal, he rescued it and took it back home. He fed it with warm milk and treated its wounds.

Soon the cub was restored to its health. From then on, it became the monk's pet. It seldom left his side and it was friendly to everyone. The monk gained the reputation of being a tiger-tamer.

One day, the monk was making a journey to a nearby temple. Along the way, he accidentally cut his foot on some thorns. He allowed his pet tiger to lick the blood. The blood excited the tiger greatly. Having tasted blood, the tiger became wild. Sadly, it attacked its master before escaping into the forest.

9. What is a 'pit' as referred to in the story.

- (A) a deep valley (B) an abandoned house
(C) a cave
(D) a large deep hole in the ground

10. Why did the monk save the cub ?

- (A) He wanted a pet. (B) He liked it.
(C) He wanted to be a tiger-tamer.
(D) He felt sorry for the cub.

- 11.** Which one of these statements shows that the cub was injured ?
- (A) The cub was trapped in a pit.
(B) The monk took the cub to his home.
(C) The cub was fed with warm milk.
(D) The monk treated the cub's wounds.
- 12.** 'It seldom left his side and it was friendly to everyone'. This shows that the tiger was _____.
- (A) wild (B) kind (C) healthy (D) tamed
- 13.** What mistake did the old monk make ?
- (A) He took the tiger along on this journey.
(B) He allowed the tiger to lick his blood.
(C) He cut his foot on some thorns.
(D) He tried to be a tiger-tamer.

III. Interactive English

Select the most appropriate options for the blanks.

- 14.** Doctor : You are putting on weight.
You should exercise regularly.
The statement is _____.
- A. an advice B. a request
C. a meditation D. some medication
- 15.** "May you be happy !"
What does this statement express ?
- A. hope B. wish C. strength D. peace

Key : 1. B 2. B 3. C 4. D 5. A 6. D 7. D 8. B
9. D 10. D 11. D 12. D 13. B 14. A 15. B