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# Fill in the blanks Questions for SBI PO PRE, IBPS PO PRE, SBI Clerk Mains and IBPS Clerk Mains Exams.

## Fill in the blanks Quiz 21

**Direction:** In the questions given below, two blanks have been provided for each statement and needs to be filled with the appropriate words. Choose the best option among the given ones.

1. Clearly, anyone \_\_\_\_\_ with social transition under colonialism would know, that such \_\_\_\_\_ of the colonial middle class were those defined by the colonialists.

- A. Oblivious, ideas  
B. Factual, races  
C. Fatal, natures  
D. Familiar, notions  
E. None of the above

2. The Personal Data Protection Bill, 2018 \_\_\_\_\_ that a copy of all personal data of Indian residents be \_\_\_\_\_ on servers in India, often termed "localization."

- A. Mandates, steeped  
B. Competes, stemmed  
C. Revises, satisfied  
D. Requires, stored  
E. None of the above

3. While the General Data Protection Law came into force only in 2018, its \_\_\_\_\_ were made public in 2012 and have heavily \_\_\_\_\_ ongoing legislative efforts in other countries.

- A. Regulations, encouraged  
B. Provisions, influenced  
C. Paradigms, institutionalized  
D. Ramifications, supported  
E. None of the above

4. The government's national biometric ID project, Aadhaar, has forced an \_\_\_\_\_ conversation around the dangers of a \_\_\_\_\_ technocratic vision of governance.

- A. Aristocratic, fallacies  
B. Ambiguous, facilitative  
C. Accounted, constantly  
D. Overdue, purely  
E. Opaque, avidly

5. As a first step in looking at the antitrust \_\_\_\_\_, it is important to look at the economic \_\_\_\_\_ that govern platforms.

- A. Medicines, Logic  
B. Yearnings, Laxity  
C. Issues, Principles  
D. Corrections, Methods  
E. None of the above

6. Justice Chandrachud's judgment strikes down many more \_\_\_\_\_ of the Aadhaar Act and its regulations, finding them to be in \_\_\_\_\_ of the right to privacy among other fundamental rights.

- A. Ramifications, consonance  
B. Results, contravention  
C. Provisions, Violation  
D. Regulations, acceleration  
E. None of the above

7. Capitalist expansion and industrial \_\_\_\_\_ in new economies are usually \_\_\_\_\_ by one magic word: Development.

- A. Controversy, repressed  
 B. Growth, represented  
 C. Traces, terrified  
 D. Valor, determined  
 E. Contraction, reciprocated

8. The civil services are a \_\_\_\_\_ pillar of the Indian state, having been \_\_\_\_\_ for administering the country before it was even independent.

- A. Important, reformist  
 B. Crucial, responsible  
 C. Detrimental, ratifying  
 D. Functional, determined  
 E. None of the above

9. The system of competitive exams works more as an ideology that seeks to \_\_\_\_\_ continuous failure, and this rationalisation is \_\_\_\_\_ through the celebration of the success of a few.

- A. Internalize, justified  
 B. Rationalize, achieved  
 C. Harness, excused  
 D. Attempt, dressed  
 E. Guide, attained

10. The government stands fully \_\_\_\_\_ to ensure that the needed liquidity is arranged for the IL & FS from the financial system so that no more \_\_\_\_\_ take place.

- A. Committed, defaults  
 B. Concerned, credits  
 C. Restricted, functions  
 D. Determined, borrowings  
 E. None of the above

Correct Answers:

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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| D | D | B | D | C | C | B | B | B | A  |

Explanations :

1. According to the given context, it is regarding the ideas of colonialist middle class and the sentence is about the very common notion of such classes under the colonial regime.

Now, coming to the options, Only D can be used since both the words can imply meaningful connotations in the given context and the statement will also be correct. Other options are not correct since either both the words or one of them will not fit in the respective blank. Therefore, they can be eliminated.

The correct sentence would be:

Clearly, anyone familiar with social transition under colonialism would know, that such notions of the colonial middle class were those defined by the colonialist.

This makes option D the correct choice among the given options.

2. According to the given context, it is regarding the provisions of the Personal Data Protection Bill, 2018 and the important points in this new legislation in the country.

Coming to the options, A is not correct since *steeped* is not the correct word for the second blank whereas *competes* and *stemmed* both cannot be used in the given context. Option C is also invalid as the words are not contextual. Only option D can be used since both the words can be used in the given context.

The correct sentence would be:

The Personal Data Protection Bill, 2018 **requires** that a copy of all personal data of Indian residents be **stored** on servers in India, often termed “localization.”

This makes option D the correct choice among the given options.

3. According to the given context, it is about the GDPR laws that came into force recently in the European countries but it is also clear that the provisions and suggestions of the law came into the public domain much early in 2012.

Now, coming to the options, A is not correct since *regulations* can be used once the law is passed whereas option C and D do not come into consideration as both the words in these options are completely out of context here. Only option B can be used since both the words fit in the given context.

**The sentence would be:**

While the General Data Protection Law came into force only in 2018, its **provisions** were made public in 2012 and have heavily **influenced** ongoing legislative efforts in other countries.

This makes option B the correct choice among the given options.

4. According to the given context, it is regarding the Aadhaar Project of the government and this project is mainly meant for the purpose of technocratic version of governance in the country. We have to choose the correct words based on the given options.

Coming to the given options, A is not correct since both the words are irrelevant in the given context and the same can be said about option B also. In case of options C and E, the words cannot be used in the blanks as they do not fit in the given context. If we consider option D, the words in this option fit perfectly in the respective blanks as we are talking about a conversation that is being forced and this may take place only if there is some issue with the particular thing or in this context, the Aadhaar Project.

**The sentence would be:**

The government’s national biometric ID project, Aadhaar, has forced an **overdue** conversation around the dangers of a **purely** technocratic vision of governance.

This makes option D the correct choice among the given options.

5. According to the given context, it is something regarding the anti-trust regulation in India and the ways to implement the same in practice.

Coming to the options, A is not correct since *medicines* will not be correct for the first blank whereas in B, both the words are completely out of context. In case of D, *corrections* cannot be placed in the first blank since it will not imply anything. Only option C is correct since both the words are perfect fit for the blanks.

**The sentence would be:**

As a first step in looking at the antitrust **issues**, it is important to look at the economic **principles** that govern platforms.

This makes option C the correct choice among the given options.

6. According to the given context, Justice Chandrachud has struck down many provisions of the Aadhaar Act since they were not in line with the fundamental rights ensured in the constitution to the citizens of the country.

Now coming to the options, A is not correct since both the words do not fit in the given context whereas in case option B, *contravention* can be used in the second blank but *results* is not the correct word for the first blank. Option D is also not correct since *acceleration* cannot be placed in the second blank of the statement. Option C is correct as both the words fit in the respective blanks of the statement.

**The complete sentence would be:**

Justice Chandrachud's judgment strikes down many more provisions of the Aadhaar Act and its regulations, finding them to be in violation of the right to privacy among other fundamental rights.

This makes option C the correct choice among the given options.

7. According to the given context, we are talking about industrial growth and development. There can be only one relation between these two terms since industrial growth is often considered as a parameter for development of an economy.

Now coming to the given options, option A is not correct since both the words are not correct as per the given context whereas option C is not correct for the same reason. Options D and E are also irrelevant in the context of the blanks given in the sentence. Only both the words in option C can be used in the respective blanks in order to complete the sentence.

**The complete sentence would be:**

Capitalist expansion and industrial **growth** in new economies are usually **represented** by one magic word: Development.

This makes option B the correct choice among the given options.

8. According to the given context, it is implied that the civil services are very important for our country looking at the history of the services even before independence.

Among the given options, option A can be ruled out since the first word is correct contextually but it cannot be placed in this blank due to the fact that the article 'an' should have been used before *important* whereas the second word is out of context anyway. Option C is irrelevant since both the words cannot be placed in the respective blanks whereas same can be said about option D in which the second one cannot be considered for the second blank. Only option B is there that can be used in both the blanks.

**The complete sentence would be:**

The civil services are a **crucial** pillar of the Indian state, having been **responsible** for administering the country before it was even independent.

This makes option B the correct choice among the given options.

9. According to the given context, it is implied that the system of competitive exams only celebrate the success of few and this is just a method that can explain continuous failure of the aspirants.

Now coming to the options, option A is not correct since *internalize* cannot be used in the first blank as that does not fit in the given context whereas options C and D are completely out of context. Hence, these three can be eliminated. Regarding option E, the second word is fit for the blank in the given context but the same cannot be said about the first word. Only option B is there that can fit in both the blanks.

**The complete sentence would be:**

The system of competitive exams works more as an ideology that seeks to **rationalize** continuous failure, and this rationalisation is **achieved** through the celebration of the success of a few.

This makes option B the correct choice among the given options.

10. According to the given context, it is implied that the government wants to infuse liquidity in the IL&FS so that there is no issue with liquidity in the company and also the same is going to be arranged from the system itself. The main objective is that nothing adverse takes place in the company.

Coming to the given options, option B is not correct since both the words are not correct for the respective blanks whereas same can be said regarding the options C and D. Option A is the only choice in which both the words are correct to fit in the given context.

**The complete sentence would be:**

The government stands fully **committed** to ensure that the needed liquidity is arranged for the IL & FS from the financial system so that no more **defaults** take place.

This makes option A the correct choice among the given options.



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