

# Find the error Questions for IBPS Clerk PRE, SBI Clerk PRE, IBPS RRB Exams.

## Find the Error Ouiz 27

Directions: The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in any one part of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part of the sentence which has an error (spelling, grammatical or contextual). If there is no error, choose option E.

## **1.** Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. The United Nations warns that
- C. to send food aid for the Darfur region of Sudan
- E. No error

### **2.** Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. Hurricane "Katrina" that devastated
- C. caused damage estimated
- E. No error

## **3.** Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

A. Because of the city's overwhelmingly commercial atmosphere,

- B. its residents enjoy
- D. not common in other suburbs.

## **4.** Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. Creativity, in any field,
- C. valuable in itself,
- E. No error

## 5. Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. The rich countries should commit themselves
- C. to a program of technology transfer
- F. No error

B. to finance a massive program of technology and D. to developing countries.

#### 6. Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

A. Handling down a punishment C. resources or doesn't have the B. to someone who lacks the proper

B. it has become very difficult

B. the city of New Orleans, D. in the billions of dollars.

C. a unique lifestyle

B. is not only regarded as

D. but also as a service to the nation.

F. No error

D. because of repeated truck hijacks.

D. necessary skills isn't the right approach.

F. No error.

## 7. Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. Recent studies suggest that the changes
- C. of A99A has been greater
- E. No error

## 8. Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. Consequently my work was painfully.
- C. over and over before I could form any.
- E. No error

B. slow, and I had to read the examples.

D. since the institution of reservations for dalits.

B. observed by Dalits since the economic liberalisation

D. idea of what I was required to do.

#### 9. Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

- A. Supervisors and co-workers who are
- C. by listening to their peers go a long way
- B. empathetic and provide emotional support
- D. in fostering to a positive work environment.

E. No error

## **10.** Find the error in one of the following fragments/parts.

A. Atmospheric changes due to C. for dinosaurs not being E. No error **Correct Answers:** 

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
С	С	E	В	В	А	С	E	D	D

#### **Explanations :**

**1.** The fragment C of the sentence is erroneous as "for the Darfur region" is to be replaced with "to the Darfur region", since the Darfur region is a geographical location.

The correct sentence would be, "The United Nations warns that it has become very difficult to send food aid to the Darfur region of Sudan because of repeated truck hijacks."

Option C is hence the correct answer..

- 2. The fragment C of the sentence is incorrect since "damage" should be replaced by "damages". As a noun, "damage" refers to physical harm or injury. "Damages" refers to the cost or money equivalent estimated for the harm caused.
  - The correct sentence would be, "Hurricane "Katrina" that devastated the city of New Orleans, caused damages estimated in the billions of dollars."

Option C is hence the correct answer.

3. The sentence is absolutely correct and has no error in it.

Option E is hence the correct answer.

**4.** The word 'regarded' modifies both 'valuable in itself' and 'service to the nation'. Therefore, regarded should be placed before 'not only' and not after or in between.

The correct sentence would be, "Creativity, in any field, is regarded not only as valuable in itself, but also as a service to the nation."

Option B is hence the correct answer.

**5.** The phrase in fragment A "commit themselves to" should be followed by a gerund in fragment B. Therefore, fragment B should read " ... to financing a massive ..."

The correct sentence would be, "The rich countries should commit themselves to financing a massive program of technology and to a program of technology transfer to developing countries."

Option B is hence the correct answer.

**6.** "Hand down" means 'to pass something on to someone' is the correct idiom to be used in part A of the sentence. "Handling down" is an incorrect expression in the context of the sentence.

Option A is hence the correct answer.

**7.** The verb used must agree to the subject "changes" (plural) in number. Therefore, the verb 'have' should be used instead of 'has' (singular).

Option C is hence the correct answer.

**8.** There is absolutely no error in the given sentence.

Option E is hence the correct answer.

**9.** In part D of the sentence, the word "fostering" meaning 'encourage the development of' does not require a preposition "to" after it. Hence, the preposition "to" is redundant in part D.

Option D is hence the correct answer.

**10.** "Sustain" is a transitive verb that requires an object; it is grammatically and contextually incorrect in this sentence. A more appropriate verb would be 'survive'.

Option D is hence the correct answer.

