

Find The Errors Question for IBPS Clerk Pre and SBI Clerk Pre

Find the Errors Quiz 19

Directions: In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

1. I missed the last train (A) / which I usually catch (B) / and have to stay at the station (C) / on my way back home yesterday. (D) / No error (E)

A. I missed the last train

- B. which I usually catch
- C. and have to stay at the station
- D. on m<mark>y way back</mark> home yesterday
- E. No error

2. I remember my childhood days (A) / when I was used to go (B) / to the farm with my father (C) / and help him in his work. (D) / No error (E)

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- A. I remember my childhood days
- B. when I was used to go
- C. to the farm with my father
- D. and help him in his work
- E. No error

3. Nothing ever becomes real (A) / till it is experienced. (B) / Even a proverb is no proverb to you (C) / till your life has illustrated with it. (D) / No error (E)

- A. Nothing ever becomes real
- B. till it is experienced
- C. Even a proverb is no proverb to you
- D. till your life has illustrated with it
- E. No error

4. You may not know it (A) / but this engine is (B) / claimed to have twice (C) / as powerful as the previous one. (D) / No error (E)

- A. You may not know it
- B. but this engine is
- C. claimed to have twice
- D. as powerful as the previous one E. No error

5. Computers are capable of (A) / doing extreme complicated work (B)

/ in all branches (C) / of learning. (D) / No error (E)

- A. Computers are capable of
- B. doing extreme complicated work
- C. in all branches
- D. of learning
- E. No error

6. There is a growing lack (A) / of sensitivity and (B) / respect towards our (C) / fellow creature. (D) / No error (E)

- A. There is a growing lack
- B. of sensitivity and
- C. respect towards our
- D. fellow creature
- E. No error

7. A variety of (A) / pleasant items in the shop (B) / attract (C) / everyday. (D) / No error (E)

A. A variety of

- B. pleasent items in the shop
- C. attract
- D. everyday
- E. No error

8. The doctor adviced Mr. Murugan that, (A) / because of his severe cramps, (B) / he should lay in the (C) / bed for a few days. (D) / No error (E)

A. The doctor adviced Mr. Murugan that,

- B. because of his severe cramps, Smartkeeda
- C. he should lay in the
- D. bed for a few days.
- E. No error

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- in Mumbai. (D) No error (E)
- A. This happened
- B. just exactly
- C. five years ago
- D. when I was in Mumbai
- E. No error

10. Bhutan is a beautiful (A) / country which almost (B) / eighty percent of the (C) / population lives in villages. (D) / No error (E)

A. Bhutan is a beautiful

- B. country which almost
- C. eighty percent of the
- D. population lives in villages
- E. No error



Correct Answers:

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

Explanations:

1.

In part C, 'have' must be replaced with 'had' to match the tense of the sentence which is simple past.

Hence, option C is correct.

2.

We use 'used to' for something that happened regularly in the past but no longer happens.

Ex 1. I used to smoke a packet a day but I stopped two years ago.

Ex 2. Ben used to travel a lot in his job but now, since his promotion, he doesn't.

In part B of this sentence, 'was', hence, is not required and must be removed to make it a grammatically correct sentence.

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Hence, option B is correct.

3.

In part D, the preposition 'with' is not required and hence must be removed to make it a grammatically correct sentence.

Hence, option D is correct.

4.

We, generally, use the verb 'have' to show possession.

Ex. He wants to have a BMW car.

And a 'be' verb is used while stating something about something or someone.

Ex. He is my friend.

Ex. He claims to be the minister's nephew.

In part C, as there is no context of possession, 'have' must be replaced with 'be' to make the sentence gramatically sound and meaningful.

Hence, option C is correct.

5.

In part B, as the word before 'complicated' is to add information to the adjective 'complicated', it has to be an adverb.

The adjective 'extreme', hence, must be replaced with the adverb 'extremely' to make it a grammatically correct sentence.

Hence, option B is correct.

6.

In part D, the noun 'creature' must be replaced with its plural form 'creatures' to make it a grammatically correct sentence.

Hence, option D is correct.

7.

The sentence is absolutely correct.

Though the phrase 'A variety of' suggests a singular subject but 'A variety of items' clears that here context is of plural number; items. The sentence, hence, is grammatically correct. Hence, option E is correct.

8.

In part C, the verb 'lay' which means 'to put something somewhere in a gentle way' must be replaced with 'lie', which means 'to rest', to make the sentence grammatically correct.

Hence, option C is correct.

9.

In some specific context, we use the adverb 'just' to emphasize that something is happening or has happened at exactly the moment that you are talking about. In this sentence, use of the adverb 'exactly' beside 'just' is redundant and hence must be removed to make it a grammatically correct sentence. Hence, option A is correct.

10.

In part B, the relative pronoun 'which' must be replaced with 'whose', which means 'of which', as the clause is in the possessive case.

Ex 1: Q. Whose pen is this? Ans: This is Jai's pen.

Ex 2: This is the car whose design is below standard.

Hence, option B is correct.



