

Direction (1-15): In the following questions four alternatives are given for idioms/phrases in now. Choose the one that best expresses the meaning of the given idiom/phrase.

Q1. Take the spear

- (a) To drink in the company of others
- (b) To make an exaggerated statement
- (c) To fight fiercely till the end
- (d) To accept full blame for something

S1. Ans.(d)

Q2. Grist to one's mill

- (a) Harmful to somebody
- (b) Useful to somebody
- (c) Useless to somebody
- (d) Dreadful to somebody

S2. Ans.(b)

Q3. In a lather

- (a) Encouraged
- (b) Tired
- (c) Distressed
- (d) Refreshed

S3. Ans.(c)

Q4. Mop down

- (a) To clean something
- (b) To misinterpret a statement
- (c) To be dejected
- (d) To be uncertain

S4. Ans.(a)

Q5. In a huff

- (a) In confusion
- (b) In a happy mood
- (c) In an offended manner
- (d) In a respected manner

S5. Ans.(c)

Q6. Brain sauce

- (a) Foolish
- (b) Wisdom
- (c) Mentally ill
- (d) Head full of thoughts

S6. Ans.(b)



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Q7. Lynch law

- (a) Law imposed by the government
- (b) Law of the mob
- (c) A law that is supposed to be useless
- (d) A rule that no one follows

S7. Ans.(b)

Q8. Globetrotters

- (a) Travellers around the world
- (b) Sick people in hospital
- (c) The people living in asylum
- (d) World champions

S8. Ans.(a)

Q9. Dole out

- (a) Allocate
- (b) Be effective
- (c) Turn up
- (d) Mismanage

S9. Ans.(a)

Q10. Past someone's prime

- (a) To intentionally start a fight or argument
- (b) To eat a great amount of food at one time
- (c) Beyond the most productive period
- (d) To undertake a task or activity with eagerness

S10. Ans.(c)

Q11. Over the hill

- (a) To extract or remove someone from something
- (b) To be late collecting information
- (c) Too old to be of much value
- (d) To be oblivious of something important

S11. Ans.(c)

Q12. To salt away

- (a) To disrespect
- (b) To taste or be tasted
- (c) To reserve or store
- (d) To be outspoken

S12. Ans.(c)

Q13. Spring on

- (a) Pay back a debt
- (b) Accumulate
- (c) Surprise someone
- (d) Make something neat and tidy

S13. Ans.(c)

Q14. Knock one for a loop

- (a) To strike someone hard
- (b) To examine only the superficial aspects of something
- (c) To decide upon an agreement
- (d) To concentrate on doing something

S14. Ans.(a)

Q15. Fend off

- (a) Accomplish
- (b) Prevent
- (c) Anticipate
- (d) Get tough on

S15. Ans.(b)

Direction (16-30): In these questions a sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four alternative suggested below, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.

Q16. My elder brother is playing cricket.

- (a) Cricket was being played by my elder brother.
- (b) Cricket is being played by my elder brother.
- (c) Cricket has been played by my elder brother.
- (d) Cricket had been played by my elder brother.

S16. Ans.(b)

Q17. Who broke this beautiful glass?

- (a) By whom has this beautiful glass been broken?
- (b) By whom is this beautiful glass broken?
- (c) By whom was this beautiful glass broken?
- (d) By whom had this beautiful glass been broken?

S17. Ans.(c)

Q18. I hope that I shall win this dance competition.

- (a) It is hoped that this dance competition will be won by me.
- (b) Winning the dance competition is hoped by me.
- (c) It is hoped that this dance competition shall win by me.
- (d) The dance competition is hoped to be won.

S18. Ans.(a)

Q19. The director will give you instructions.

- (a) Instructions shall be given to you by the director.
- (b) You will get instructions from the director.
- (c) You shall get instructions from the director.
- (d) Instructions will be given to you through the director.

S19. Ans.(a)

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Q20. By whom was this work done?

- (a) Who had done this work?
- (b) Who did this work?
- (c) Who has done this work?
- (d) Who does this work?

S20. Ans.(b)

Q21. I would advise you not to get on the wrong side of your boss.

- (a) It would be advised by me not to get on the wrong side of your boss.
- (b) It would be my advice not to get on the wrong side of your boss.
- (c) You would be advised by me not to get on the wrong side of your boss.
- (d) You would be adviced by me not to get on the wrong side of your boss.

S21. Ans.(c)

Q22. This picture had been drawn by me.

- (a) I had drawn this picture.
- (b) I have drawn this picture.
- (c) I drew this picture.
- (d) I drawn this picture.

S22. Ans.(a)

Q23. Were you washing the clothes?

- (a) Was the clothes being washed by you?
- (b) Were the clothes being washed by you?
- (c) Is the clothes being washed by you?
- (d) Has the clothes being washed by you?

S23. Ans.(b)

Q24. My elder brother is playing cricket.

- (a) Cricket was being played by my elder brother.
- (b) Cricket is being played by my elder brother.
- (c) Cricket has been played by my elder brother.
- (d) Cricket had been played by my elder brother.

S24. Ans.(b)

Q25. It is your duty to make tea at eleven O'clock.

- (a) You are asked to make tea at eleven O'clock
- (b) You are required to make tea at eleven O'clock.
- (c) You are supposed to make tea at eleven O' clock.
- (d) Tea is made by you at eleven O'clock.

S25. Ans.(d)

Q26. Call my neighbor immediately.

- (a) Let my neighbor be called immediately.
- (b) My neighbor is to be called immediately.
- (c) Let my neighbor called immediately.
- (d) My neighbor was to be called immediately.

S26. Ans.(a)

Q27. Kindly do not smoke in public place.

- (a) You are kindly requested not to smoke.
- (b) You are requested not to smoke in public place.
- (c) You are advised not to smoke in public place.
- (d) Let not you smoke in public place.

S27. Ans.(b)

Q28. We are looking at the game.

- (a) The game is looked by us.
- (b) The game is being looked by us.
- (c) The game is being looked at by us.
- (d) The game has been looked at by us.

S28. Ans.(c)

Q29. He had told me a lie.

- (a) A lie had been told to me by him.
- (b) A lie been told to me by him.
- (c) A lie was told to me.
- (d) A lie had been told to me by his.

S29. Ans.(a)

Q30. Had she taken tea?

- (a) Had she been taken tea?
- (b) Had tea taken by her?
- (c) Had tea been taken?
- (d) Had tea been taken by her?

S30. Ans.(d)



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