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Directions (1-2): In these questions some of the sentences have errors and some have none. Find out which part of a sentence has an error and indicate it corresponding to the appropriate letter. If there is no error, indicate corresponding to the last option.

Q1. His maid servant behavior (A)/ is undoubtedly indecent (B)/ but I don't understand how he tolerates it (C)/ No Error (D).

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q2. The issues are very complex (A)/ and the problem is that they are bound to be obscured (B)/ by these hypocritical politicians (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Directions (3-4): In the following question, sentences are given with blanks to be filled in with an appropriate word(s). Four alternatives are suggested for each question. Choose the correct alternative out of the four as your answer.

Q3. The affluent life styles of contemporary politicians are in sharp contrast to the _____ ways of living of the freedom fighters.

- (a) agnostic
- (b) stingy
- (c) consoled
- (d) austere

Q4. The older generation is _____ in its outlook and hence cannot tolerate independent ideas of the youngsters.

- (a) paradox
- (b) liberal
- (c) orthodox
- (d) restricted



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Directions (5-6): Out of the four alternatives, choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.

Q5. STERNUTATION

- (a) Hardening
- (b) Sneezing
- (c) Trepidation
- (d) Reversal

Q6. INCINERATE

- (a) shake
- (b) burn
- (c) polish
- (d) abuse

Directions (7-8): In the following questions, out of the four alternatives, choose the word which is opposite in meaning to the given word and click the button corresponding to it.

Q7. REPINE

- (a) Gripe
- (b) Rejoice
- (c) Quibble
- (d) Bleat

Q8. SAPIENT

- (a) Imbecile
- (b) Sage
- (c) Perceptive
- (d) Discerning

Directions (9-10): In the following questions, out of the four alternatives select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

Q9. Look over one's shoulder

- (a) Watch for danger or threats to oneself
- (b) To ignore a person's request
- (c) To be obsessed with one's own semblance
- (d) To take attention or credit away from someone else

Q10. Hand over first

- (a) To be dexterous
- (b) To do something that prevents an activity from continuing
- (c) To announce your intention of entering a competition
- (d) At a very fast pace

Directions (11-15): In the following question, sentences are given with blanks to be filled in with an appropriate word(s). Four alternatives are suggested for each question. Choose the correct alternative out of the four as your answer.

Q11. The cafe is a good place to take a breather with the family post shopping or to even leave _____ dads to relax with your tot, while you shop uninterrupted.

- (a) Preposterous
- (b) Reluctant
- (c) Lanky
- (d) Sturdy

Q12. _____ of fraud have prompted Ayushman Bharat administrators to announce that some key treatments should be availed through public sector institutions.

- (a) Amalgamation
- (b) Animosity
- (c) Apprehensions
- (d) Austerity

Q13. A reader wrote to us wondering whether discussions on technological disruptions and their impact on the news ecology are a ____ to deflect attention from the failings of the news media.

- (a) Problem
- (b) Protest
- (c) Promotion
- (d) Ploy

Q14. This is what distinguishes it not only from tabloids, _____ numerous websites where the focus is on views.

- (a) but also through
- (b) but also from
- (c) but from
- (d) yet from

Q15. The Rules mandates DoT to take _____ action under the license norms and also seize the equipment, if a telecom operator fails to adhere to them,

- (a) Discreet
- (b) Refined
- (c) Punitive
- (d) Venial

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Directions (16-20): In these questions some of the sentences have errors and some have none. Find out which part of a sentence has an error and indicate it corresponding to the appropriate letters. If there is no error, indicate corresponding to the last option.

Q16. After we were driving for miles (A) / on the winding road (B) / I was suddenly sick. (C) / No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q17. The forecast was for fair (A) / and warm weather (B) / and the day dawned dark and chill. (C) / No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q18. Beside (A) / his mother he has two aunts (B) / who stay with him. (C) / No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q19. Either the operator (A) / or the foreman are (B) / to blame for the accident. (C) / No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q20. She dislikes (A) / you being most organized (B) / than she is. (C) / No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Directions (21-30): In the following questions, some parts of the sentence have errors and some are correct. Find out which part of a sentence has an error. If a sentence is free from error, mark (D) as your answer.

Q21. The new device (A)/aims at eliminating (B)/the risk of short-circuiting. (C)/No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

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Q22. I wish to heartily (A)/congratulate you for (B)/your astounding success. (C)/No error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q23. The efforts made by the charity (A) / were aimed to provide shelters (B) / to the homeless people (C) / No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q24. Seldom or ever have I (A)/ tried my best to defend my friends, (B)/ who are after all guilty to some extent. (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q25. I was more thrilled (A) / in anticipation (B) / of a long journey (C) / by train. (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q26. All the members (A)/ of the Board are kindly (B)/ requested to appear in the next meeting. (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q27. An experimental vaccine has (A)/brought glimmer of hope (B)/ for the malarial researchers. (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q28. Pakistan's support to the terrorists of (A)/ any country should be universally (B)/ condemned by all (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q29. This happened (A) just exactly (B) five years ago.(C) No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

Q30. Within an hour's journey we (A)/ will approach (B)/ near Mumbai (C)/ No Error (D)

- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

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