

SSC Tier 1 Exam Sunday English Mega Quiz

Q1. Select the wrongly spelt word.

- (a) curious
- (b) curse
- (c) curry
- (d)Cursore

Q2. In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

Billionaire Philip is the owner of the luxury yacht Lionheart, which worth an estimated \$150 million.

- (a) which worth
- (b) the owner of
- (c) billionaire Philip is
- (d) an estimated \$150 million

Q3. Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.

The shopkeeper asked me, "Where is your car?"

- (a) The shopkeeper asked me where my car was.
- (b) The shopkeeper asked me where my car is.
- (c) The shopkeeper asked me where was my car.
- (d) The shopkeeper asked me where is your car.

Q4. Select the wrongly spelt word.

- (a) settle
- (b) satallite
- (c) satiate
- (d)session

Directions (5-9): In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Trade on the New York Stock Exchange was (1) _____ to a standstill on an autumn day (2) _____ 1994. The culprit for the outage (3). _____ a squirrel that had chewed through a power line near the computer centre of the (4) _____ in Trumbull, Connecticut. The shutdown (5) _____ lasted for half-an-hour, resulted in the NYSE operating at 85 percent capacity.

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Q5. Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 1.

- (a) worked
- (b) happened
- (c) taken
- (d) brought

Q6. Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 2.

- (a) in
- (b) by
- (c) at
- (d) on

Q7. Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 3.

- (a) is
- (b) were
- (c) was
- (d) has

Q8. Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 4.

- (a) town
- (b) store
- (c) exchange
- (d) bank

Q9. Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 5.

- (a) which
- (b) what
- (c) who
- (d) whom

Q10. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

ADHERE

- (a) comply
- (b) ignore
- (c) release
- (d) detach

Q11. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Parody

- (a) pain
- (b) mockery
- (c) parade
- (d) poem

Q12. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Debonair

- (a) decay
- (b) charming
- (c) devious
- (d) ugly

Q13. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

Fallacy

- (a) delusion
- (b) verity
- (c) fantasy
- (d) misconception

Q14. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

Sumptuous

- (a) lush
- (b) luxury
- (c) pauper
- (d) haughty

Q15. Select the wrongly spelt word.

- (a) Envious
- (b) Effigy
- (c) Eerie
- (d) Eatable

Q16. Select the wrongly spelt word.

- (a) Abode
- (b) Abbate
- (c) Adage
- (d) Ate

Q17. In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

He gave me spectacles.

- (a) Spectacle was given to me.
- (b) Spectacles were given to me by him.
- (c) I was offered spectacles.
- (d) He had given me spectacles.



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Q18. In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best express the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

She said, "The Sun rises in the east"

- (a) She said that the sun rises in the east.
- (b) She said the sun rises in the east.
- (c) She said that the Sun rose in the east.
- (d) She said the Sun rose in the east.

Q19. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options pick the one that gives their correct order.

(P) Mr. Chowdary said decentralisation of administration [with Visakhapatnam, Amaravati and Kurnool as executive, legislative and judicial capitals respectively] was against the law and

(S) At a press conference, he said the Centre would not keep quiet on the State government's plans to make Visakhapatnam the executive capital.

(Q) "I am saying this after discussing with the Central government," he said.

(R) That he would raise the issue with Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

- (a) PRSQ
- (b) PQRS
- (c) PRQS
- (d) QRSP

Q20. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options pick the one that gives their correct order.

(P) Education gives us a knowledge of the world around us and.

(Q) Changes it into something better.

(S) It develops in us a perspective of looking at life.

(R) It helps us build opinions and have points of view on things in life.

- (a) QPSR
- (b) SRPQ
- (c) PQSR
- (d) RSQP

Q21. In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The international media _____ a tale of a newly confident XI scrapping growth targets and tolerating less gross domestic product.

- (a) spin
- (b) spinning
- (c) spine
- (d) spun

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Q22. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

I had (not only helped her by) giving hints but also with providing him links.

- (a) helped not only to her by
- (b) helped her not only by
- (c) not only helped her
- (d) No improvement

Q23. In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

He said it remained the toughest _____, and he had often seen stunt men preparing at the top with shaky knees.

- (a) stratagem
- (b) manoeuvre
- (c) pretermite
- (d) mislay

Q24. Select the antonym of Abrogation

- (a) introduction
- (b) erasure
- (c) cure
- (d) invigoration

Q25. Select the synonym of Exacerbate

- (a) abridge
- (b) worse
- (c) prudent
- (d) pollard

Directions (26-30): In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Three innocent lives were brutally cut short through _____ mob frenzy in Tamil Nadu, with the body of one of the victims hung _____ a bridge. Despite this, there was not one word from any of its otherwise _____ political leaders, both in government and the Opposition, who can otherwise see phantoms where none exist. It would have been _____ that in a civilized society, the so-called leaders appeal to the general public directly and through their _____ not to panic and take the law into their own hands.

Q26. brutally cut short through _____ mob

- (a) mindless
- (b) astute
- (c) shrewd
- (d) crafty

Q27. one of the victims hung _____ a bridge.

- (a) on
- (b) from
- (c) with
- (d) to

Q28. any of its otherwise _____ political leaders

- (a) vining
- (b) undried
- (c) replayed
- (d) loquacious

Q29. It would have been _____ that in a civilized society

- (a) posited
- (b) tender
- (c) expected
- (d) render

Q30. through their _____ not to panic

- (a) pivot
- (b) pintle
- (c) cadres
- (d) fulcrum

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