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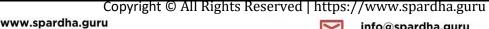
In the following questions, one part of the sentence may have an error. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and choose the option corresponding to it. If the sentence is free from error, choose "No error".

- 1) Having been found (1) / guilty of the theft, (2)/ Sunny was sentenced (3)/ to five years imprisonment (4) / No error (5)
- a) to five years imprisonment
- b) guilty of the theft,
- c) Having been found
- d) Sunny was sentenced
- e) No error
- 2) Keeping in mind that India (1) / is one ,of the world's fastest (2)/ growing economies many international
- (3)/companies are invested in India (4) / No error (5)
- a) companies are invested in India
- b) is one ,of the world's fastest
- c) Keeping in mind that India
- d) growing economies many international
- e) No error
- 3) The bank may have followed(1)/ an monetary tightening policy (2)/ but its stated aim of (3) / curbing inflation have not been achieved (4)/ No error (5)
- a) curbing inflation have not been achieved
- b) an aggressive monetary tightening policy
- c) The bank may have followed
- d) but its stated aim of
- e) No error
- 4) Some of the most (1)/ successful organisations in the world (2)/ uses exploration and plays (3)/ to their continued success and growth (4) / No error (5)
- a) to their continued success and growth
- b) successful organisations in the world
- c) Some of the most
- d) uses exploration and plays
- e) No error

- 5) Nowhere is the resulting confusion more evident except in campaign speeches made by different campaigners of the same party.
- a) more evident
- b) except in campaign speeches
- c) Nowhere is the resulting confusion
- d) made by different campaigners of the same party.
- 6) With inflation at eleven percent (1)/ companies need to come up (2)/ with innovative ways to (3)/ get customers to buy it good (4)/ No error (5)
- a) get customers to buy it good
- b) companies need to come up
- c) With inflation at eleven percent
- d) with innovative ways to
- e) No error
- The Moon may be the best place(1)/ to look for aliens as their(2)/ footprints on their surface would (3)/ last far longer than radio signals (4)/ No error (5)
- a) last far longer than radio signals
- b) to look for aliens as their
- c) The Moon may be the best place
- d) footprints on their surface would
- e) No error
- 8) The recent election campaign (1)/ has been one of
- (2)/ the most noisiest campaigns (3)/ in the last decade
- (4)/ No error (5)
- a) in the last decade
- b) has been one of
- c) The recent election campaign
- d) the most noisiest campaigns
- e) No error
- 9) Each child / was given a / red beautiful balloon. / No
- a) was given a
- b) red beautiful balloon.
- c) Each child
- d) No error

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- 10) There are just too few trains (1)/ for the ever-grow
- (2)/ number of passengers (3)/ in the city (4)/ No error
- (5)
- a) in the city
- b) for the ever-grow
- c) There are just too few trains
- d) number of passengers
- e) No error
- 11) She exercised discretion in investigating whether her husband eloped with his ex-girl friend.
- a) investigating whether
- b) eloped with
- c) discretion in
- d) No error
- 12) The Ministry was considered (1)/ several proposals for the (2)/ development of small and medium (3)/ enterprises during Budget discussions (4)/ No error (5)
- a) enterprises during Budget discussions
- b) several proposals for the
- c) The Ministry was considered
- d) development of small and medium
- e) No error

- e) No error
- 15) I enjoyed during (A)/ my tenure (B)/ in Shimla. (C)/ No error (D)
- a) my tenure
- b) in Shimla.
- c) I enjoyed during
- d) No error
- 16) A sparrow has made a nest in Kesho's house (1)/and had laid eggs Both Kesho and his sister Shyama (2)/ watched the nest for hours every day (3)/Even meal times were forgotten (4)/No error(5)
- a) Even meal times were forgotten
- b) and had laid eggs Both Kesho and his sister Shyama
- c) A sparrow has made a nest in Kesho's house
- d) watched the nest for hours every day
- e) No error
- 17) He was /very kind enough / to invite me. / No error
- a) very kind enough
- b) to invite me.
- c) He was
- d) No error.

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- 13) The death of the man has brought (1)/ to the fore the plight of thousands of migrants (2)/ languishing behind bars in India after (3)/ being apprehended in the border (4)/ No error (5)
- a) being apprehended in the border
- b) to the fore the plight of thousands of migrants
- c) The death of the man has brought
- d) languishing behind bars in India after
- e) No error
- 14) The celebrations continued (1)/ through the evening as more (2)/ and more friends joins (3)/ in the fun and frolic (4)/ No error (5)
- a) in the fun and frolic
- b) through the evening as more
- c) The celebrations continued
- d) and more friends joins

- 18) Not approving the (1)/ violent acts of (2)/ yourg people to change the system (3) / the old gives him the works of humanism (4)/ No error (5)
- a) the old gives him the works of humanism
- b) violent acts of
- c) Not approving the
- d) young people to change the system
- e) No error
- 19) I shall go / by the/ 3 O' clock's train. / No error
- a) by the
- b) 3 O' clock's train.
- c) I shall go
- d) No error
- 20) The city needs an airport (1)/ that can efficiently manage (2) / a constantly flow of (3)/ passengers and flights (4)/ No Error (5)
- a) passengers and flights
- b) that can efficiently manage
- c) The city needs an airport

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- d) a constantly flow of
- e) No error
- 21) A recycling plant in close proximity to (1)/ the residential area can pose (2)/ serious threats from residents (3)/ by leaving behind pollutants(4)/ No error (5)
- a) by leaving behind persistent pollutants
- b) the residential area can pose
- c) A recycling plant in close proximity to
- d) serious threats from residents
- e) No error
- 22) I prefer apples more than oranges.
- a) apples more than
- b) oranges
- c) I prefer
- d) No error
- 23) The Minister will have (1)/ a tough task on his hands (2)/where three different recommendations (3)/ for this year's rate reach his desk (4)/No error (5)
- a) for this year's rate reach his desk
- b) a tough task on his hands
- c) The Minister will have
- d) where three different recommendations **sparunaguru**
- e) No error
- 24) As sharing crime statistics for (1)/ the year 2011 the Commissioner admitted that (2)/ there had been an undue delay in (3)/ the setting up of an anti-narcotics cell(4) / No error (5)
- a) the setting up of an anti-narcotics cell
- b) the year 2011 the Commissioner admitted that
- c) As sharing crime statistics for
- d) there had been an undue delay in

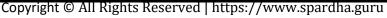
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- e) No error
- 25) As market leaders, (1)/ we have always been at (2) / the forefront of creating awareness (3)/ between the public (4)/ No error (5)
- a) between the public
- b) we have always been at
- c) As market leaders,

- d) the forefront of creating awareness
- e) No error
- 26) Each of the girls (1)/ have come (2)/ with her books (3)/ No error (4)
- a) have come
- b) with her books.
- c) Each of the girls
- d) No error
- 27) The travellers were pacified when to hear that the plane had landed on the runway much before the official announcement.
- a) much before the
- b) were pacified when
- c) landed on the runway
- d) No error
- 28) To portray (1)/ what a fairness cream does without
- (2)/ any sort of comparison or visual (3)/ references are very difficult (4)/ No error (5)
- a) references are very difficult
- b) what a fairness cream does without
- c) To portray
- d) any sort of comparison or visual
- e) No error Private Limited
- 29) We are bring in the idea that (1)/ European rehabilitation focussed1,(2)/ on a multidisciplinary approach (3)/ towards chronic pain (4)/ No Error (5)
- a) towards chronic pain
- b) European rehabilitation focussed
- c) We are bring in the idea that
- d) on a multidisciplinary approach
- e) No error
- 30) I did not like his (1)/ comments on my paper (2) / but I had no alternative (3) / as I had agreed to keep quiet (4)/ No error (5)
- a) as I had agreed to keep quiet
- b) comments on my paper
- c) I did not like his
- d) but I had no alternative
- e) No error

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- 31) With the exception of (1)/ music no other industry
- (2)/ has COMMON ERRORS 1embraced globalisation
- (3)/ as keenly as the banking industry(4)/ No error (5)
- a) as keenly as the banking industry
- b) music no other industry
- c) With the exception of
- d) has embraced globalisation
- e) No error
- 32) The Statesman has (A)/the largest circulation of any (B)/ English dailies. (C)/No error (D)
- a) the largest circulation of any
- b) English dailies.
- c) The Statesman has
- d) No error
- 33) We will have at (1)/ some point of time In our lives
- (2)/ wondered if we are actually (3)/ being too nice to someone (4)/ No error (5)
- a) being too nice to someone
- b) some point of time In our lives
- c) We will have at
- d) wondered if we are actually pardhaguru I
- e) No error
- 34) When business leaders (1)/ fail to decide (2)/ and act wisely, (3)/ their companies suffers (4)/ No error (5)
- a) their companies suffers
- b) fail to decide
- c) When business leaders
- d) and act wisely,
- e) No error
- 35) My husband was work, so I went shopping.
- a) was work
- b) I went shopping
- c) My husband
- d) No error
- 36) Just laws are no restraint With(1)/the freedom of the good, (2)/for the good man desires nothing (3)/which a just law interfere with (4)/No error (5)

- a) which a just law interfere with
- b) the freedom of the good,
- c) Just laws are no restraint With
- d) for the good man desires nothing
- e) No error
- 37) There is a rumour that (1)/ this multinational company will (2)/ set up Its regional headquarters (3)/ in India in short (4)/ No error (5)
- a) in India in short
- b) this multinational company will
- c) There is a rumour that
- d) set up Its regional headquarters
- e) No error
- 38) People who play (1)/ their radios too (2)/ loud have no(3)/ considerations for others(4)/No error (5)
- a) considerations for others
- b) their radios too
- c) People who play
- d) loud have no
- e) No error
- 39) As soon as the GEO (1)/ entered the office, the (2)/ union leaders approached him (3)/ and report the matter to him (4)/ No error (5)
- a) and report the matter to him
- b) entered the office, the
- c) As soon as the GEO
- d) union leaders approached him
- e) No error
- 40) Many people believe that (1)/the nationalisation of banks in (2) / the 1960s have protected India(3)/ from the current financial crisis (4)/ No error (5)
- a) from the current financial crisis
- b) the nationalisation of banks in
- c) Many people believe that
- d) the 1960s have protected India
- e) No error

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- 41) The trek is difficult / but it is far worth / the endeavour. / No error
- a) but it is far worth
- b) the endeavour.
- c) The trek is difficult
- d) No error
- 42) We have taken on (1)/ the responsibility of (2) / arranging the required training (3) / and supervise the new staff(4)/No error (5)
- a) and supervise the new staff
- b) the responsibility of
- c) We have taken on
- d) arranging the required training
- e) No error
- 43) India can become an economic superpower (1)/ It has a young work force (2)/ China is becoming more expensive (3)/ So it serves us well to force the idea of effective dialogue (4)/ No error (5)
- a) So it serves us well to force the idea of effective dialogue
- b) It has a young work force
- c) India can become an economic superpower
- d) China is becoming more expensive
- e) No error
- 44) The woman that had (1)/ kidnapped a child has now (2)/been apprehended and is being (3)/ held in the city's jail (4) / No error(5)
- a) held in the city's jail
- b) kidnapped a child has now
- c) The woman that had
- d) been apprehended and is being
- e) No error
- 45) Thanks to an insight and persistence of the local doctor, hundreds of victims have been able to resume normal life.
- a) and persistence of the local doctor,
- b) hundreds of victims have been able to resume normal life.

- c) No error
- d) Thanks to an insight
- 46) He is / capable to do this work / within the stipulated period. / No error
- a) capable to do this work
- b) within the stipulated period.
- c) He is
- d) No error
- 47) The President has denied (1)/ that the economy is in recession(2)/ or was go into one (3)/ despite a spate of downcast reports (4)/ No error (5).
- a) despite a spate of downcast reports
- b) that the economy is in recession
- c) The President has denied
- d) or was go into one
- e) No error
- 48) Three years have elapsed since I had gone to visit my aunt in the city.
- a) visit my aunt in the city.
- b) since I had gone to
- c) No error private Limited d) Three years have elapsed
- 49) The economical conditions (1)/ of our country bad (2)/and is unlikely to Improve (3)/ in the near future (4)/ No error (5)
- a) in the near future
- b) of our country is bad
- c) The economical conditions
- d) and is unlikely to Improve
- e) No error
- 50) A major computer security firm urged (1)/ the social networking site to set up (2)/ an early warning system after hundreds Of users were (3)/ hit by a new wave of virus attacks (4)/ No error(5)
- a) hit by a new wave of virus attacks
- b) the social networking site to set up
- c) A major computer security firm urged

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e) No error



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