

*fewer.*  
**Q1.** The less mistakes (a)/ you make in your calculations, (b)/ the more accurate your results will be. (c)/ No error (d)

*further*  
**Q2.** The manager asked for (a)/ farther details (b)/ about the new marketing strategy (c)/ before approving it. (d)

**Q3.** The committee agreed that this design (a)/ was most unique (b)/ among all the innovative entries submitted for the annual architecture competition. (c)/ No error (d)

X  
past Pr.  
(Adj)

1. Ans. (a) Use **fewer mistakes** in place of **less mistakes**.

2. Ans. (b) Use '**further**' instead of '**farther**'

3. Ans. (b) Remove **most** before **unique**

**Q4.** Of the four subjects, English, Mathematics, Science and History, (a)/ the latter (b)/ was the most difficult one for me . (c)/ No error (d) *last (one)*

**Q5.** No <sup>*fewer*</sup> less than twenty buses (a)/ were lined up outside the stadium (b)/ to carry the players and officials (c)/ back to their hotels. (d)

**Q6.** The museum is (a)/ a worth visiting <sup>*Adj*</sup> place <sup>*N*</sup> (b)/ for those who are interested (c)/ in ancient sculptures. (d)

4. Ans. (b) Use **last** in place of **latter**

5. Ans. (a) Use **fewer** in place of **less**

6. Ans. (b) Use '**place worth visiting**' instead of '**worth visiting place**'

**Q7.** Hard work, consistent practice, and (a)/ little <sup>a little ✓</sup> guidance from (b)/ the mentor, especially in handling difficult situations, can (c)/ lead to great success in any field. (d)

**Q8.** Her performance was (a)/ as exciting <sup>as ✓</sup> /, if (b)/ not more than her previous one. (c)/ No error (d)

**Q9.** This solution (a)/ is superior than <sup>to ✓</sup> the previous one (b)/ if we consider not only speed (c)/ but also cost-effectiveness and long-term sustainability. (d)



7. Ans. (b) Use “ a little” instead of “little”

8. Ans. (b) Use “as exciting as” in place of “as exciting

9. Ans. (b) Use “is superior to” instead of “is superior than”

**Q10.** He wore (a)/ the dress very designed by (b)/ his talented elder sister (c)/ for the annual school function. (d)

**Q11.** Late at night, (a)/ the firefighters found an ablaze house/(b)/ in the middle of the street (c)/ with flames everywhere. (d) *which was ablaze*

**Q12.** The needy (a)/ is <sup>are</sup> often overlooked (b)/ by society, even though they contribute in countless ways to the community. (c)/ no error (d)

10. Ans. (b) should be “**the very dress**” instead of “**the dress very**”

11. Ans. (b) Use “**house which was ablaze**” in place of ‘**an ablaze house**’

12. Ans. (b) Replace **is** with **are**



**Q13. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it.**

(a) This article says that Tamarind tastes

(b) more sourly than any other fruit → *sourer*

(c) in the whole world, but it is commonly

(d) used in making various Indian dishes

*S(N)(G) → P<sup>o</sup> L.V*

*Adj (sc) ✓ X Adv X*

**Q14. Driving on the right(a)/ is counterintuitively to the man(b)/ who has spent most(c)/ of the time driving in India(d) .**

13. Ans. (b) replace **more sourly** with **sourer**.

14. Ans. (b) Replace **counterintuitively** with **counterintuitive**

S V Obj Past Pr (Adj) P  
Q15. She executed the shot known(a)/ throughout the  
cricket world(b) /for its complexity as good as(c)/ dhoni  
did in 2009(d). P ← PO X well ✓

Q16. Of the three runners who(a)/ participated in one of  
the biggest (b)/ marathons , he was fast(c) /No error(d).  
fastest

Q17. Ancient India had(a) /many people responsible(b)/  
who carried out their responsibilities(c)/ through thick  
and thin(d).

15. Ans. (c) Replace **good** with **well**

16. Ans. (c) Replace **fast** with **fastest**

17. Ans. (b) Replace **people responsible** with **responsible people**

**Q18.** In a world where promises(a)/ are often made but not(b) /fulfilled , we should try to(c)/ be a true man to his word(d).

Adj N Adv Ph

<sup>D Adj Adv Past P N V Obj</sup>  
**Q19.** This newly launched book contains questions(a)/ relevant to the exam but(b) /the three last have never(c)/ been seen before(d).

**Q20.** The new employee whom you can see (a) /standing with our boss (b)/ is a fat big liar(c)/No error(d).

N



**18. Ans. (d) Replace true man to his word with man true to his word**

**19. Ans. (c) Replace three last with last three**

**20. Ans. (c) Replace fat big with big fat**

Q21. The new guidelines regarding the(a)/ delegation of financial power(b)/ to the head of offices have (c)/not yet been implanted despite repeating notices(d). → *repeated*

Q22. Do you know that unlike the Lizard, <sup>is ✓</sup> the(a)/ rat's tail can't grow back(b)/ after it has been cut intentionally or unintentionally (c)/No error (d).

Q23. *p ← p.o* As per this new notice, *each* every of the employees(a)/ *p ← p.o* who came late at the boss'(b)/ last meeting will(c)/ be fined/(d). *Adj. U.* *verb*

21. Ans. (d) Replace **repeating** with **Repeated**

22. Ans. (a) Replace **lizard** with **lizard's**

23. Ans. (a) Replace **every** with **each**

**Q24.** I hope you know that since he is very fastidious(a)/ about almost everything, a little people(b)/ are happy with him (c)/No error (d) *few*

**Q25.** Since he has joined the company(a)/ recently, he doesn't (b)/have some experience(c)/ regarding this task(d). *any*

**Q26.** The NGO whose services (a)/were benefitting the(b)/ society was suddenly(c)/ closed down by the autocratic government(d). *X, the services of which.*

**24. Ans. (b) Replace a little with few**

**25. Ans. (c) Replace some with any**

**26. Ans. (a) Replace whose with the services of which**



Q27. It is <sup>an</sup> the most (a)/eternal fact that we reap what (b)/  
we sow whether we accept it or not (c)/No error(d).

Q28. I can guarantee that Madhuri is whittier and wiser  
(a)/ than any(b)/other boy in her class (c)/. No error (d)  
X

Q29. Confidence in one's (a)/abilities is crucial for(b)/ a <sup>strong</sup> ~~strength~~ <sub>X Adj</sub>  
successful business, as(c)/ it helps in building a foundation(d).  
N ✓

27. Ans. (a) Replace **the most** with **an**

28. Ans. (c) Remove **other**

29. Ans. (d) Replace **strength** with **strong**

**Q30.** The smartphones are among(a)/ the more <sup>most ✓</sup> useful(b)/ technologies that (c)/ have been invented till now.(d)

**Q31.** I have made it a point to call my teachers on September 5 as a token of mine gratitude.

(a) on September 5 as a token

(b) I have made

(c) of mine gratitude ✓✓

(d) it a point to call my teachers

Noun  
X  
my ✓

30. Ans. (b) Replace **more** with **most**

31. Ans. (c) Replace **mine** with **my**

**Q32.** I think that he sang beautifully but I don't know why the judges were unimpress at the end.

(a) the judges were

(b) unimpress at the end //

(c) I think that he sang beautifully

(d) but I don't know why

unimpressed ✓

**Q33.** I have three sisters: Meera is the elder and Charu is the youngest.

(a) No error

(b) and Charu is the youngest

(c) I have three sisters:

(d) Meera is the elder //

eldest



**32. Ans (b) Replace unimpress with unimpressed**

**33. Ans. (d) Replace elder with eldest**

S    HV    MV    Obj  
Q34. We used to keep large plates of fruit on a table  
nearer this window in the dining room.

- (a) We used to ~~X~~ near ✓  
(b) nearer this window ✓✓  
(c) on a table  
(d) large plates of

hard — Adj  
          — Adv.

Q35. Some people believe that no matter how hardly  
you may try, success comes to you at its own time.

- (a) success comes  
(b) Some people believe that no matter  
(c) to you at its own time  
(d) how hardly you may try ✓

hardly → Adv  
          ↓  
          hard ✓

34. Ans. (b) replace **nearer** with **near**

35. Ans. (d) Replace **hardly** with **hard**.

**Q36.** Venus, the hottest planet in the solar system, has not enjoyed as much as recent attention as Mars.

(a) system, has not enjoyed

(b) as much as recent attention as Mars. //

(c) Venus, the hottest planet in the solar

(d) No error

S HV Adv MV Adv Adj (SC)

**Q37.** You should not be that (a)/cynical. Mr. Surya has no

interior motive (b)/ in offering you support. (c)/ No error

(d) ✗ ulterior

**Q38.** I could not believe that (a)/ Ajay got into a fight with those (b)/ thugs. I always thought (c)/that he is smarter

than brave. (d)

more smart

**36. Ans. (b)** Use 'as much recent attention as Mars' in place of 'as much as recent attention as Mars.'

**37. Ans. (b)** replace interior with ulterior

**38. Ans. (d)** replace smarter with more smart



## Sentence improvement

**Q39.** You can emphasize either of these four syllables in the poem written by shakespeare who is also known as the kalidasa of England .

- (a) emphasize any of these ✓ (b) emphasized either of these  
(c) emphasize nither for these (d) No substitution required

**Q40.** The Japanese people are known for their commitment toward the nation and praised for their efficiency .

- (a) Japanese (b) The Japanese ✓  
(c) Japan (d) no improvement

**39. Ans. (a)**

**40. Ans. (b)**

**Q41.** The student responded to the question so logically that the audience praised his analytic approach repeatedly despite the time constraints.

- (a) analytic approach repeat
- (b) analysis approach repeatedly
- (c) analytical approach repeatedly ✓✓
- (d) no improvement

**Q42.** This shirt which is newly launched in the market cost me five thousand rupee

- (a) costs me five thousand rupee ✗
- (b) costed me five thousand rupee ✗
- (c) cost me five thousands rupees ✗
- (d) cost me five thousand rupees ✓✓

41. Ans. (c)

42. Ans. (d)

**Q43.** Of the two plans submitted by the architect, this is the one much likely to be accepted.

- (a) most likely
- ~~(b) more likely~~
- (c) many likely
- (d) no improvement

**Q44.** Prashant is good from more other players of our school who participated in the all india cricket championship league .

- (a) good from many other ~~X~~
- (b) best than most other ~~X~~
- (c) better than most other
- (d) no improvement ~~X~~



43. Ans. (b)

44. Ans. (c)

**Q45.** Please tell me if you also think that no bird is more taller than a ostrich

- (a) no bird is much taller than an ostrich ✗
- (b) no other bird is as tall as an ostrich ✓✓
- (c) no bird is taller than ostrich ✗
- (d) no improvement ✗

**Q46.** A renowned chemist claimed that taking up to 50 times the commendable <sup>N</sup>dose of vitamin-c could treat anything from influenza to cancer.

- (a) Commended ✗
- (b) recommended ✓✓
- (c) prescribe ✗
- (d) vouched ✗

45. Ans. (b)

46. Ans. (b)

**Q47.** When I was in Europe last year , I used to roam around in London on alternate days.

- |                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| (a) Day after day | (b) alternative days |
| (c) day by day    | (d) no improvement   |



**Q48.** The prime minister's speech laid out how important it is to encourage female participate in the economy yet the percentage of female lawmakers in the lower house of the parliament has fallen to 8%

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| (a) female participants | (b) female participation |
| (c) women participate   | (d) no improvement       |



**47. Ans. (d)**

**48. Ans. (b)**



**Q49.** He claimed that he was merely an uninterested participant in the negotiation held by senior officers.

- (a) an interested      ~~(b)~~ a disinterested  
(c) a uninterested      (d) no improvement

**Q50.** He has told me that of Rajni and Usha, the later is the most responsible.

- (a) the later is more      (b) The latter is more ✓  
(c) The latter is most      (d) No substitution

**49. Ans . (b)**

**50. Ans. (b)**

**Q51.** 50 Chinese couples were married at a ceremony in Colombo to mark the anniversary of (diplomat relations between the two countries).  
X N

- (a) Diplomatic relations among the two countries
- (b) Diplomatic relations between the two countries //
- (c) Diplomacy relations between each other
- (d) No improvement

**Q52.** The people living in the coastal areas experience a interested phenomenon.  
X

- (a) No Improvement
- (b) the interested phenomenon
- (c) interestingly phenomenon
- (d) an interesting phenomenon //

**51. Ans. (b)**

**52. Ans. (d)**

**Q53.** Among all the novels I have read in the past year, this one is far the most engaging.

(a) by far the most engaging ✓

(b) at farthest the most engaging

(c) by far more engaging ✗

(d) No improvement required



53. Ans. (a) by far the most engaging

## Fill in the blanks

**Q54.** The branches of the old mango tree were \_\_\_\_\_  
heavy with ripe, golden mangoes.

- (a) loaded with      (b) laden with ✓✓  
(c) loaded by      (d) laden by

**Q55.** Despite its simple appearance, this grammar book is  
arguably \_\_\_\_\_ resource I've encountered.

- (a) most effective      (b) more effective  
(c) the most effective ✓✓ (d) the more effective

**54. Ans. (b)** laden with

**55. Ans. (c)**