

RASI ENGLISH GUIDES 2023-24

1. TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA

SYNONYMS

STD : XII

SUB : ENGLISH

Choose the most appropriate synonyms of the underlined words in the following sentences.

15x1=15

1. One could face adversities in life.
a. happiness b. success c. advancement d. hardships
2. He shrugged his shoulders to convey his disapproval.
a. approval b. endorsement c. refusal d. agreement
3. Trade slackened.
a. increased b. reduced c. enlarged d. maximized
4. My interest was provoked by their remarkable demeanour.
a. reality b. combination c. behaviour d. affix
5. They were quite artless.
a. artistic b. talented c. innocent d. remarkable
6. They shined shoes and hawked newspapers and ran errands.
a. borrowed b. vend c. printed d. dumped
7. We came upon them in the windy and deserted square.
a. uninhabited b. crowded c. populous d. teeming
8. Nicola was glaring at his young brother in vexation.
a. jam-packed b. annoyance c. tranquility d. calmness
9. She led me through a cool, tiled vestibule into the hospital.
a. lobby b. gallery c. restroom d. salon
10. They built with their own hands amidst the rubble.
a. debris b. assets c. baggage d. bundle
11. Lugi shrugged his shoulders.
a. drove b. annoyed c. suffered d. raised
12. Two small boys were with their brown skins, tangled hair and dark hair.
a. reduced b. twisted c. relied d. paused
13. "You must be saving up to emigrate to America," I suggested.
a. run b. adopt c. migrate d. caused
14. Their selfless action brought a new nobility to human life.
a. simple b. modest c. nature d. dignity
15. They brought her here, persuaded us to take her into the hospital.
a. convinced b. supported c. bribed d. stopped

ANSWER KEY

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| 1. d | 6. b | 11. d |
| 2. c | 7. a | 12. b |
| 3. b | 8. b | 13. d |
| 4. c | 9. a | 14. d |
| 5. c | 10. a | 15. a |

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MARATHON TEST - 2

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ANTONYMS

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Choose the most appropriate antonyms of the underlined words in the following sentences.

15x1=15

1. Our cautious driver warned us.
a. alert b. careful c. incautious d. timid
2. The boys are doing brisk business.
a. active b. lethargic c. energetic d. fresh
3. Nicola's smile was steady and engaging.
a. charming b. boring c. pleasant d. attractive
4. Our destinations would be some humble dwellings.
a. pretentious b. modest c. simple d. lowly
5. The resistance movement began secretly.
a. opposition b. acceptance c. curiosity d. rarity
6. They persuaded us to take her into the hospital.
a. support b. convince c. sway d. dissuade
7. Work is scarce in Verona.
a. abundant b. hardly c. rare d. insufficient
8. Their selfless action brought a new nobility to human life.
a. grandeur b. dishonour c. aristocrat d. elite
9. Their devotion had touched me deeply.
a. loyalty b. supplication c. disloyalty d. allegiance
10. I rang the bell determinedly.
a. firmly b. unshakably c. ambitiously d. casually
11. A pleasant - looking woman with steel-rimmed spectacles appeared.
a. disapproved b. approved c. disappeared d. shown
12. They were childish enough and in many ways quite artless.
a. cunning b. honour c. dishonor d. reverence
13. We came upon them in the windy and deserted square.
a. discomfort b. dark c. disappoint d. inhabited
14. There is every hope that one day she will walk and sing - again.
a. faith b. despair c. belief d. stray
15. She has made good progress.
a. regress b. process c. vices d. stale

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ANSWER KEY

1. c
2. b
3. b
4. a
5. b

6. d
7. a
8. b
9. c
10. d

11. c
12. a
13. d
14. b
15. a

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MARATHON TEST - 3

HOMOPHONES

STD : XII

SUB : ENGLISH

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words given in pairs.

15x2=30

1. I had no _____. He gave me a _____ of advice. (piece / peace)
2. The story told by the ____ old man is not _____. (credulous / credible)
3. They had dates for ____ in the _____. (dessert / desert)
4. The writer wrote the ____ about the ____ of the horse. (tail / tale)
5. I like ____ trees and ____ coats. (fir / fur)
6. Some tribes ____ before hunting their _____. (prey / pray)
7. I jot down the ____ products in my _____. (diary / dairy)
8. The vendors ____ the bouquet with a ____ of scissors. (pair / pare)
9. What ____ is the office on in this ____? (storey / story)
10. We are not ____ to read ____ in the library. (allowed / aloud)
11. ____ people cannot show the ____ way to success. (idle / ideal)
12. You are not ____ as your handwriting is _____. (illegible / eligible)
13. The doctor tried to ____ the wound on your _____. (heal / heel)
14. I am ____ happy to be ____ inside the holy place. (quiet / quite)
15. The huge hike in bus ____ is not _____. (fare / fair)

ANSWER KEY

1. peace, piece
2. credulous, credible
3. dessert, desert
4. tale, tail
5. fir, fur

6. pray, prey
7. dairy, diary
8. pare, pair
9. storey, story
10. allowed, aloud

11. idle, ideal
12. eligible, illegible
13. heal, heel
14. quite, quiet
15. fare, fair

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MARATHON TEST - 4

STD : XII

TENSES

SUB : ENGLISH

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs given in the brackets. 15x1=15

1. Water _____ (boil) at 100⁰ C.
2. I _____ (give) them money if I had more.
3. One never knows what the future _____ (bring).
4. Internet connections _____ (give) in Pollachi by the end of next year.
5. The children _____ (burst) into peals of laughter.
6. I _____ (call) on you if I had known you were ill.
7. Teach me to fish, I _____ (live) for a life time.
8. Water _____ (collect) in the tank.
9. If I had time, I _____ (teach) him.
10. In primitive times, stone implements _____ (employ) to kill animals.
11. While they _____ (play), there was a sudden downpour.
12. If I _____ (visit) Agra, I shall see the Taj Mahal.
13. All that _____ (glitter) is not gold.
14. If you worked hard, you _____ (pass).
15. The baby _____ (demand) everyone's attention.

ANSWER KEY

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| 1. boils | 6. would have called | 11. were playing |
| 2. would give | 7. will live | 12. visit |
| 3. will bring | 8. is collected | 13. glitters |
| 4. will have been given | 9. would teach | 14. would pass |
| 5. burst | 10. were employed | 15. demands |

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MARATHON TEST – 5

PHRASAL VERB

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SUB : ENGLISH

Replace the underlined phrasal verb with the appropriate option given below.

1. You should get up and give the elderly man your seat.
a. sit b. stand c. lie down d. respect
2. Please go ahead and eat before the food gets cold.
a. finished b. alight from c. proceed d. walk
3. I have to look after my sick grandmother.
a. take care of b. hold her c. respect her d. quarrel
4. We are going to look into the price of snowboards today.
a. investigate b. refresh c. take care d. inspect
5. His uncle passed away last night after a long illness.
a. left b. extinct c. died d. quit
6. It was so hot in the church that an elderly lady passed out.
a. fainted b. left out c. sent out d. fired
7. I passed up the job because I am afraid of change.
a. chose b. accepted c. invited d. decline
8. I picked out three sweaters for you to try on.
a. purchased b. packed c. chose d. bought
9. We are putting off our trip until January because of the hurricane.
a. postpone b. plan c. schedule d. cancel
10. The neighbours put the fire out before the firemen arrived.
a. tolerate b. extinguish c. accelerate d. heap
11. It is still a mystery why the government turned down his project proposal.
a. accepted b. rejected c. considered d. delayed

12. We need to sort the bills out before the first of the month.

- a. mess up b. order c. organize d. arrange

13. My plane takes off in five minutes.

- a. arrive b. start to fly c. begin to fly d. delay

14. We threw our old furniture away when we won the lottery.

- a. dispose b. cancel c. postpone d. organize

15. Our plan worked out well.

- a. came out b. experience c. succeeded d. result

ANSWER KEY

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|------|------|------|-------|-------|
| 1. b | 4. a | 7. d | 10. b | 13. b |
| 2. c | 5. c | 8. c | 11. b | 14. a |
| 3. a | 6. a | 9. a | 12. c | 15. c |