

RASI ENGLISH GUIDES 2023-24

MARATHON TEST - 4

STD : XI

HOMOPHONES

SUB : ENGLISH

Fill in the blanks with appropriate words given in pairs.

15x2=30

1. They had dates for _____ in the _____. (**dessert, desert**)
2. The thief tried to _____ a bureau made of _____. (**steal, steel**)
3. The police tried to _____ information from the criminal who involved in _____ trade. (**illicit, elicit**)
4. The _____ scientist has warned about the _____ danger of extinction. (**imminent, eminent**)
5. The army _____ has a _____ motive in opposing the decision of the team. (**personal, personnel**)
6. An _____ student should not be _____ in his task. (**ideal, idle**)
7. Many VIPs led a _____ life in the _____ estate. (**luxurious, luxuriant**)
8. The car remained _____ during the course of travel towards the _____ shop. (**stationary, stationery**)
9. The manager asked to _____ the sign in the _____. (**check, cheque**)
10. The police officials _____ the booty from the criminals to _____ their activity. (**seize, cease**)
11. There is no _____ during his _____. (**rain, reign**)
12. The _____ map was hidden inside a little _____ of the hill. (**whole, hole**)
13. Our _____ is a man of _____. (**principal, principle**)
14. He is a _____ actor who hailed from the _____ country. (**popular, populous**)
15. Indian _____ tries to get _____ visa. (**emigrant, immigrant**)

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ANSWER KEY

1. dessert, desert
2. steal, steel
3. elicit, illicit
4. eminent, imminent
5. personnel, personal

6. ideal, idle
7. luxurious, luxuriant
8. stationary, stationery
9. check, cheque
10. seize, cease

11. rain, reign
12. whole, hole
13. principal, principle
14. popular, populous
15. emigrant, immigrant

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