

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

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|------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. dessert, desert | 6. ideal, idle | 11. rain, reign |
| 2. steal, steel | 7. luxurious, luxuriant | 12. whole, hole |
| 3. elicit, illicit | 8. stationary, stationery | 13. principal, principle |
| 4. eminent, imminent | 9. check, cheque | 14. popular, populous |
| 5. personnel, personal | 10. seize, cease | 15. emigrant, immigrant |

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