



STANDARD : XII
SUBJECT : ENGLISH

SET - 1

(i) Answer all the questions. (ii) Choose the most appropriate from the given four alternatives and write the option code and the corresponding answer. 20 x 1 = 20

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

- Nicola was glaring at his young brother in vexation.
(a) happiness (b) annoyance (c) anger (d) surprise
- Suffering ennobles you - makes you a better person.
(a) encourages (b) irritates (c) spoils (d) makes dignified
- A few people from the house of bereavement stood outside.
(a) celebration (b) rich (c) grief (d) harmony

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

- Not that flat, shallow type
(a) deep (b) new (c) attractive (d) costly
- With a sigh of delight, we collapsed into our sleeping bags.
(a) sorrow (b) glee (c) pleasure (d) satisfaction
- I have liberty to be indifferent to you.
(a) different (b) fashionable (c) interested (d) friendly
- Form a new word by adding suitable suffix to the root word "honour".
(a) -- ity (b) -- ly (c) - able (d) -- ment
- Choose the meaning of the foreign word "adieu".
(a) good bye (b) totally (c) on the way to (d) genuine
- Choose the correct expansion of the Abbreviation 'NOC'.
(a) No Objection Certificate (b) North Of Canada
(c) National Overseas Company (d) Natural Oil Company
- Choose the correct plural form of the word 'medium'.
(a) medius (b) media (c) medii (d) medix
- Choose the suitable meaning for the idiom "in deep waters".
(a) under the sea (b) in trouble (c) very near (d) think carefully
- Choose the correct American English word for "underground".
(a) vacation (b) sidewall (c) ground floor (d) subway
- Choose the correct unclipped form of the word "demo".
(a) demons (b) democracy (c) demonstration (d) demarcate
- Choose the word that has been spelt wrongly.
(a) tomorrow (b) choclate (c) department (d) amateur
- Replace the underlined word with a suitable phrasal verb.
The bowler's appeal was rejected by the umpire.
(a) turned out (b) turned off (c) turned in (d) turned down
- Choose the appropriate Question tag.
We rarely go to movies, _____?
(a) don't we (b) aren't we (c) isn't it (d) do we
- Replace the underlined word with its polite form.
Raja is unemployed now as he has resigned his job recently.
(a) between jobs (b) in low income level (c) home make (d) full figured
- Identify the correct blended form of 'camera + recorder'.
(a) camerader (b) camcorder (c) camrecord (d) cameracord
- Identify the correct combination of the compound word 'buttermilk'.
(a) Noun + Noun (b) Noun + Verb (c) Noun + Adjective (d) Adverb + Noun
- Fill in the blank with the suitable prepositional phrase.
Our teacher always thinks _____ her students.
(a) in case of (b) in spite of (c) in favour of (d) instead of

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

- The best manner of making it is the subject of violent disputes.
(a) agreements (b) conflicts (c) discussions (d) applauses
- I continued making the trail on up the ridge.
(a) design (b) sound (c) track (d) excuse

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3. Liberty is not a personal affair only, but a social **contract**.
 (a) challenge (b) **problem** (c) confusion (d) commitment
- Choose the most appropriate antonyms of the underlined words in the following sentences.
4. The **anticipation** of this imagined separation increases their fondness for the calf.
 (a) **ignorance** (b) expectation (c) information (d) outlook
5. We came upon them in the windy and **deserted** square.
 (a) developed (b) cleaned (c) deprived (d) **inhabited**
6. What is **important** is what you have left.
 (a) significant (b) **unimportant** (c) different (d) remarkable
7. Form a new word by adding suitable prefix to the root word "**respect**".
 (a) **dis --** (b) un -- (c) ir -- (d) non --
8. Choose the appropriate linker and complete the sentence.
 There was a skirmish _____ my brother and sister.
 (a) among (b) **between** (c) under (d) since
9. Choose the correct expansion of the Acronym '**RAW**'.
 (a) Radio And Wi-fi (b) Research Aided Work (c) **Research and Analysis** Wing (d) Reality After War
10. Identify the **pattern** of the following sentence : 'The sky appeared red yesterday.'
 (a) **SVCA** (b) SVOA (c) SVOC (d) SVIDO
11. Choose the suitable meaning for the idiom "**down - to - earth**".
 (a) useful (b) majestic (c) **practical** (d) poor
12. Choose the correct British English word for "**queue**".
 (a) **line** (b) subway (c) fall (d) elevator
13. Choose the word with **three syllables** from the following.
 (a) democracy (b) utility (c) daughter (d) **enormous**
14. Choose the word that has been **spelt rightly**.
 (a) conclution (b) atheletics (c) **secretary** (d) seperate
15. Replace the underlined word with a suitable phrasal verb.
 We **started** for the journey in the early morning.
 (a) **set off** (b) set up (c) set on (d) set to
16. Choose the appropriate **Question tag**. **Let us** go shopping, _____?
 (a) will you (b) don't we (c) **shall we** (d) won't you
17. Replace the underlined word with its polite form.
 IRCTC gives travelling concessions to the **old people**.
 (a) home makers (b) late bloomers (c) **senior citizens** (d) care takers
18. Identify the correct blended form of '**camera + recorder**'.
 (a) camerader (b) **camcorder** (c) camrecord (d) cameracord
19. Choose the appropriate word to be placed after '**seat**' to form a compound word.
 (a) wheel (b) gate (c) **belt** (d) proof
20. Fill in the blank with the suitable **prepositional phrase**.
 _____, I had a happy childhood.
 (a) On account of (b) **On the whole** (c) On behalf of (d) In favour of

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

1. He **shrugged** his shoulders to convey his disapproval.
 (a) **raised** (b) avoided (c) rubbed (d) washed
2. something basic that was full of **solace** for me.
 (a) ideas (b) trouble (c) advice (d) **comfort**
3. A few people from the house of **bereavement** stood outside.
 (a) celebration (b) rich (c) **grief** (d) harmony

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

4. We can be wise or **ridiculous**.
 (a) **serious** (b) comical (c) funny (d) uneducated
5. which are not to be **despised**.
 (a) **liked** (b) disliked (c) respected (d) defeated
6. We cut a seat for ourselves just **below** the South Summit.
 (a) among (b) under (c) beneath (d) **above**
7. Form a new word by adding suitable prefix to the root word "**fertile**".
 (a) mis-- (b) dis-- (c) **in --** (d) un --
8. Choose the **correct word** from the options given and complete the sentence.
 Columbus _____ America.
 (a) **discovered** (b) invented (c) created (d) destroyed



9. Choose the correct expansion of the Abbreviation **'UAE'**.
 (a) Union of Australia and England (b) **United Arab Emirates**
 (c) Universally Accepted English (d) United Alliance Establishment
10. Choose the correct singular form of the word **'crises'**.
 (a) crisi (b) cries (c) crise (d) **crisis**
11. Choose the suitable meaning for the idiom **"null and void"**.
 (a) correct (b) **invalid** (c) very near (d) relevant
12. Choose the correct American English word for **"autumn"**.
 (a) **fall** (b) railroad (c) cookies (d) schedule
13. Choose the correct clipped form of the word **"refrigerator"**.
 (a) friger (b) refrige (c) **fridge** (d) frigerator
14. Choose the correct **relative pronoun** and complete the sentence.
 Mr.Salim, _____ company I work in, is a blood donor.
 (a) where (b) **whose** (c) which (d) that
15. Replace the underlined word with a suitable **phrasal verb**.
 We **vacated** the hotel room and left for the airport.
 (a) **checked out** (b) checked in (c) signed off (d) took over
16. Choose the appropriate **Question tag**. I am happy, _____?
 (a) **aren't I** (b) don't I (c) amn't I (d) am I
17. Replace the underlined word with its polite form. He bought a **cheap** gift for the function.
 (a) low income (b) **economical** (c) pre-owned (d) second hand
18. Identify the correct blended form of **'breakfast + lunch'**.
 (a) branch (b) bench (c) **brunch** (d) fast lunch
19. Identify the correct combination of the compound word **'overstep'**.
 (a) Adverb + Verb (b) Noun + Verb (c) Noun + Adjective (d) **Adverb + Noun**
20. Fill in the blank with the suitable preposition.
 This story is _____ a freedom fighter. (a) among (b) along (c) between (d) **about**

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

1. and no more humps to **tantalize** us with hopes of success.
 (a) minimize (b) praise (c) refresh (d) **tease**
2. and seeing your car pulled up by his **insolence** of office.
 (a) **rudeness** (b) kindness (c) smartness (d) awareness
3.under the spout to catch the **stray** leaves.
 (a) harmful (b) **loose** (c) gathered (d) fresh

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

4. They brought her here, **persuaded** us to take her into the hospital.
 (a) convinced (b) appreciated (c) **dissuaded** (d) invaded
5. **Fortuitously**, a guest visited our house.
 (a) luckily (b) peacefully (c) happily (d) **unfortunately**
6. He had full **confidence** in the mechanic.
 (a) difference (b) **diffidence** (c) fear (d) acceptance
7. Form a new word by adding suitable suffix to the root word **"willing"**.
 (a) **-ness** (b) -- ment (c) - full (d) -- able

8. 'Harry Potter' is the **magnum opus** of J.K.Rowling.

Choose the meaning of the underlined foreign word from the following options.

- (a) most criticized work (b) **most important work** (c) borrowed work (d) last work
9. Choose the correct expansion of the Abbreviation **'OTP'**.
 (a) Own Transaction Portal (b) Over Time Project (c) Only Time Pass (d) **One Time Password**
10. Identify the pattern of the following sentence.
 They elected her their leader in the meeting.
 (a) **SVOCA** (b) SVIDO (c) SVCAA (d) SVOA
11. Choose the word that can be placed before 'knob' to form a compound word.
 (a) book (b) toll (c) water (d) **door**
12. 'Showing exceptional courage while facing danger' is called _____.
 (a) criticism (b) egocentrism (c) **heroism** (d) idealism
13. Choose the correct article from the given options and complete the sentence.
 Lily is _____ tallest student in the class.
 (a) a (b) **the** (c) an (d) none of these
14. Choose the word that has been spelt wrongly.
 (a) conscience (b) competent (c) necessary (d) **assisstant**



15. Replace the underlined word with a suitable phrasal verb.
The meeting was **postponed** due to heavy rain.. (a) put down (b) put out (c) **put off** (d) put on
16. Complete the given sentence by choosing the appropriate **correlative conjunction**.
My sister is _____ a good singer _____ a good dancer.
(a) **not only ... but also** (b) whether ... or (c) scarcely ... when (d) rather ... than
17. Choose the correct clipped form of the word '**university**'.
(a) versity (b) **varsity** (c) universe (d) unity
18. Identify the correct blended form of '**education + entertainment**'.
(a) edument (b) entercation (c) **edutainment** (d) educament
19. Identify the correct combination of the compound word '**public speaking**'.
(a) Adjective + Noun (b) **Noun + Gerund** (c) Noun + Verb (d) Gerund + Noun
20. Fill in the blank with the suitable non - finite form.
I enjoy _____ books. (a) **reading** (b) to read (c) read (d) having read

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

1. They were childish enough, and in many ways quite **artless**.
(a) wicked (b) **innocent** (c) playful (d) unattractive
2. Amma would say with an **impudent** smile.
(a) indifferent (b) **misleading** (c) dignified (d) disrespectful
3. Individual liberty would have become social **anarchy**.
(a) **lawlessness** (b) welfare (c) justice (d) harmony

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

4. One does not feel wiser, braver or more **optimistic**.
(a) **pessimistic** (b) systematic (c) classic (d) realistic
5. We were able to shuffle past these **difficult** portions.
(a) hard (b) tough (c) interesting (d) **easy**
6. Suffering seems so cruelly **prevalent** in the world today.
(a) unbelievable (b) unavoidable (c) **uncommon** (d) merciful
7. Choose the noun that cannot form a verb using the prefix 'en ____'.
(a) slave (b) **friend** (c) circle (d) danger
8. Choose the appropriate **preposition** and complete the sentence.
We have been studying in this school _____ 2017.
(a) before (b) after (c) **since** (d) across

9. Choose the correct expansion of the Abbreviation '**TPL**'.
(a) **Indian Premier League** (b) International Premier League
(c) Indian Players League (d) International Players League

10. Choose the correct plural form of the word '**alumnus**'.
(a) alumnae (b) **alumni** (c) alumna (d) alumnuses
11. Choose the suitable meaning for the idiom '**once in a blue moon**'.
(a) very near (b) until the last moment (c) extremely happy (d) **very rarely**
12. Choose the correct American English word for '**flat**'.
(a) plot (b) **apartment** (c) elevator (d) ground floor
13. One who treats heart problems is called _____.
(a) nephrologist (b) sociologist (c) **cardiologist** (d) pulmonologist
14. Which of the following sentences is of the pattern '**SVAA**'.
(a) **I went to Chennai by train.** (b) She is a teacher in Salem.
(c) He presented me pen yesterday. (d) They named the child Guru.

15. Replace the underlined word with a suitable phrasal verb.
We should not **yield** to fear, power and favour.
(a) give up (b) **give in** (c) give away (d) give out
16. Choose the appropriate Question tag. There is a temple in our street, _____?
(a) isn't it (b) is it? (c) **isn't there** (d) doesn't it
17. Choose the appropriate **linker** and complete the sentence.
_____ it was raining, they continued to play.
(a) **Though** (b) As soon as (c) Therefore (d) Unless

18. The blended word '**paratroop**' is derived from the combination of _____.
(a) paragraph + troop (b) paramilitary + troop (c) **parachute + troop** (d) paragon + troop
19. Identify the correct combination of the compound word '**software**'.
(a) Verb + Noun (b) Noun + Verb (c) Noun + Adjective (d) **Adjective + Noun**
20. Choose the root word that cannot be added to the suffix '--- sion'.
(a) permit (b) **calculate** (c) conclude