





Solution

S1. Ans.(c)

Sol. Use past perfect tense. Write "had begun". When two events happen in the past, the event happens first is expressed by past perfect tense, and the second event is denoted by simple past tense.

S2. Ans.(c)

Sol. here 'like' will not be used. the idiom "raining cats and dogs" may refer to a storm with wind (dogs) and heavy rain (cats).

S3. Ans.(a)

Sol. Preposition 'to' will not be used. Write 'I would request you'.

S4. Ans.(b)

Sol. Each is singular pronoun, hence singular verb 'plays' will be used.

S5. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'not one' is singular in meaning, hence singular verb 'has' will be used.

S6. Ans.(b)

Sol. Plural verb 'are' will be used. In the case of "either-or" verb is used according to the nearest subject. 'his friends' is plural.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. The given sentence is grammatically correct.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'to look forward to' is correct prepositional phrase.

S9. Ans.(a)

Sol. Here 'up' will not be used. 'cope with' is correct phrasal verb.

S10. Ans.(a)

Sol. Write 'has served' or 'had served'.

S11. Ans.(b)

Sol. Write 'a' in place of 'the most'.

S12. Ans.(b)

Sol. Write 'room' in place of 'place'.



S14. Ans.(b)

Sol. Write 'superior to'. 'than' is incorrect.

S15. Ans.(d)

Sol. The given sentence is grammatically correct.

S16. Ans.(b)

Sol. write question form. Verb before subject. Write 'are' before 'you'.

S17. Ans.(a)

Sol. Write 'had been' in place of 'am'.

S18. Ans.(c)

Sol. Write 'that in' after 'like'.

S19. Ans.(c)

Sol. Write 'is' in place of 'are'.

S20. Ans.(d)

Sol. The given sentence is grammatically correct

S21. Ans.(a)

Sol. Devout -having or showing deep religious feeling or commitment

S22. Ans.(b)

Sol. Abet -encourage or assist (someone) to do something wrong, in particular to commit a crime.

S23. Ans.(c)

Sol. Condole -express sympathy for (someone); grieve with.

S24. Ans.(a)

Sol. Affiliate -officially attach or connect (a subsidiary group or a person) to an organization.

S25. Ans.(c)

Sol. Heresy -belief or opinion contrary to orthodox religious (especially Christian) doctrine.

S26. Ans.(b)

Sol. Nullify -make legally null and void; invalidate.

ratify- sign or give formal consent to (a treaty, contract, or agreement), making it officially valid.

S27. Ans.(c)

Sol. Lax -not sufficiently strict, severe, or careful., rigorous- extremely thorough and careful.





Sol. Macrocosm -the whole of a complex structure, especially the world or the universe, contrasted with a small or representative part of it.

microcosm-a community, place, or situation regarded as encapsulating in miniature the characteristics of something much larger.

S29. Ans.(c)

Sol. Munificent -characterized by or displaying great generosity.

S30. Ans.(c)

Sol. malevolent -having or showing a wish to do evil to others.

S31. Ans.(d)

Sol. Piquant -pleasantly stimulating or exciting to the mind., bland-(of food or drink) unseasoned, mild-tasting, or insipid.

S32. Ans.(d)

Sol. Perseverance -persistence in doing something despite difficulty or delay in achieving success.

S33. Ans.(c)

Sol. Unobtrusive -not conspicuous or attracting attention.

S34. Ans.(b)

Sol. Aggravate -make (a problem, injury, or offence) worse or more serious. mitigate -make (something bad) less severe, serious, or painful.

S35. Ans.(b)

Sol. Naive -(of a person or action) showing a lack of experience, wisdom, or judgement.

S36. Ans.(c)

Sol. The more things change- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.

S37. Ans.(d)

Sol. the best indicator of public sentiment. - is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.

S38. Ans.(a)

Sol. It is important- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.

S39. Ans.(d)

Sol. he becomes by it- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.

S40. Ans.(a)

Sol. seem to have been produced- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.



Sol. demonstrate their strength- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement.

S42. Ans.(a)

Sol. series of footnotes to- is correct choice to complete the meaning of the given statement

S43. Ans.(a)

Sol. across several countries in the world

S44. Ans.(d)

Sol. describes the Banyan Tree – the National tree of India

S45. Ans.(a)

Sol. draining liquidity out from the system

S46. Ans.(b)

Sol. a hornet's nest. a situation or subject which causes a lot of people to become angry and upset.

S47. Ans.(c)

Sol. God's acre: A churchyard burial area. The phrase is a translation of the German word, Gottesacker, "God's field" where the souls of the faithful are sown.

S48. Ans.(b)

Sol. wrangle for an ass's shadow: To argue over trivial matters.

S49. Ans.(c)

Sol. play second fiddle-have a subordinate role to someone or something; be treated as less important than someone or something.

S50. Ans.(a)

Sol. Beggar description-be too extraordinary to be believed or described.

S51. Ans.(d)

Sol. Flogging a dead horse- is an idiom that means to continue a particular endeavour is a waste of time as the outcome is already decided. **CAREER POWER**

S52. Ans.(b)

Sol. Face the music -be confronted with the unpleasant consequences of one's actions.

S53. Ans.(d)

Sol. plough a lone/lonely furrow-to do something alone and without help from other people



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Sol. a prophet of doom-someone who always expects bad things to happen

S55. Ans.(b)

Sol. Replace 'at crushing' with 'in crushing'...

S56. Ans.(c)

Sol. Here the appropriate phrase is 'contrasted with'.

Therefore, the bold part should be replaced with option (c).

S57. Ans.(b)

Sol. To express a sense of 'very' we use 'so'. Therefore, 'such severe' should be replaced with 'so severe'.

S58. Ans.(d)

Sol. 'More than one' takes singular noun and Singular verb.

S59. Ans.(c)

Sol. To express contrasting facts, 'yet' is used. (For example, He is rich yet he is miser). Therefore, in place of 'but' it should be 'yet'.

S60. Ans.(a)

Sol. The 'still' is used to express the present status of something which was started in the past.

Therefore, 'brother yet at' should be replaced with 'brother still at'.

S61. Ans.(b)

Sol. Where there are more subjects than one in a sentence, 231 rule is followed. 231, means the second person is followed by third person and the third person is followed by the first person. Hence the bold part should be replaced with option (B).

S62. Ans.(a)

Sol. The use of 'that' is superfluous. Hence delete it.

S63. Ans.(c)

Sol. The 'Each' is singular. Hence its pronoun and verb should be singular. Therefore, 'their' should be replaced with 'his' and 'pay' should be replaced with 'pays'.

S64. Ans.(c)

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Sol. The 'would' when used as a modal conveys a sense of possibility of happening something whereas 'will' is an auxiliary verb which is used to make a sentence of Future Tense. Moreover 'will' also expresses happening of something in future with a certain degree of certainty. Therefore, the bold part should be replaced with option (C).

The given question expresses an event which took place in past. Hence in place of 'has' it sl be 'had'. Therefore replace 'has broken it' with 'had broken it'.

S66. Ans.(a)

Sol. The correct phrase is 'to catch up with'. Hence replace the bold part with option (A).

S67. Ans.(a)

Sol. When someone requires something we usually say that he is in need of something, after 'need' it should be 'of'. Therefore, replace the bold part with option (A).

S68. Ans.(a)

Sol. The first part of the sentence is written in Active Voice while the second part has been deliberately written in Passive Voice which is not appropriate. Hence the second part which is also bold part should be written in Active Voice. Hence option (A) is correct.

S69. Ans.(b)

Sol. Someone who is unconscious when recovers consciousness 'come round' is used. Therefore, in place of 'out' it should be 'round'.

S70. Ans.(b)

Sol. impunity: exemption from punishment or freedom from the injurious consequences of an action.

S71. Ans.(b)

Sol. Pensive- engaged in, involving, or reflecting deep or serious thought.

S72. Ans.(d)

Sol. Honorary: (of an office or its holder) unpaid.

S73. Ans.(a)

Sol. Hypochondria- a person who is abnormally anxious about their health.

S74. Ans.(a)

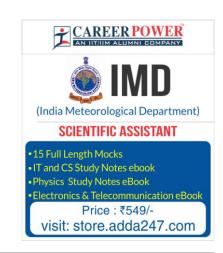
Sol. Fanfare: a short ceremonial tune or flourish played on brass instruments, typically to introduce something or someone important.

S75. Ans.(d)

Sol. Epicure: a person who takes particular pleasure in fine food and drink.

S76. Ans.(a)

Sol. Credible: able to be believed; convincing.







Sol. tumour: a swelling of a part of the body, generally without inflammation, caused by an abnormal growth of tissue, whether benign or malignant.

S78. Ans.(c)

Sol. Usurer: a person who lends money at unreasonably high rates of interest.

S79. Ans.(d)

Sol. Heresy: belief or opinion contrary to orthodox religious (especially Christian) doctrine.

S80. Ans.(d)

Sol. Philistine: a person who is hostile or indifferent to culture and the arts.

S81. Ans.(a)

Sol. Nonpareil: having no match or equal; unrivalled.

S82. Ans.(c)

Sol. wag- wit, joker

S83. Ans.(b)

Sol. Constellation: a group of stars forming a recognizable pattern that is traditionally named after its apparent form or identified with a mythological figure

S84. Ans.(c)

Sol. Incorrigible: (of a person or their behaviour) not able to be changed or reformed.

S85. Ans.(d)

Sol. Philanderer- a man who readily or frequently enters into casual sexual relationships with women: a womanizer.

S86. Ans.(c)

Sol. Stoic-a person who can endure pain or hardship without showing their feelings or complaining.

S87. Ans.(b)

Sol. A herbivore is an animal that gets its energy from eating plants, and only plants.

S88. Ans.(d)

Sol. Stub-the truncated remnant of a pencil, cigarette, or similar-shaped object after use.

S89. Ans.(c)

Sol. A pragmatist is someone who is pragmatic, that is to say, someone who is practical and focused on reaching a goal.





Ambidextrous-able to use the right and left hands equally well.

S91. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'They will look after you well.' The given question sentence is in passive voice. you need to change in active voice. Use subject 'they'.

S92. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'Weren't you told to be here by six o'clock? Option A is correct passive form of the given question sentence.

S93. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'This switch must not be touched.' (The structure should be-subject+ verb+ to be +object)

S94. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'Grapes cannot be gathered from thistles.' Option B is correct passive form of the sentence.

S95. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'The work will have been completed by the time we get there.' Write 'the work' as subject of the passive voice, (been + past participle) form of the verb.

S96. Ans.(a)

Sol. This skyscraper will have to be pulled down as the town planning regulations have not been complied with.

S97. Ans.(b)

Sol. Everyone is fascinated by the poem which has been written by him.

S98. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'Will I ever forget those happy days? The given sentence in the question is in passive voice, you need to convert into active voice.

S99. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'Please permit him.' The given sentence in the question is in passive voice, you need to convert into active voice.

S100. Ans.(c)

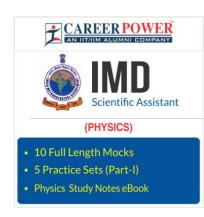
Sol. "A new car has been bought by me."

S101. Ans.(d)

Sol. Students might have been given some concessions by their teachers.

S102. Ans.(a)

Sol. Vegetarians should not be offered meat.







Sol. All those bad debts must be written off by you.

S104. Ans.(b)

Sol. Is the chief guest being received at the station?

S105. Ans.(b)

Sol. Butter is made from milk by us.

S106. Ans.(c)

Sol. "You are supposed to make tea at eleven O' clock." Other three option are incorrect passive structure for the given question.

S107. Ans.(a)

Sol. The given question is in passive voice, change it into active voice. "His teacher congratulated him on his brilliant success in the recent examination."

S108. Ans.(a)

Sol. "English is spoken all over the world."

S109. Ans.(a)

Sol. "By whom were you given permission to enter?"

S110. Ans.(b)

Sol. "He has been granted a scholarship by the Principal."

S111. Ans.(b)

Sol. In the case of 'exclamatory sentences' use 'exclaimed' and conjunction 'that'. And use statement form of the sentence.

S112. Ans.(a)

Sol. use statement form of the sentence. That means use subject before verb.

S113. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'said to' into advised,

S114. Ans.(d)

Sol. Change 'said to' into 'told'. Change tense of reported speech into past perfect, change pronoun 'I' into 'her'.

S115. Ans.(d)

Sol. Use conjunction 'that'. Change 'will' into 'would'.



change pronoun 'you' into 'she'. Change tense of reported speech into past perfect

S117. Ans.(c)

Sol. Change 'said to' into asked, change pronoun 'me' into 'him'. 'this' into 'that'.

S118. Ans.(d)

Sol. Change 'tomorrow' into 'the next day'.

S119. Ans.(c)

Sol. Use 'whether' as conjunction in the case of interrogative sentence, change pronoun 'me' into 'him'

S120. Ans.(c)

Sol. Use 'inquired', and past perfect tense in the reported speech.

S121. Ans.(a)

Sol. Change 'said to' into asked, and use past tense verb and statement form of the sentence.

S122. Ans.(a)

Sol. Change 'said to' into asked, Use 'if' as conjunction in the case of interrogative sentence, change pronoun 'you' into 'he'

S123. Ans.(c)

Sol. When Baby Kochamma saw him, she would wish the Father a good morning. This is correct indirect form of the sentence.

S124. Ans.(d)

Sol. In the case of 'exclamatory sentences' use 'exclaimed' and conjunction 'that'. And use statement form of the sentence in past tense.

S125. Ans.(b)

Sol. Scrooge wanted to know if there were no prisons. This is correct indirect form of the sentence.

S126. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'you' into 'they', 'here' into 'there', 'can' into 'could'.

S127. Ans.(d)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', change present tense into past tense, 'today' into 'that day'.

S128. Ans.(a)

Sol. Change 'said to' into 'told, change 'my mother' into 'her mother', change tense of the direct speech into past tense.

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Sol. Change 'said to' into 'ordered'. Write 'to march forward' in the indirect speech.

S130. Ans.(d)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', 'will' into 'would', tomorrow into 'the next day'.

S131. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'She', change past tense into past perfect tense, change 'this' into 'that'.

S132. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'She', change 'we' into 'they', change tense into past tense.

S133. Ans.(a)

Sol. Change 'said to' into 'asked', change "I' into 'she', You' into 'me. Change the interrogative into statement sentence.

S134. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', use past tense in the indirect speech.

S135. Ans.(b)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', change 'shall' into 'should'.

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Sol. use past tense in the indirect speech, Change 'I' into 'he'

S137. Ans.(b)

S136. Ans.(d)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', use past tense in the indirect speech, change 'these' into 'those'.

S138. Ans.(c)

Sol. Change 'I' into 'he', use past tense in the indirect speech, change 'tonight' into 'that night'.

S139. Ans.(b)

Sol. In the case of universal truth or phenomena, we do not change the tense in the indirect speech.

S140. Ans.(a)

Sol. Change 'you' into 'he', Change the interrogative into statement sentence. 'today' into 'that day'.

S141. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-CDAB

S142. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be- ACDB

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S144. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-CDAB

S145. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be- CADB

S146. Ans.(d)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-BCDA

S147. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-CBAD

S148. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-CDBA

S149. Ans.(c)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-BDAC

S150. Ans.(b)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-BADC

S151. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-BCAD

S152. Ans.(c)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be- ACDB

S153. Ans.(a)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-DBAC

S154. Ans.(c)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be-DCBA

S155. Ans.(c)

Sol. The logical and correct order of the sentences of the given paragraph should be- DABC

S156. Ans.(d)

Sol. Preposition 'down' is correct usage in the given context of the paragraph.

S157. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'worsened' is correct verb form.







5158. Ans.(c)

Sol. 'defiance' is correct word.

S159. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'rein' is appropriate word.

S160. Ans.(d)

Sol. 'praised' is correct word.

S161. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'alone' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S162. Ans.(c)

Sol. 'Essence' fits in the context of the sentence correctly. Essence-the intrinsic nature or indispensable quality of something, especially something abstract, which determines its character.

S163. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'stop' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S164. Ans.(c)

Sol. 'pace' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S165. Ans.(a)

Sol. hobble-walk in an awkward way, typically because of pain from an injury.

S166. Ans.(a)

Sol. stride-walk with long, decisive steps in a specified direction.

S167. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'open' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S168. Ans.(b)

Sol. 'thoughts' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S169. Ans.(d)

Sol. 'see' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

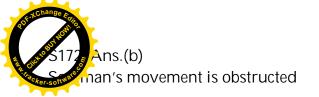
S170. Ans.(a)

Sol. 'play' fits in the context of the sentence correctly.

S171. Ans.(d)

Sol. It is mentioned in the passage that The movement of the snakes is deceptive.

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S173. Ans.(d)

Sol. movements

S174. Ans.(c)

Sol. as fast as that of a man

S175. Ans.(c)

Sol. to inform. To convince and persuade is difficult because it requires reasoning. But to inform does not require much effort according to the passage.

S176. Ans.(c)

Sol. Rhetoric is the-power of persuasion.

S177. Ans.(c)

Sol. Figures of speech

S178. Ans.(c)

Sol. informative

S179. Ans.(b)

Sol. he was in the hands of fate

S180. Ans.(c)

Sol. given up all hope

S181. Ans.(d)

Sol. his feet touched ground

S182. Ans.(b)

Sol. Fortune mean luck.

S183. Ans.(c)

Sol. The author supports the idea of blood donation in small quantities.

S184. Ans.(a)

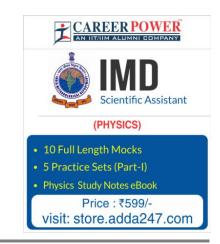
Sol. Must be a healthy person.

S185. Ans.(c)

Sol. Has the capacity to make up for occasional losses

S186. Ans.(c)

Sol. they wish to save their vigour for other things



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S188. Ans.(d)

Sol. more from hyenas than from other animals

S189. Ans.(c)

Sol. with their cubs and male partners

S190. Ans.(a)

Sol. Harold succeeded in overcoming the need for security.

S191. Ans.(c)

Sol. slimy tentacles and slug-like animals

S192. Ans.(c)

Sol. in a different land

S193. Ans.(d)

Sol. In it he saw slimy creatures feeding on people's bodies

S194. Ans.(c)

Sol. Without taking into account

S195. Ans.(c)

Sol. Nothing but a huge pay packet

S196. Ans.(b)

Sol. Letting money pursue the individual

S197. Ans.(c)

Sol. Staying in demand and ahead of money

S198. Ans.(d)

Sol. Lots of restructuring and reengineering

S199. Ans.(c)

Sol. obsolete: no longer produced or used; out of date.

S200. Ans.(a)

Sol. dispose-get rid of by throwing away or giving or selling to someone else.

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