English With Rani Ma'am







Cloze Test 3

Sudha Murty was born in 1950 in Shiggaon in north Karnataka. She did her MTech (1) computer science, and is now the chairperson of (2) Infosys Foundation. A prolific (3) in English and Kannada, she (4) novels, technical books, travelogues, collections of short stories and non-fictional pieces, and four books for children. (5) books have been translated into all the major Indian languages.

- 1. 1. on
- 2. of
- 3. in
- 4. at

- 2. 1. an
- 2. the 3. one
- 4. a

- 3. 1. speaker
- 2. poet 3. reader
- 4. writer

- 4. 1. has written
- 2. writing 3. write
- 4. will write
- 5. 1. Her
- 2. His 3. Their
- 4. My

Cloze Test 4

The 2020 Tokyo Paralympic Games began (1) Tuesday night with the opening ceremony at Japan's National Stadium. The twelve-day sporting celebration (2) a total of 539 events in 22 para (3). The opening ceremony took place in (4) empty stadium. The Games should have (5) place last year but were postponed because of the coronavirus pandemic.

- 1. 1. bv
- 2. at
- 3. on 4. in
- 2. 1. is included
- 2. including
- 3. includes

- 4. include
- 3. 1. athletics 2. events
 - 3. sports
- 4. countries
- 4. 4. 1. an
- 2. one
- 3. the
- 4. a
- 5. 1. take
- 2. taken
- 3. taking
- 4. Took

Sentence Arrangement

- A. Eventually, she overcame adversities and achieved success.
- B. She engaged herself in 'earn while you learn', finance scheme in her college.
- C. She needed financial support to complete her graduation.
- D. Rama was a very poor girl.
- 1. DCBA
- 2. CBDA
- 3. DCAB
- 4. DBCA
- A. This is because of its aroma, flavour and variety in the market.
- B. Thus, it leads to poor health and mental disorders among children.
- C. Children as well as teenagers are tempted towards junk food.
- D. It has no or negligible nutritional value and high content of sugar and salt.
- 1. CDAB
- 2. BCDA
- 3. CADB
- 4. ACDB
- A. Upon returning from his travels, he was forced to live in a house where his large family lived.
- B. Vaikom Muhammad Basheer was a Malayalam fiction writer from Vaikom in Kerala.
- C. The household was always noisy and full of chaos, no place for a writer surely!
- D. Apart from family members, myriads of domestic animals also treated the house as their own.
- 1. BCDA
- 2. BCAD
- 3. BADC
- 4. BDCA

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- A. Even the most ill-equipped laboratory would have been better than their shed.
- B. Thus, they did not allow any difficulties to come in their way.
- C. But their mind was set upon the discovery of Italy radium.
- D. The Curies had to work in extreme poverty.
- 1. ADBC
- 2. DBCA
- 3. DACB
- 4. ABCD

Passage

World Health Organisation says that childhood obesity is associated with a higher chance of obesity, premature death and disability in adulthood. In addition to increased future risks, obese children experience breathing difficulties, increased risk of fractures, hypertension, early markers of cardiovascular disease, insulin resistance and psychological effects. A study conducted on 41 overweight children under confinement throughout March and April last year in Verona, Italy showed the lockdown restrictions negatively impacted their diet, sleep and physical activity. Compared with behaviours recorded a year earlier, they ate an additional meal per day, slept an extra half hour, added nearly five hours daily in front of the phone, computer and television screens and dramatically increased their consumption of red meat, sugary drinks and junk food. Physical activity, on the other hand, decreased by over two hours per week. "School environment provides structure and routine around mealtimes, physical activity and sleep—the three predominant lifestyle factors implicated in obesity risk," Myles Faith, a childhood obesity expert and co-author of the

Choose an appropriate title for the given passage from the following options.

study was quoted in a report published in

Science Daily

- A. Childhood Health
- B. A Corroborative Study on Childhood Obesity
- C. Eat Well to Live Well
- D. The Implications of Childhood Obesity in

What is the tone of the passage?

- A. Informal
- **B. Humorous**
- C. Matter-of-fact
- D. Angry

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word from the passage.

Expert

- A. Amateur
- B. Specialist
- C. Teacher
- D. Coach

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Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Confinement

- A. liberation
- B. Garrison
- C. Incarceration
- D. Imprisonment

Spotting Errors

- 6. Every employee of the company were given a two bedroom flat as Diwali bonus.
 - 1. were given
 - 2. Every employee
 - 3. as Diwali bonus
 - 4. a two bedroom flat

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- 7. The street artist Satish Munjal has been painting this wall since the past one week.
 - 1. since the past one week
 - 2. has been painting
 - 3. this wall
 - 4. The street artist
- 8. I know the cobbler which mends the shoes outside the gate of our colony.
 - 1. I know the cobbler
 - 2. which mends
 - 3. the shoes
 - 4. outside the gate
- 9. We will rest for sometime when we will reach the top.
 - 1. We will rest
 - 2. when we will
 - 3. for sometime
 - 4. reach the top
- 10. If so many catches had not being dropped, we would have won the match.
 - 1. had not being dropped
 - 2. won the match
 - 3. If so many catches
 - 4. we would have
- 11. Each of the girls have given an impressive dance performance.
 - 1. Each of the girls
 - 2. an impressive
 - 3. dance performance
 - 4. have given
- 12. Most disputes can be solved amicably unless one are not rigid.
 - 1. not rigid
 - 2. can be solved amicably
 - 3. Most disputes
 - 4. unless one are
- 13. In the northern suburbs of Bengaluru, home to the bulk of the information technology industries, the water crisis is even worst.
 - 1. the water crisis
 - 2. In the northern suburbs
 - 3. home to the bulk of
 - 4. is even worst
- 14. No sooner did he see the tiger when he ran as fast as he could.

- 1. no sooner did
- 2. as fast as he could
- 3. he see the tiger
- 4. when he ran
- 15. The match is about to begin since the captain as well as the team are on the field.
 - 1. The match is about to begin
 - 2. since the captain
 - 3. are on the field
 - 4. as well as the team

Answers:

| | Cloze Test 3 | | | | |
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| | 3. 4 | | 4. 1 | 5. 1 | |
| | Cloze test 4 | | | | |
| | 1. 3 | | 2. 3 | | |
| | 3. 3 | | 4. 1 | 5. 2 | |
| | Sentence Arrangement | | | | |
| | 1. 1 | 2. 3 | | | |
| | 3. 3 | 4. 3 | | | |
| | Passa | age | | | |
| | 1. B | 2. C | | | |
| | 3. B | 4. A | 5. A | | |
| | Error | | | | |
| | 6. 1 | | 7. 1 | 8. 2 | |
| | 9. 2 | | 10. 1 | 11. 4 | |
| | 12. 4 | | 13. 4 | 14. 4 | |
| | 15. 3 | | | | |
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