

# **Word Formation Questions for RRB NTPC PDF**

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#### **Instructions**

For the following questions answer them individually

#### **Question 1**

If T is coded as 1, E is coded as 2, N is coded as 3, D is coded as 4, A is coded as 5 and C is coded as 6, which of the following arrangements makes a meaningful word?

- A 5112342362
- **B** 512345362
- C 5112345362
- **D** 5115345362

Answer: C

#### **Explanation:**

The only meaningful word possible from these letters is ATTENDANCE.

#### Ouestion 2

In a certain code, "And" is written as 1, "I" is written as 2, "School" is written as 3, "Walk" is written as 4, "By" is written as 5, "To" is written as 6, "Went" is written as 7, "Sister" is written as 8, and "My" is written as 9.

Which of the following arrangements makes a meaningful sentence?

- A 219875463
- **B** 639812**7**54
- C 542198763
- **D** 981276354

Answer: D

#### **Explanation:**

When we have to list "I" and an another person, we have mention the other person first to make a grammatically correct sentence. Here, it will be "My sister and I". So, only (d) is the correct arrangement.

#### **Question 3**

In a certain code language, "it" is coded as 1, "going" as 2, "am" as 3, "quits" as 4, "never" as 5, "to" as 6, "call" as 8 and "I" as 7. Which of the following arrangement forms a meaningful and grammatically correct sentence?

- **A** 13285674
- **B** 73254168
- C 73526814
- **D** 15478326

Answer: C

#### **Explanation:**

The correct sentence always has "I" followed by "am". So, 73 should be in that order. (b) implies: I am going never quits it to call. This is not a meaningful sentence. So, the correct answer is (c)

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#### **Question 4**

Choose the keyword or phrase which is most nearly the same in meaning as the key word. PRAGMATIC

- **A** Recent
- **B** Philosophical
- **C** Definitive
- **D** Practical

Answer: D

### Explanation:

Pragmatic means solving problems in a sensible way according to the situation. The meanings of words given in the options are given below:

Recent: having lately come into existence.

Philosophical: a study that attempts to unearth the fundamental nature of knowledge reality and existence.

Definitive: a decision that cannot be changed.

Practical: likely to succeed in real life situations.

The meaning of practical is closest to pragmatic. Therefore, option D is correct.

### **Question 5**

Complete the following analysis by choosing a word from the given options:

Tea: Leaves:: Coffee:?

- A Leaves
- **B** Seeds
- **C** Plants
- **D** Beverage

Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

Tea is prepared from cured tea leaves. Similarly, coffee is prepared from roasted coffee beans.

#### Question 6

Select the "bold" word/phrase of the sentence give below which contains error. Each (1) one of the dogs in the show "require" (2) a "special" (3)"kind of (4) diet.

- **A** 1
- **B** 2
- **C** 3
- **D** 4

Answer: B

#### **Explanation:**

Each one of the dogs is a singular word and needs to be followed by "requires"

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## Question 7

Select the "bold" word/phrase of the sentence give below which contains an error. We were all ready (1) for leave to (2) the amusement park when Ram's car broke down (3); we were forced (4) to postpone our outing.

- Δ
- **B** 2
- **C** 3
- **D** 4

Answer: B

#### **Explanation:**

" For leave to" is an incorrect phrase. The correct usage involves using the gerund form of leave followed by for. So, the correct answer has "to leave for".

## **Question 8**

Select the correct meaning of the "bold" phrase in the sentence given below...
"We are usually "taken in" by sweet talk"

- A Deceived
- **B** Influenced
- **C** Encouraged
- **D** Flattered

Answer: B

## **Explanation:**

The phrase "**taken in**" means to affect someone deeply. Influence also means to have a powerful affect on someone. Thus, option B is correct.

#### **Question 9**

Select the word that closely fits with the definition: "a person living in foreign country".

- A Abroad
- **B** Native
- **C** Foreigner
- **D** Remote

Answer: C

## **Explanation:**

Foreigner is a person coming from or born in another country. Thus, Option C fits the definition accurately.

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#### **Question 10**

Select the word that closely fits with the definition: "Government by one person".

- **A** Monarchy
- **B** Democracy
- **C** Oligarchy
- **D** Dictatorship

Answer: A

## **Explanation:**

Monarchy is a system of government in which one person reigns usually a king or queen. So option A is correct. Dictatorship is a form of government ruled by one person or political entity. Thus, dictatorship type of government need not necessarily be ruled by one man alone. Thus option D is incorrect.

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