

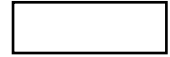
SECTION – A

Prose

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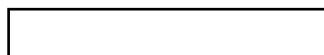
1. If you are so clever, why are you so poor ?
Here the word 'you' refers to
(A) lawyer (B) businessman
(C) administrator (D) scientist.
2. "Discipline is a thing of the past, Sir. It's you or us."
This statement was made by
(A) Pepe (B) Guillermo
(C) Francisco (D) Pedro.
3. Don Anselmo refuses the double amount offered by the Americans because
(A) he was a rich man (B) he was a man of principles
(C) he was an arrogant man (D) he wanted more amount.
4. The person who helped Baleshwar Mishra to carry Roma Talreja to the hospital was
(A) Dinesh Talreja (B) a tempo-truck driver
(C) Anil Agarwal (D) a bus driver.
5. The bird of happiness was guarded by
(A) three monsters (B) two monsters
(C) the soldiers (D) the lion.



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 - (A) the hospital in Airoli lacked personnel and equipment
 - (B) he was new to Mumbai
 - (C) it was ten kilometres away
 - (D) he did not have money.
2. Dr. Ambedkar described the methods of civil disobedience and Satyagraha as
 - (A) symbol of revolt
 - (B) divide and rule
 - (C) grammar of anarchy
 - (D) national dictatorship.
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Vocabulary

- XI. 20. Which one of the following words has only two syllables ? 1
realise, prepare, shake, justify.
21. Fill in the blanks choosing the appropriate words given in brackets : 1
No one knew the answer. Yet we had to the answer.
(write, right)
22. Combine the word in **Column-A** with its collocative word in **Column-B** : 1
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| Column-A | Column-B |
| scare | [pigeon, crow, peacock, eagle.] |
23. Fill in the blank using correct prefix to make the opposite of the word underlined : 1
Ranjit is capable of riding a scooter but of driving a car.

SECTION - B