

Important Grammar Practice Question

Complete ANY TEN of twelve of the following tasks, as directed.

(1 × 10)

i. Choose the correct option to complete the sentence. (1)

It was believed that the Olympic Games _____ a Greek hero.

- A. were founded by B. was founded C. are found D. were found

ii. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply its correction. (1)

Children visiting the park are amused by the monkeys play in the cages.

Error	Correction

iii. Choose the correct option to fill in the blank. (1)

The principal has suddenly called for an assembly at the school auditorium. We _____ the junior classes from 5-7.

- A. was asked to inform B. were asked to inform
C. were make to inform D. were enquired to inform

iv. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line. (1)

Neither India nor Pakistan have yet acquired the capability to produce nuclear weapons.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	nor	or
B.	have	has
C.	acquired	acquiring
D.	weapons	weapon

v. Fill in the blank by selecting the correct option. (1)

Alex and I went ahead to give the information. I knocked on the door and Alex _____ to come forward.

- A. said for the class monitor B. told the class monitor
C. requested the class monitor D. ordered the class monitor

vi. Identify the error and supply its correction for the sentence given below. (1)

Twenty miles are a long way to walk.

Error	Correction

vii. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

What have you _____ to discover?

- A. been able B. able C. were able D. had been

viii. Fill in the blank with the most suitable option. (1)

The train _____ by the time we reach the station.

- A. was leaving B. has left C. will have left D. had left

- ix. Choose the correct option to fill in the blank. (1)
 You _____ check with Kim if he's free this Friday.
 A. would B. should C. could D. will
- x. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)
 I didn't want to hand over my precious chocolate so I requested, " _____ ?" She smiled and said keep it and have it afterwards.
 A. I will eat it here B. May I eat it here C. Wouldn't I eat it here D. Shouldn't I eat it here
- xi. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the headline of a newspaper about global warming. (1)
 Increasing global warming led to the death of _____ (much/more/many) Australians.
- xii. Sunaina and Prateek had a conversation about the upcoming event at their college. Report Prateek's question. (1)
 Do you have any idea how many of our classmates will be participating?

Answers

i. A. were founded by

Error	Correction
play	playing

iii. B. were asked to inform

Option No.	Error	Correction
B.	have	has

v. C. requested the class monitor

Error	Correction
are	is

vii. A. been able

viii. C. will have left

ix. B. should

x. B. May I eat it here

xi. many

xii. Prateek asked Sunaina if she had any idea how many of their classmates would be participating.

Complete ANY TEN of twelve of the following tasks, as directed.

(1×10)

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the given sentence. (1)

Under the law of universal adult franchise, _____ (every/few/some) individual has the right to vote if they are 18 years of age or older, irrespective of their cast, race, gender, religion, etc.

ii. Puneet and his father had a conversation about last night's cricket match. Report Puneet's question. (1)

Which team did you support between the two?

iii. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

Being with her give one a new kind of energy.

Error	Correction

iv. Choose the correct option to complete the dialogue. (1)

Anita : Hey Shree. Are you free this evening?

Shree : Yes, "_____"

Anita : Oh, that's great! Let's go shopping

A. I am busy this evening

B. I have no plans for the evening

C. I have a date for the evening

D. Sorry, I have an appointment

- v. **Complete the following sentence.** (1)
 She has read several books and now _____ to write an article on different types of writing.
 A. had plan B. plan
 C. is planning D. was planned
- vi. **Change the given dialogue in indirect speech.** (1)
 James : Did you have any difficulty on the way?
 Robert : No, I did not!
 James asked Robert if _____ on the way.
- vii. **Fill in the blank with the correct form of the verb.** (1)
 She _____ (play) the piano when I saw her for the first time.
- viii. **Select the option that identifies the error and supply its correction.** (1)
 Vipul was unhappy because he would not attend the marriage.
- | Option No. | Error | Correction |
|------------|---------|------------|
| A. | would | could |
| B. | because | but |
| C. | attend | attended |
| D. | the | a |
- ix. **Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option.** (1)
 If you want to learn to speak English fluently, you _____ work hard.
 A. would B. might
 C. should D. could
- x. **Identify the error in the given sentence and supply its correction.** (1)
 When he came back, he see the children playing in the garden.
- | Error | Correction |
|-------|------------|
| | |
- xi. **Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option.** (1)
 Richard is a sweet guy and sometimes he _____ bring me some flowers.
 A. would B. could
 C. may D. might
- xii. **Complete the given sentence with the correct form of the verb.** (1)
 Someone _____ (ran away/run away) with my bag while I was sleeping in the train.

Answers

- i. every
 ii. Puneet asked his father which team he had supported in the previous night's cricket match between the two.

iii.

Error	Correction
give	gives

- iv. B. I have no plans for the evening
 v. C. is planning
 vi. he had any difficulty
 vii. was playing

viii.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	would	could

- ix. C. should

x.

Error	Correction
see	saw

- xi. A. would
 xii. ran away

Complete ANY TEN of twelve of the following tasks, as directed.

(1 × 10)

- i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct form of the word given in the bracket, to complete the given paragraph. (1)

Being considerate is a beautiful trait. It doesn't take much to be considerate to the people around us. Every day we _____ (meet) different types of people. They give us an opportunity of learning more about human nature.

- ii. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

Excellent new surgical techniques are restore the vision in most cases.

Error	Correction

- iii. Choose the correct option to complete the given narration. (1)

Meena : I am hungry.

Pari : _____?

Meena : Really! Are you sure?

Pari : Yes, it's fine. I am free anyways.

Meena : Thank you so much!

A. Should I go home

B. Will you go home

C. Do you want to eat now

D. Should we go together and grab something to eat

- iv. Convert the given direct speech into indirect speech. (1)

She said, "I told Damantji to send you an e-mail three days ago."

- v. Complete the given narration by choosing the correct option. (1)

Deepa was standing in the rain waiting for her father to pick her up. Saloni saw her and asked, "Do you want an umbrella? I can lend you mine since I am wearing a raincoat already."

Deepa replied, "Oh no that's fine, _____."

Saloni was a little taken aback and said, "Then may be I should also try, let's see if this is fun." She took off her raincoat and they both started laughing together.

A. I hate standing in the rain

B. I am waiting for my father

C. I don't need it

D. I love standing in the rain

- vi. Identify the error and supply the correction for the given sentence. (1)

There was no altruistic motive that prompt him to help her.

Error	Correction

- vii. Fill in the blank with the correct option. (1)

I _____ finished my graduation by 2025.

A. will

B. will have

C. have had

D. had

- viii. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

The leader might have has some covert reason for the change of his political affiliations.

Error	Correction

- ix. Fill in the blank with the correct option. (1)

Mothers like _____ their daughters.

A. nag

B. nagged

C. nagging

D. will nag

- x. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line. (1)

It is surprising to find her condoned such an act.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	surprising	surprises
B.	find	finding
C.	condoned	condoning
D.	such	few

- xi. Choose the correct option to fill in the blank to complete the sentence. (1)
 While being rude and selfish _____ get immediate results, being considerate will take us a long way to building character and relationships.
 A. ought B. need C. shall D. might
- xii. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the given sentence. (1)
 There's never _____ (much/many/a little) petrol left after Rahul uses the car.

Answers

- i. meet
- ii.

Error	Correction
are	can
- iii. D. Should we go together and grab something to eat
- iv. She said that she had told Damantji to send an e-mail to me three days before.
- v. D. I love standing in the rain
- vi.

Error	Correction
prompt	prompted
- vii. B. will have
- viii.

Error	Correction
has	had
- ix. C. nagging
- x.

Option No.	Error	Correction
C.	condoned	condoning
- xi. D. might
- xii. much

Complete ANY TEN of twelve of the following tasks, as directed.

(1 × 10)

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the given line. (1)

Simba and Tan were playmates. They met every now and then. Their masters got along just fine, so these puppies _____ (spend) a lot of time together.

ii. Mother and son had a conversation about her son's upcoming exams. Report the mother's question. (1)

Mother : Are you well prepared for the exams?

iii. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the given statement. (1)

After being unemployed _____ (most/much/every) people started their own businesses to run their households during the pandemic.

iv. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

He was punished for avoided his official work.

Error	Correction

v. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

Sentence	Error	Correction
A saint walks the streets of Kolkata.	e.g., walks	walked
It can happen only at India.	_____	_____

vi. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

Amateurs _____ against the pros, this feels a little unfair.

A. was competing B. were competing C. are competing D. is competing

vii. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

How _____ you forget that today's my birthday?

A. would B. could C. won't D. must

viii. Identify the error and supply its correction for the given sentence. (1)

Mr. Smith was accusing of murder but the court found him not guilty and acquitted him.

Error	Correction

ix. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

Mark _____ applying for jobs ever since he passed his examination in March.

A. had B. was C. has been D. were

x. Complete the sentence by choosing the correct option. (1)

Anna _____ look happy seeing me.

A. don't B. didn't C. wasn't D. is

xi. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line. (1)

I am trying to finish this letter for the last one hour. I wish you would go away or stop disturbing me.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	am	have been
B.	to finish	finishing
C.	for	since
D.	would	could

xii. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

You _____ reply back immediately to the client for every email we receive.

A. could B. would C. must D. might

Answers

i. spent

ii. Mother asked her son whether he was well prepared for the exams.

iii. most

iv.

Error	Correction
avoided	avoiding

v.

Error	Correction
at	in

vi. C. are competing

vii. B. could

viii.

Error	Correction
accusing	accused

ix. C. has been

x. B. didn't

xi.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	am	have been

xii. C. must

Complete ANY TEN of twelve of the following tasks, as directed. (1 × 10)

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the sentence. (1)

It's been years since I _____ pani puri.

- A. have ate B. had ate C. have eaten D. eat

ii. Read the conversation between two friends, Arun and Kabir and complete the sentence by reporting Kabir's reply. (1)

Arun : Where are you going?

Kabir : To the market.

Arun asked Kabir _____ .

iii. Choose the correct option to complete the given sentence. (1)

You _____ help your parents at home with the household chores.

- A. ought to B. would C. need D. dare

iv. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies its correction for the following line. (1)

Boys who have never fight with one another in school are bitterly annoyed today.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	fight	fought
B.	one	each
C.	have	has
D.	Boys	Boy

v. Complete the sentence by choosing the correct option. (1)

I _____ spicy food for lunch and my stomach still hurts.

- A. have B. has C. have had D. having

vi. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

Reeta goes to church _____ Sunday.

- A. all B. every C. each D. any

vii. Report the dialogue between mother and her daughter by completing the sentence. (1)

Daughter : Where did I keep my wallet?

Mother : Not again! Have you looked on your table?

In response to the question asked by the daughter, the mother asked _____.

viii. Identify the error and supply the correction for the given sentence. (1)

People of diverse faiths what live together do not turn against one another.

Error	Correction

ix. Change the given direct speech in the reported form. (1)

Teacher : When will you fill your registration form?

x. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option. (1)

_____ the rain stops, the game will not resume.

- A. Will B. Since C. Unless D. If

xi. Select the correct option to complete the narration of the dialogues between two. (1)

Squeak : We wanted to thank Jon for letting us stay inside.

Garfield : So my wife knitted him a little something.

Squeak told Garfield _____ for letting them stay inside.

- A. that they had wanted to thank Jon
- B. if they had wanted to thank Jon
- C. that has wanted to thank Jon
- D. that they have wanted to thank Jon

xii. Identify the error and supply the correction for the given sentence. (1)

If your feeling depressed, any chocolate can be a real tonic.

Error	Correction

Answers

i. C. have eaten

ii. where he was going

iii. A. ought to

iv.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A.	fight	fought

v. C. have had

vi. B. every

vii. if she had looked on her table

viii.

Error	Correction
what	who

ix. The teacher asked the student when she would fill her registration form.

x. C. Unless

xi. A. that they had wanted to thank Jon

xii.

Error	Correction
your	you're