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Subject: English Language

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Question 5 (a)

Fill in each of the numbered blanks with the correct form of the word given in brackets. Do not copy the passage but write in correct serial order the word or phrase appropriate to the blank space.

Example : employed

In the olden days, when merchant ships usually
0) _____ (employ) teenage boys as part of the crew, a lad 1) _____ (apply) for one of these jobs. The owner of the 2) _____ (ship) company asked him what he 3) _____ (can) do.

"What have you done?" asked the owner.

"I can do my best," the boy answered, "to do what you are kind enough 4) _____ (let) me try."

"I 5) _____ (saw) and split wood for my mother for nearly two years," replied the boy.

"What have you ^{not} done?" asked the employer.

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After some 6) _____ (think) the boy said, "I have not gossiped in school for over a year."

"That is enough," said the merchant, "I 7) _____ (take) you aboard my vessel and I hope some day 8) _____ (see) you as its captain. A boy who can master a wood-pie and control his tongue must have good stuff in him."

Answers:

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| 1. applied | 2. shipping | 3. could |
| 4. to let | 5. sawed | 6. thinking |
| 7. will take | 8. to see | |

b) Fill in each blank with an appropriate word:

- i) The police drew _____ the mob from the college.
- ii) Can you take _____ more work?
- iii) He is indifferent _____ praise or blame.
- iv) Afflicted _____ cancer, he died a miserable death.
- v) The World War broke _____ in 1939.
- vi) She was delighted _____ hearing that she had won the prize.
- vii) He was entrusted _____ the task of arranging the function.
- viii) He often interferes _____ my affairs.

- Answers:**
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| 1. away | 2. on | 3. to |
| 4. with | 5. out | 6. on |
| 7. with | 8. in | |

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c) Join the following sentences to make one complete sentence without using **and, but or so**.

- i) You make a promise. You must keep it also.
- ii) He was sleeping. His father arrived then.
- iii) She had won the prize. She was very pleased.
- iv) You did not run fast. Your brother ran faster.

ANSWERS: Simple Present S + Modal A + V1 + ob

i) If you make a promise, you must keep it also.
Make it a conditional sentence

ii) He was sleeping when his father arrived.

iii) She was too pleased to win the prize.

• She was very pleased to win the prize.

iv) Your brother ran faster than you did.

d) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each. Make other changes that may be necessary, but do not change the meaning of each sentence.

i) You must work hard, or you will not get promotion.
Simple Present

∴ **Begin: Unless** you work hard, you will not get promotion.) Simple Future

ii) John did not get the job, though he had the necessary qualification.

∴ **Begin: Despite** having the necessary qualification, John did not get the job.

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iii) I last visited Puri five years ago.

∴ **Begin :** I have not visited ~~for~~ the last five years.

iv) We took an umbrella with us because it looked as if it was going to rain.

(Use : in case ...)

∴ We took an umbrella with us in case it might (very weak possibility) rain.

v) Arjun regrets not being polite when he was at school.

∴ **Begin :** Arjun wished he had been polite at school.)

vi) "Why don't you start the morning walk?", said the Doctor.

• Tense used in reported speech - Simple Present

• Rule - Simple Present changes into Simple Past

• Interrogative form changes into Assertive or Assertive Negative

∴ **Begin :** The doctor advised me why I did not start the morning walk. OR

∴ The doctor advised me to start the morning walk. ↓ According to Direct & Indirect

Rule of Imperative - to + V1

vii) I had just entered the house when the phone bell rang.

∴ **Begin :** Hardly had I entered the house when the phone bell rang.

viii) If you buy ten cups of the same price, you can have 30% discount.

∴ **Begin :** Provided you buy ten cups of the same price, you can have 30% discount.