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Q.1 In 2023, she will (1)/ has been working in the company (2)/ for three years. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Modal 'will' must be followed by base form 'have', not 'has'. Change 'will has been' in part (2) to '**will have been**'.

Q.2 My younger brother were (1)/ attending a short-term computer course (2)/ these days. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Subject 'My younger brother' is singular, so it takes singular verb 'was'. Change 'were' in part (1) to '**was**'.

Q.3 They usually allege that there is (1)/ a delay in procuring stationery (2)/ due to the faulty purchase orders. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** No Error. The sentence is grammatically correct.

Q.4 He is not rich (1)/ so he cannot afford (2)/ to buy a expensive car. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Expensive' starts with a vowel sound, so it takes article 'an'. Change 'a expensive' in part (3) to '**an expensive**'.

Q.5 It can (1)/ get extreme cold (2)/ during (3)/ the winters. (4)

- **Explanation:** Adverb 'extremely' is needed to modify adjective 'cold'. Change 'extreme cold' in part (2) to '**extremely cold**'.

Q.6 The erronous information (1)/ spread rapidly across the nation (2)/ and created a stir. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Spelling error in part (1). Correct spelling is '**erroneous**'.

Q.7 During an earthquake, (1)/ it is advised to take (2)/ cover above a table (3)/ to save your life. (4)

- **Explanation:** Preposition error. You take cover 'under' a table, not 'above'. Change 'above a table' in part (3) to '**under a table**'.

Q.8 It would be impossible for them to continue living in this world (1)/ if each of them knew exactly (2)/ what fate had it store for them. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** The correct idiom is 'in store for them'. Change 'it store' in part (3) to '**in store**'.

Q.9 He used to reply (1)/ that the only place (2)/ for which he went (3)/ was the town library. (4)

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- **Explanation:** Preposition error with destination verb 'went'. Change 'for which he went' in part (3) to '**he went to**'.

Q.10 The child was (1)/ gazing longingly (2)/ at the toy. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** No Error. The sentence is grammatically correct.

Q.11 I fell (1)/ asleep while (2)/ I read (3)/ the book. (4)

- **Explanation:** The continuous past action while falling asleep requires past continuous or gerund construction. Change 'I read' in part (3) to '**reading**' or '**I was reading**'.

Q.12 I can't talk right now. (1)/ I am being really busy. (2)/ I'll call you later. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Being busy is a state, not a continuous activity. Change 'I am being really busy' in part (2) to '**I am really busy**'.

Q.13 The present-century threats to our environment, (1)/ which include interfering species, ailments, pollution and (2)/ a boiling temperature, (3)/ were putting wildlife populations at peril. (4)

- **Explanation:** Plural parallelism with 'species, ailments, pollution' requires plural '**boiling temperatures**' instead of singular 'a boiling temperature' in part (3).

Q.14 Aniket lives (1)/ in the small apartment (2)/ in the suburbs. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Indefinite article 'a' should be used when introducing a singular countable noun for the first time. Change 'in the small apartment' in part (2) to '**in a small apartment**'.

Q.15 Mr. Ram Kumar, (1)/ the cashier are (2)/ on temporary withdrawal (3)/ from service. (4)

- **Explanation:** Subject 'Mr. Ram Kumar' is singular. Change 'are' in part (2) to '**is**'.

Q.16 My mother said (1)/ that Ben will done (2)/ the assignment (3)/ today. (4)

- **Explanation:** Modal verb 'will' takes the base form of the verb (V1). Change 'will done' in part (2) to '**will do**'.

Q.17 "Do you want to join us for lunch?" (1)/ "I'm sorry (2)/ my physics class will start at 1 p.m. (3)/ and don't finish till 3 p.m." (4)

- **Explanation:** Subject 'my physics class' is singular, so it takes singular auxiliary verb 'doesn't'. Change 'don't finish' in part (4) to '**doesn't finish**'.

Q.18 Sky appears blue (1)/ as it absorbs (2)/ all colours and (3)/ reflects only blue. (4)

- **Explanation:** Unique natural objects take the definite article 'the'. Add 'The' before 'Sky' in part (1) to read '**The sky**'.

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Q.19 A celestial body or astronomical object is (1)/ a naturally occurring physical thing, association, (2)/ or configuration that happens (3)/ in the visible universe. (4)

- **Explanation:** No Error. The sentence is grammatically correct.

Q.20 She rarely approached nobody (1)/ to talk about the problems (2)/ that she was facing. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Rarely' is already negative; using 'nobody' creates an incorrect double negative. Change 'nobody' in part (1) to '**anybody**'.

Q.21 Neetu have been (1)/ waiting for me (2)/ since 10 o'clock (3)/ in the morning. (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Neetu' is a singular subject, so it takes a singular verb 'has been'. Change 'have been' in part (1) to '**has been**'.

Q.22 After knowing truth, (1)/ the jury took the right decision (2)/ in the case. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Truth' requires the definite article 'the' before it. Change 'knowing truth' in part (1) to '**knowing the truth**'.

Q.23 Darshan wished he hadn't (1)/ went to the theme park (2)/ in the first place. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Past perfect auxiliary 'hadn't' takes the past participle form of the verb (V3). Change 'went' in part (2) to '**gone**'.

Q.24 An lion is (1)/ the most ferocious (2)/ of all animals. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Lion' starts with a consonant sound, so it takes the indefinite article 'a'. Change 'An lion' in part (1) to '**A lion**'.

Q.25 The availability of funds will be (1)/ ensured if they all tried to (2)/ submit the proposals on time. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** The main clause is in the future tense ('will be'), so the conditional clause should be in the simple present tense. Change 'tried' in part (2) to '**try**'.

Q.26 He promised them (1)/ that he would sure repay (2)/ the loan urgently. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** An adverb is required to modify the verb 'repay'. Change 'sure' in part (2) to '**surely**'.

Q.27 Karan call the restaurant (1)/ to ask if he could (2)/ reserve a table for tomorrow. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** The past tense context ('could') requires the main verb to be in the simple past tense. Change 'call' in part (1) to '**called**'.

Q.28 She always (1)/ invite me (2)/ to (3)/ dinner. (4)

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- **Explanation:** Third-person singular subject 'She' takes a singular verb 'invites'. Change 'invite' in part (2) to '**invites**'.

Q.29 I think Jeremy will not (1)/ have save enough money (2)/ by the time (3)/ the year ends. (4)

- **Explanation:** Future perfect tense construction requires 'will not have + V3'. Change 'save' in part (2) to '**saved**'.

Q.30 Sajni had (1)/ interfere in (2)/ this matter. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Past perfect tense 'had' requires the past participle form of the verb (V3). Change 'interfere' in part (2) to '**interfered**'.

Q.31 Pritha will been cooking (1)/ the meal of your choice (2)/ before you (3)/ reach home. (4)

- **Explanation:** Future perfect continuous structure is 'will have been + V-ing'. Change 'will been cooking' in part (1) to '**will have been cooking**'.

Q.32 The Dutta company (1)/ has not being making (2)/ new school bags (3)/ since the lockdown commenced. (4)

- **Explanation:** Present perfect continuous tense uses 'has/have + been + V-ing'. Change 'has not being making' in part (2) to '**has not been making**'.

Q.33 It was (1)/ by a chance (2)/ he saw a movie (3)/ in a theatre. (4)

- **Explanation:** The correct idiom is '**by chance**', not 'by a chance'. Remove 'a' in part (2).

Q.34 My students (1)/ had expect (2)/ guidance (3)/ from my end. (4)

- **Explanation:** Past perfect auxiliary 'had' requires past participle (V3). Change 'expect' in part (2) to '**expected**'.

Q.35 One of these (1)/ boxes have (2)/ the portrait (3)/ of the heiress. (4)

- **Explanation:** The subject 'One' is singular, so it takes a singular verb 'has'. Change 'boxes have' in part (2) to '**boxes has**'.

Q.36 You can fool some of the people all the time, (1)/ and all the people some of the time; (2)/ but you cannot fool (3)/ all the people all the time. (4)

- **Explanation:** No Error. The sentence is grammatically correct.

Q.37 Hardik's horoscope says (1)/ that the stars (2)/ will be exercised (3)/ a benign influence on his life. (4)

- **Explanation:** Active voice is required here. Change passive 'will be exercised' in part (3) to active '**will exert**'.

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Q.38 I had gone (1)/ to Siliguri (2)/ before i go (3)/ to Raiganj. (4)

- **Explanation:** In past perfect time sequences ('had gone'), simple past is used for the subsequent action. Change 'before i go' in part (3) to '**before I went**'.

Q.39 He will return (1)/ in a hour. (2)/ No error (3)

- **Explanation:** 'Hour' begins with a silent 'h' (vowel sound), so it takes article 'an'. Change 'a hour' in part (2) to '**an hour**'.

Q.40 Binay said that (1)/ he is coming (2)/ from (3)/ his village, Jaygarh. (4)

- **Explanation:** Indirect speech following a past tense reporting verb ('said') requires past continuous tense ('was coming'). Change 'is coming' in part (2) to '**was coming**'.

Q.41 She was waiting (1)/ for a opportunity (2)/ to start her own business. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Opportunity' starts with a vowel sound, so it takes article 'an'. Change 'a opportunity' in part (2) to '**an opportunity**'.

Q.42 This will be most difficult of (1)/ the adjustments we have to make (2)/ because we have been used to (3)/ spending a lot on guests. (4)

- **Explanation:** Superlative degree 'most difficult' requires definite article 'the'. Change 'most difficult of' in part (1) to '**the most difficult of**'.

Q.43 If things were not going to be normal (1)/ after the pandemic, (2)/ mankind will (3)/ have to accept the New Normal. (4)

- **Explanation:** Conditional sentence with main clause in future tense ('will have to') requires present tense in conditional clause. Change 'were' in part (1) to '**are**'.

Q.44 If (1)/ it will rain, (2)/ we will have (3)/ a tough time. (4)

- **Explanation:** In conditional clauses referring to future events, simple present tense is used instead of 'will'. Change 'it will rain' in part (2) to '**it rains**'.

Q.45 I am sure that (1)/ the postman would be (2)/ coming shortly (3)/ to deliver the letter. (4)

- **Explanation:** Expressing certainty about an upcoming action requires 'will be' instead of conditional 'would be'. Change 'would be' in part (2) to '**will be**'.

Q.46 Maruti likes (1)/ adventure (2)/ stories, especially (3)/ an adventures of Tarzan. (4)

- **Explanation:** Plural noun 'adventures' cannot take singular indefinite article 'an'; specific noun takes 'the'. Change 'an adventures' in part (4) to '**the adventures**'.

Q.47 A honourable person (1)/ deserves respect (2)/ from everybody. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Honourable' starts with a vowel sound (silent 'h'), so it takes article 'an'. Change 'A honourable' in part (1) to '**An honourable**'.

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Q.48 The receptionist asked if Diya (1)/ will take a seat and (2)/ wait for the boss (3)/ to call her in. (4)

- **Explanation:** Indirect speech with past reporting verb ('asked') changes 'will' to 'would'. Change 'will' in part (2) to '**would**'.

Q.49 I play (1)/ cricket in (2)/ my childhood (3)/ with my sister. (4)

- **Explanation:** Past habitual action requires past tense or 'used to play'. Change 'I play' in part (1) to '**I used to play**' or '**I played**'.

Q.50 The historians (1)/ are a great (2)/ asset to the (3)/ field of academia. (4)

- **Explanation:** General reference to historians doesn't need definite article 'The'. Remove 'The' in part (1) to read '**Historians**'.

Q.51 We hardly knew nothing (1)/ about the manager (2)/ who had recently joined. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Hardly' is negative, so combining it with 'nothing' creates a double negative. Change 'nothing' in part (1) to '**anything**'.

Q.52 Here (1)/ come (2)/ the bus (3)/ for Lucknow. (4)

- **Explanation:** Subject 'the bus' is singular, so inverted verb should be singular 'comes'. Change 'come' in part (2) to '**comes**'.

Q.53 Anti-party activities (1)/ improved my relations (2)/ with an opposition. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Specific political opposition takes definite article 'the'. Change 'an opposition' in part (3) to '**the opposition**'.

Q.54 All the horses, except one, always (1)/ behaved in a rough manner when (2)/ Robert come to clean the stable. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Habitual past action requires 'came' or present habitual 'comes'. Change 'come' in part (3) to '**comes**' or '**came**'.

Q.55 You wash (1)/ the dishes (2)/ and (3)/ I dry the same. (4)

- **Explanation:** Pronoun 'them' should be used to refer back to plural noun 'dishes', not 'the same'. Change 'the same' in part (4) to '**them**'.

Q.56 The doctor came (1)/ after the patient (2)/ had (3)/ pass away. (4)

- **Explanation:** Past perfect 'had' requires past participle (V3). Change 'pass away' in part (4) to '**passed away**'.

Q.57 She is in (1)/ an hurry (2)/ to meet her brother. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** The correct phrase is 'in a hurry'. Change 'an hurry' in part (2) to '**a hurry**'.

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Q.58 You should (1)/ see a oculist; (2)/ your eyes look (3)/ worse today. (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Oculist' starts with a vowel sound, so it requires article 'an'. Change 'a oculist' in part (2) to '**an oculist**'.

Q.59 My mother is a honest (1)/ and well known woman (2)/ in the society. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** 'Honest' begins with a silent 'h' (vowel sound), requiring article 'an'. Change 'a honest' in part (1) to '**an honest**'.

Q.60 I love to read (1)/ certain stories (2)/ from a Mahabharata. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Sacred books take definite article 'the'. Change 'a Mahabharata' in part (3) to '**the Mahabharata**'.

Q.61 Mrs. Sreelakshmi's musical intelligence (1)/ is superior than (2)/ Mrs. Suma's. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Words ending in "-ior" like "superior" take the preposition "to" instead of "than". Change "superior than" in part (2) to "**superior to**".

Q.62 Mr. Ali's shop (1)/ is further to (2)/ the hospital. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Physical distance requires comparative "farther" followed by "from". Change "further to" in part (2) to "**farther from**".

Q.63 The lions became violently (1)/ when the visitors (2)/ started throwing stones at them. (3)/ No error (4)

- **Explanation:** Linking verb "became" takes predicate adjective "violent" to describe state. Change "violently" in part (1) to "**violent**".

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