

ENGLISH (IBPS CLERK 22 SEPTEMBER 2018)

- A. With the continuous intervention , it is expected that BBS programmes will not only improve safety performance but will also have a positive effect on the consumption and other related costs.
- B. This influence is not intended to be a one-off exercise. BBS should rather become a continuous effort by every transport company.
- C. Finally in the long run it will improve the total cost-effectiveness of the transport companies.
- D. Behaviour based safety (BBS) is a programme aiming at increasing safety during road freight transport by positively influencing the behaviour of drivers.
- E. This is based on the assumption that the behaviour of drivers can be influenced through observation, coaching and communication.

1. Which of the following is the 2nd sentence after rearrangement?

1. B 2. D 3. C
4. A 5. E

1. Which of the following is the **LAST** sentence after rearrangement?

1. B 2. D 3. C
4. A 5. E

Hundreds of plants and animals are -----1 every day due to deforestation and urbanisation , what might happen if this continues in the future? The last mass extinction of plant and animal species occurred 65 million years ago with the Dinosaurs ,in all, five mass extinctions have occurred and scientists -----2 earth is in the sixth mass extinction. The world as it is now is threatened, including people, who are responsible for earth's-----3.pesticides contaminating water, overharvesting of animals and plants, air pollution, illegal fishing and the clearing the land are direct results of urbanization and deforestation people have -----4 and damaged almost half of earth's land, at a very unsustainable rate.

An increase of six-degrees Celsius as a result of global warming may forecast this century if a change is not made to -----5 the damage done to earth.

Noticeable changes of global warming include migration -----6 and the change in season timings. Migrating birds are migrating earlier, which in turn is causing them to hatch eggs and -----7 young earlier than they did at the beginning of this century. While this is just the tip of the iceberg, many other-----8 regarding the extinction of plant and animal species need addressing, it is more important now than ,ever before to pull our heads out of the sand and make changes for the -----9 of the earth. Future generations are -----10 as they are a species as well.

1. A) killing B) alive C) born
D) left E) lost
2. A) speak B) told C) estimation
D) believe E) consider
3. A) shape B) development C) Deterioration
D) warmth E) expansion
4. A) altered B) created C) produced
D) made E) brought

5. A) void B) dissipate C) augment
D) reverse E) increase
6. A) delay B) birds C) slowdown
D) hasten E) acceleration
7. A) spare B) bear C) destroy
D) amend E) generation
8. A) animals B) difficulty C) issues
D) Humans E) problem
9. A) better B) wealth C) extinction
D) stigma E) demand
10. A) endangered B) threaten C) evaluated
D) Living E) compared

13. If India is _____ on protecting its resources, international business appears equally _____ to safeguard it's profit.

- (1) dreaded, fragile (2) stubborn , weak (3) bent, determination

14. (4) approaching, settled (5) obsessed, prepared
when you want to digitize a city _____ with millions, you don't bet _____ the odds.

- (1) proceeding, into (2) teeming, against (3) undergoing, adhere

15. (4) dangling, for (5) falling, above
Much of the _____ that cricket has is due to the fact it is a _____ sport.

- (1) allure, lucrative (2) criticism, controversial

(3) attraction, unpopular (4) flak, great
(5) comments, unusual

16. The first round of the contest had the students _____ themselves and _____ about their hobbies.

- (1) introducing, talking (2) sensitising, sketching
(3) showcasing, planning (4) acclimatising, mentioning
(5) gearing, chalking

17. The government stated that it had the _____ right to use as much force as was necessary to regain control of areas _____ by terrorists.

- (1) free, marked (2) practical, left (3) basic, undertaken
(4) legitimate, dominated (5) constitutional, attacked

18. Find the **antonym** of the word given below.

DIABOLIC

- A. Savage B. satanic C. civilized
D. notorious E. megalomaniac

19. Find the **synonym** of the word given below.

RENEGADE

- A. Abolish B. Appease C. Betray
D. Reveal E. Nullify

20. Find the **pair of synonyms or antonyms** of the word given below.

UNWAVERING

- A. resolute, adamant B. melancholy, pleasant
C. steady, imperil D. gallant, prowess
E. trembling, determined

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