

ENGLISH (SSCCGL AND CPO /14 SEPTEMBER 2018)

1. (a) Many a student
(b) have passed
(c) the I.I.T examination and now they are going to get their reward.
(d) No error
Answer- (a) Use 'Many students'
2. (a) On the time
(b) of the opening ceremony of the theatre
(c) a large crowd had assembled.
(d) No error
Answer- (a) Use 'At the time' in place of 'On the time'.
3. (a) Americans are accustomed (b) to drinking coffee
(c) with their meals
(d) No error
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4. (a) In such a delicate matters, we often go with
(b) his advise as he has
(c) been handling such cases effectively
(d) No error
Answer- (a) In such delicate matters
(b) His advice
5. (a) He was too tired that he
(b) can not cross the street even with
(c) the help of a supporter
(d) No error
Answer- (a) Replace 'too' by 'so'
(b) could not cross

6. (a) My desire to meet the
(b) President without
(c) prior appointment
(d) No error
Answer- (a) Use 'My desire is to'.
7. (a) When we visited his office, we found
(b) that he was sipping a coffee
(c) with some of his colleague.
(d) No error
Answer- (b) sipping coffee
(c) some of his colleagues
8. (a) In spite of giving up the bad habit
(b) of smoking, use of chewing gum or
(c) similar other method can be helped
(d) No error
Answer- (a) In order to give up
(c) Replace 'can be helped' by 'can be helpful'
9. (a) Numerous people in India
(b) are dying from hunger but the Government
(c) seems to be ignorant of this fact.
(d) No error
Answer- (b) Use 'of' in place of 'from' as 'die of a disease or die of hunger is correct.
10. (a) She became able
(b) to free herself
(c) with her debts by working day and night.
(d) No error
Answer- (c) Use 'from' in place of 'with'. As 'free somebody from something' or 'free from something' is correct.

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