



**IBPS PO/CLERK 2019**

**VERB**

**FOUNDATION CLASS**

**PART-1**

**9:45 AM**

**ENGLISH LECTURE 07**




**VERBS**

A number of

A great number of

A large number of



$N(P) + V(P) + \text{Pro}(P)$

The number of

The great number of

The large number of



$N(P) + V(S) + \text{Pro}(S)$

1. A large number of boys were absent on account of bad weather. **(correct)**
2. The number of admissions have gradually fallen of **(incorrect)**
3. A lot of work is yet to be done. **(correct)**

**Many**

**A good many** → + N(P) + V(P) + Pro(P)

**A great many**

**Many a/an** → + N(S) + V(S) + Pro(S)

**Many a + good/great**

1. **Many an institution are proving lab facilities to their students. (correct)**
2. **A great many students are attending the seminar today. (correct)**

**The manager and executive was there.**

**The manager and the executive were there.**

**Manager and the executive was there. (wrong)**

The president along with the prime minister have/has appealed for peace.

the director as well as the dancers was/were honored by the public.

With, Along with, Together, Together with, As well as, And not, Including, Excluding, In addition to, Rather than, But, Like, Unlike, Besides, Except, Accompany by, Headed by, Guided by, Governed by, Controlled by, Led by, Dominated by, Run by etc.

When two subjects are connected using these the verb will be according to the FIRST SUBJECT.

The mother, and not her children have been arrested for committing theft. **(wrong)**

None but the leaders of our country is responsible for this state of affairs.

**(incorrect)**

Nothing but truth is immortal. **(correct)**

**Unreal past/subjunctive mood.**

**- A wish, unlikely condition, and contrary to facts statements- are expressed in subjunctive mood.**

- 1. If I were a teacher I would help you.**
- 2. I wish I were rich now.**

## **VOCABULARY**

**His efforts at helping the poor are **laudable**.**

- |                   |                        |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| <b>a. Welcome</b> | <b>b. sincere</b>      |
| <b>c. Good</b>    | <b>d. praiseworthy</b> |

**Many of his acquaintances avoid him because he is **garrulous**.**

- |                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>a. Unreasonable</b> | <b>b. talkative</b> |
| <b>c. Quarrelsome</b>  | <b>d. proud</b>     |

## **OUR WORD STOCK- LIBRARY**

- **Meticulous**
- **Penchant**
- **Corporal**
- **Amity**
- **Laudable**
- **Garrulous.**

## **VERBS**

1. **If it were possible to get near where one of these eruptions took place we could have witnessed a grand sight.  
(incorrect)**
2. **Each of the students whom I have chosen to take part in the discussion have indicated that he will be happy to do so.**
3. **The alarmed report of an earthquake frightened everyone in that disaster prone village.**

4. **Along the northern frontier of India is seen the Himalayas mighty in their splendor.**

## **HOME WORK**

**India will break up its debt – burdened flag carrier / Air India with four separate companies / and offer to sell at least 51 % in each of them as part of a / disinvestment proposed by PM Narendra Modi. / ne**