

1. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
To fall flat
A. To flatter
B. To fall in love with someone
C. To have no effect
D. To give bad news
2. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Go for a song
A. One's favourite music
B. Happy go lucky attitude
C. Sold cheaply
D. Something which is prohibitively expensive
3. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Give oneself airs
A. Be intelligent
B. Penniless
C. Pretend to be good
D. Prepare for a difficulty
4. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Brush up on
A. To improve one's existing knowledge
B. To brush one's teeth
C. To mock someone
D. To imitate someone
5. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
No love lost
A. Complimentary
B. A seer's last creation
C. Self satisfied
D. Intense dislike
6. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.
One who dies without a will
A. Intestate B. Effeminate
C. Fugitive D. Heretic
7. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute for the phrase.
Misappropriation of money.
A. Embezzlement
B. Robbery
C. Theft
D. Fraud
8. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.
Delusion of suffering from a disease
A. Lypomania B. Nosomania
C. Naruomania D. Phagomania
9. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.
Killing of birds
A. Herbicide B. Avicide
C. Vulpicide D. Matricide
10. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute for the phrase.
The highest point
A. Tempest B. Outpost
C. Archive D. Zenith
11. In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is incorrectly spelt. Find the incorrectly spelt word.
A. Chaufer B. Committee
C. Veterinary D. Repentance
12. In the following question, four words are given out of which one word is incorrectly spelt. Find the incorrectly spelt word.
A. Impression B. Personel
C. Terrorism D. Illiterate
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A. Desireable B. Establish
C. Question D. Government
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A. Castigate B. Vuracious
C. Catastrophe D. Destitute

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A. Contemptuous B. Commemorate
C. Complaisant D. Conciliatory
16. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the given word.
Squander
A. Frivol B. Dissipate
C. Hoard D. Expend
17. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the given word.
Fissure
A. Agglutinate B. Blend
C. Cleavage D. Entwine
18. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word similar in meaning to the given word.
Alarming
A. Fear B. Swathe
C. Improvise D. Pleasant
19. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the given word.
Admire
A. Appreciate B. Esteem
C. Respect D. Abhor
20. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the word opposite in meaning to the given word.
Ambitious
A. Determined B. Insolent
C. Belligerent D. Unambitious

ANSWERS

1. Ans. C.
The idiom "fall flat" means to have no effect of something. Thus, option C is the correct answer.
2. Ans. C.
Go for a song means sold cheaply.
3. Ans. C.
"To give oneself airs" means to think or behave as though one is superior to others. Option C conveys this meaning, thus, it is the correct answer.
4. Ans. A.
The idiom "brush up on" means to improve your knowledge of something already learned but partly forgotten. Thus, option A is the correct answer.
5. Ans. D.
The idiom 'no love lost' means strong hatred, hostility, or enmity. Thus, option D is the correct answer.
6. Ans. A.
Intestate— not having made a will before one dies
Effeminate— (of a man) having characteristics regarded as typical of a woman
Fugitive— a person who has escaped from captivity or is in hiding
Heretic— a person who differs in opinion from established religious dogma
Thus, option A is the correct answer.
7. Ans. A.
Robbery is the action of robbing a person or place.
Theft is the action or crime of stealing.
Fraud means wrongful or criminal deception intended to result in financial or personal gain.
Embezzlement is theft or misappropriation of funds placed in one's trust or belonging to one's employer.
8. Ans. B.
The meanings of the given words are as follows:
Lypemania— an abnormal tendency toward deep melancholy
Nosomania— an unfounded abnormal belief that one is suffering from some special disease.
Phagomania— a compulsive desire to eat
Naruomania = no such word exists
Thus, the given phrase can be substituted with option B.
9. Ans. B.
Herbicide = a substance that is toxic to plants, used to destroy unwanted vegetation.
Avicide = the killing of a bird or birds
Vulpicide = the act of killing a fox
Matricide = the killing of one's mother.
Hence, avicide is the correct answer.

10. Ans. D.
Tempest means a violent windy storm.
Outpost means a remote part of a country or empire.
Archive means a collection of historical documents or records providing information about a place, institution, or group of people.
Zenith means the highest point.
Hence, "zenith" is the correct answer.
11. Ans. A.
Chauffer is the incorrect spelling. Its correct spelling is "chauffeur" which means a person employed to drive a private or hired car.
Committee is the correct spelling. It means a group of people appointed for a specific function.
Veterinary is the correct spelling. It means relating to the diseases, injuries and treatment of farm and domestic animals.
Repentance is the correct spelling. Meaning the action of repenting.
12. Ans. B.
Impression, is the correct spelling, means an imitation of a person or thing, done to entertain.
Personel is the incorrect spelling. The correct spelling is personnel. It means people employed in an organization or engaged in an organization undertaking such as military.
Terrorism, is the correct spelling, means the unlawful use of violence and intimidation, especially against civilians, in the pursuit of political interests.
Illiterate, is the correct spelling, means unable to read or write.
Hence, option B is the correct answer.
13. Ans. A.
Desireable is the incorrect spelling of the word Desirable. It means to wish for as being as attractive, useful, necessary course of action.
Establish is spelt correctly. It means to set up on a firm or permanent basis.
Question is spelt correctly. It means a sentence worded or expressed so as to elicit information.
Government is spelt correctly. It means the group of people with the authority to govern a country or state; a particular ministry in office.
Hence, option A is the correct answer.
14. Ans. B.
Castigate is the correct spelling. It means reprimand (someone) severely.
Catastrophe is the correct spelling. It means an event causing great and usually sudden damage or suffering; a disaster.
Destitute is the correct spelling. It means extremely poor and lacking the means to provide for oneself.
Voracious is the incorrect spelling of Voracious. It means wanting or devouring great quantities of food.
Hence, option B is the correct answer.
15. Ans. A.
The word in option A has been incorrectly spelt. The correct spelling is 'Contemptuous' which means manifesting, feeling, or expressing deep hatred or disapproval.
16. Ans. C.
Squander means to waste money or supplies, or to waste opportunities by not using them to your advantage.
Frivol means an idle diversion or pastime.
Dissipate means spending too much time enjoying physical pleasures and harmful activities such as drinking a lot of alcohol.
Hoard means accumulate money or valued objects and hide or store away.
Expend means to use or spend time, effort, or money.
Therefore, the antonym of squander is hoard.
17. Ans. C.
Fissure means split or crack something to form a long, narrow opening.
Agglutinate means firmly stick or be stuck together to form a mass.
Blend means a mixture of different substances or other things.
Cleavage means a split.
Entwine means wind or twist together; interweave.
Therefore the synonym of fissure is cleavage.

18. Ans. D.
Alarming refers to a situation that causes fear or terror.
Swathe means to be wrapped in several layers.
Improvise means to change something from its original form by tweaking some details.
Pleasant refers to giving a sense of happy satisfaction or enjoyment.
Here the word "pleasant" is the correct antonym of the given word.
19. Ans. D.
Admire means to praise or regard with respect or warm approval.
Appreciate means to recognize the full worth of something.
Esteem means to respect and admire someone.
Respect means to admire someone or something deeply, as a result of their abilities, qualities or achievements.
Abhor means to regard with disgust and hatred.
Hence, option D is the correct answer.

20. Ans. D.
Ambitious means having or showing a strong desire and determination to succeed.
Determined means having made a firm decision and being resolved not to change it.
Insolent means showing a rude and arrogant lack of respect.
Belligerent means to be hostile and aggressive.
Unambitious means to not be motivated or driven by a strong desire or determination to succeed.
Hence, option D is the correct answer.

