



ENGLISH

BOOKS - BITSAT GUIDE

QUESTION-PAPERS-2017

English Proficiency

1. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, choose the one which best

expresses the meaning of the given word.

Loquacious

A. Talkative

B. Slow

C. Content

D. Unclear

Answer: A



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2. Choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word.

Meticulous

A. Forgetful

B. Destructive

C. Careless

D. Flagrant

Answer: C



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To write well, a person must train himself in

A. dealing with a difficult problem

B. not leaving anything out

C. thinking clearly and logically

D. following a step-by-step approach

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Initially it is difficult to write because

- A. a good dictionary is not used
- B. ideas occur without any sequence
- C. aids to correct writing are not known
- D. exact usages of words are not known

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According to the passage, writing style can be improved by

- A. thinking logically
- B. writing clearly
- C. undergoing training
- D. reading widely

Answer: D



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Famous writers have achieved success by

- A. using their linguistic resources properly
- B. disciplining their skill
- C. following only one idea
- D. waiting for inspiration

Answer: B



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7. In questions below, sentences are given with blanks to be filled in with an appropriate word (s). Four alternatives are suggested for each question. Choose the correct alternative out of the four.

China is a big country, in area it is bigger than any other country _____ Russia.

A. accept

B. except

C. expect

D. access

Answer: B



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The treasure was hidden _____ a big shore.

A. on

B. underneath

C. toward

D. off

Answer: D



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9. In questions, some parts of the sentences have errors and some are correct. Find out which part of a sentence has an error. If a sentence is free from error, mark (d) in your Answer.

My father gave me (a) / a pair of binocular (b) / on my birthday. (c) / No error. (d)



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The teacher as well as his students

The teacher as well as his students, (a) / all left
(b) / for the trip. (c) / No error. (d)



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