

SSC CGL 2018 TIER-1

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Common Errors



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Common Errors

In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

Date: 4/6/2019 (Shift 1)

1. We had to decline several orders in case that the production was held up due to labour strike.
 - (a) in case that
 - (b) the production was held up
 - (c) due to labour strike
 - (d) We had to decline
2. Cyclone Idai killed at least 157 people in Zimbabwe and Mozambique although it tore across Southern Africa.
 - (a) Cyclone Idai killed
 - (b) it tore across
 - (c) although
 - (d) at least 157 people

Shift 2

3. She got two quick promotions in order that she has good communication skills.
 - (a) two quick promotions
 - (b) she has good communication skills
 - (c) in order that
 - (d) She got
4. Due to the Cyclone Idai vast areas of land have been flooded, roads destroyed and communications disrupting in Zimbabwe and Mosambique.
 - (a) vast areas of land have been flooded
 - (b) and communications disrupting
 - (c) Due to the Cyclone Idai
 - (d) roads destroyed

Shift 3

5. She lost a big order from a known showroom in case of her own carelessness.
 - (a) in case of
 - (b) her own carelessness
 - (c) She lost a big order
 - (d) from a known showroom

6. Torrential rains and winds of upto 170 km per hour swept away roads, homes and bridges and knocking down power and communication lines.
 - (a) knocking down
 - (b) homes and bridges
 - (c) swept away roads
 - (d) winds of upto

Date: 6/6/2019 (Shift 1)

7. Every employee of the company were given a two bedroom flat as Diwali bonus.
 - (a) as Diwali bonus
 - (b) a two bedroom flat
 - (c) Every employee
 - (d) were given
8. Cyclone Idai is regarded as one of the worst tropical cyclone on record to affect Africa and the Southern Hemisphere as a whole.
 - (a) Cyclone Idai is regarded
 - (b) the worst tropical cyclone
 - (c) as a whole
 - (d) to affect Africa

Shift 2

9. I know the cobbler which mends the shoes outside the gate of our colony.
 - (a) I know the cobbler
 - (b) the shoes
 - (c) which mends
 - (d) outside the gate
10. The street artist Satish Munjal has been painting this wall since the past one week.
 - (a) has been painting
 - (b) The street artist
 - (c) this wall
 - (d) since the past one week



Shift 3

11. We will rest for sometime when we will reach the top.
 (a) We will rest (b) when we will
 (c) reach the top (d) for sometime
12. The river Yamuna has many non-native species like goldfish that is affecting its ecosystem.
 (a) its eco-system
 (b) The river Yamuna
 (c) that is affecting
 (d) has many non-native species

Date: 7/6/2019 (Shift 1)

13. Lodi Colony in Delhi is very different from other places in the city that is crowded and noisy.
 (a) is very different
 (b) from other places
 (c) in the city
 (d) that is crowded and noisy
14. She forgot lock the door when she went out in a hurry.
 (a) in a hurry (b) She forgot lock
 (c) the door when (d) she went out

Shift 2

15. The Japanese artist Yoh Nagao was busy splashing the wall from colours.
 (a) splashing the wall
 (b) was busy
 (c) from colours
 (d) The Japanese artist
16. The Doon Valley with all its lights look beautiful at night from the top of the mountain.
 (a) look beautiful (b) from the top
 (c) at night (d) with all its lights

Shift 3

17. Each of the girls have given an impressive dance performance.
 (a) have given (b) Each of the girls
 (c) an impressive (d) dance performance

18. If so many catches had not being dropped, we would have won the match.
 (a) If so many catches
 (b) had not being dropped
 (c) won the match
 (d) we would have

Date: 10/6/2019 (Shift 1)

19. Most disputes can be solved amicably unless one are not rigid.
 (a) Most disputes
 (b) can be solved amicably
 (c) unless one are
 (d) not rigid
20. In the northern suburbs of Bengaluru, home to the bulk of the information technology industry, the water crisis is even worst.
 (a) home to the bulk of
 (b) is even worst
 (c) the water crisis
 (d) in the northern suburbs

Shift 2

21. No sooner did he see the tiger when he ran as fast as he could.
 (a) no sooner did (b) he see the tiger
 (c) when he ran (d) as fast as he could
22. The match is about to begin since the captain as well as the team are on the field.
 (a) are on the field
 (b) The match is about to begin
 (c) since the captain
 (d) as well as the team

Shift 3

23. On the way he was bited on his toe by a poisonous snake .
 (a) On the way (b) he was bited
 (c) on his toe (d) by a poisonous snake



24. Supriya asked Kiran that where had her mother gone when the results of the contest were being declared.

- (a) that where had her mother gone
- (b) Supriya asked Kiran
- (c) were being declared
- (d) when the results of the contest

Date: 11/6/2019 (Shift 1)

25. There isn't many rice left in the house so we must replenish our stock soon.

- (a) our stock soon
- (b) so we must replenish
- (c) There isn't many rice
- (d) left in the house

26. Ten kilometres are a long distance to cover on foot for a child.

- (a) Ten kilometres are
- (b) to cover on foot
- (c) a long distance
- (d) for a child

Shift 2

27. The length of a male swallow's tail reveal his attractiveness for a female swallow.

- (a) The length of
- (b) a male swallow's tail reveal
- (c) a female swallow
- (d) his attractiveness for

28. My father dissuaded me to try for a job as he wanted me to pursue higher studies.

- (a) as he wanted me
- (b) My father dissuaded me
- (c) to pursue higher studies
- (d) to try for a job

Shift 3

29. He is more smarter than his brother though he does not earn much money.

- (a) than his brother
- (b) He is more smarter
- (c) much money
- (d) though he does not earn

30. The child along with his parents were waiting for the programme to begin.

- (a) along with his parents
- (b) were waiting for the
- (c) The child
- (d) programme to begin

Date: 12/6/2019 (Shift 1)

31. Not complying by any of the laws can land you into serious trouble.

- (a) Not complying by
- (b) any of the laws
- (c) into serious trouble
- (d) can land you

32. Raja Ravi Varma was one of the first artist who tried to create a style that was both modern and traditional.

- (a) Raja Ravi Varma was
- (b) both modern and traditional.
- (c) to create a style that was
- (d) one of the first artist

Shift 2

33. The reduction in the cost of education due to an increase in subsidies offer by the government is also seen as a reason to get more educated.

- (a) The reduction in the cost of education
- (b) is also seen as a reason
- (c) offer by the government
- (d) due to an increase in subsidies



34. "Unless you did not do your homework you will be punished," said the teacher.
- (a) said the teacher.
 - (b) do your homework
 - (c) you will be punished
 - (d) Unless you did not

Shift 3

35. Having just taking a heavy lunch, she was not ready to have any fruit.
- (a) to have any fruit.
 - (b) taking a heavy
 - (c) Having just
 - (d) she was not ready
36. There is many modes of travel to go to Agra but I prefer road travel.
- (a) prefer road travel.
 - (b) Agra but I
 - (c) to go to
 - (d) There is many modes

Date: 13/6/2019 (Shift 1)

37. Cows are amongst the gentlest of animals; none shows more passionate tenderness towards their young.
- (a) none shows more
 - (b) towards their young
 - (c) the gentlest of animals
 - (d) Cows are amongst

38. The cost of fruits and vegetables have risen abnormally this month.
- (a) abnormally
 - (b) The cost of
 - (c) have risen
 - (d) this month

Shift 2

39. Although there are more than a hundred known elements, they rarely occur at a pure state.
- (a) more than a hundred
 - (b) Although there are
 - (c) at a pure state
 - (d) they rarely occur
40. You may left the class when you have completed the test.
- (a) the class
 - (b) when you have
 - (c) completed the test
 - (d) You may left

Shift 3

41. Entering the hall, the show had started.
- (a) had started
 - (b) the show
 - (c) Entering
 - (d) the hall
42. "I done a lot of work today," she said.
- (a) a lot of
 - (b) she said
 - (c) I done
 - (d) work today

ANSWER KEY

1. (a) 2. (c) 3. (c) 4. (b) 5. (a) 6. (a) 7. (d) 8. (b) 9. (c) 10. (d)
11. (b) 12. (c) 13. (d) 14. (b) 15. (c) 16. (a) 17. (a) 18. (b) 19. (c) 20. (b)
21. (c) 22. (a) 23. (b) 24. (a) 25. (c) 26. (a) 27. (b) 28. (d) 29. (b) 30. (b)
31. (a) 32. (d) 33. (c) 34. (d) 35. (b) 36. (d) 37. (a) 38. (c) 39. (c) 40. (d)
41. (c) 42. (c)

