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1. Mr. Sharma is senior to Mr. Verma.
2. He is too poor to afford traveling by air.
3. More than 160 million people suffer from malaria.
4. Beware of pickpockets.
5. Time and tide wait for none.
6. He is indifferent to his own interest.
7. He supplies the poor with clothing.
8. There is no exception to this rule.
9. I am not envious of his success.
10. He inquired of the servant if his master was at home.
11. He promised not to do anything repugnant to the wishes of his parents.
12. He is capable as a leader, but intolerant as opposition.
13. He was born to humble parents.
14. The climate of Karachi does not agree with him.
15. He scoffed at the idea of revolution.

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1) He enjoyed during the holidays.

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2) Who ever works hard he will win.

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3. The man who knocked at the door was stranger.

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4. I asked my colleague when was he going to his home town.

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5. Besides clothes, the shopkeeper deals with cosmetic too.

Besides clothes, the shopkeeper deals in cosmetic, too.

6. He is desirous for joining the army.

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7. The judge said that the truth always triumphed.

The judge said that the truth always triumphs.

8. one should help his friend in difficulty.

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9. Sachin Tendulkar is the best batsman
India has produced, isn't it?
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has produced. Isn't he?

10. More you read less you understand.
The more you read, the less you understand.

(b) Punctuate the following text, where necessary.

(5)

a quaker was one day walking on country road he was suddenly met by a highwayman pointing a pistol the man exclaimed your money or your life my friend said the quaker I cannot deliver my money for i should be helping thee in evildoing however exchange is lawful and i will give thee my purse for the pistol the robber agree on receiving the purse the quaker at once held the pistol at the robbers head and said now friend my purse back or the weapon may go off fire said the robber there is no powder in the pistol

Punctuation 2017

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