

# English Comprehension Test-1

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1. Why most of us fail in our efforts for self improvement?

## Answer:

Most of us fail in our efforts for self-improvements because our plans are too ambitious and we never get enough time to carry them out. As a result, we get discouraged and eventually return to our old habits.

2. Why is it a basic mistake to announce our resolution to everybody?

## Answer:

Announcing our resolutions to everybody is a big mistake because when people fail to follow them, they look foolish in front of others.

Returning to their old habits ~~exposed~~ expose their weaknesses and cause embarrassment. 1.5)

3. Why did the writer not carry out his resolution on New Year's Day?

Answer:

The writer did not carry out his resolution on New Year's Day because he had attended overnight party on New Year's Eve. The late-night celebration gave him an excuse for ~~not~~ not starting his new resolutions on the first day of the year. 2)

4. Words From Passage (Similar Meaning)

Answer:

(a) intimidating: ~~unsettling~~

DAY: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

b) Pelil : Pitfalls ✓

c) dwindle : diminished ✓

d) repel : resisting ✓

e) barb : taunts ✓

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