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SEMESTER - I

24PELET1B01 - Learn English: Intermediate Grammar Specialization

Total Duration : 1 Hrs.30 Mins.

Total Marks : 40

Section B

Answer any **TEN** questions (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Give the past participle for the following verbs:
a) cut b) drink
c) eat d) fight
2. Unscramble the following set of words in the question to frame present perfect tense.
a) their/ homework/have/they/ finished
b) party /I / at /have / the/ danced
3. Locate the error in the sentence.
a) The school hasn't open yet.
b) She have secured the first mark in the exam.
4. Identify the sentence with Static verb and action verb name them
a) She looks tired.
b) Sam was looking out of the window, to locate his car.
5. Fill in the blanks with Present progressive tense:
a) Have you _____(practice) the violin lessons?
b) Seema _____ (shop) for her wedding all day.
6. Identify the tense forms in the following sentences:
a) Ram has been practicing for the NEET since the year 2023.
b) The teacher has instructed her pupil not to absent themselves for the practical exams.
7. Fill up the blanks:
By the time Shyam _____(arrive) at the station, the train _____(leave) the station.
8. What are phrasal modals ? Give examples.
9. Identify the grammatically correct sentence and name the type of error present in the erroneous sentence.
a) John should have left for school early.
b) John shoulded have left for school early.

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10. Identify which of the following sentences is a modal and phrasal modal:
- She might come home early tonight.
 - The child is able to pick up the language quickly.
 - We ought to obey the traffic rules.
 - The boy has got to return the library book.
11. Underline the modals in the sentences given below and name its type (ex: possibility, ability, advice, preference etc.)
- She'd better apologise to her friend soon.
 - I would rather remain at home than contract the infection.
 - The chicks likes worms better than seeds.
 - My friend could be playing sports.
12. Identify and name in which of the following sentences 'maybe' is used as a modal of possibility and an adverb.
- Maybe I will go to Bangalore next month.
 - My friend may be using my laptop for his presentation.

Section C

Answer any **FOUR** questions ($4 \times 5 = 20$ Marks)

- What are stative verbs? Give the rules for using stative verbs with examples.
- Explain the situational usage of Present progressive and present perfect tenses with appropriate examples.
- Give examples for Past perfect continuous tenses and explain them.
- Write down the rules for using modals with appropriate examples
- Mention the modals that express ability, possibility, advice and preference. Give examples for each.
- Write about your experience as a student or write an anecdote only using past tense.
