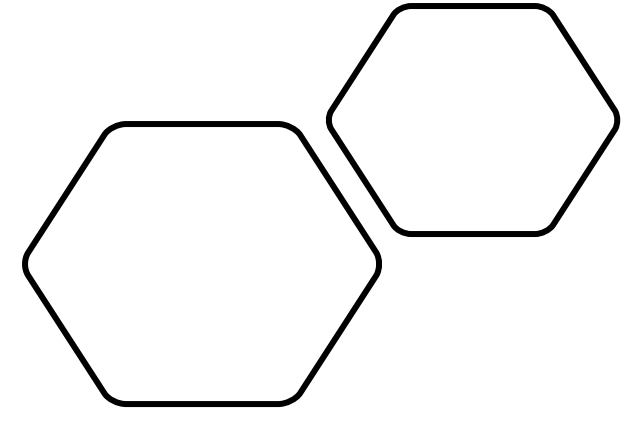




SAFALTA CLASSTM

An Initiative by **अमरउजाला**



CONJUNCTION

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PAIRS

शुद्ध एत

interrogative structures

Hardly/Scarcely When/Before

No sooner than

Lest Should

Though/Although yet/(,)

Else but

The reason is/ The reason why that

Seldom or never / if ever

Other/ rather than

Whether or/ or not

Ago that

+ H.V.+S

but / still

= शुद्ध एत

since

Exercise

- Hardly had he entered the room ^{when} than the students stood up. ✓
- No sooner did he enter the room ^{or} but the students stood up.
- Work hard lest you ~~will~~ ^{should} fail. ~~fail~~ ^{than}
- Though he is very fat ~~but~~ ^{yet} still he runs very fast.
- It is nothing else ~~than~~ ^{but} pride.
- I don't know whether he likes me or ~~no~~ ^{not}.
- He seldom or ~~ever~~ ^{never} comes here.
- The reason why she is late is ~~because~~ ^{that} it was raining. ✓

Rule no. 2

- Eitheror
- Neither.....nor
- Not only.....but also
- Bothand

* Each one takes same parts of speech

* Always match according to the second one

• EACH ONE TAKES SAME PARTS OF SPEECH

- Either give me rice or wheat.

Give me

V X N N

- Not only he is honest but also diligent.

adj

adj

RULE NO. 3

PRESENT PERFECT/It is + SINCE + PAST IND.(V2)

- Ten years passed since I came here. *have passed*
- It is ten years since I came here. *is*
- Lots of changes took place since I have joined this organisation. *have taken joined*

RULE NO.4

- Present Ind. + AS IF/ AS THOUGH + V2/Were

(v1)

- Past Ind. + AS IF/ AS THOUGH + Had+ V3

(V2)

जाता / जाते

He talks as if he is my boss.

were ✓

• He talks as if he knows everything.

knew ✓

• He talked as if he knew everything.

had known ✓

• He behaves as though he is a child.

were ✓

RULE NO. 5

- As + Sub. (I, He, She)
- Like + Obj. (me, him, her)

• Eg. He sings like I do. ✓

• He sings as me. ✓

like

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- 1. Until the train *gets* will not get a)/ the signal, b)/ it will not run. c)/ No error
- 2. Scarcely had he slept a)/ *when* than b)/ a thief broke into the house. c)/ No error d)

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- 3. No sooner a)/ had he left ^{than} but b)/ it started raining. c)/ No error d)

- 4. He is a)/ not only famous for b)/ his wealth but also for wisdom. c)/ No error d)

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a) • 5. It was almost ten years ago ~~since~~ ^{that} he wrote a)/ a letter to me to b)/ remind me of my lapses. c)/ No error d)

b) • 6. Fools are a)/ both found in b)/ Asia and Europe. c)/ No error d)

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- 7. No sooner had he a)/ died than b)/ his sons quarrelled. c)/ No error d)

- 8. Let me know a)/ whether b)/ you will return or not. c)/ No error d)

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- 1. Although information technology has entered the homes, offices and hearts of many citizens of India _____.
- (a) India provides the highest number of IT experts to the world every year.
- ~~(b)~~ many people in rural areas still remain ignorant of its immense benefits
- (c) Government has done its best by founding research in this field appropriately
- (d) the face of communication in the years to come would change completely from the bygone years
- (e) None of these

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- 2. While the environment friendly nuclear energy could make a large addition to the energy resources_____.
- (a) experts have a lot of expectations from this cleaner method of producing energy.
- (b) the government is determined to extract maximum out of this technology in the near future
- (c) international lobby has been pressurizing the developing nations to shift their energy production from coal to nuclear power
- ~~(d)~~ the problem of locating adequate numbers of uranium reserves to run the reactors is yet to be sorted out
- (e) None of these

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- 3. _____, experts proposed the idea of a common school system.
- (a) Overlooking the fundamental right of quality education of every child in India
- (b) Since the curricular requirements of a rural child is different from an urban child
- ✓ (c) Based on the fact that difference in the quality of schools acts as a ground for discrimination
- (d) Since a large percentage of Indian are getting free education
- (e) None of these

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- 4. _____, the soil today is nowhere as rich in native minerals as it used to be some centuries ago.
effect
- (a) As there is a growing consent among farmers regarding limiting the use of chemical fertilizers
- (b) As the chemical inputs in agriculture improved the yield many folds
- (c) Owing to the uninhibited use of chemical inputs in agriculture
- (d) Awareness among farmers regarding the side-effects of chemical farming grew when
- (e) None of these
uncontrolled

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- 5. As allegations of crores of rupees changing hands to permit illegal mining began to fly thick and fast _____.
- (a) Government ordered an enquiry which exposed a nexus between mine operators and bureaucrats
- (b) it caused great damage to the surrounding ecosystem and the environment in general
- (c) the official have been irresponsible in failing to bring it to the notice of the court in time
- (d) the power mining lobby had bribed the officials to obtain permit for mining on ecologically sensitive land
- (e) None of these

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- 6. Unfortunately, however, these slum dwellers are looked down upon by the society as an appendix causing ills in the urban society.
- Which of the following sentences would immediately precede the above sentence? *comes before*
- (a) Health officials have been warning the government against the transmission of contagious disease from the slum area to other part of the city. *X*
- *(b)* Slum dwellers not only play significant role in urban economy but also provide cheap labour for everyday work of the cities.
- (c) A recent report suggested that 34 per cent of government land is illegally occupied by the slum dwellers.
- (d) The slum dwellers live in sub-human, unhygienic conditions in their tiny shanties and are very often hubs for criminal activities.
- (e) None of these

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- 8. That was mainly because only two per cent of the total farmers could actually comprehend the lengthy procedures to obtain the loan and be benefited from it.
- Which of the following sentences would immediately precede the above sentence ?
- (a) Many moneylenders have been making the most out of this situation and providing loans to the rest of the farmers at inflated prices.
- (b) there is thus an urgent need to make the schemes and policy as simple and farmer friendly as possible.
- (c) A new loan scheme started by the government a couple of months ago proved to be a huge failure and utterly unpopular among the farmers.
- (d) This situation can be improved by providing mediators to carry out a follow up of the lengthy official procedure for the farmers.
- (e) None of these

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- 10. This is because most of the institutes for higher learning lack the basic infrastructure, trained staff and equipment necessary for the physically challenged.
- Which of the following sentences would immediately precede the above sentence ?
- (a) Many physically challenged people have been performing as well as other students perform in their studies.
- (b) The percentage of illiterate, physically challenged people in rural areas is considerably more than that in the urban areas.
- (c) According to a recent survey, only two out of nearly 200 universities in India have adequate number of books in Braille.
- (d) Although government has been making many provisions to improve higher education in India, no attention has been paid to the education of the physically challenged students.
- (e) None of these

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- 11. (A) Instigate (B) Enquire
- (C) Construe (D) Interpret
- (1) A-C (2) A-B
- ~~(3) C-D~~ (4) B-D
- (5) A-D

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understand

syn.

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- 12. (A) Superficial
- (B) Superfluous → unnecessary
- (C) Enlightened — aware
- (D) Surplus — extra
- (1) A-C (2) A-B
- (3) B-C (4) B-D
- (5) A-D

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- 13. (A) Appalling — *bad and shocking*
- (B) Sinister — *full of warning*
- (C) Perturbed — *पेड़ना*
- (D) Threatening —
- (1) A-B (2) ~~B-D~~ *syn.*
- (3) A-C (4) A-D
- (5) D-C

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- 14. (A) Imprison (B) Torture
- (C) Excruciate (D) Extract
- (1) B-D ~~(2)~~ B-C - *Syn.*
- (3) A-B (4) C-D
- (5) A-C

- - 15. (A) Pertinent (B) Impolite
 - ~~(C) Irrelevant (D) Insecure~~
 - ~~(1) A-C (2) B-D~~
 - (3) C-D (4) A-D
 - (5) B-C
- Ant. relevant*