

# Unit 3 - Week 2

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# Assignment 2

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.  
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

**Due on 2020-02-12, 23:59 IST.**

1) The passive voice of the sentence, "He played Cricket throughout his life." Will be

1 point

- Cricket was played by him throughout his life.
- Cricket were played by him throughout his life.
- It was he who played cricket throughout his life.
- Cricket is played by him throughout his life.

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Cricket was played by him throughout his life.*

2) Which of the following is not a relative verb?

1 point

- Include
- Resemble
- Contain
- Weave

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Weave*

3) Which of the following is not a source of Ambiguity?

1 point

- Relative words
- Words with double meaning
- Ellipsis
- Concrete Words

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Concrete Words*

4) One of the following word is ambiguous. Find it out.

1 point

- Reconnect
- Car
- Death
- All of the Above

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Reconnect*

5) Which of the following sentences is punctuated perfectly.

1 point

- Effective writing, I think, should be learnt right from our school days
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- Effective writing I think should be learnt right from our school days.

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Effective writing, I think, should be learnt right from our school days.*

6) The term essay was popularised by

1 point

- Montaigne
- William Temple
- Charles Lamb
- Walter Scott

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Montaigne*

7) Which of the following is not a component of essay

1 point

- Introduction
- Thesis statement
- Conclusion
- Prologue

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Prologue*

8) Thesis statement can be defined as

1 point

- It mirrors a judgement about the topic
- It gives an idea of what is to come in the paper
- Both A and B are true
- Both A and B are False

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Both A and B are true*

9) Unity in a written work cannot be attained by

1 point

- Relevancy
- Proportion
- Arrangement
- Disjointedness

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Disjointedness*

10) Which of the following is the characteristic of Imaginative essays

1 point

- Aims at creating aesthetic pleasure
- Aims at decisiveness
- Observation and description
- Facts rather than thoughts

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
*Aims at creating aesthetic pleasure*