

(i) Fill in the blank by using the correct form of the verb given in brackets:
The investigators _____ (examine) the confidential files when the unexpected power outage disrupted their work.

(ii) Fill in the blank with the correct determiner:

_____ of the information provided by the witness was considered reliable after cross-examination.

(Much / Many / Several / A few)

(iii) Identify the error and supply the correction:

Scarcely had she entered the auditorium when the lights goes out.

Error _____ Correction _____

(iv) Report the dialogue correctly by completing the sentence:

Arjun said, "I will not tolerate this injustice any longer."

Arjun declared that he _____.

(v) Identify the error and supply the correction:

The number of applicants applying for the scholarship have increased significantly this year.

Error _____ Correction _____

(vi) Select the correct option to complete the reporting:

The teacher said to the students, "Do you understand the implications of this theorem?"

(A) The teacher asked the students did they understand the implications of that theorem.

(B) The teacher asked the students if they understood the implications of that theorem.

© The teacher told the students that they understood the implications of that theorem.

(D) The teacher asked the students whether do they understand the implications of this theorem.

(vii) Replace the underlined word with the most appropriate option:
The committee was divided in its opinion, and neither of the two proposals were accepted.

(A) was (B) have been © had been (D) is

(viii) Identify the error and supply the correction:

Despite of facing severe criticism, the author continued to defend his controversial thesis.

Error _____ Correction _____

(ix) Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction:

Each of the participants were instructed to submit their assignment before Friday.

Option No. Error Correction

(A) Each — All

(B) were — was

© their — his or her

(D) before — by

(x) Complete the sentence with the correct verb form:

The new policies, along with the revised guidelines, _____
(implement) to ensure greater transparency.

(A) was implemented (B) were implemented © have implement (D) had implementing

(xi) Fill in the blank with the most appropriate modal:

You _____ have foreseen the consequences before making such a risky investment.

(might / must / should / would)

(xii) Error Correction : Only after the verdict was announced did the public realised the gravity of the situation.