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Direction 1 - 4: The following questions are based on the passage that is jumbled and divided into some parts. Find out the actual sequence by rearranging them in the correct order to make the paragraph contextually and grammatically coherent and answer the questions that follow.

- A. Despite progress, there is still a long way to go in terms of providing adequate support for mothers in the workplace.
- B. Advances in technology have also made it easier for mothers to work from home and stay connected with their colleagues.
- C. In the past, many companies did not offer paid maternity leave or flexible work arrangements for new mothers.
- D. However, even with these changes, many mothers still face discrimination and unequal pay in the workforce.
- E. Today, there is a greater awareness of the challenges that working mothers face, and many companies are taking steps to address these issues.
- F. In some cases, this has led to policies such as on-site child care and extended maternity leave.
- Q:1 Which of the following sentences does not fit into the same theme as the other sentences?
- 1. A
- **2.** B
- **3**. C
- **5**. E
- Q:2 Which of the following will come LAST in the paragraph after the rearrangement?
- **1.** F
- **2**. E
- **3**. A
- **5**. D
- **Q:3** Which one of the following statements should consecutively follow statement (C) after rearrangement?
- **1.** D
- **2**. E
- **3.** B
- **5**. A
- **Q:4** Which one of the following statements should consecutively follow statement (B) after

rearrangement?

- 1. A
- **2.** B
- **3.** D
- **5**. F

Direction 5 - 8: The following questions are based on the passage that is jumbled and divided into some parts. Find out the actual sequence by rearranging them in the correct order to make the paragraph contextually and grammatically coherent and answer the questions that follow.

- A. Some environmentalists argue that political action is necessary to effect meaningful change, while others believe that change can be achieved through individual action and lifestyle choices.
- B. The debate over political involvement within the environmental movement is not a new one, and has been ongoing for decades.
- C. However, others argue that without political action, large-scale change is unlikely to happen, and that individual actions alone are not enough to combat climate change and other environmental issues.
- D. One of the main points of contention in this debate is whether or not environmentalism should be a bipartisan issue.
- E. The environmental movement is often criticized for being too left-leaning, which some argue alienates potential supporters on the right.
- F. In order to achieve lasting change, it is important for environmentalists to find common ground and work together across political divides.

Sentence D is divided into some parts, read the sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error in it.

- Q:5 One of the main points (A)/ of contention in this debate(B)/ is whether or not environmentalism (C)/ should be a bipartisan issue. (D)/
- **1.** A
- **2.** B
- **3**. C
- 5. NO ERROR

**Q:6** Which one of the following statements should consecutively follow statement (A) after rearrangement?

**1.** A





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- **2.** B
- **3.** D
- **5**. C

# Q:7 Which of the following will come FIRST in the paragraph after the rearrangement?

- **1**. E
- **2.** B
- 3. C
- **5**. A
- **Q:8** Choose the correct sequence of the paragraph after rearrangement.
- 1. BACDF
- 2. FECBA
- 3. FCBEA
- 5. None of these
- Q:9 Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
- A. The principles that emerged from those trials, known as the Nuremberg Code, are broadly applicable to many types of health-related research involving human participants, including clinical trials.
- B. The growing breadth and complexity of contemporary health challenges have produced a range of difficult questions that cannot always be adequately addressed by relying exclusively on existing policies, guidelines, or codes of conduct.
- C. Recent formal efforts to articulate international standards of ethics applicable to health and health care can be traced to the Nuremberg trials of 1947, during which the horrors of Nazi medical experiments came to light.
- D. Ethical questions related to health, health care, and public health cover topics as diverse as moral issues around reproduction, state obligations in the provision of health care services, and appropriate measures to control infectious disease.
- 1. DCAB
- 2. ACDB
- 3. DACB
- 4. DABC

Q:10 Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

A.In its most humble function, it is a necessary guide without which progress from place to place would be a ceaseless experiment; it is a sustenance without which

organised society would be impossible, thus the Road moves and controls all history.

B.The Road is one of the great fundamental institutions of mankind.

C.It is the Road which controls the development of strategies and fixes the sites of battles. It is the Road that gives framework to all economic development. It is the Road which is the channel of all trade, and, what is more important, of all ideas.

D.Not only is the Road one of the great human institutions because it is fundamental to social existence, but also because its varied effects appear in every department of

the State. It is the Road which determines the sites of many cities and the growth and nourishment of all.

- 1. BDCA
- 2. DBAC
- 3. CDAB
- 4. ABCD







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Answer Key				
<b>1</b> . (4)	<b>2.</b> (3)	<b>3</b> . (2)	<b>4.</b> (5)	<b>5</b> . (4)
<b>6</b> . (5)	<b>7.</b> (2)	<b>8.</b> (1)	<b>9.</b> (1)	<b>10.</b> (1)

### Answers and Solutions

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Q:1 The correct answer is option 5 i.e. D.

The first sentence (C) sets the context for the paragraph by talking about the past, where many companies did not offer paid maternity leave or flexible work arrangements for new mothers. The second sentence (E) then talks about the present, where there is a greater awareness of the challenges that working mothers face, and many companies are taking steps to address these issues.

The third sentence (B) provides an example of the ways in which technology has made it easier for mothers to work from home and stay connected with their colleagues.

The fourth sentence (F) builds on this idea, by discussing how some companies are now offering policies such as on-site child care and extended maternity leave to support working mothers. The fifth sentence (D) then brings up the issue of

discrimination and unequal pay, which although related, is not the main focus of the other sentences.

Finally, the last sentence (A) acknowledges the progress made so far, but also notes that there is still a long way to go in terms of providing adequate support for mothers in the workplace.

#### Q:2 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. A.

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# Q:3 The correct answer is option 2 i.e. E.

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### Q:4 The correct answer is option 5 i.e. F.

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## Q:5 The correct answer is option 4 i.e. D.

Sentence D contains an error in part D, in the use of the word 'bipartisan' which means supported by both parties, whereas the context of the sentence suggests that it should say 'partisan' meaning supported by one party or another.

The word 'bipartisan' means supported by both parties, which does not make sense in the context of the sentence. The sentence is discussing the debate over political involvement within the environmental movement, which is a contentious issue that divides different political parties and interest groups. Therefore, the word 'partisan' meaning supported by one party or another would be more appropriate in this context.

A corrected version of sentence D could read as follows: 'One of the main points of contention in this debate is whether or not environmentalism should be a **partisan** issue.' This would accurately reflect the context of the sentence and make it more meaningful in the overall paragraph.

# Q:6 The correct answer is option 5 i.e. C.

To form a coherent paragraph, we can remove sentence E and correct sentence D, and then rearrange the remaining sentences as follows: B,A,C,D,F.

The paragraph now flows smoothly, with the first sentence introducing the topic of political involvement within the environmental movement, followed by the two opposing viewpoints on the issue. The corrected fourth sentence introduces the idea of environmentalism being a partisan issue, which is a main point of contention in the

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debate. Finally, the paragraph ends with a statement about the importance of finding common ground in order to effect meaningful change.

#### Q:7 The correct answer is option 2 i.e. B.

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#### Q:8 The correct answer is option 1 i.e. BACDF.

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#### Q:9 The correct answer is option 1 i.e. DCAB.

The given question is an example of para jumbles. Sentence D will be the first sentence as it talks about the main subject ethical questions that are asked related to health and health care.

Sentence C further gives more information about the age-old trial of Nuremberg.

Sentence A will follow sentence C as it tells more information about those trials.

Sentence B will be the last sentence as it concludes the para.

The correct sequence is:

D. Ethical questions related to health, health care,











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B. The growing breadth and complexity of contemporary health challenges have produced a range of difficult questions that cannot always be adequately addressed by relying exclusively on existing policies, guidelines, or codes of conduct.

Q:10 The correct answer is option 1 i.e. BDCA. **Sentence B** introduces the topic by stating that 'The Road is one of the great fundamental institutions of mankind."

Sentence D expands on the importance of the Road by stating that it is not only a fundamental institution but also its effects appear in every department of the State. It further explains that the Road determines the sites of cities and influences their growth.

Sentence C provides additional information about the significance of the Road. It highlights that the Road controls the development of strategies, plays a role in economic development, and acts as a channel for trade and ideas.

**Sentence A** emphasizes the essential functions of the Road. It describes how the Road serves as a necessary guide for travel and is crucial for organized society to function. The sentence concludes by stating that the Road moves and controls all history.

Thus, the correct sequence would be BDCA.







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