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Special Question – English Language

English

Q:1 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank with the synonym of the underlined word.

The film was a funny adaption of an old classic. The _____ depiction was well received by the audience.

1. humorous
2. trendy
3. nervous
4. tropical

Q:2 Select the most appropriate synonym of the word given below to fill in the blank in the following sentence.

Austere

My uncle said, "Think about a monk who lives a _____ life".

1. dark
2. luxurious
3. strict
4. logical

Q:3 Select the most appropriate synonym of the word given below to fill in the blank in the following sentence.

Pamper

My grandmother said, "Don't _____ the kid. He will get spoiled"

1. bend
2. comfortable
3. attend
4. coddle

Q:4 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word to fill in the blank in the sentence.

Yields

Binu's land _____ high quality of wheat and grams.

1. touches
2. subdues
3. produces
4. meets

Q:5 Of the words given below, three are synonyms. Choose the odd one out.

1. Lethargy
2. Energy

3. Activity

4. Spirit



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Answer Key

1. (1) 2. (3) 3. (4) 4. (3) 5. (1)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **Option 1** i.e. **humorous**.

The appropriate word to fill in the blank with a synonym of the underlined word 'funny' is 'humorous.'

So, the sentence would be: 'The film was a humorous adaption of an old classic. The humorous depiction was well received by the audience.'

The other options do not convey the same meaning as funny.

Q:2 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **strict**.

Austere: Severe or strict in manner, attitude, or appearance.

Dark: Lacking light or having a gloomy atmosphere.

Luxurious: Characterized by luxury; rich and comfortable.

Strict: Demanding to follow to rules or principles; inflexible in enforcing standards.

Logical: Following a rational and sensible approach.

Hence, the correct answer would be 'strict.'

Q:3 The correct answer is **Option 4** i.e. **coddle**.

Pamper: To pamper means to treat with excessive care or kindness.

Coddle: Coddle also means to treat with extreme care or tenderness, similar to pampering.

In the context of the sentence, both 'pamper' and 'coddle' convey the idea of providing excessive care or attention to the kid. Therefore, 'coddle' is the most appropriate synonym for 'pamper' in this sentence.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **produces**.

In the context of crops or land, 'yields' means the quantity of agricultural products produced.

Touches: Comes into contact with physically.

Subdues: Overcomes or brings under control.

Produces: Creates or cultivates, especially in terms of agricultural output.

Meets: Comes into contact with or encounters.

Hence, the correct answer would be 'produces.'

Q:5 The correct answer is **Option 1** i.e. **Lethargy**.

'Lethargy' means a lack of energy or drowsiness.

The other three words: **energy**, **activity**, and **spirit**, are associated with liveliness, and an active state.