

#### **Tense Error**

- 1. It is high time (A)/ that political parties (B)/ take a more responsible role to help the poor. (C)/ No error (D)
- 2. Some are born great (A)/ Some achieve greatness (B)/ and some had greatness thrust on them. (C)/ No error (D)
- 3. Since he joined (A)/ this post of secretary (B)/ he didn't take any bribe. (C)/ no error (D)
- 4. While I was walking (A)/ along the road yesterday (B)/ I had seen a very old woman. (C)/ no error (D)
- 5. If the manufacturing sector continues (A)/ to grow at the same rate for (B)/ the next few months, I think it has a high growth rate this year. (C)/ no error (D)
- 6. If I was the prime minister (A)/ of India, I would (B)/ work wonders. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 7. Four years have passed since (A)/ we had met each (B)/ other in Mumbai. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 8. This is the best book I read (A)/ so far and I must recommend (B)/ it to all of the students I teach. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 9. When I will thirty (A)/ most of my friends (B)/ will be above thirty five, be sure. (C)/ No Error. (D)
- 10. The vaccine (A)/ when hit the market (B)/ is dogged by controversy. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 11. If he had (A)/ a few hours to spare (B)/ he would spend them in a public library. (C)/ No Error. (D)

- 12. If I would have realized (A)/ what a bad driver you were (B)/ I would not have come with you. (C)/ No error (D)
- 13. Martin would attempt (A)/ to open the umbrella (B)/ when her spectacles slipped off and fell down. (C)/ no error (D)
- 14. If you had not (A)/ reached so quickly, (B)/ we might well have had a disaster. (C)/ no error (D)
- 15. I was shocked (A)/ to see how much my grand mother had aged (B)/ since the last time we visited her. (C)/ No Error (D)
- 16. When I reached home (A)/ my father already came (B)/ from office. (C)/ no error (D)
- 17. Although I am playing cricket (A)/ for more than three years (B)/ I have not been able to score a century. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 18. You need not tell a lie (A)/ when the judge asked you where you were (B)/ when the crime was committed. (C)/ No error. (D)
- 19. The police brought (A)/ the conmen to the villagers so that (B)/ they can identify them. (C)/ No error (D)
- 20. I am taking care of (A)/ the garden since my (B)/ father's death. (C)/ No error (D)
- 21. Contrary to past predictions, (A)/ demand for sugarcane had not (B)/ increased in recent years. (C)/ No error (D)
- 22. Since his arrival in India, (A)/ he is visiting as many villages as he can (B)/ to acquire a firsthand knowledge of the rural India. (C)/ No error (D)





- 23. Last year two Italian prisoners of war (A)/ escapes from a prison camp (B)/ in Kenya during the war. (C)/ No error (D)
- 24. I will come (A)/ to see you (B)/ if I will have time. (C)/ No error (D)
- 25. Do not (A)/ get down the bus (B)/ till it will stop. (C)/ No error (D)
- 26. By the next august (A)/ he will write (B)/ his second book on Thermodynamics. (C)/ No error (D)
- 27. Much to (A)/ our regret the train left (B)/ before we reached the station last night. (C)/ No error (D)
- 28. Had (A)/ you informed me earlier (B)/ I would have certainly purchase the laptop from you. (C)/ No error (D)
- 29. I learnt from my father (A)/ that honesty was (B)/ the best policy. (C)/ No error (D)
- 30. The prisoners walked slowly (A)/ for they knew (B)/ that as soon as they cross the gate the jailor would ask them to jog. (C)/ No error (D)
- 31. I found this ring as I dig in the garden, (A)/ it looks very old (B)/ I wonder whom it belongs to (C)/ No error (D)
- 32. Ashish washes all his clothes and (A)/cooks food for the family (B)/ before he is going to office (C)/ No error (D)
- 33. Ashish appealed to the managing (A)/committee that he may be allowed (B)/ to join the volunteer force (C)/ No error (D)
- 34. If Ashish had told me last (A)/ Tuesday I will have given him the money (B)/ but now it is too late (C)/ No error (D)

- 35. No sooner error did the train (A)/ arrived at the station (B)/ than the passengers rushed towards it (C)/ No error (D)
- 36. If I were in (A)/ his shoes, (B)/ I would die with shame (C)/ No error (D)
- 37. My friend did not see me (A)/ for many years (B)/ since I met him last week (C)/ No error (D)
- 38. After Ashish read the magazines (A)/ and newspapers, and watched (B)/ programme, he decided to go out and meet some old friends (C)/ No error (D)
- 39. It had been our custom from (A)/ immemorial time to be hospitable to those (B)/ who come to our door (C)/ No error (D)
- 40. Had I realised that it (A)/ was such a long way (B)/ I would take a taxi (C)/ No error (D)
- 41. The police brought (a)/ the conmen to the villagers so that (b)/ they can identify them. (c)/ No error (d)
- 42. The mansion next door (a)/ was been bought (b)/ by some new people. (c)/ No error (d)
- 43. I am taking care of (a)/ the garden since my (b)/ father's death. (c)/ No error (d)
- 44. John has eaten (a)/ the cookies last night while(b)/ watching the match. (c)/ No error (d)
- 45. Contrary to past predictions, (a)/ demand for sugarcane had not (b)/ increased in recent years. (c)/ No error (d)
- 46. The municipal corporation (a)/ has been conducted cleanliness drives everywhere





- (b)/ on account of the rising instances of malaria. (c)/ No error (d)
- 47. She tried to console (a)/ the frightening child (b) but failed miserably at the task. (c)/ No error (d)
- 48. The river (a)/ has overflown (b)/ its banks. (c) / No error (d)
- 49. The cruel lady made (a)/ her step-daughter to do (b)/ all the household chores. (c)/ No error (d)
- 50. I really do regret not to learn to play the violin (a)/ when I had so many opportunities (b)/ to learn and practise in school. (c)/ No error (d)
- 51. I have not seen him since twenty years (a)/ and so I cannot say with certainty (b)/ whether he is alive or dead. (c)/ No error (d)
- 52. In the early years of the renaissance of Bharatanatyam, hereditary dancers have their own set of accompanists (b)/ who lived with the dancers and travelled with them from place to place when they gave performances. (c)/ No error (d)
- 53. Since his arrival in India, (a)/ he is visiting as many villages as he can (b)/ to acquire a firsthand knowledge of the rural India. (c)/ No error (d)
- 54. Last year two Italian prisoners of war (a)/ escapes from a prison camp (b)/ in Kenya during the war. (c)/ No error (d)
- 55. As soon as the CEO entered the office, the (a)/ union leaders approached him (b)/ and report the matter to him. (c)/ No error (d)

- 56. Although I am playing cricket (a)/ for more than three years (b)/ I have not been able to score a century. (c)/ No error (d)
- 57. She never (a) / minds the children (b) / to play in the garden. (c) / No Error (d)
- 58. I will come (a) / to see you (b) / if I will have time. (c) / No error (d)
- 59. Do not (a) / get down the bus (b) / till it will stop. (c) / No error (d)
- 60. Let us (a) / go to the cafe (b) / when the movie will be over. (c) / No error (d)
- 61. I will not move (a) / from here (b) / until you will get back. (c) / No error (d)
- 62. By next august (a) / he will write (b) / his second book on Thermodynamics. (c) / No error (d)
- 63. Much to (a) / our regret the train left (b) / before we reached the station last night. (c) / No error (d)
- 64. I would like (a) / him to go (b) / to a university but I can't make him to go. (c) / No error (d)
- 65. Had (a) / you informed me earlier (b) / I would have certainly purchase the laptop from you. (c) / No error (d)
- 66. He dreads (a) / taking examinations (b) / for fear of to fail (c) / No error (d)
- 67. My father asked me (a) / where had I (b) / kept my clothes before taking a dip / in the river. (c) / No error (d)
- 68. I learnt / from my father (a) / that honesty was (b) / the best policy. (c)/ No error (d)

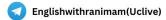


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- 69. He noticed children (a) / to talk together(b) / and caught them climbing the trees. (c) /No error (d)
- 70. We saw (a) / him to walk (b) / in the park on the way home. (c) / No error (d)
- 71. Unless you will not take (a) / care of your (b) / health you will continue to suffer. (c) / No error (d)
- 72. The prisoners walked slowly (a) / for they knew (b) / that as soon as they cross the gate the jailor would ask them to jog. (c) / No error (d)
- 73. Mr. Anand kept me (a) / to wait long (b) / before answering my question. (c) / No error (d)
- 74. I found this ring as I dig in the garden, (a)/ it looks very old (b)/ I wonder who it belongs to (c)/ No error (d)
- 75. Ashish washes all his clothes and (a)/cooks food for the family (b)/before he is going to the office (c)/ No error (d)
- 76. I know nothing about chess because (a)/my games teacher also was not knowing (b) anything about it (c)/ No error (d)
- 77. If you had read the relevant literature (a)/carefully, you would have answered (b)/most of the questions correctly. (c)/ No error (d)
- 78. Ashish, who is living in (a)/ this town since 1993, is a well known (b)/ scholar of history and a distinguished musician (c)/ No error (d)

- 79. He could not cut the grass today (a)/ because the handle of the machine has (b)/ broken a few days ago (c)/ No error (d)
- 80. Had he follow the directions (a)/ carefully he would have (b)/ completed the work on time.(c)/ No error (d)
- 81. He would not have written (a)/ this letter if he would (b)/ not have heard the news (c)/ No error (d)
- 82. Ashish appealed to the managing (a)/committee that he may be allowed (b)/ to join the volunteer force (c)/ No error (d)
- 83. If Ashish had told me last (a)/ Tuesday I will have given him the money (b)/ but now it is too late (c)/ No error (d)
- 84. No sooner did the train (a)/ arrived at the station (b)/ than the passengers rushed towards it (c)/ No error (d)
- 85. If I were in (a)/ his shoes, (b)/ I would die with shame (c)/ No error (d)
- 86. Why you don't told him (a)/ and clarify all (b)/ pending matters? (c)/ No error (d)
- 87. He was extremely annoyed (a)/ when I reported the matter (b)/ to him and has fired me (c)/ No error (d)
- 88. When the doctors found (a)/ that the player has taken prohibited medicines, he (b)/ reported the matter to the team manager (c)/ No error (d)
- 89. It had been our custom from (a)/immemorial time to be hospitable to those(b)/ who come to our doors (c)/ No error (d)
- 90. I asked if she (a)/ has looked everywhere and (b)/ she said 'yes' (c)/ No error (d)







91. Much water has (a)/ flown under the (b)/ bridge since then (c)/ No error (d)

92. I pretended as if (a)/ I am interested in the conversion (b)/ but really it was very boring (c)/ No error (d)

93. The train is supposed (a)/ to arrive at 11 a.m. yesterday (b)/ but it was an hour late (c)/ No error (d)

94. He will certainly help you (a)/ if you will
ask him (b)/ in a pleasant manner (c)/ No
error (d)

84. B

85. D

86. A

87. C

88. B

89. A

90. B

91. B

92. B

93. A

94. B

No error (u)			
Ans:	21. B	42. B	63. B
1. C	22. B	43. A	64. C
2. C	23. B	44. A	65. C
3. C	24. C	45. B	66. C
4. C	25. C	46. B	67. B
5. C	26. B	47. B	68. B
6. A	27. B	48. B	69. B
7. B	28. C	49. B	70. B
8. A	29. B	50. A	71. A
9. A	30. C	51. A	72. C
10. C	31. A	52. B	73. B
11. D	32. C	53. B	74. A
12. A	33. b	54. B	75. C
13. A	34. B	55. C	76. B
14. D	35. B	56. A	77. D
15. D	36. D	57. C	78. A
16. B	37. A	58. C	79. B
17. A	38. A	59. C	80. A
18. A	39. A	60. C	81. C
19. C	40. C	61. C	82. B
20. A	41. C	62. B	83. B