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WORDS OFTEN CONFUSED

An analogy is a comparison that is made between two distinct but in some way comparable occurrences, situations, or conditions. A verbal analogy is when one pair of words is compared to another pair of words and shows how they are similar. If we are able to decode the relationship between words, we will look to find out the pair of words among the options where the first word is a tool for the second. Thus, reaching the correct answer becomes easier.

For example: open : close :: give :

A. send B. change C. **take** D. arrange

Here **open** denotes its relationship with **close**. In the same way **give** relationship is with the word **take**

Exercise 1:

1. pack: cards :: bunch:
A. **flowers** B. car
2. decoration : beautify :: movie :
A. cook B. **entertain**
3. cool : cold :: pretty :
A. heavy B. **beautiful**
4. bread : food :: blue :
A. **colour** B. Ink
5. sad : cry :: cloudy :
A. sun B. **Rain**



6. human : lips :: bird : ?
A. nest B. **Beak**
7. professor : teaching :: judge :
A. court B. **judgement**
8. lion : jungle :: whale :
A. **Ocean** B. forest
9. weight : kilogram :: distance :
A. liter B. **kilometer**
10. vital : important :: correct :
A. **right** B. wrong
11. city : Paris :: country :
A. Delhi B. **India**
12. cool : cold :: old :
A. **Ancient** B. Young
13. tennis : racket :: cricket :
A. stick B. **bat**
14. writer : novel :: sculptor :
A. book B. **Statue**
15. textile : fabric :: pharma :
A. **medicine** B. Road



Exercise 2:

1. Doctor : Hospital :: School : ?

(a) Teacher

(b) Books

2. Flower : Vase :: Pencil : ?

a. Pen

b. Box

3. Furniture : Wood :: House : ?

a. Bricks

b. Walls

4. Rain : Drizzle :: Jog : ?

a. run

b. walk

5. Ten : Decimal :: Two : ?

a. Binary

b. Double

6. Gravity : Pull :: Magnet : ?

a. Attracts

b. magnetises

7. Orange : Fruit :: Oak : ?

a. Elm

b. Tree

8. Bacteria : Decomposition :: Yeast : ?

a. Eruption

b. Fermentation



9. Sun : Bright :: Night : ?

- a) Dark
- b) Moon

10. Glasses : Eyesight :: Crutches : ?

- a) Balance
- b) Walking

11. Orchestra : Musician :: Theatre : ?

- a) Director
- b) Actor

12. Seed : Plant :: Egg : ?

- a. Hatch
- b. Nest

13. Piano : Music :: Brush : ?

- a. Painting
- b. Painter

14. Flower : Bloom :: Fruit : ?

- a. Seed
- b. Ripe

15. Globe : Earth :: Compass : ?

- a. Direction
- b. Map