

## Preposition

## Explanations

- (a) Use 'looked for' in place of 'looked after' for the sense of searching.
- 2. (a) Remove 'of as 'despite' is not followed by any preposition.
- (a) Use 'besides' in place of 'beside' because 'beside' means next while 'besides' means *except* or *in addition* to.
- 4. (b) Use 'In' place of 'with'.
- 5. (b) Use 'to' after 'adhere'.
- 6. (b) 'Sympathise' is followed by 'with' and not by 'for'.
- (c) Remove 'with' after 'cope' because 'cope' takes a preposition after it only when it is followed by an object.
- 8. (c) Use 'of' in place of 'from'.
- 9. (b) Replace 'with' with 'from'.
- 10. (b) Replace 'from' with 'on'.
- 11. (b) Replace 'from' with 'of'.
- 12. (a) 'Aptitude for' is the correct expression.
- 13. (c) 'Two year' is a duration of time. So, use 'for' in place of 'since'.
- 14. (c) 'Fault' takes the preposition 'with' for a person.
- 15. (a) 'Similar' takes the preposition 'to' for comparing two similar things.
- (b) 'Inform' does not take any preposition after it. So, remove 'to'.
- 17. (a) Use 'from' after 'apart'.
- (b) 'Accused of' is used for the crime. So, replace 'for' with 'of'.
- 19. (a) Use 'for' in place of 'to'.
- 20. (b) Use 'to' after 'listen'.
- 21. (b) Replace 'between' with 'among'.
- 22. (c) Remove 'to' after 'reach'.
- 23. (c) Use 'on time' in place of 'in time'.

- 24. (b) Replace 'for' with 'on'.
- 25. (b) Use 'differs from' in place of 'differs to'.
- 26. (c) Remove 'to' after 'advised'.
- 27. (b) Add 'in' after 'once'.
- 28. (a) Use 'into' in place of 'in'.
- 29. (c) Use 'acquitted of' in place of 'acquitted from'.
- 30. (b) 'Laid down' in place of 'Laid up'.
- 31. (c) Use 'about' in place of 'in'.
- (b) Remove 'on' after 'attack' since 'attack' does not take any preposition after it in active voice.
- 33. (c) Use 'with' in place of 'in'.
- 34. (c) Use 'on' before land.
- 35. (a) Use 'guilty of' in place of 'guilty on'.
- 36. (b) Replace 'on' with 'with'.
- 37. (c) Replace 'than' with 'to'.
- (c) Remove 'with' before a beggar because 'come across' is a phrasal verb which means to meet somebody.
- 39. (b) Use 'of' in place of 'for'.
- 40. (b) Use 'to' in place of 'for'.
- 41. (b) Use 'to' in place of 'on'.
- 43. (c) Use 'at' in place of 'in' for specification.
- 44. (b) 'Aimed at bringing' is the correct expression.
- 45. (b) Use 'about' inplace of 'around'.
- (c) Use 'today in the morning' in place of 'today morning'.
- 47. (a) Add 'for' after asked.
- (b) 'Prevent' always take 'from' with it and followed by gerund. So, prevented us from seeing is the correct expression.
- 49. (b) Use 'from' in place of 'between'.
- 50. (c) Use 'law into their hands' in place of 'law out of their hands'.