

English Spelling: Hard Practice Paper 3

In these sentences there are some **spelling** mistakes. In each sentence there is either **one** mistake or **no** mistake. The words are split into four groups, **A** to **D**. Find the group of words with the mistake in it and mark its letter. **If there is no mistake, mark E.**

Q1.

Their escape plan was clever but utterly desparate by any measure.

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A **B** **C** **D**

- A. Their escape plan
- B. was clever but
- C. utterly desparate
- D. by any measure.
- E. No mistake

Q2.

The gaurd on duty checked every ticket before the gates opened.

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A **B** **C** **D**

- A. The gaurd on duty
- B. checked every
- C. ticket before
- D. the gates opened.
- E. No mistake

Q3.

The surgeon's conscience troubled her throughout the lengthy inquiry.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. The surgeon's
- B. conscience troubled
- C. her throughout
- D. the lengthy inquiry.
- E. No mistake

Q4.

Every candidate must answer the questions in the correct catagory.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. Every candidate
- B. must answer
- C. the questions in
- D. the correct catagory.
- E. No mistake

Q5.

The storm caused noticable damage to the roof of the village hall.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. The storm caused
- B. noticable damage
- C. to the roof of
- D. the village hall.
- E. No mistake

Q6.

Millenium celebrations were held in towns all over the country.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. Millenium celebrations
- B. were held
- C. in towns all over
- D. the country.
- E. No mistake

Q7.

The librarian recognised the handwriting on the envelope immediately.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. The librarian
- B. recognised the
- C. handwriting on the
- D. envelope immediately.
- E. No mistake

Q8.

Tom found the instructions completely baffling and gave up.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. Tom found the
- B. instructions
- C. completely baffling
- D. and gave up.
- E. No mistake

Q9.

The choir sang so quietly that the words were barely audible.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. The choir sang
- B. so quietly that
- C. the words were
- D. barely audible.
- E. No mistake

Q10.

Everyone was releived to hear that the climbers were safe.

A **B** **C** **D**

- A. Everyone was
- B. releived to hear
- C. that the climbers
- D. were safe.
- E. No mistake