

2025–2026 AUT 3rd Admission Examination

English (Type A)



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[Q1-3] Choose the one that best completes the sentence grammatically.

1. Which movie _____?
 - 1) you like most
 - 2) you most like
 - 3) do you like most
 - 4) likes you most
 - 5) is you like most

2. Samantha completed her assignments _____.
 - 1) very careful
 - 2) much careful
 - 3) quite carefully
 - 4) much carefully
 - 5) a lot carefully

3. _____ is still a mystery to scientists.
 - 1) How the pyramids build
 - 2) The pyramids were built
 - 3) Were the pyramids built
 - 4) How the pyramids were built
 - 5) When the pyramids built

[Q4-10] Choose the set of words for each blank in order, which best complete the sentences.

4. A: Can we attend the breakfast meeting on time?
B: The flight _____ at 8:15, so we _____ in Tokyo by breakfast time.
 - 1) departs - will be
 - 2) depart - will be
 - 3) will depart - are
 - 4) will depart - have been
 - 5) departs - are

5. A: How long will Mark have been with the company this month?
B: _____ the end of this month, Mark _____ at the company for a decade.
 - 1) By - will work
 - 2) By - have worked
 - 3) At - have worked
 - 4) At - will have worked
 - 5) By - will have worked



6. The director is opposed to _____ the entire team, _____ their recent performance and considering alternative solutions.
- 1) firing - to review
 - 2) firing - reviewing
 - 3) fire - reviewing
 - 4) fire - to review
 - 5) fire - review
7. The _____ to extend library hours, _____ was approved yesterday, received strong support from students.
- 1) proposal - which
 - 2) proposal - that
 - 3) propose - that
 - 4) proposing - that
 - 5) proposing - which
8. _____ customers are satisfied with the new product, _____ of them have expressed concerns about its durability.
- 1) Despite - much
 - 2) Although - most
 - 3) However - many
 - 4) Despite - every
 - 5) In spite of - each
9. While Mrs. Lee was away on business, her daughter promised not to pick ____ his cat and agreed to look ____ his pet.
- 1) on - for
 - 2) on - after
 - 3) out - after
 - 4) out - for
 - 5) at - at



10. The director, along with several staff, _____ surprised by the news which _____ announced today.

- 1) were - were
- 2) were - was
- 3) was - was
- 4) was - were
- 5) are - are

[Q11-13] The following questions assess your understanding of synonyms and antonyms. Please read each set of instructions carefully before responding.

11. Which of the following words is closest in meaning to mitigate as used in the passage below?

The Amazon rainforest plays a vital role in regulating the Earth's climate. It absorbs large amounts of carbon dioxide, helping to mitigate the effects of global warming.

- 1) stop
- 2) build
- 3) increase
- 4) diminish
- 5) sustain

12. Which of the following words is closest in meaning to illuminate as used in the passage below?

The humanities deepen our understanding of the human experience by exploring culture, history, and philosophy. Through critical analysis and thoughtful reflection, they illuminate on the complexities of identity and society. Even as academia increasingly emphasizes the sciences, their relevance remains profound.

- 1) obscure
- 2) emphasize
- 3) negotiate
- 4) implement
- 5) clarify



13. Which of the following words is most **opposite** in meaning to amplified as used in the passage below?

Social media continues to reshape how people communicate and respond to world events. In particular, global campaigns for justice and awareness have been rapidly amplified through digital platforms. A single hashtag can unite millions, spark conversations, and influence decision-makers. While these tools carry the risk of spreading misinformation, they also empower users to participate in real-time activism.

- 1) discouraged
- 2) heightened
- 3) lessened
- 4) maintained
- 5) worsened

14. Which of the following words best fits the context and most accurately completes the blank in the passage?

In chemical reactions, an enzyme serves as a biological _____ that promotes the reaction rate by lowering the activation energy. Enzymes are highly specific, meaning that they only facilitate particular reactions. Without enzymes, many biochemical reactions would be too slow to sustain life.

- 1) action
- 2) deterrent
- 3) hormone
- 4) process
- 5) catalyst

15. Which of the following words best fits the context and most accurately completes the blank in the passage?

In academic writing, _____ is the act of presenting someone else's words or ideas as your own without proper acknowledgment. This can include copying text, paraphrasing without citation, or submitting another person's work. It is considered a serious offense in educational settings and can lead to severe consequences.

- 1) quotation
- 2) annotation
- 3) plagiarism
- 4) citation
- 5) paraphrase



[Q16-18] Please read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

June 2025 has come to a close, marking the start of summer with weather that was both unusually hot and extremely dry across much of Uzbekistan, Uzhydromet reports. Temperatures exceeded the seasonal average by 1 to 2°C in most areas, and in some parts of Tashkent region the anomaly reached +2.2~2.5°C. (A)

Only the northwest of the country experienced temperatures close to the climatic norm. Meanwhile, the central and eastern regions recorded one of the five warmest Junes since the beginning of systematic observations. (B)

Throughout most of the month, daytime highs ranged from 33 to 38°C, while in the hottest periods temperatures rose to 39~41°C, and in the southern and desert areas up to 42~44°C. (C)

Temporary drops in heat brought milder daytime temperatures of 27~30°C, with the far south seeing no more than 32~34°C. (D)

Despite the heat, June did not break historic temperature records. The highest ever recorded temperatures for June remain 42~45°C generally, 46~47°C in southern and desert zones, and 49.6°C nationwide, observed in Termez in 1914. Tashkent's absolute maximum for June, also from 1914, remains 43.0°C. (E)

16. Which of the following was **NOT** mentioned in the passage?

- 1) Some areas of Tashkent experienced a greater temperature anomaly than other regions mentioned during June 2025.
- 2) Since the systematic observation in 1914, Uzbekistan has maintained the records of temperature and climate patterns.
- 3) In the northwest, temperatures remained close to what is typically expected for this time of year.
- 4) Tashkent's record-high temperature for June remains at 43.0°C.
- 5) Desert regions in Uzbekistan are hottest during June 2025.

17. Choose the best spot in the passage, marked (A) to (E), to insert the following sentence: "However, these cooler intervals were brief."

- 1) (A)
- 2) (B)
- 3) (C)
- 4) (D)
- 5) (E)

18. What is meant by the underlined word anomaly as used in the passage?

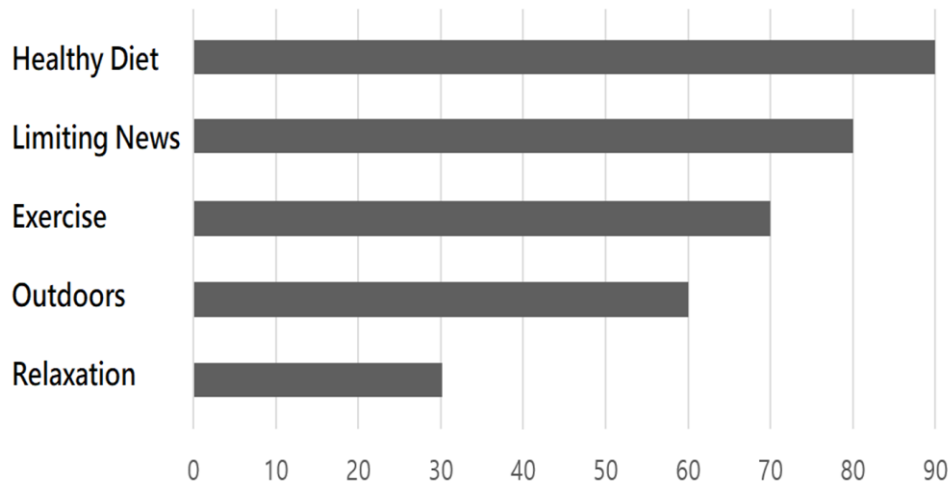
- 1) The average temperature for the month
- 2) A measurement of temperature at peak
- 3) The average temperature for a region
- 4) A deviation from the normal temperature
- 5) The temperature recorded at the hottest time of a day



[Q19-22] Please read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Effectiveness of Coping Strategies During Stressful Times

*Scores rise with effectiveness.



Recent research has ranked five major coping strategies people use during stressful times, assigning each an effectiveness score. The most effective, with a score of 90, is maintaining a healthy diet, often credited with boosting mood and energy. Limiting news exposure receives a high score due to its ability to reduce anxiety. Regular exercise, valued for stress management and routine, maintains a solid score of 70. Outdoor activities, while recognized for their relaxing atmosphere and ability to provide a change of scenery, score only 60. During the COVID-19 pandemic, however, the effectiveness of maintaining a healthy diet and limiting news exposure was reduced to fifty percent of the levels reported above, while other strategies continued to provide steady results.

19. According to the passage, which coping strategy was considered most effective during typical stressful times?

- 1) Maintaining a healthy diet
- 2) Spending time outdoors
- 3) Regular exercise
- 4) Limiting news exposure
- 5) Relaxation

20. According to the passage, from what score and below does the author appear to question the effectiveness of a coping strategy during typical stressful times?

- 1) 90
- 2) 80
- 3) 70
- 4) 60
- 5) 30



21. During the pandemic, which coping strategies were the most and least effective, respectively?

- 1) Healthy diet - Relaxation
- 2) Healthy diet - Limiting news exposure
- 3) Limiting news exposure - Spending time outdoors
- 4) Regular exercise - Spending time outdoors
- 5) Regular exercise - Relaxation

22. Which of the following words is **NOT** correctly defined?

- 1) Coping strategy: A method for managing stress or difficult situations
- 2) News exposure: The amount of news a person sees or reads
- 3) Boosting mood: Actions that make a person feel happier or better
- 4) Healthy diet: Fasting or abstaining from food for a certain period of time
- 5) Outdoor activities: activities such as walking, hiking, or being in open-air environments

[Q23-25] Please read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Bored of the same old school lunch? Let's fix that with a crunchy, creamy, fresh Garden Chicken Wrap! It's super easy, and yep—you can do most of it yourself.

Start with two soft wraps laid flat. Grab some leftover chicken or turkey and split it between the wraps. Now for the good stuff: add shredded carrots, a few avocado slices, and spinach. (Not a spinach fan? Try crunchy cucumber instead—totally cool.)

Time to drizzle on your favorite dressing. Just a little! Now roll each wrap up tight like a burrito. Ask an adult to help you slice them on the diagonal—watch those fingers!

Boom. Wraps are ready to eat or pack for school. Warning: they're so good, you might not want to share. Got leftovers? Hide them from your snack-stealing sister.

23. Where would this type of passage most likely be found?

- 1) Chef's Technical Handbook
- 2) Journal on Nutrition Science
- 3) Legal Contract
- 4) News Article
- 5) Children's Cookbook



24. Which of the following was **NOT** mentioned in the passage?

- 1) Asking adults to help hide the leftovers
- 2) Using leftover turkey
- 3) Adding avocado slices to the wrap
- 4) Replacing spinach with cucumber
- 5) Pouring a little dressing on the wrap

25. What is the most appropriate title for this passage?

- 1) Awesome Garden Chicken Wraps for Lunch!
- 2) The Balance Between Cooking and Leisure
- 3) Advanced Poultry Deconstruction Techniques
- 4) Mastering the Art of Fine Dining Plating
- 5) Troubleshooting Common Cooking Boredom