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Direction:

The following questions, you have several passages where some of the words have been left out. Read the passages carefully and choose the **correct** answer to each **blanks with its particular number**, out of the five alternatives.

PASSAGE

Fourteen centuries ago when the world was much younger, the ruler of all India, Rajah Balhait, was ____ (1) ____ about his people. A new game of dice, called nard, had ____ (2) ____ the imagination of his subjects. Teaching them that chance alone - a roll of the dice - guided the ____ (3) ____ of men. All who played this game of fortune lost their ____ (4) ____ in the virtues of courage, prudence, wisdom and hope. It bred a fatalism that was ____ (5) ____ the spirit of the kingdom. Rajah Balhait commissioned Sissa, an intelligent courtier, at his court, to find an answer to this ____ (6) _____. After much ____ (7) ____ the clever Sissa invented another game, chaturanga, the exact ____ (8) ____ of nard, in which the four elements of the Indian army were the key pieces. In the game these pieces - chariots, horses, elephants and foot soldiers - joined with a royal counsellor to defend their king and defeat the enemy. Forceful ____ (9) ____ was demanded of the players not luck. Chaturanga soon became more popular than nard, and the ____ (10) ____ to the kingdom was over.

Q1. Identify the exact answer for the blank (1)?

- a) concerned
- b) confident
- c) ignorant
- d) indifferent
- e) partisan

Q2. Identify the exact answer for the blank (2)?

- a) propelled
- b) enshrined

- c) captured
 - d) activated
 - e) enhanced
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Q3. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(3)**?

- a) communities
 - b) ways
 - c) abnormalities
 - d) destinies
 - e) groups
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Q4. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(4)**?

- a) bravado
- b) interest
- c) peace
- d) wealth
- e) faithv

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Q5. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(5)**?

- a) appalling
- b) crushing
- c) moistening
- d) promoting
- e) overwhelming

Q6. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(6)**?

- a) apprehension
 - b) risk
 - c) problem
 - d) game
 - e) destiny
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Q7. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(7)**?

- a) deliberation
 - b) absorption
 - c) insight
 - d) hesitation
 - e) reluctance
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Q8. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(8)**?

- a) nature
 - b) equivalent
 - c) picture
 - d) opposite
 - e) replica
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Q9. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(9)**?

- a) prediction
- b) concentration
- c) manipulation
- d) attack
- e) fortune

Q10. Identify the exact answer for the blank **(10)**?

- a) devastation
- b) anxiety
- c) impeachment
- d) nuisance
- e) threat

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Q11. Choose the missing word for the blank **(1)**?

- a) pleasure
- b) fact
- c) achievement
- d) force
- e) arrogance

Q12. Choose the missing word for the blank **(2)**?

- a) in
- b) upon

- c) with
- d) for
- e) into

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Q13. Choose the missing word for the blank **(3)**?

- a) criticised
- b) devalued
- c) protected
- d) abused
- e) enlarged

Q14. Choose the missing word for the blank **(4)**?

- a) supremacy
- b) wisdom
- c) cleverness
- d) instinct
- e) possession

Q15. Choose the missing word for the blank **(5)**?

- a) tall
 - b) plenty
 - c) countless
 - d) diverse
 - e) numerous
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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (e)

Q2. Answer: (d)

Q3. Answer: (a)

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Q4. Answer: (c)

Q5. Answer: (c)

Q6. Answer: (e)

Q7. Answer: (b)

Q8. Answer: (a)

Q9. Answer: (b)

Q10. Answer: (b)

Q11. Answer: (e)

Q12. Answer: (b)

Q13. Answer: (d)

Q14. Answer: (a)

Q15. Answer: (c)

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