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Directions:

In the following each question, select the **correct alternative** which is the best substitute of the words/sentence, from the given four alternatives.

Q1. One who is concerned with the welfare of others

- a) hedonist
- b) egoist
- c) altruist
- d) ascetic

Q2. A person's peculiar habit

- a) trait
- b) distinction
- c) idiosyncrasy
- d) peculiarity

Q3. One who is eighty years old

- a) sextagenarian
- b) nonagenarian
- c) octogenarian
- d) septuagenarian

Q4. The story of one's own life.

- a) cartography
- b) calligraphy
- c) bibliography
- d) autobiography

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Q5. That which is without opposition

- a) Unanimous
- b) Spontaneous
- c) Verdict
- d) Unaware

Q6. A hollow object used to contain something.

- a) salver
- b) plate
- c) receptacle
- d) platter

Q7. A person who dishonestly pretends to be somebody else

- a) Implorer
- b) Impostor/Imposter
- c) Impressionist
- d) Imperialist

Q8. Committing murder in revenge

- a) vendetta
 - b) homicide
 - c) regicide
 - d) massacre
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Q9. Lasting only for a moment

- a) Trivial
 - b) Petty
 - c) Momentary
 - d) Momentous
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Q10. Related to moon

- a) Lunar
 - b) Honeymoon
 - c) Moony
 - d) Solar
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Q11. A place where birds are kept

- a) Aviary
 - b) Sanctuary
 - c) Dairen
 - d) Aquarium
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Q12. Speed of an object in one

- a) Tempo
- b) Velodrome

- c) Pace
- d) direction

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Q13. One who walks in sleep

- a) Numismatist
- b) Drover
- c) Somnambulist
- d) Fastidious

Q14. Animals that can live on land and in water.

- a) aquatic
- b) amphibian
- c) marsupial
- d) anthropoid

Q15. Motion of head, hands etc as a mode of expression indicating attitude.

- a) Gestation
- b) Grimace
- c) Grin
- d) Gesture

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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (c)

altruist

altruist (N.) : someone who makes charitable donations to increase the well-being of humans

ascetic (N.) : someone who practices self-discipline

hedonist (N.) : someone motivated by desires for sensual pleasures

egoist (N.) : a self-centred person with little regard for others

Q2. Answer: (c)

idiosyncrasy

Q3. Answer: (c)

octogenarian

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Q4. Answer: (d)

autobiography

autobiography (N.) : a biography of yourself

cartography (N.) : the making of maps and charts

calligraphy (N.) : beautiful handwriting

bibliography (N.) : a list of writings with time and place of publication

Q5. Answer: (a)

Q6. Answer: (c)

receptacle

Q7. Answer: (b)

Q8. Answer: (a)

vendetta

vendetta (N.) : a long and violent disagreement between two families/groups, in which people are murdered in return for previous murders

massacre (N.) : the killing of a large number of people especially in a cruel way

homicide (N.) : the killing of a human being by another human being

regicide (N.) : the act of killing a king

Q9. Answer: (c)

Q10. Answer: (a)

Q11. Answer: (a)

Q12. Answer: (b)

Q13. Answer: (c)

Q14. Answer: (b)

amphibian

anthropoid = resembling a human being in form

aquatic = Animal which lives in water

marsupial = a mammal of an order whose members are born incompletely developed.

Q15. Answer: (d)

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