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Directions:

In the following question, out of the four alternatives, **select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.**

Q1. One not concerned with right or wrong

- a) Immoral
- b) Immortal
- c) Amoral
- d) Moral

Q2. One who sneers at the aims and beliefs of his fellow men.

- a) connoisseur
- b) pedant
- c) cynic
- d) critic

Q3. One who lends money on high rates of interest

- a) usherer
- b) usurer
- c) undertaker
- d) usurper

Q4. One who pretends to be what he is not

- a) pessimist
- b) optimist
- c) infallible
- d) hypocrite

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Q5. Failing to discharge one's duty

- a) Determination
- b) Deterrent
- c) Dereliction
- d) Debacle

Q6. People have been long known how important the trees are to them.

- a) People have long known
- b) People have to know long
- c) No improvement
- d) People had long known

Q7. Rules governing socially acceptable behaviour

- a) formality
- b) behaviour
- c) etiquette
- d) politeness

Q8. An indirect reference

- a) remarks
 - b) suggestion
 - c) aside
 - d) innuendo
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Q9. Write or carve words on stone or paper

- a) imprint
 - b) affix
 - c) inscribe
 - d) sketch
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Q10. A place for fish or water plants.

- a) apiary
 - b) herbarium
 - c) aquarium
 - d) aviary
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Q11. One who believes in no, government and therefore incites disorder in a State

- a) Autocrat
 - b) Naxalite
 - c) Anarchist
 - d) Monarchist
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Q12. Release of a prisoner from jail on certain terms and condition

- a) Pardon

- b) Acquittal
- c) Parley
- d) Parole

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Q13. Someone not fit to be chosen

- a) ineligible
- b) uneligible
- c) imeligible
- d) non-eligible

Q14. One who breaks the established traditions and image

- a) Iconoclast
- b) Philogynist
- c) Fanatic
- d) Fatalist

Q15. A study of ancient things

- a) archaeology
- b) ethnology
- c) zoology
- d) physiology

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Answers to the above questions :

Q1. Answer: (c)

Q2. Answer: (c)

cynic

Q3. Answer: (b)

usurer

usurer (N.) : a person who lends money to people at unfairly high rates of interest

usurper (N.) : one who wrongly/ illegally seizes and holds the place of another

usherer (N.) : someone employed to conduct others

undertaker (N.) : one whose business is the management of funerals

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Q4. Answer: (d)

hypocrite

Q5. Answer: (c)

Q6. Answer: (a)

Q7. Answer: (c)

etiquette

Q8. Answer: (d)

innuendo

innuendo (N.) : an indirect remark about somebody, usually suggesting something bad/rude

Q9. Answer: (c)

inscribe

Q10. Answer: (c)

aquarium

Q11. Answer: (c)

Q12. Answer: (d)

Q13. Answer: (a)

ineligible

Q14. Answer: (a)

Q15. Answer: (a)

archaeology

archaeology (Noun) : the study of human history and prehistory, the excavation of sites and the analysis of artifacts and other physical remains

physiology (Noun) : the scientific study of the normal functions of living things

ethnology (Noun) : the scientific study and comparison of human races

zoology (Noun) : the branch of biology that studies animals

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