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**EKITI STATE UNIVERSITY, ADO EKITI
REVISION MATERIAL**

FOR

POST UTME CANDIDATES

(Past Questions and Answers Series)

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ABOUT THE SCHOOL

The white paper on the establishment of this university was first passed into law by the then Ondo State House of Assembly, naming the University as Obafemi Awolowo University. The Governor, Chief M. A. Ajasin, formally announced the appointment of the late Professor Ifedayo O. Oladapo as the pioneer Vice Chancellor and Chief B. A. Ajayi as the first chairman of council on the 19th of February, 1982. Chief J. G. O. Adegbite assumed duty on the 1st of August 1982 as the first Registrar of the University, while Mr. J. A. Arikebi was appointed as the first Librarian. The first meeting of the Council of the University was held on the 30th and 31st of March, 1982. Since then, the 30th of March every year was declared as the University's Foundation Day.

It is interesting to note that the University started with 136 students and began lectures on the 10th of January 1983 in a rented apartment at the premises of Ajitadun Nursery and Primary School, at Opopogboro, Ado – Ekiti. The University's name changed from Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU) to Ondo State University (OSUA) in June 1985. The University moved from the temporary site to the present permanent site on Ado Ekiti Iworoko Road in August 1985. The name was later changed to the University of Ado Ekiti (UNAD) on 1st of December, 1999 and subsequently to Ekiti State University in July 2011.

Ekiti State University (EKSU), Ado Ekiti, located 7^o37'N, 5^o15'E in Ekiti State of Nigeria, is a comprehensive public institution of intensive teaching and research in undergraduate and professional programmes in a residential setting. EKSU is dedicated to advancement of knowledge with a view to foster development through innovative research, teaching and learning activities. At EKSU, we recognize the need to be part of creative, innovative intellectual networks by establishing and maintaining existing local Universities in the world.

Ekiti State University is situated on a 3,500 hectares of land, approximately 12km, North of Ado Ekiti, the capital city of Ekiti state, Nigeria. The state which was created in 1996 is the 29th largest of Nigeria's 36 states with a population of 2.4million and an area of 6,353sq km. the state that prides population of itself as the Land of Honour – Ile Iyi, (connoting the sterling attributes of hard work, integrity, honour and honesty of Ekiti indigenes), is predominantly agrarian, linguistically and culturally homogenous, richly endowed in both human and natural resource. The state enjoys a beautiful tropical climate with distinct rainy season (April – October) and dry season (November – March), annual temperature range of between 21^oC and 28^oC with high relative humidity.

The institution became Ekiti State University in July 2011 from the consolidation of the three erstwhile Universities in Ekiti State namely University of Ado Ekiti (UNAD), University of Science and Technology, Ifaki (USTI) and the University of Education, Ikere Ekiti (TUNEDIK). The University is made up 9 faculties, namely Arts, Education, Sciences, Social Sciences, Management Sciences, Law, Medicine, Engineering and Agricultural Sciences with many programs like Pre degree, Post graduate, Sandwich etc.

PART 1

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TYPE B (Section 1)

Instruction: Answer all questions

- Which Question Paper Type of English Language is given to you? (A) Type A (B) Type B (C) Type C (D) Type D
 - Long migrations are arduous and – 2 -; bad weather is often the immediate – 3 - of heavy mortality. Small birds – 4 – a major portion of their bodily fat reserves in a single night of migratory – 5 -. If, by some – 6 – of crosswinds, morning finds them for – 7 – sea, - 8 – and drowning become imminent dangers.
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|-------------|-----------|------------|--------------|------------|
| A | B | C | D | E |
| 2. Risky | Brisk | Risking | brief | effortless |
| 3. Result | season | Cause | aim | course |
| 4. Gain | expend | distend | extend | conserve |
| 5. Speed | descent | Fleet | warmth | flight |
| 6. Breeze | adventure | venture | misadventure | blow |
| 7. In | From | By | on | at |
| 8. Exaction | Exertion | exhausting | exhaustion | extinction |

There is a list of words below each of the following sentences; choose one of the words that best completes each sentence which has a gap in it.

- Abigail still smelt ----- onions an hour after she had left the kitchen (A) of (B) in (C) by (D) through (E) on
- Taiye has decided to refrain ----- smoking cigars (A) in (B) with (C) against (D) through (E) from
- The man has never suffered ----- meningitis in all his life. (A) With (B) from (C) of (D) about (E) in
- They are short ----- cash even before the projects gets under way. (A) in (B) for (C) with (D) of (E) from

Fill in the blank in the following sentences making use of the best of the five options.

- The telephone in the nineteenth century and is now used in most countries in the world. (A) had been invented (B) was invented (C) would have been invented (D) has been invented (E) was being invented.
- In the past his father used to walk but nowadays he ----- to work by bicycle. (A) was going

(B) is going (C) seldomly goes (D) goes (E) has gone

- Olukayode ----- as a mechanic when he was young, but now he is a driver. (A) had been working (B) used to work (C) would work (D) would have worked (E) had worked

Choose the word or phrase closest in meaning to the underlined word.

- His penury gave him a lifetime of hunger. (A) Avariciousness (B) affluence (C) poverty (D) Penny-pinching (E) greed
- The Bible's prodigal son became quite wealthy eventually. (A) Prestigious (B) phlegmatic (C) Errant (D) pecuniary (E) extravagant
- Colossal means (A) a Greek column (B) gigantic (C) something which has lost too much fluid (D) a calamity (E) the sale of colos.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TYPE A (Section 2)

Instruction: Answer all questions

- Which Question Paper Type of English Language is given to you? (A) Type A (B) Type B (C) Type C (D) Type D
 - Teaching is one of the oldest2..... known to man. Every community from time immemorial must have had3..... known and respected for their ability to guide and4..... younger members of their community towards the5..... of the desired goals of their group. The6..... ceremonies for young adults common to many cultures are part of the7..... education process of those cultures; but there are many informal ways of educating the young.
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|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| A | B | C | D |
| 2. activities | roles | professions | jobs |
| 3. individuals | men | women | groups |
| 4. coerce | motivate | force | induce |
| 5. attainment | evolution | creating | preservation |
| 6. fattering | courageous | wild | initiation |
| 7. true | formal | respective | good |

In each of the following sentences, there is one word underlined and one gap. From the list of alternatives given, choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined word and that will, at the same time, correctly, fill the gap in the sentence.

8. The probationary workers do not have the same rights as staff. (A) approved (B) dismissed (C) confirmed (D) postponed
9. After years of hostility the two communities now leave in (A) equanimity (B) bondage (C) enmity (D) bondage
10. Elders are expected to be where youths are green. (A) rash (B) red (C) impetuous (D) experienced
11. A child got stuck trying to squeeze through an iron fence, but some adults managed to him. (A) extricate (B) save (C) push (D) extract

Choose the word that is **nearest in meaning** to the underlined word.

12. His approach to work is rather perfunctory. (A) careful (B) serious (C) careless (D) encouraging
13. Her eloping with the man is a stigma to the family. (A) pride (B) disgrace (C) calamity (D) disaster
14. He poured out a lot of invectives in a speech that was supposed to be a vote of thanks. (A) praises (B) requests (C) apologies (D) curses
15. The politician was given a tumultuous welcome when he came to address the rally. (A) pleasant (B) noisy (C) well-organized (D) strange

From the words or group of words lettered A-D, choose the word or group of words that best completes each of the following sentences.

1. More often than not, the law on individual freedom (A) exudes (B) encroaches (C) oversteps (D) impedes
2. The elders advised the priest to confine himself to his duties. (A) pastoral (B) sacrilegious (C) angelic (D) divine
3. This is an improvement your last essay. (A) on (B) with (C) by (D) in

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TYPE A (Section 3)

Instruction: Answer all questions

SECTION A

Newspapers play a very important part in our lives. They employ -1- to collect facts about -2- affairs and tell them to the public. Besides domestic news, most newspapers contain reports from foreign -3- who keep us up to date with -4- abroad. By reading the -5- on the -6- on the world without going into the articles in depth. A newspaper does more than inform the reader, however, it educates him about ideas. By reading the -7-, the reader may experience different views on a subject in the news. Other -8- discuss topics from their own viewpoint in their columns.

	A	B	C	D	E
1.	Informers	news	agent	reporters	fact-finders
2.	Current	exciting	common	contemporary	recent
3.	columnists	envoys	representatives	agent	correspondents
4.	Matters	events	factors	items	fiction
5.	Titles	captions	lay-outs	headlines	advertisement
6.	Cover	title page	outside	page front	page back
7.	commentaries	editorials	summaries	propaganda	classified
8.	copywriter	journalists	editors	essayists	contributors

SECTION B

In each of the following sentences, there is one underlined word and one gap. From the list of words lettered A to E, choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined word and that will, at the same time, correctly fill the gap in the sentence.

9. Rachael was perturbed by her father's illness but her sister remained..... (A) tranquil (B) unaffected (C) disturbed (D) silent (E) astonished
10. Dare often visits me, unlike Dayo who Comes (A) seldom (B) sometimes (C) recently (D) maybe (E) hardly
11. Principal: How do you find the students in your class? Teach: Though many are apathetic, quite a few are (A) solemn (B) enthusiastic (C) studious (D) rude (E) sympathetic

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

SECTION 1

- 1. B
- 2. A
- 3. C
- 4. B
- 5. E
- 6. C
- 7.
- 8. D
- 9. A
- 10. E
- 11. B
- 12. D
- 13. B
- 14. D
- 15. B
- 16. C
- 17. E
- 18. B

SECTION 2

- 1. A
- 2. C
- 3. A
- 4. B
- 5. A
- 6. D
- 7. B
- 8.
- 9.
- 10. D
- 11. A
- 12. C
- 13. B
- 14. D
- 15. B
- 16. D
- 17. A
- 18. A

SECTION 3

- 1. C
- 2. A
- 3. E

- 4. B
- 5. D
- 6. D
- 7. B
- 8. D
- 9. A
- 10. A
- 11. B
- 12. E
- 13. A
- 14. D
- 15. C
- 16. B
- 17. D
- 18. D
- 19. C
- 20. B

SECTION 4

- 1. D
- 2. B
- 3. B
- 4. E
- 5. A
- 6. C
- 7.
- 8. B
- 9. D
- 10. A
- 11. B
- 12. A
- 13. B
- 14. A
- 15. D
- 16. A
- 17. B
- 18. A
- 19. A
- 20.

SECTION 5

- 1. C
- 2. C
- 3. A
- 4. A
- 5. B
- 6. D
- 7. C

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