

Paragraph Completion Most Expected Questions PDF

In the question given below, a set of sentences is given, which when properly sequenced, form a coherent paragraph. Arrange the sentences in the correct sequence, and answer the questions that follow.

P. And one incredible animal—the Arctic tern—lives at both ends of the Earth, thanks to the longest known migration on the planet.

Q. Some species, like polar bears, evolved to hunt and breed on the ever-shifting ice pack of the Arctic, while other types of closely related species, such as ringed seals and Weddell seals, have adaptations specific to life in the north or south.

R. These unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife living in each place.

S. At the top of the planet, the Arctic is made up of the Arctic Ocean and other bodies of water, all located near the highly populated continents of Europe and North America.

T. The Arctic is also characterized by an ice cover that fluctuates with the seasons.

Which of the following statements will be the THIRD after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) Q
- c) T
- d) R
- e) S

Ans: D

Solution: STRQP is the final order. S begins the passage by introducing the region that is discussed in the passage – the Arctic. T follows by telling us the climate conditions in this region. R follows by telling us how the unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife that lives in each place. QP follow as a pair – Q follows by telling us examples of such wildlife. P concludes by specifying one of the wildlife species and telling us more about it. Thus, D is the right answer.

Which of the following statements will be the SECOND after rearrangement?

- a) Q
- b) P
- c) T
- d) R
- e) S

Ans: C

Solution: STRQP is the final order. S begins the passage by introducing the region that is discussed in the passage – the Arctic. T follows by telling us the climate conditions in this region. R follows by telling us how the unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife that lives in each place. QP follow as a pair – Q follows by telling us examples of such wildlife. P concludes by specifying one of the wildlife species and telling us more about it. Thus, C is the right answer.

Which of the following statements will be the FIRST after rearrangement?

- a) T
- b) Q
- c) P
- d) R
- e) S

Ans: E

Solution: STRQP is the final order. S begins the passage by introducing the region that is discussed in the passage – the Arctic. T follows by telling us the climate conditions in this region. R follows by telling us how the unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife that lives in each place. QP follow as a pair – Q follows by telling us examples of such wildlife. P concludes by specifying one of the wildlife species and telling us more about it. Thus, E is the right answer.

Which of the following statements will be the FIFTH (LAST) after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) T
- e) S

Ans: A

Solution: STRQP is the final order. S begins the passage by introducing the region that is discussed in the passage – the Arctic. T follows by telling us the climate conditions in this region. R follows by telling us how the unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife that lives in each place. QP follow as a pair – Q follows by telling us examples of such wildlife. P concludes by specifying one of the wildlife species and telling us more about it. Thus, A is the right answer.

Which of the following statements will be the FOURTH after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) Q
- c) R
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: B

Solution: STRQP is the final order. S begins the passage by introducing the region that is discussed in the passage – the Arctic. T follows by telling us the climate conditions in this region. R follows by telling us how the unique characteristics are reflected in the wildlife that lives in each place. QP follow as a pair – Q follows by telling us examples of such wildlife. P concludes by specifying one of the wildlife species and telling us more about it. Thus, B is the right answer.

In the question given below, a set of sentences is given, which when properly sequenced, form a coherent paragraph. Arrange the sentences in the correct sequence, and answer the questions that follow.

P. It can serve as a very reliable source of clean energy to complement renewables.

Q. But high costs and safety concerns have slowed the growth of nuclear power.

R. Nuclear power is already a source of carbon-free electricity.

S. At present, it constitutes about 10 percent of the world's power.

T. With innovations in nuclear power we can create a new generation of nuclear energy that would be safer and of lower cost.

Which of the following would be the FIRST statement after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: (b)

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Solution: (b) is the right answer. R-S-P-Q-T is the correct sequence. R begins the paragraph by establishing the subject- NUCLEAR POWER. It talks about how nuclear power is a source of carbon-free electricity. S follows R. It takes the passage forward by describing the proportion of nuclear energy with respect to total power generated across the world. P and Q form a pair. P highlights the advantages of nuclear power and Q highlights its disadvantages. P talks about how nuclear energy can complement other renewable sources of energy. Q begins with the conjunction BUT, which is used to link contrasting statements. It states that HIGH COSTS and SAFETY CONCERNS have slowed the growth of nuclear power. Q and T form a pair. T ends the passage by describing how innovations in the field of nuclear energy can help to make nuclear energy SAFER and LOWER the COSTS involved.

Which of the following would be the SECOND statement after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: (d)

Solution: (d) is the right answer. R-S-P-Q-T is the correct sequence. R begins the paragraph by establishing the subject- NUCLEAR POWER. It talks about how nuclear power is a source of carbon-free electricity. S follows R. It takes the passage forward by describing the proportion of nuclear energy with respect to total power generated across the world. P and Q form a pair. P highlights the advantages of nuclear power and Q highlights its disadvantages. P talks about how nuclear energy can complement other renewable sources of energy. Q begins with the conjunction BUT, which is used to link contrasting statements. It states that HIGH COSTS and SAFETY CONCERNS have slowed the growth of nuclear power. Q and T form a pair. T ends the passage by describing how innovations in the field of nuclear energy can help to make nuclear energy SAFER and LOWER the COSTS involved.

Which of the following would be the THIRD statement after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: (a)

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Solution: () is the right answer. R-S-P-Q-T is the correct sequence. R begins the paragraph by establishing the subject- NUCLEAR POWER. It talks about how nuclear power is a source of carbon-free electricity. S follows R. It takes the passage forward by describing the proportion of nuclear energy with respect to total power generated across the world. P and Q form a pair. P highlights the advantages of nuclear power and Q highlights its disadvantages. P talks about how nuclear energy can complement other renewable sources of energy. Q begins with the conjunction BUT, which is used to link contrasting statements. It states that HIGH COSTS and SAFETY CONCERNS have slowed the growth of nuclear power. Q and T form a pair. T ends the passage by describing how innovations in the field of nuclear energy can help to make nuclear energy SAFER and LOWER the COSTS involved.

Which of the following would be the FOURTH statement after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: (c)

Solution: (c) is the right answer. R-S-P-Q-T is the correct sequence. R begins the paragraph by establishing the subject- NUCLEAR POWER. It talks about how nuclear power is a source of carbon-free electricity. S follows R. It takes the passage forward by describing the proportion of nuclear energy with respect to total power generated across the world. P and Q form a pair. P highlights the advantages of nuclear power and Q highlights its disadvantages. P talks about how nuclear energy can complement other renewable sources of energy. Q begins with the conjunction BUT, which is used to link contrasting statements. It states that HIGH COSTS and SAFETY CONCERNS have slowed the growth of nuclear power. Q and T form a pair. T ends the passage by describing how innovations in the field of nuclear energy can help to make nuclear energy SAFER and LOWER the COSTS involved.

Which of the following would be the FIFTH statement after rearrangement?

- a) P
- b) R
- c) Q
- d) S
- e) T

Ans: (e)

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Solution: (e) is the right answer. R-S-P-Q-T is the correct sequence. R begins the paragraph by establishing the subject- NUCLEAR POWER. It talks about how nuclear power is a source of carbon-free electricity. S follows R. It takes the passage forward by describing the proportion of nuclear energy with respect to total power generated across the world. P and Q form a pair. P highlights the advantages of nuclear power and Q highlights its disadvantages. P talks about how nuclear energy can complement other renewable sources of energy. Q begins with the conjunction BUT, which is used to link contrasting statements. It states that HIGH COSTS and SAFETY CONCERNS have slowed the growth of nuclear power. Q and T form a pair. T ends the passage by describing how innovations in the field of nuclear energy can help to make nuclear energy SAFER and LOWER the COSTS involved.

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