

# NMAT LS 2023 Question Paper with Solutions

Time Allowed : 2 Hours	Maximum Marks : 108
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## General Instructions

### NMAT Exam Instructions

1. The NMAT exam is 2 hours long and consists of 108 questions.
2. The exam is divided into three sections:
  - **Quantitative Skills:** 36 questions, 52 minutes
  - **Logical Reasoning:** 36 questions, 40 minutes
  - **Language Skills:** 32 questions, 28 minutes
3. You can answer questions in any order across the sections.
4. There is no break in between sections.
5. Review and edit questions only within the given time for each section.
6. The system will automatically submit your answers when time is up.

1. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) I don't
- (B) despite of
- (C) To please him
- (D) angry with me
- (E) No Error

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2. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) who turned
- (B) last month
- (C) older than
- (D) anybody in
- (E) No Error

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3. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) and me
- (B) will see
- (C) am shortest
- (D) of the group
- (E) No Error

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4. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) In his
- (B) how to
- (C) moving subjects
- (D) molding
- (E) No Error

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5. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) most thorough
- (B) all year
- (C) is still
- (D) pass its test
- (E) No Error

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6. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) was
- (B) the rare species
- (C) which has
- (D) to even kill
- (E) No Error

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7. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) my friend
- (B) who
- (C) held a solo
- (D) at the
- (E) No Error

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8. In the given question, the sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order to make the sentence correct. Mark E for no error.

- (A) are so similar
- (B) in their
- (C) that even
- (D) one chooses
- (E) No Error

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**9. Choose the correct sequence of prepositions that completes the 3 given sentences:**

She dived \_\_\_\_\_ the swimming pool.  
The boat sailed \_\_\_\_\_ the lighthouse.  
The treasure is buried \_\_\_\_\_ the sand.

- (A) in
- (B) onto
- (C) across
- (D) past
- (E) into
- (F) beneath

- (A) EDF
- (B) DFB
- (C) CFD
- (D) DAE
- (E) EAF

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**10. Choose the correct sequence of prepositions that completes the 3 given sentences:**

The bird flew \_\_\_\_\_ from the nest.  
The delivery boy from Swiggy stood \_\_\_\_\_ the entrance.  
After finishing their dinner, they gathered \_\_\_\_\_ the campfire.

- (A) over
- (B) away
- (C) across
- (D) near
- (E) around
- (F) under

- (A) BFE
- (B) BDF
- (C) DBE
- (D) BDE
- (E) EDA

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**11. Choose the correct sequence of prepositions that completes the 3 given sentences:**

The painting is hanging \_\_\_\_\_ the wall.  
On hearing the fire alarm, she ran \_\_\_\_\_ of the room.  
He threw the letter \_\_\_\_\_ the fire.

(A) into  
(B) on  
(C) across  
(D) up  
(E) at  
(F) out

(A) BCC  
(B) BFA  
(C) CFB  
(D) DFB  
(E) DBA

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**12. Having been selected to represent the organization at the International Convention, .....**

(A) the members congratulated him  
(B) the members applauded him  
(C) he gave a short acceptance speech  
(D) member congratulates him  
(E) a speech had to be given by him

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**13. Though car seat belts replaced harnesses worn by car drivers, the three-point seat belt became popular only in 1958 after the public ..... the idea of safety belts. Subsequently, the sales of the seat belts ..... because since 1966 it has become mandatory to wear car seat belts in America.**

(A) caught light of...boomeranged  
(B) caught up with...stopped  
(C) caught sight of...stabilised  
(D) caught on to...skyrocketed  
(E) caught up on...nosedived

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**14. Rearrange the jumbled sentences to show the appropriate sequence.**

- A. Lastly, always remember to give the listener a fair chance to interrupt you whenever he or she pleases.
- B. When you are speaking, do not forget to read the listener's face to see what they are thinking.
- C. Ask yourself if what you are saying is too much for him or her to grasp as a chunk.
- D. If that is the case, try to involve him or her in the conversation actively by eliciting responses to your words.

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- (A) ABCD
- (B) CDBA
- (C) BCDA
- (D) BDCA
- (E) DACA

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**15. Rearrange the jumbled sentences to show the appropriate sequence.**

- A. 27% of the Canadians polled, and about 35% of the Americans polled, also admitted to not being able to disengage from their gadgets.
- B. The overall aim of the poll was to study the holiday habits of people, and identify countries whose people found it most difficult to disengage completely from their gadgets during vacations.
- C. Korea was in second place and Japan in third. Indian, Argentinian and Spanish travellers were least bothered about their smart phones.
- D. The survey also attempted to find out if travellers ever ‘embellished’ their travel experiences to friends and family.
- E. According to a poll conducted by an online booking site, an overwhelming majority of respondents from Thailand admitted that just the thought of travelling without their small gadgets caused them to “break out in a cold sweat.”

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- (A) EBDCA
- (B) BDCEA
- (C) EADBC
- (D) BECAD
- (E) EBCAD