

(A) Underline adjectives in the following sentences and mention their category.

1. She ate some rice but no bread.
2. They are afraid of hidden enemies.
3. The whole town was asleep.
4. They taught us many things about this issue.
5. Which way leads to the city courts ?
6. I did it with my own hands.
7. Every word of his was true.

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(B) Select the correct word from the alternatives given in brackets in the following sentences.

1. (That/These) mangoes are ripe.
2. Rama is (more/most) intelligent than Kavita.
3. Lead is heavier than (any/any other) metal.
4. Ramesh came (soon/sooner) than his brother.
5. Do this work without (further/farther) delay.
6. His school is (further/farther) than that of his brother.
7. Radium is the (rarer/rarest) of metals.

(D) Supply the proper form of the given adjectives.

1. poor : He is more poor than his brother.
2. clever : Of the two he is more clever.
3. rich : Laxmi Kant is one of the richest men in our city.
4. wise : Shivaji was wiser than all his contemporaries.
5. proud : He is the proudest man in our locality.
6. bad : Her condition is getting from bad to worst.

(F) Supply the appropriate degree of comparison.

1. Shimla is colder (cold) than Jalandhar.
 2. Kolkata is the biggest (big) city in India.
 3. Suhana is the most beautiful (beautiful) girl in this class.
 4. He is cleverer (clever) than his friend.
 5. Which is the nearest (near) school ?
 6. The thief was taken to the nearest (near) police station.
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(G) Fill in the blanks in the following passage with the appropriate degrees of adjectives given in brackets :

Travelling is the (a) best (good) means of education. Those who travel in various parts of the country and the world develop a (b) larger (large) and (c) wider (wide) view of life. They become (d) more tolerant (tolerant) and secular than others. Last year I paid a visit to Agra and saw the Taj, the (e) most beautiful (beautiful) building I have ever seen. But the Yamuna is not as (f) cleaner (clean) and as attractive as I had read in the books. The government and the people should pay (g) more (much) attention to this historical building which has got the (h) largest (large) number of votes to make it one of the seven wonders of the world.

(H) Supply the proper form of the adjectives.

1. lazy : Who is the laziest of you all ?
2. wise : Tinny is the wisest girl.
3. useful : Iron is more than any other metal.
4. heavy : Gold is one of the heaviest metals.
5. rich : He is the richest man in the world.