

a) eclectic b) eccentric c) evasive d) evolved

Ans:-b

2991) The sands of ..... are running out and you'll have to hurry up.

a) moment b) clock c) minute d) time

Ans:-d

2992) It's no good ..... your head in the sand, you'll have to face the truth in the end.

a) filling b) burying c) putting d) digging

Ans:-b

2993) If you ..... your enterprise on sand, it's certain to fail eventually.

a) put b) try c) build d) heap

Ans:-c

2994) They have decided to ..... a line in the sand and start all over again.

a) designate b) draw c) sketch d) delineate

Ans:-b

2995) The sands are ..... and everything is changing in this century.

a) shifting b) turning c) moving d) going

Ans:-a

2996) It runs into millions and millions — almost as many as the ..... of sand you can see on this beach.

a) pieces b) pinches c) grains d) drops

Ans:-c

2997) Children often go down to the seaside and use their buckets and spades to make sand .....

a) buildings b) castles c) houses d) constructions

Ans:-b

2998) In order to get children to go to sleep, parents sometimes say that the sand ..... will soon come and put sand in their eyes.

a) person b) human c) wizard d) man

Ans:-d

2999) For very small children at their nursery school there is often a sand ..... where they can play.

a) pit b) hole c) container d) box

Ans:-a

3000) When there is a danger of flooding, people often pile up sand ..... outside their houses to stop the water coming in.

a) pots b) sacks c) packets d) bags

Ans:-d

3001) There was absolutely no ..... that Henry Orpington liked politics. He talked politics all the time.

a) belief b) concern c) query d) doubt

Ans:-d

3002) All the members of his family were pleased therefore when Henry was ..... as the prospective parliamentary candidate for the constituency in which they were living.

a) adapted b) added c) adopted d) addicted

Ans:-c

3003) One year later the date of the general election was ..... by the Prime Minister.

a) announced b) denounced c) presented d) delivered

Ans:-a