

From the options A – E choose the one that is nearest in meaning to the underlined expression in each of the following questions (No 1 - 5)

1. The book is very **useful** to the teacher and the pupils.
 - a. Attractive
 - b. Clear
 - c. Meaningful
 - d. Gainful
 - e. Helpful
2. The teacher will not **allow** us to stay in school unless we pay our fees.
 - a. Admit
 - b. Favor
 - c. Leave
 - d. Permit
 - e. Invite
3. Sugar soon **melts** in hot Ovaltine.
 - a. Collapses
 - b. Discomposes
 - c. Decreases
 - d. Dissolves
 - e. Evaporates
4. The farmers could no longer **stand** the heat of the sun.
 - a. Accept
 - b. Bear
 - c. Enjoy
 - d. Except
 - e. Wait in
5. The **outer part** of the shop was painted blue.
 - a. Centre
 - b. Exterior
 - c. Interior
 - d. Surrounding
 - e. Wall

From the options lettered A – E choose the one that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined word in each of the following questions (No 6 - 10)

6. His cocoa farm brought him great **profit**
 - a. Discomfort
 - b. Disturbance
 - c. Loss
 - d. Poverty
 - e. Problem
7. The screw is fixed very **loosely** in the lid.
 - a. Closely
 - b. Regularly
 - c. Squarely
 - d. Tightly
 - e. Well
8. We remember our school days because they were so full of **joys**.
 - a. Difficulties
 - b. Memories
 - c. Sorrows
 - d. Troubles
 - e. Worries
9. One who lives apart from his fellow men is often very **holy**.
 - a. Backward
 - b. Cross
 - c. Evil
 - d. Rough
 - e. Sad
10. I do not think that ship will **float**.