

Set no-35

1. **To strike one**
(a) to collide with (b) to face charges
(c) to realise suddenly (c) to be with somebody
2. **To have an axe to grind**
(a) to have a private end to serve (b) to escape from reality
(c) to state the real facts (d) to deny charges
3. **For days on end**
(a) complete loss (c) a position to maintain
(c) ultimately die (d) for a long time
4. **Shift for oneself**
(a) cook one's food
(b) leave one's home and friends
(c) serve one's purpose
(d) look after oneself without another's help
5. **A backhanded compliment**
(a) a sarcastic compliment
(b) a statement of praise
(b) an undeserved compliment
(d) a rare gift
6. **Into the bargain**
(a) after some time (b) two or three times
(c) over and above (c) again and again
7. **Bear one out**
(a) support somebody (b) of against somebody
(c) confirm the truth (d) prove nothing
8. **The order of the day**
(a) a popular measure (b) a general rule
(c) a common practice (d) an admirable practice

9. **A wet blanket**

- (a) a helpless man (b) a useless blanket
(c) one who discourages others (d) a hard question

10. **A cold blooded murder**

- (a) a murder without emotion
(b) a secret murder
(c) a suppressed desire a murder
(d) deliberately committed

Answer-

1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (d) 5. (a)
6. (c) 7. (c) 8. (a) 9. (c) 10. (a)