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Section : General intelligence and Reasoning Ability

Q.1 In this question, a statement is followed by two conclusions. Find out which conclusion is true based on the given statement.

Statement : $A \geq M \leq P = L > E$

Conclusions:

I. $E \leq A$

II. $L \geq M$

- Ans**
- 1. Both I and II are true
 - 2. Only II is true
 - 3. Only I is true
 - 4. Neither I nor II is true

Q.2 In a certain code language, 'HINT' is coded as '5193' and 'TINY' is coded as '3157'. What is the code for 'Y' in the given code language?

- Ans**
- 1. 5
 - 2. 9
 - 3. 1
 - 4. 7

Q.3 98 people are standing in a row facing North. Avan is 81st from the left end while Chan is 3rd from the right end. How many people are there between Avan and Chan?

- Ans**
- 1. 12
 - 2. 15
 - 3. 14
 - 4. 17

Q.4 Each letter in the word FORAGE is arranged in alphabetical order. How many letters are there in the English alphabetical order between the letter that is second from the left and the one that is second from the right in the new letter-cluster thus formed?

- Ans**
- 1. 12
 - 2. 14
 - 3. 9
 - 4. 16

Q.5 In a certain code language,
A + B means 'A is the mother of B'
A - B means 'A is the brother of B'
A # B means 'A is the daughter of B'
A % B means 'A is the father of B'
Based on the above, how is E related to T if 'E # V % Q + T'?

- Ans
- 1. Mother's father
 - 2. Mother's sister
 - 3. Sister's daughter
 - 4. Sister

Q.6 All 60 people are standing in a row facing North. Tarun is 40th from the right end, while Chetan is 26th from the left end. How many people are there between Tarun and Chetan?

- Ans
- 1. 4
 - 2. 2
 - 3. 3
 - 4. 1

Q.7 Read the given statement(s) and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statement(s).

Statements: All kiwis are bananas. No pears are kiwis.

Conclusion (I) : Some pears are bananas.
Conclusion (II) : Some bananas are not pears.

- Ans
- 1. Only conclusion (II) follows
 - 2. Only conclusion (I) follows
 - 3. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows
 - 4. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow

Q.8 Each vowel in the word FLOUNCE is changed to the letter immediately following it in the English alphabetical order and each consonant is changed to the letter immediately preceding it in the English alphabetical order. How many vowels are there in the group of letters thus formed?¹¹⁶⁴¹

- Ans
- 1. 1
 - 2. 3
 - 3. 2
 - 4. 0

Q.9 Select the option that represents the correct order of the given words as they would appear in an English dictionary.

1. Ephemeral
2. Escaping
3. Established
4. Employer
5. Elective

- Ans
- 1. 1, 2, 5, 4, 3
 - 2. 1, 2, 4, 3, 5
 - 3. 5, 4, 1, 2, 3
 - 4. 2, 1, 5, 4, 3

Q.10 In a certain code language,
A + B means 'A is the mother of B'
A - B means 'A is the brother of B'
A x B means 'A is the wife of B'
A % B means 'A is the father of B'
A # B means 'A is the daughter of B'
Based on the above, how is T related to E if 'T # P x N % K x E'?

- Ans
- 1. Sister's husband
 - 2. Son's wife
 - 3. Brother's wife
 - 4. Wife's sister

Q.11 Refer to the following letter series and answer the question. (Counting to be done from left to right only)
(Left) P Q W T A V A B T A X H L T O K W L X T S (Right)
How many such vowels are there each of which is immediately preceded by a consonant and also immediately followed by a vowel?

- Ans
- 1. Three
 - 2. One
 - 3. None
 - 4. Two

Q.12 Refer to the following number, symbol series and answer the question. All numbers are single-digit numbers.
(Left) # 3 4 * 1 6 8 \$ 9 5 2 Ω 7 + % (Right)
If all the symbols are dropped from the series, which of the following will be seventh from the right?

- Ans
- 1. 8
 - 2. 5
 - 3. 6
 - 4. 1

Q.13 P, Q, R, S, X, Y and Z are sitting around a circular table facing the centre. X sits to the immediate right of S. Y sits fourth to the right of X. Z is an immediate neighbour of R and Q. R is not an immediate neighbour of Y. Who sits fourth to the right of P?714

- Ans
- 1. Q
 - 2. Z
 - 3. X
 - 4. Y

Q.14 Aditya ranked 35th from the top and 25th from the bottom in his class. How many students are there in his class?

- Ans
- 1. 60
 - 2. 57
 - 3. 59
 - 4. 58

Q.15 In a certain code language, 'LEAP' is coded as '9125' and 'PILE' is coded as '3952'. What is the code for 'I' in the given code language?

- Ans
- 1. 2
 - 2. 3
 - 3. 1
 - 4. 5

Q.16 Refer to the following letter and symbol series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) E % H & G U N = U + M @ & L B D # < F C > * Q % K (Right)

How many such symbols are there, each of which is immediately preceded by a symbol and also immediately followed by a letter?

- Ans
- 1. Four
 - 2. Two
 - 3. Three
 - 4. One

Q.17 Seven boxes, A, B, C, D, E, F and G, are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.

C is kept immediately above B. A is kept immediately above E. Exactly 1 box is kept between B and E. E is kept above C. Exactly 1 box is kept below D. A or F are not kept at the top.

How many boxes are kept below E?

- Ans
- 1. 1
 - 2. 2
 - 3. 4
 - 4. 3

Q.18 In a certain code language, 'HELP' is coded as '9741' and 'LEAP' is coded as '6741'. What is the code for 'A' in the given code language?

- Ans
- 1. 6
 - 2. 4
 - 3. 9
 - 4. 1

Q.19 In this question, a statement is followed by two conclusions. Find out which conclusion is true based on the given statement.

Statement : $G < R < A \leq P > E$

Conclusions:

I. $P > R$

II. $E \geq A$

- Ans
- 1. Both I and II are true
 - 2. Only II is true
 - 3. Only I is true
 - 4. Neither I nor II is true

Q.20 Seven people, A, B, C, D, E, F and G are sitting in a row, facing north.

Only three people sit between E and D. G sits to the immediate left of D. No one sits to the right of C. Only two people sit between C and G. A sits to the immediate right of F.

How many people sit to the right of B?

- Ans
- 1. 1
 - 2. 3
 - 3. 4
 - 4. 2

Q.1 Which number will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?

362 370 306 522 10 ?

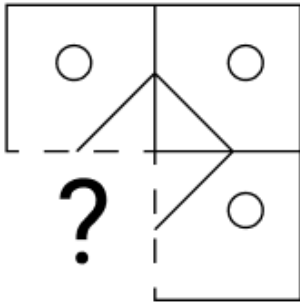
- Ans
- 1. 1010
 - 2. 1000
 - 3. 1024
 - 4. 1013

Q.2 What will come in the place of the question mark (?) in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$30 \div 5 + 12 \times 2 - 9 = ?$

- Ans
- 1. 201
 - 2. 153
 - 3. 159
 - 4. 171

Q.3 Select the option figure that will replace the question mark (?) in the figure given below to complete the pattern.



Ans

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Q.4 If 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for 'x', 'C' stands for '÷' and 'D' stands for '-', what will come in place of the question mark '?' in the following equation?
16 B 8 D 14 C 24 A 8 = ?

- Ans
- 1. 115
 - 2. 117
 - 3. 119
 - 4. 118

Q.5 Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following sets.

(NOTE : Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into their constituent digits. E.g. 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding / subtracting / multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed.)

(13, 12, 156)

(9, 15, 135)

- Ans
- 1. (12, 9, 118)
 - 2. (15, 13, 185)
 - 3. (14, 11, 152)
 - 4. (16, 8, 128)

Q.6 If 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for 'x', 'C' stands for '+' and 'D' stands for '-', then what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

31 A 14 B 42 C 14 D 21 = ?

- Ans
- 1. 88
 - 2. 87
 - 3. 86
 - 4. 84

Q.7 Select the pair which follows the same pattern as that followed by the two set of pairs given below. Both pairs follow the same pattern.

NRV-SWA

RVZ-WAE

- Ans
- 1. CGK-GLO
 - 2. CFI-GKO
 - 3. CFI-HIP
 - 4. CGK-HLP

Q.8 What will come in the place of '?' in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$48 \times 6 \div 15 - 34 + 25 = ?$

- Ans
- 1. 126
 - 2. 130
 - 3. 128
 - 4. 129

Q.9 Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-cluster pairs are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter cluster.)

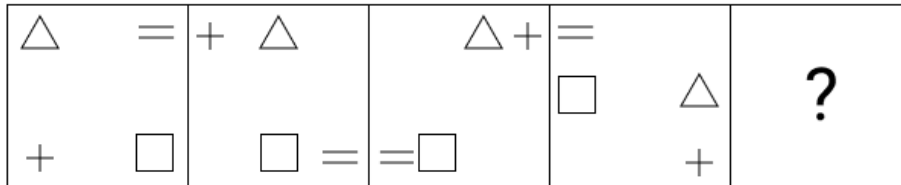
- Ans
- 1. EJ-BT
 - 2. DI-AW
 - 3. VA-SK
 - 4. OT-LD

Q.10 If 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for '×', 'C' stands for '÷' and 'D' stands for '-', then what will come in place of the question mark '?' in the following equation?

$$400 \text{ C } 500 \text{ A } 5 \text{ D } 19 \text{ B } 25 = ?$$

- Ans
- 1. 23
 - 2. 24
 - 3. 26
 - 4. 25

Q.11 Identify the figure given in the options which when put in place of '?' will logically complete the series?



Ans

- 1.

+	□
△	=
- 2.

△	□
+	=
- 3.

□	=
+	△
- 4.

□	△
+	=

Q.12 Which number will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?
14 15 32 99 ? 2005

- Ans
- 1. 405
 - 2. 415
 - 3. 400
 - 4. 408

Q.13 What should come in place of the '?' in the given series?

54 47 40 33 26 ?

- Ans
- 1. 18
 - 2. 19
 - 3. 20
 - 4. 17

Q.14 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following sets.

(NOTE : Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g. 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding / subtracting /multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed)

4, 23
7, 41

- Ans
- 1. 11, 58
 - 2. 11, 59
 - 3. 10, 58
 - 4. 10, 59

Q.15 Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-cluster pairs are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter cluster.)

- Ans
- 1. QT - RU
 - 2. JM - LN
 - 3. SV - TW
 - 4. EH - FI

Q.16 Based on the alphabetical order, three of the following four are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter cluster.)

- Ans
- 1. BXZ
 - 2. CZA
 - 3. SOQ
 - 4. AWY

Q.17 OKNS is related to UQTY in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, LHKP is related to RNQV. To which of the following is IEHM related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. OKSN
 - 2. OKNS
 - 3. KOSN
 - 4. KONS

Q.18 Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements: All forks are jars. Some forks are hats.

Conclusions:

(I): Some jars are hats.

(II): All hats are forks.

- Ans
- 1. Only conclusion (II) follows
 - 2. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow
 - 3. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows
 - 4. Only conclusion (I) follows

Q.19 Select the pair that follows the same pattern as the one followed by the two pairs given below. Both pairs follow the same pattern.

DCA-CBZ

IHF-HGE

- Ans
- 1. FEC-EDB
 - 2. FDA-DCA
 - 3. FDA-EDB
 - 4. FEC-DDA

Q.20 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following sets.

(NOTE : Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g. 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding / subtracting /multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed)

7, 29

11, 45

- Ans
- 1. 13, 53
 - 2. 14, 53
 - 3. 14, 52
 - 4. 13, 52

Section : General Awareness

Q.1 Who assumed office as the 15th Vice President of India in September 2025?

- Ans
- 1. Jagdeep Dhankhar
 - 2. B. Sudershan Reddy
 - 3. G. Parameswaran
 - 4. C.P. Radhakrishnan

Q.2 Who established the Brahma Samaj in 1828, advocating for a universal faith centered on one supreme God?

- Ans**
- 1. Jyotiba Phule
 - 2. Raja Rammohan Roy
 - 3. Mahadev Govind Ranade
 - 4. Dayanand Saraswati

Q.3 If a country's GDP increases but its net factor income from abroad remains unchanged, how will its GNP change, assuming all other factors are constant?

- Ans**
- 1. GNP will remain unchanged
 - 2. GNP will change unpredictably
 - 3. GNP will decrease
 - 4. GNP will increase by the same amount as GDP

Q.4 Which type of World Heritage Site is Kaziranga National Park?

- Ans**
- 1. Cultural
 - 2. Natural
 - 3. Mixed
 - 4. Historical

Q.5 In August 2025, which grant scheme was introduced to fund Artificial Intelligence solutions for cancer care with up to ₹1 crore?

- Ans**
- 1. BioHealth Mission
 - 2. MED-AI Initiative
 - 3. AI-Cure Grant Scheme
 - 4. CATCH Grant Program

Q.6 What was the main objective of the boycott during the Swadeshi Movement?

- Ans**
- 1. Reject foreign-made goods
 - 2. Support colonial courts
 - 3. Encourage foreign trade
 - 4. Promote British education

Q.7 Which Act, enacted in 2025, replaced MGNREGA with a new statutory framework aligned with the vision of Viksit Bharat 2047 and enhanced the rural employment guarantee to 125 days per household?

- Ans**
- 1. Viksit Bharat-Gramin Rozgar Suraksha Act, 2025
 - 2. Gramin Ajeevika and Rural Assets Development Act, 2025
 - 3. Viksit Bharat-G RAM G Act, 2025
 - 4. National Rural Employment and Infrastructure Act, 2025

Q.8 Who among the following became the record-holder for the highest individual score in an ICC Under-19 Men's Cricket World Cup final in 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. Ayush Mhatre
 - 2. Kanishk Chouhan
 - 3. Abhigyan Kundu
 - 4. Vaibhav Sooryavanshi

Q.9 Where did the ice sports leg of the 6th Khelo India Winter Games 2026 take place?

- Ans**
- 1. Jammu
 - 2. Leh, Ladakh
 - 3. Gulmarg
 - 4. Manali

Q.10 Which of the following organisations was founded in 1905 to train individuals for national service?

- Ans**
- 1. Arya Samaj
 - 2. Servants of India Society
 - 3. Deccan Education Society
 - 4. Indian National Congress

Q.11 Who among the following made notable contributions to the enactment of the Age of Consent Act, 1891?

- Ans**
- 1. Liaquat Ali Khan
 - 2. Chaudhry Rehmat Ali
 - 3. Muhammad Iqbal
 - 4. Behramji Malabari

Q.12 What is the main objective of the Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR) that banks are required to maintain with the Reserve Bank of India?

- Ans**
- 1. To control liquidity in the banking system
 - 2. To ensure profitability of banks
 - 3. To calculate inflation rates
 - 4. To provide loans to the government

Q.13 Which of the following schemes was launched in 2010 as a mission-mode scheme by restructuring the erstwhile Swarnajayanti Grameen Swarojgar Yojana (SGSY)?

- Ans**
- 1. Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA)
 - 2. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY)
 - 3. National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM)
 - 4. Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY)

Q.14 Which Indian badminton player won her maiden BWF Super 300 title at the Thailand Masters tournament in 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. Devika Sihag
 - 2. Saina Nehwal
 - 3. Ashmita Chaliha
 - 4. PV Sindhu

Q.15 As of March 2026, which of the following organizations is primarily responsible for designing, developing, and operating launch vehicles (PSLV, GSLV, LVM3) and executing major space missions, including the Gaganyaan programme?

- Ans**
- 1. Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)
 - 2. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
 - 3. NewSpace India Limited (NSIL)
 - 4. Indian National Centre for Space Promotion and Authorisation (IN-SPACe)

Q.16 Which organisation is responsible for preparing the global Human Development Report?

- Ans**
- 1. United Nations Development Programme
 - 2. International Monetary Fund
 - 3. United Nations Environment Programme
 - 4. Asian Development Bank Programme

Q.17 At the India International Conference on Democracy and Election Management (IICDEM) 2026 held in January 2026, the Election Commission of India launched a one-stop digital platform designed to provide integrated election-related information and services. What is the name of this digital platform?

- Ans
- 1. VoterConnect
 - 2. VoteServe
 - 3. ECINET
 - 4. ElectoralNet

Q.18 If a bakery adds more workers but keeps the number of ovens constant, which type of production cost is most likely to rise?

- Ans
- 1. Opportunity cost
 - 2. Fixed cost
 - 3. Implicit cost
 - 4. Variable cost

Q.19 Who was the nominal and symbolic leader of the revolt in Delhi in 1857?

- Ans
- 1. Tantia Tope
 - 2. Nana Sahib
 - 3. Bahadur Shah II
 - 4. Bakht Khan

Q.20 The PANKHUDI Portal, launched in January 2026, aims to achieve which of the following objectives?

- Ans
- 1. Promoting agricultural productivity through modern and technology-based practices
 - 2. Expanding access to financial services for rural and underserved populations
 - 3. Improving urban infrastructure and governance through smart city initiatives
 - 4. Strengthening coordination and transparency in women and child development initiatives

Section : General Awareness1

Q.1 The pillared hall directly in front of the sanctum used for congregational worship and rituals is called the _____ and is common to both Nagara and Dravida temples.

- Ans
- 1. Gopuram
 - 2. Mandapa
 - 3. Antarala
 - 4. Jagamohana

Q.2 According to the Energy Statistics India 2025 report, which of the following groups of states together account for more than 52% of India's total estimated renewable energy potential as of March 2024?

- Ans
- 1. Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, and Karnataka
 - 2. Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Gujarat, and Karnataka
 - 3. Rajasthan, Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, and Tamil Nadu
 - 4. Maharashtra, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, and Telangana

Q.3 As per Renewable Energy Statistics 2024 published by International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), what is India's rank in overall renewable energy installed capacity at global level?

- Ans
- 1. 5th
 - 2. 3rd
 - 3. 4th
 - 4. 6th

Q.4 Which of the following languages was granted Classical Language status in India around 2014?

- Ans
- 1. Marathi
 - 2. Gujarati
 - 3. Punjabi
 - 4. Odia

Q.5 Which of the following surface features is most characteristically associated with the Thar Desert of India?

- Ans
- 1. Marshy lowland with perennial water bodies
 - 2. Stony desert plain with pebbles and rocks
 - 3. Rocky plain with scattered gravel
 - 4. Undulating sandy plain covered with sand dunes

Q.6 Which Article allows the Supreme Court to transfer cases from one High Court to another in the interest of justice?

- Ans
- 1. Article 32
 - 2. Article 139A
 - 3. Article 129
 - 4. Article 131

Q.7 According to the National Health Profile (2023), which of the following diseases caused the highest proportion of deaths in India during 2017–2019?

- Ans
- 1. Cardiovascular diseases
 - 2. Respiratory diseases
 - 3. Malignant and other Neoplasms
 - 4. Digestive diseases

Q.8 Deficiency of vitamin E most commonly leads to which health problem in humans?

- Ans
- 1. Reproduction failures in males and females
 - 2. Rickets causing weak and poorly mineralized bones
 - 3. Scurvy causing bleeding gums and delayed wound healing
 - 4. Night blindness causing difficulty seeing in dim light

Q.9 In India, which mountain range lies immediately south of the Narmada Valley and forms the northern boundary of the Deccan Plateau?

- Ans
- 1. Aravali Range
 - 2. Satpura Range
 - 3. Eastern Ghats
 - 4. Western Ghats

Q.10 While the Fundamental Rights in the Indian Constitution are primarily enforceable by courts, what is a unique aspect of Fundamental Duties?

- Ans
- 1. Fundamental Duties require prior court approval
 - 2. Fundamental Duties are not legally enforceable
 - 3. Fundamental Duties provide constitutional remedies
 - 4. Fundamental Duties are legally enforceable

Q.11 Which of the following is NOT within the territorial jurisdiction of the Gauhati High Court?

- Ans**
- 1. State of Assam
 - 2. State of Mizoram
 - 3. State of Sikkim
 - 4. State of Nagaland

Q.12 When a plant cutting is placed in water, roots often develop from the stem, enabling the plant to absorb nutrients. What are these newly formed roots called?

- Ans**
- 1. Adventitious roots
 - 2. Fibrous roots
 - 3. Tap roots
 - 4. Prop roots

Q.13 Which of the following is the prominent language of Kerala?

- Ans**
- 1. Tamil
 - 2. Telugu
 - 3. Malayalam
 - 4. Kannada

Q.14 Where does photosynthesis primarily take place in plants?

- Ans**
- 1. In chloroplasts in leaf cells
 - 2. In roots of plants
 - 3. In stem tissues only
 - 4. In flowers only

Q.15 During the process of photosynthesis, which pair of plant components is most essential for the intake of carbon dioxide and the conversion of light energy into chemical energy?

- Ans**
- 1. Veins and root hairs absorbing minerals
 - 2. Petals and sepals attracting pollinators
 - 3. Stomata and chloroplasts functioning together
 - 4. Cuticle and stem preventing water loss

Q.16 In the human endocrine system, what is meant by the feedback mechanism in hormonal regulation?

- Ans**
- 1. Secretion of hormones occurring without regulatory control
 - 2. Production of hormones determined by glandular size
 - 3. Regulation of hormone secretion by signals from target tissues
 - 4. Release of hormones at a constant rate regardless of body conditions

Q.17 Under which circumstances can the Right to Freedom of Movement be restricted?

- Ans**
- 1. Public order
 - 2. Economic conditions
 - 3. Religious beliefs
 - 4. Internal migration

Q.18 Which court can hear appeals against the judgements of subordinate courts functioning in its territorial jurisdiction?

- Ans**
- 1. Supreme Court
 - 2. Both the attorney general of India and the Supreme court
 - 3. The attorney general of India
 - 4. High Court

Q.19 Which Indian language belongs to the Dravidian language family?

- Ans
- 1. Tamil
 - 2. Marathi
 - 3. Hindi
 - 4. Bengali

Q.20 Which fort was built by Raja Man Singh and is a UNESCO World Heritage site in Jaipur?

- Ans
- 1. Jaisalmer Fort
 - 2. Red Fort
 - 3. Amer Fort
 - 4. Chittorgarh Fort

Section : Arithmetical and Numerical Ability

Q.1 Four years ago from now, the average age of A, B and C was 58 years. After four years from now, the average age of A and C will be 73 years. What will be the age (in years) of B, after six years from now?

- Ans
- 1. 58
 - 2. 54
 - 3. 57
 - 4. 55

Q.2 A number is first increased by 20% and then decreased by 20%. What is the net percentage change in the number?

- Ans
- 1. No change
 - 2. 3% increase
 - 3. 4% decrease
 - 4. 5% decrease

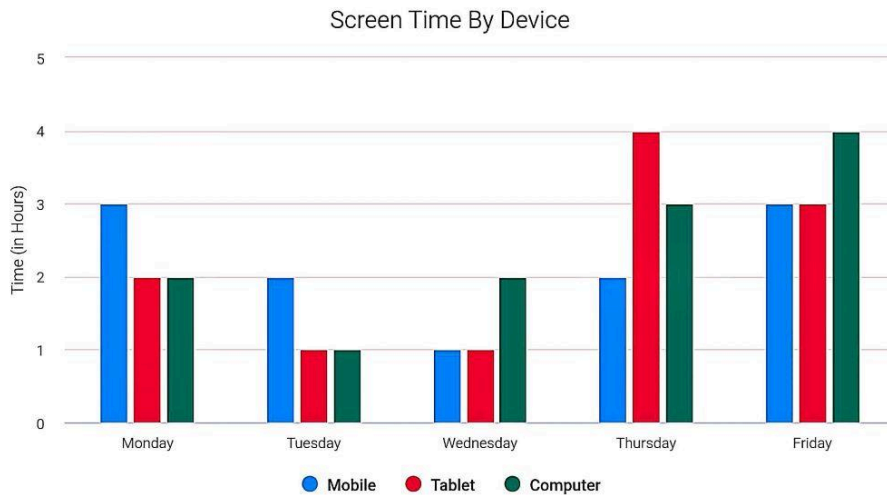
Q.3 A class has 15 boys with average marks 60 and 25 girls with average marks 72. What is the average mark of the whole class?

- Ans
- 1. 68
 - 2. 65.5
 - 3. 67.5
 - 4. 66

Q.4 A bank offers 6.5% compound interest per annum calculated on a half-yearly basis. A customer deposits ₹9,552 each on 1 January and 1 July of a year. At the end of the year, the amount he would have gained by way of interest is _____. [Round off your answer to 2 decimal places.]

- Ans
- 1. ₹952.46
 - 2. ₹941.41
 - 3. ₹930.58
 - 4. ₹958.28

Q.5 The following bar graph shows screen time hours of a group of students for different devices for five days of a week.



For how many hours in all is the mobile being watched during the 5 days of the week?

- Ans**
- 1. 10 hours
 - 2. 13 hours
 - 3. 8 hours
 - 4. 11 hours

Q.6 A student scores 90 marks in Mathematics (weightage 50%), 70 marks in Science (weightage 30%), and 60 marks in English (weightage 20%). What is the student's overall weighted average score?

- Ans**
- 1. 82
 - 2. 80
 - 3. 75
 - 4. 78

Q.7 Find the product of the HCF and LCM of 24 and 99.

- Ans**
- 1. 2386
 - 2. 2376
 - 3. 2396
 - 4. 2366

Q.8 A sum of money is deposited in a bank that offers 10% interest per annum. The absolute difference in the interest earned over two years, when compounded annually and semi-annually respectively, is ₹1376.50. Find the sum deposited. (Give your answer round to the nearest hundred rupees.)

- Ans**
- 1. 2,50,000
 - 2. 2,00,000
 - 3. 2,25,000
 - 4. 2,75,000

Q.9 A number is first increased by 20% and then decreased by 10%. The result is 108. What is the original number?

- Ans**
- 1. 100
 - 2. 110
 - 3. 90
 - 4. 95

Q.10 By selling an article for ₹120, a man loses 40%. At what price (in ₹) should he sell it to gain 15%?

- Ans
- 1. 240
 - 2. 250
 - 3. 220
 - 4. 230

Q.11 By selling an article for ₹120, a man loses 40%. At what price (in ₹) should he sell it to gain 26%?11675

- Ans
- 1. 252
 - 2. 272
 - 3. 262
 - 4. 242

Q.12 The average of 7 numbers is 59. If each number is decreased by 5, what will the new average be?

- Ans
- 1. 7
 - 2. 49
 - 3. 54
 - 4. 59

Q.13 Simplify: $\frac{(2^3 \times 3^4 \times 3^3)}{(2^1 \times 3^1 \times 3^2)}$

- Ans
- 1. 332
 - 2. 324
 - 3. 323
 - 4. 364

Q.14 Which of the following numbers is exactly divisible by 8?

- Ans
- 1. 82532
 - 2. 85332
 - 3. 58332
 - 4. 52832

Q.15 The fraction equivalent to 9.90909... is:

- Ans
- 1. $\frac{109}{11}$
 - 2. $\frac{99}{8}$
 - 3. $\frac{117}{5}$
 - 4. $\frac{100}{9}$

Q.16 The price of a shirt is first increased by 35% and then decreased by 20%. What is the overall percentage change in its price?

- Ans
- 1. 12% decrease
 - 2. 8% increase
 - 3. 8% decrease
 - 4. 12% increase

Q.17 A person invests ₹40,000 in a finTech savings plan that offers a compound interest rate of 5% per annum, compounded annually. If the total amount received at the end of 3 years is ₹46,305, what is the total interest earned on the investment (in ₹)?

- Ans
- 1. 6,100
 - 2. 6,400
 - 3. 6,305
 - 4. 6,500

Q.18 The table given below shows the sales of four different products P, Q, R and S in four different regions

Region	P	Q	R	S
East	240	180	150	200
West	120	180	200	160
North	180	160	150	200
South	140	200	190	180

What are the total sales of product R in all regions?

- Ans
- 1. 705
 - 2. 640
 - 3. 690
 - 4. 675

Q.19 Find the duration (in years) in which ₹1,300 will amount to ₹2,340 at a rate of 20% per annum simple interest.

- Ans
- 1. 5
 - 2. 3
 - 3. 4
 - 4. 6

Q.20 A number when decreased by $87\frac{1}{2}\%$, results in 697. The number is:

- Ans
- 1. 5576
 - 2. 6076
 - 3. 5432
 - 4. 5836

Section : **Arithmetical and Numerical Ability1**

Q.1 A bookshop owner marks up the price of a book by 40% and then offers a discount of 25% on the marked price. If the shopkeeper still makes a profit of ₹100 on each book, find the cost price of the book.

- Ans
- 1. ₹2,200
 - 2. ₹2,500
 - 3. ₹2,000
 - 4. ₹1,800

Q.2 The cost of 15 identical books is ₹4,500. Find the cost of 24 such books.

- Ans
- 1. ₹8,400
 - 2. ₹7,200
 - 3. ₹6,000
 - 4. ₹6,800

Q.3 Ravi drives 100 km from City A to City B at 40 km/h, followed by 140 km from City B to City C at a speed 1.5 times the initial speed. On the return trip, he covers the 140 km leg at 40 km/h and the final 100 km leg at half of this speed. What is his average speed for the entire round trip?

- Ans**
- 1. 60 km/h
 - 2. 48 km/h
 - 3. 56 km/h
 - 4. 36 km/h

Q.4 The volume of a wall is $31,104 \text{ cm}^3$. Its height is six times its width and its length is half the height. What is the width of the wall?

- Ans**
- 1. 14 cm
 - 2. 12 cm
 - 3. 11 cm
 - 4. 7 cm

Q.5 A bus travels the first half of a 120 km journey at a speed of 30 km/h. If its overall average speed for the entire journey is 45 km/h, what speed must it maintain during the second half of the trip?

- Ans**
- 1. 40 km/h
 - 2. 60 km/h
 - 3. 90 km/h
 - 4. 50 km/h

Q.6 Three numbers are in the ratio 2 : 3 : 4. If the sum of their squares is 116, what is the sum of the numbers?

- Ans**
- 1. 9
 - 2. 15
 - 3. 18
 - 4. 20

Q.7 A man travels a certain distance at a uniform speed. If his speed were 8 km/h more, he would take 2 hours less. If his speed were 6 km/h less, he would take 3 hours more. Find his original speed.

- Ans**
- 1. 25 km/h
 - 2. 18 Km/h
 - 3. 20 km/h
 - 4. 23 km/h

Q.8 A car covers a distance of 150 km in 3 hours. If the car increases its speed by 10 km/h, how much time will it take to cover the same distance?

- Ans**
- 1. 3.5 hours
 - 2. 2.5 hours
 - 3. 2.0 hours
 - 4. 3.0 hours

Q.9 A solid copper cylinder of radius 14 cm and length 32 cm is melted and drawn into a uniform cylindrical wire of radius 4 mm. If a machine pulls this wire at a rate of 50 meters per minute, find the total time taken to draw the entire wire.

- Ans**
- 1. 7.20 minutes
 - 2. 8.16 minutes
 - 3. 7.84 minutes
 - 4. 6.42 minutes

Q.10 If on a marked price, the difference of selling price with a discount of 35% and two successive discounts of 20% and 15% is ₹90, find the marked price (in ₹).

- Ans
- 1. ₹2,800
 - 2. ₹2,400
 - 3. ₹2,000
 - 4. ₹3,000

Q.11 A team of 4 workers can complete a task in 6 days. If only 2 workers are available, how many days will they take to finish the same task?

- Ans
- 1. 8 days
 - 2. 6 days
 - 3. 12 days
 - 4. 10 days

Q.12 Ravi can complete a job in 20 days and Shyam can complete the same job in 30 days. If they work together, in how many days will the job be completed?

- Ans
- 1. 18 days
 - 2. 20 days
 - 3. 12 days
 - 4. 15 days

Q.13 Find the mean proportional between 16 and 144.

- Ans
- 1. 48
 - 2. 42
 - 3. 56
 - 4. 64

Q.14 A cone has a radius of 7 cm and a height of 21 cm. What is its volume? (Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$.)

- Ans
- 1. 1088 cm³
 - 2. 1078 cm³
 - 3. 1178 cm³
 - 4. 1708 cm³

Q.15 Pipe A can fill a tank in 8 hours, and Pipe B can fill it in 12 hours. Both pipes are opened together, but after 2 hours, Pipe A is closed while Pipe B continues to work. After 1 more hour, Pipe C is opened, whose efficiency is $33\frac{1}{3}\%$ less than that of Pipe A. How long will Pipe B and Pipe C, working together, take to fill the remaining tank?

- Ans
- 1. 2.8 hours
 - 2. 2 hours
 - 3. 3.6 hours
 - 4. 3 hours

Q.16 A cone has a radius of 3.5 cm and a slant height of 15 cm. Find its curved surface area. (Use $\pi = 3.14$)

- Ans
- 1. 186.27 cm²
 - 2. 164.85 cm²
 - 3. 154.75 cm²
 - 4. 144.23 cm²

Q.17 If $3.7 : 44.4 :: 5.2 : x$, then find the value of x .

- Ans
- 1. 58.4
 - 2. 62.4
 - 3. 60.2
 - 4. 64.8

Q.18 An article is marked at ₹2000 and a discount of 10% is given. What is the selling price?

- Ans
- 1. ₹1750
 - 2. ₹1800
 - 3. ₹1700
 - 4. ₹1850

Q.19 A group of 6 men can complete a task in 12 days. If after working for 4 days, 2 men leave the group, how many more days will it take to finish the remaining work?

- Ans
- 1. 12 days
 - 2. 8 days
 - 3. 14 days
 - 4. 10 days

Q.20 The profit made on a product is 61%. What is the loss percentage (correct to two decimal places) incurred on the sale if the figures of both cost price and selling price are interchanged?

- Ans
- 1. 36.11%
 - 2. 41.45%
 - 3. 38.76%
 - 4. 37.89%

Section : Test of English Language and Comprehension

Q.1 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

After years of training, he finally earned ___ title of Grandmaster in chess.1394

- Ans
- 1. the
 - 2. none
 - 3. an
 - 4. a

Q.2 Fill in the blank with the most suitable option.

Police are searching for _____ boy.

1181

- Ans
- 1. some eight years old
 - 2. a eight-year-old
 - 3. an eight-year-old
 - 4. eight-year-old

Q.3 Identify the error in the following sentence and choose the correct revision from the given options.

He don't like chocolate.

- Ans
- 1. He don't likes chocolate.
 - 2. He not likes chocolate.
 - 3. He doesn't like chocolate.
 - 4. He haven't like chocolate.

Q.4 The following sentence has been divided into different segments. Rearrange all the segments A – D, to form a coherent sentence.

(A) Mujib chased the thief across the roofs (B) although he was afraid of heights, (C) to nab him and retrieve the stolen jewels (D) of several houses, which helped the police⁵²¹⁹

- Ans
- 1. ADCB
 - 2. BADC
 - 3. CBAD
 - 4. ACDB

Q.5 Choose the appropriate option to correct the sentence. The incorrect part of the sentence is highlighted in bold.

There isn't less food to last us all for the entire week.

- Ans
- 1. lots of
 - 2. enough
 - 3. most
 - 4. many

Q.6 Rectify the sentence by selecting the correct option to replace the underlined word.

The secret was kept behind close friends to avoid any misunderstandings.⁴²²⁷

- Ans
- 1. of
 - 2. among
 - 3. before
 - 4. around

Q.7 Fill in the blank choosing the right one from the given options:

My uncle has an appointment with ___ Prime Minister of India.¹³⁸⁶

- Ans
- 1. the
 - 2. an
 - 3. no article
 - 4. a

Q.8 In the given question, a statement is divided into different segments. Rearrange all the segments to form a coherent statement.

of its global production (A)/ has led to an increase (B)/ in just over 20 years (C)/ the soaring demand for avocados (D)

- Ans
- 1. ABCD
 - 2. DBAC
 - 3. CADB
 - 4. BDAC

Q.9 Select the most appropriate word for the blank in the sentence given below:

She ___ breakfast when I arrived. 4473

- Ans
- 1. was eating
 - 2. were eating
 - 3. is eating
 - 4. are eating

Q.10 Select the most appropriate word for the blank in the sentence given below.

The ___ dog barked at the strangers approaching the house. 4389

- Ans
- 1. bright
 - 2. fluffy
 - 3. soft
 - 4. brave

Q.11 Complete the following sentence by using correct option.

Meera responded _____ to the criticism, maintaining her composure throughout the discussion.

- Ans
- 1. calmly
 - 2. sarcastically
 - 3. impulsively
 - 4. defensively

Q.12 Choose the correct option to complete the sentence.

“Rohit faced a _____ challenge while implementing the new system.”

- Ans
- 1. predictable
 - 2. routine
 - 3. formidable
 - 4. simple

Q.13 Fill in the blank with a suitable article.

It was ___ honor to meet the soldiers at the Indian army camps.1063

- Ans
- 1. an
 - 2. no article
 - 3. a
 - 4. the

Q.14 Which of the following words completes the statement and makes a grammatically and contextually correct sentence?

Sanjukta wore a/an ___ dress to the party.

- Ans
- 1. elegant
 - 2. vacant
 - 3. industrial
 - 4. sour

Q.15 Rectify the sentence by selecting the correct option to replace the underlined word from the options given below.

Either the teacher or the students was responsible for cleaning the classroom.

- Ans
- 1. am
 - 2. is
 - 3. has been
 - 4. are

Comprehension:

Read the below passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Every evening the old railway platform glows with a peculiar charm that no timetable can measure. Commuters line the benches with tired shoulders, yet their faces soften as vendors light lanterns and brew tea in dented kettles. The air smells of cardamom and warm metal. A bookseller spreads second-hand paperbacks on a cloth, arranging them like fragile treasures. Children chase each other between pillars while grandparents guard luggage with watchful pride. Trains arrive with thunderous brakes, then depart, carrying fragments of conversation into darkness. Despite the noise, the platform fosters unexpected friendships; strangers exchange stories about missed connections and future plans. I often linger after my train has gone, simply to observe this temporary society forming and dissolving repeatedly. The place proves that travel is not merely movement between stations but a collection of brief human encounters that colour the journey more vividly than destinations themselves. It never feels ordinary.

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 Identify the suitable title for the passage.

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SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 Identify the facts given in the passage.

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 Identify the central theme of the passage.

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 Identify the tone of the passage.

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 Summarise the passage.

Section : Test of English Language and Comprehension1

Q.1 Select the most appropriate one-word substitute for the description provided below.

A person who cannot stop stealing things even if they can afford them

- Ans
- 1. Thief
 - 2. Robber
 - 3. Kleptomaniac
 - 4. Burglar

Q.2 Identify the misspelt word among the four highlighted words in the sentence.

Straddling the 'consumer versus farmer' **delimma** is tricky, but some longer-term context can guide **policymaking** towards a **nuanced** rather than a knee-jerk approach.

- Ans
- 1. delimma
 - 2. straddling
 - 3. nuanced
 - 4. policymaking

Q.3 The given sentence is divided into four segments. Select the option that has the segment with the grammatical error.

The film sparked (A) / a controvercal debate (B) / due to its portrayal (C) / of sensitive political issues. (D)

- Ans
- 1. D
 - 2. C
 - 3. B
 - 4. A

Q.4 Choose the suitable meaning of the given proverb.

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step

- Ans
- 1. True mastery always grows through patient practice.
 - 2. Great achievements always begin with small steps.
 - 3. Too many people involved can ruin good work.
 - 4. Careful people always think well before taking action.

Q.5 Choose the correct one-word substitute for the highlighted phrase.

The scientist used a (an) **device that measures the humidity in the air during the experiment to ensure accurate results and monitor changes in moisture levels.**

- Ans
- 1. altimeter
 - 2. thermometer
 - 3. hygrometer
 - 4. barometer

Q.6 Select the word which means the same as the underlined group of words in the given sentence.

The doctor diagnosed the patient with a condition in which a person is unable to fall or stay asleep at night despite feeling tired.

- Ans
- 1. anxiety
 - 2. fatigue
 - 3. insomnia
 - 4. lethargy

Q.7 Choose the most appropriate meaning of the idiom/proverb given below.

Rome wasn't built in a day.

- Ans
- 1. It took many days to build Rome
 - 2. It takes many days to travel to Rome
 - 3. Building Rome was a difficult task
 - 4. Time is needed to do great or important things

Q.8 Out of the four alternatives, choose the option which correctly expresses the meaning of the given proverb.
"A leopard doesn't change its spots"

- Ans
- 1. People can change their fundamental nature.
 - 2. Some people can change their appearance but not their nature.
 - 3. Leopards are always spotted.
 - 4. People will always stay true to their inherent nature.

Q.9 Select the option that best explains the given proverb.
Make hay while the sun shines.

- Ans
- 1. Use opportunities while they are available.
 - 2. Work only when conditions are perfect.
 - 3. Good results depend on favorable weather.
 - 4. Success comes after long waiting.

Q.10 Select the most appropriate one-word substitution for the description provided below.

A person who spends money in a careless and wasteful manner

- Ans
- 1. Debtor
 - 2. Miser
 - 3. Economist
 - 4. Spendthrift

Q.11 From the options given below, choose the correct word that is a synonym of the given word.

Vigilant

- Ans**
- 1. Negligent
 - 2. Remiss
 - 3. Heedful
 - 4. Oblivious

Q.12 Select the most appropriate antonym for the word "Prudence."

- Ans**
- 1. Recklessness
 - 2. Caution
 - 3. Carefulness
 - 4. Wisdom

Q.13 Select the most suitable meaning of the given word.

Copious

- Ans**
- 1. In large amounts
 - 2. Small in quantity or amount
 - 3. Not as much as necessary
 - 4. Not talking too much about yourself

Q.14 In the given question, a statement divided is into different segments. Rearrange all the segments to form a coherent statement.

about twenty to thirty minutes (A)/ can go a long way in (B)/ midday power naps for (C)/ helping boost productivity (D)

- Ans**
- 1. DBAC
 - 2. CABD
 - 3. BACD
 - 4. ADBC

Q.15 Out of the given options, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.

Dainty

- Ans**
- 1. Elegant
 - 2. Ugly
 - 3. Tasteless
 - 4. Crude

Comprehension:

Read the passage carefully and answer the given questions.

Greed and poverty are often closely connected in society. While poverty reflects a lack of basic resources, greed represents an excessive desire for wealth and power. In many cases, the concentration of wealth in the hands of a few leads to unequal distribution, leaving a large section of society struggling to meet their basic needs. Greed can drive individuals and institutions to exploit resources without considering the consequences for others. This not only widens the gap between the rich and the poor but also creates social and economic imbalance. On the other hand, poverty limits opportunities, making it difficult for people to improve their living conditions. Efforts to reduce poverty require not only economic development but also ethical practices and fair distribution of resources. Encouraging social responsibility and reducing greed can contribute to a more just and balanced society. Thus, addressing greed is an important step towards reducing poverty and ensuring equality.

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 Which of the following is the most appropriate summary of the passage?

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 Which of the following best reflects a real-life situation related to the passage?

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 What is the most appropriate title for the passage?

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 What is the structure of the passage?

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 Which of the following is a fact mentioned in the passage?

Section : Test of Hindi Language and Comprehension

Q.1 निम्नलिखित में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य वाले विकल्प का चयन करें।

- Ans**
- 1. हिमालय की ऊंची चोटियों और पवित्र गंगा नदी भारत की प्राकृतिक सुंदरता और गौरव को बढ़ाती हैं।
 - 2. आज पूरा दिन आसमान बिल्कुल साफ रहा लेकिन शाम को हल्की बारिश हो गई।
 - 3. भारत एक अद्भुत देश है जहाँ विभिन्न धर्म और संस्कृतियों के लोग मिलजुल कर प्रेम से रहते हैं।
 - 4. भारत में विविधताओं के बावजूद एकता बनी हुई है।

Q.2 नीचे दिये गये वाक्यों में से शुद्ध वाक्य का चयन कीजिये.65

- Ans 1. ये लोग कहाँ जा रहे हैं ?
 2. बच्चों पढ़ रहे हैं
 3. कुत्ता दौड़ रहे हैं
 4. बिल्लियों छुपी हुई है

Q.3 निम्नलिखित विकल्पों में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य का चयन करें-

- Ans 1. देश की उन्नति किसान की उन्नति से जुड़ी हुई है।
 2. भारतीय किसान का जीवन अत्यंत सरल और सीधा है।
 3. कृषि के सूत्रधार किसान की अवस्था को जानना अत्यंत आवश्यक है।
 4. देवनागरी लिपि में हिंदी भारत की राजकीय भाषा होगी।

Q.4 निम्नलिखित वाक्य के रिक्त स्थानों की पूर्ति उचित कारक शब्दों के द्वारा कीजिए।

'सभी चार दिन _____ हैं चाँदनी, ये इमारतें, ये विज़ारतें
मुझे उस फ़कीर _____ शान दे कि ज़माना जिसकी मिसाल दे'

- Ans 1. ने, से
 2. की, की
 3. के लिए, में
 4. से, को

Q.5 'आम के आम गुठलियों के दाम' लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ क्या है ?

- Ans 1. अथाह लाभ
 2. घाटा होना
 3. दोहरा लाभ
 4. तिहरा लाभ

Q.6 'जो कहा न जा सके' के लिए प्रयुक्त होने वाला शब्द कौन-सा है?

- Ans 1. नूतन
 2. अकथनीय
 3. मौलिक
 4. अकथित

Q.7 निम्नलिखित वाक्य को उचित कारक द्वारा पूर्ण करें।

खिड़की _____ पर्दा हटा दो, कमरे में गर्मी बहुत है।

- Ans 1. के लिए
 2. से
 3. की
 4. द्वारा

Q.8 'सरला गोरी है!', इस वाक्य में रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति के लिए उचित विशेषण शब्द चुनें -

- Ans 1. अच्छी
 2. बहुत
 3. बिलकुल
 4. बड़ी

Q.9 मेरे मकान में.....दो कोठरियाँ हैं।

उपर्युक्त वाक्य में रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति के लिए उचित क्रिया-विशेषण शब्द का चयन करें-

- Ans 1. प्रतिदिन
 2. केवल
 3. आज
 4. जब

Q.10 'युद्ध करने की प्रबल इच्छा करने वाला'
उपर्युक्त वाक्यांश के लिए एक सार्थक शब्द चुनें-

- Ans 1. युयुत्सु
 2. युयुत्सा
 3. वज्रपाणि
 4. युद्धपोत

Q.11 राकेश बाजारहै।
उपर्युक्त वाक्य में रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति के लिए उचित क्रिया शब्द का चयन करें-

- Ans 1. गया
 2. पढ़
 3. रहना
 4. सोच

Q.12 निम्न वाक्यों में से पूर्ण रूप से शुद्ध वाक्य का चयन कीजिए।

- Ans 1. मैंने उनके सामने एक प्रस्ताव रखा था।
 2. मैंने उनके सामने एक प्रस्ताव रखा था।
 3. मैंने उनके समने एक रखा था प्रस्ताव।
 4. मैंने उनके एक रखा था सामने प्रस्ताव।

Q.13 निम्नलिखित शब्दों को सही वाक्य क्रम में व्यवस्थित कीजिए -

1. नहीं
2. इन सब
3. जानते हैं
4. वह
5. बातों को

- Ans 1. 25431
 2. 41352
 3. 42513
 4. 31425

Q.14 निम्नलिखित वाक्य में शुद्ध वाक्य का चयन करें-

- Ans 1. भारत में आज सर्वत्र भ्रष्टाचार का बोलबाला है।
 2. बोलबाला है भारत में भ्रष्टाचार का आज सर्वत्र।
 3. आज सर्वत्र बोलबाला है भ्रष्टाचार का भारत में।
 4. भारत में का बोलबाला है भ्रष्टाचार आज सर्वत्र।

Q.15 निम्न में से 'अपने लगे तो देह में, औरों को लगे तो भीत में' लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ कौन-सा है ?

- Ans 1. मनचाही चीज न पाने का अफसोस
 2. दूसरे के कष्ट की परवाह न करना
 3. झूठा आडम्बर रचने वाला
 4. जो अपनी चीज की रक्षा नहीं कर पाता, वह कष्ट उठाता है

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

ज्ञान और विवेक को प्रायः एक ही मान लिया जाता है, किंतु इन दोनों में तात्विक अंतर है। ज्ञान सूचनाओं और तथ्यों का संग्रह मात्र है, जो हमें पुस्तकों, अनुभवों या शिक्षा से प्राप्त होता है। यह मस्तिष्क का विषय है और इसका विस्तार असीमित हो सकता है। इसके विपरीत, विवेक उस ज्ञान को सही समय, सही स्थान और सही उद्देश्य के लिए प्रयुक्त करने की कला है। यह ज्ञान का वह सार है जो अंतःकरण में बसता है। ज्ञान हमें शक्ति दे सकता है, किंतु विवेक उस शक्ति के सदुपयोग का मार्ग प्रशस्त करता है। विवेक के अभाव में ज्ञान एक दिशाहीन नौका के समान है, जो अपार क्षमता रखते हुए भी किसी चट्टान से टकराकर नष्ट हो सकती है। अतः, सच्ची शिक्षा का ध्येय केवल ज्ञान का संचय नहीं, अपितु विवेक का जागरण होना चाहिए। यह जागरण ही मनुष्य को वास्तविक अर्थों में शिक्षित बनाता है और उसे नैतिक संकटों से उबारता है।

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 गद्यांश के अंतिम वाक्य में प्रयुक्त शब्द 'ध्येय' का अर्थ क्या है?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

ज्ञान और विवेक को प्रायः एक ही मान लिया जाता है, किंतु इन दोनों में तात्त्विक अंतर है। ज्ञान सूचनाओं और तथ्यों का संग्रह मात्र है, जो हमें पुस्तकों, अनुभवों या शिक्षा से प्राप्त होता है। यह मस्तिष्क का विषय है और इसका विस्तार असीमित हो सकता है। इसके विपरीत, विवेक उस ज्ञान को सही समय, सही स्थान और सही उद्देश्य के लिए प्रयुक्त करने की कला है। यह ज्ञान का वह सार है जो अंतःकरण में बसता है। ज्ञान हमें शक्ति दे सकता है, किंतु विवेक उस शक्ति के सदुपयोग का मार्ग प्रशस्त करता है। विवेक के अभाव में ज्ञान एक दिशाहीन नौका के समान है, जो अपार क्षमता रखते हुए भी किसी चट्टान से टकराकर नष्ट हो सकती है। अतः, सच्ची शिक्षा का ध्येय केवल ज्ञान का संचय नहीं, अपितु विवेक का जागरण होना चाहिए। यह जागरण ही मनुष्य को वास्तविक अर्थों में शिक्षित बनाता है और उसे नैतिक संकटों से उबारता है।

SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 "विवेक उस शक्ति के सदुपयोग का मार्ग प्रशस्त करता है।" - इस वाक्य में 'प्रशस्त' शब्द का पर्यायवाची क्या है?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

ज्ञान और विवेक को प्रायः एक ही मान लिया जाता है, किंतु इन दोनों में तात्त्विक अंतर है। ज्ञान सूचनाओं और तथ्यों का संग्रह मात्र है, जो हमें पुस्तकों, अनुभवों या शिक्षा से प्राप्त होता है। यह मस्तिष्क का विषय है और इसका विस्तार असीमित हो सकता है। इसके विपरीत, विवेक उस ज्ञान को सही समय, सही स्थान और सही उद्देश्य के लिए प्रयुक्त करने की कला है। यह ज्ञान का वह सार है जो अंतःकरण में बसता है। ज्ञान हमें शक्ति दे सकता है, किंतु विवेक उस शक्ति के सदुपयोग का मार्ग प्रशस्त करता है। विवेक के अभाव में ज्ञान एक दिशाहीन नौका के समान है, जो अपार क्षमता रखते हुए भी किसी चट्टान से टकराकर नष्ट हो सकती है। अतः, सच्ची शिक्षा का ध्येय केवल ज्ञान का संचय नहीं, अपितु विवेक का जागरण होना चाहिए। यह जागरण ही मनुष्य को वास्तविक अर्थों में शिक्षित बनाता है और उसे नैतिक संकटों से उबारता है।

SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 गद्यांश में प्रयुक्त शब्द 'अभाव' का विलोम शब्द क्या है?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 इस गद्यांश के लिए सर्वाधिक उपयुक्त शीर्षक क्या हो सकता है?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

ज्ञान और विवेक को प्रायः एक ही मान लिया जाता है, किंतु इन दोनों में तात्त्विक अंतर है। ज्ञान सूचनाओं और तथ्यों का संग्रह मात्र है, जो हमें पुस्तकों, अनुभवों या शिक्षा से प्राप्त होता है। यह मस्तिष्क का विषय है और इसका विस्तार असीमित हो सकता है। इसके विपरीत, विवेक उस ज्ञान को सही समय, सही स्थान और सही उद्देश्य के लिए प्रयुक्त करने की कला है। यह ज्ञान का वह सार है जो अंतःकरण में बसता है। ज्ञान हमें शक्ति दे सकता है, किंतु विवेक उस शक्ति के सदुपयोग का मार्ग प्रशस्त करता है। विवेक के अभाव में ज्ञान एक दिशाहीन नौका के समान है, जो अपार क्षमता रखते हुए भी किसी चट्टान से टकराकर नष्ट हो सकती है। अतः, सच्ची शिक्षा का ध्येय केवल ज्ञान का संचय नहीं, अपितु विवेक का जागरण होना चाहिए। यह जागरण ही मनुष्य को वास्तविक अर्थों में शिक्षित बनाता है और उसे नैतिक संकटों से उबारता है।

SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 गद्यांश के अनुसार, ज्ञान को दिशाहीन नौका के समान कब बताया गया है?

Section : Test of Hindi Language and Comprehension1

Q.1 निम्नलिखित लोकोक्ति का अर्थ बताइए।

'सूरदास खल काली कामरि चढ़े न दुजौ रंग'

Ans

- 1. कुछ न होने पर भी बड़प्पन दिखाना।
- 2. दुष्ट व्यक्ति अपनी दुष्टता नहीं छोड़ता।
- 3. कोई भी कार्य बिना एक प्रक्रिया और समय के पूर्ण नहीं होता।
- 4. पर्याप्त समय लेकर किया गया कार्य अच्छा होता है।

Q.2 'कंठस्थ' शब्द का उचित विलोम शब्द पहचानें।

Ans

- 1. स्थिर
- 2. नगण्य
- 3. वरिष्ठ
- 4. विस्मरण

Q.3 दिए गए विकल्पों में से तद्भव शब्द का चयन कीजिए-

- Ans 1. कपोत
 2. आश्रय
 3. कलेश
 4. काक

Q.4 निम्न में से 'इंद्र' का पर्यायवाची शब्द कौन-सा है ?

- Ans 1. मघवा
 2. विष्णु
 3. ब्रह्मा
 4. नारद

Q.5 दिए गए विकल्पों में से निम्नलिखित लोकोक्ति का सटीक अर्थ चुनिए।
 'सावन हरे न भादों सूखे'

- Ans 1. सब दिन एक सामान नहीं होंते
 2. सब दिन एक सामान होते हैं
 3. समान गुण वाले व्यक्ति की संगति करना
 4. सदा एक जैसा रहना

Q.6 निम्नलिखित वाक्य में त्रुटिपूर्ण शब्द की पहचान कीजिए।
 'सहानुभुति की इस व्यापकता से हमें प्रसन्न होना चाहिए या अप्रसन्न?'

- Ans 1. अप्रसन्न
 2. प्रसन्न
 3. सहानुभुति
 4. व्यापकता

Q.7 नीचे दिये गये वाक्य के किस अंश में त्रुटि है -
 'भारत समृद्धसाली देश है'

- Ans 1. भारत
 2. है
 3. समृद्धसाली
 4. देश

Q.8 दिए गए विकल्पों में से शुद्ध वाक्य का चयन कीजिए-

- Ans 1. चेतक महाराणा प्रताप का घोड़ा था।
 2. चेतक महाड़ाणा प्रताप का घोड़ा था।
 3. चेतक महाराना प्रताप का घोड़ा था।
 4. चेतक महाराना प्रताप का घोड़ा था।

Q.9 'ऋजु' का विलोम शब्द है?

- Ans 1. हलाहल
 2. गरल
 3. वक्र
 4. सरल

Q.10 निम्नलिखित में से तत्सम शब्द कौन-सा है?

- Ans 1. गुहा
 2. बूँद
 3. भालू
 4. गुफा

Q.11 निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा शब्द 'काल' का अनेकार्थक नहीं है?

- Ans
- 1. समय
 - 2. यमराज
 - 3. कपड़ा
 - 4. मौत

Q.12 उत्ताल' शब्द के पर्यायवाची का चयन कीजिए-

- Ans
- 1. ऊँचा
 - 2. उत्साह
 - 3. उतावला
 - 4. उत्पन्न

Q.13 दिए गए विकल्पों में से शुद्ध वाक्य का विकल्प चुनें -

- Ans
- 1. बचपन में नेहरुजी बड़े सर्मिले बालक थे।
 - 2. बचपन में नेहरुजी बड़े शर्मिले बालक थे।
 - 3. बचपन में नेहरुजी बड़े शर्मिले बालक थे।
 - 4. बचपन में नेहरुजी बड़े शर्मिले बालक थे।

Q.14 'गीदड़ भभकी' मुहावरे का अर्थ क्या होता है?

- Ans
- 1. झूठी धमकी देना
 - 2. चतुराई करना
 - 3. गलत बताना
 - 4. काम साधना

Q.15 निम्न में से अनेकार्थी शब्द 'तड़प' का अर्थ कौन-सा है ?

- Ans
- 1. छौंक
 - 2. नदी
 - 3. प्रयोग
 - 4. चमक

Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उससे सम्बंधित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिये -

पचास वर्ष से ऊपर था। तब भी वह युवकों से अधिक बलिष्ठ और दृढ़ था। चमड़े पर झुर्रियां नहीं पड़ी थीं वर्षा की झड़ी में, पूस की रातों की छाया में, कड़कती जेठ की धूप में, नंगे शरीर घूमने में वह सुख मानता था। उसकी चढ़ी मूछें, बिच्छू के डंक की तरह, देखने वालों की आँखों में चुभती थीं। उसका साँवला रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था। ईसा की अठारहवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम भाग में वही काशी नहीं रह गई थी, जिसमें उपनिषद् के अजातशत्रु की परिषद् में ब्रह्मविद्या सीखने के लिए विद्वान ब्रह्मचारी आते थे गौतम बुद्ध और शंकराचार्य के धर्म-दर्शन के वाद-विवाद कई शताब्दियों से लगातार मन्दिरों और मठों के ध्वंश और तपस्वियों के वध के कारण, प्रायः बन्द से हो गये थे। यहाँ तक कि पवित्रता और छुआछूत में कट्टर वैष्णव धर्म भी उसे विश्रुंखलता में, नवागन्तुक धर्मोन्माद में, अपनी असफलता देखकर काशी में अघोर रूप धारण कर रहा था। उसी समस्त न्याय और बुद्धिवाद को शस्त्र बल के सामने झुकते देखकर, काशी के विच्छिन्न और निराश नागरिक जीवन ने, एक नवीन सम्प्रदाय की सृष्टि की। वीरता जिसका धर्म था। अपनी बात पर मिटना, सिंहवृत्ति से जीविका ग्रहण करना, प्राण भिक्षा माँगने वाले कायरों तथा चोट खाकर गिरे हुए प्रतिद्वन्द्वी पर शस्त्र न उठाना, सताये हुए निर्बलों को सहायता देना और प्रत्येक क्षण प्राणों को हथेली पर लिए घूमना, उनका बाना था। उन्हें लोग काशी में गुण्डा कहते थे।

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 उपर्युक्त गद्यांश का शीर्षक है-

Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उससे सम्बंधित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिये -

पचास वर्ष से ऊपर था। तब भी वह युवकों से अधिक बलिष्ठ और दृढ़ था। चमड़े पर झुर्रियां नहीं पड़ी थीं वर्षा की झड़ी में, पूस की रातों की छाया में, कड़कती जेठ की धूप में, नंगे शरीर घूमने में वह सुख मानता था। उसकी चढ़ी मूछें, बिच्छू के डंक की तरह, देखने वालों की आँखों में चुभती थीं। उसका साँवला रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था। ईसा की अठारहवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम भाग में वही काशी नहीं रह गई थी, जिसमें उपनिषद् के अजातशत्रु की परिषद् में ब्रह्मविद्या सीखने के लिए विद्वान ब्रह्मचारी आते थे गौतम बुद्ध और शंकराचार्य के धर्म-दर्शन के वाद-विवाद कई शताब्दियों से लगातार मन्दिरों और मठों के ध्वंश और तपस्वियों के वध के कारण, प्रायः बन्द से हो गये थे। यहाँ तक कि पवित्रता और छुआछूत में कट्टर वैष्णव धर्म भी उसे विश्रुंखलता में, नवागन्तुक धर्मोन्माद में, अपनी असफलता देखकर काशी में अघोर रूप धारण कर रहा था। उसी समस्त न्याय और बुद्धिवाद को शस्त्र बल के सामने झुकते देखकर, काशी के विच्छिन्न और निराश नागरिक जीवन ने, एक नवीन सम्प्रदाय की सृष्टि की। वीरता जिसका धर्म था। अपनी बात पर मिटना, सिंहवृत्ति से जीविका ग्रहण करना, प्राण भिक्षा माँगने वाले कायरों तथा चोट खाकर गिरे हुए प्रतिद्वन्द्वी पर शस्त्र न उठाना, सताये हुए निर्बलों को सहायता देना और प्रत्येक क्षण प्राणों को हथेली पर लिए घूमना, उनका बाना था। उन्हें लोग काशी में गुण्डा कहते थे।

SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 किसका रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था ?

Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उससे सम्बंधित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिये -

पचास वर्ष से ऊपर था। तब भी वह युवकों से अधिक बलिष्ठ और दृढ़ था। चमड़े पर झुर्रियां नहीं पड़ी थीं वर्षा की झड़ी में, पूस की रातों की छाया में, कड़कती जेठ की धूप में, नंगे शरीर घूमने में वह सुख मानता था। उसकी चढ़ी मूछें, बिच्छू के डंक की तरह, देखने वालों की आँखों में चुभती थीं। उसका साँवला रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था। ईसा की अट्ठारहवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम भाग में वही काशी नहीं रह गई थी, जिसमें उपनिषद् के अजातशत्रु की परिषद् में ब्रह्मविद्या सीखने के लिए विद्वान ब्रह्मचारी आते थे गौतम बुद्ध और शंकराचार्य के धर्म-दर्शन के वाद-विवाद कई शताब्दियों से लगातार मन्दिरों और मठों के ध्वंश और तपस्वियों के वध के कारण, प्रायः बन्द से हो गये थे। यहाँ तक कि पवित्रता और छुआछूत में कट्टर वैष्णव धर्म भी उसे विश्रुंखलता में, नवागन्तुक धर्मोन्माद में, अपनी असफलता देखकर काशी में अघोर रूप धारण कर रहा था। उसी समस्त न्याय और बुद्धिवाद को शस्त्र बल के सामने झुकते देखकर, काशी के विच्छिन्न और निराश नागरिक जीवन ने, एक नवीन सम्प्रदाय की सृष्टि की। वीरता जिसका धर्म था। अपनी बात पर मिटना, सिंहवृत्ति से जीविका ग्रहण करना, प्राण भिक्षा माँगने वाले कारयों तथा चोट खाकर गिरे हुए प्रतिद्वन्द्वी पर शस्त्र न उठाना, सताये हुए निर्बलों को सहायता देना और प्रत्येक क्षण प्राणों को हथेली पर लिए घूमना, उनका बाना था। उन्हें लोग काशी में गुण्डा कहते थे।

SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 ' परिषद् ' का अर्थ है -

Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उससे सम्बंधित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिये -

पचास वर्ष से ऊपर था। तब भी वह युवकों से अधिक बलिष्ठ और दृढ़ था। चमड़े पर झुर्रियां नहीं पड़ी थीं वर्षा की झड़ी में, पूस की रातों की छाया में, कड़कती जेठ की धूप में, नंगे शरीर घूमने में वह सुख मानता था। उसकी चढ़ी मूछें, बिच्छू के डंक की तरह, देखने वालों की आँखों में चुभती थीं। उसका साँवला रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था। ईसा की अट्ठारहवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम भाग में वही काशी नहीं रह गई थी, जिसमें उपनिषद् के अजातशत्रु की परिषद् में ब्रह्मविद्या सीखने के लिए विद्वान ब्रह्मचारी आते थे गौतम बुद्ध और शंकराचार्य के धर्म-दर्शन के वाद-विवाद कई शताब्दियों से लगातार मन्दिरों और मठों के ध्वंश और तपस्वियों के वध के कारण, प्रायः बन्द से हो गये थे। यहाँ तक कि पवित्रता और छुआछूत में कट्टर वैष्णव धर्म भी उसे विश्रुंखलता में, नवागन्तुक धर्मोन्माद में, अपनी असफलता देखकर काशी में अघोर रूप धारण कर रहा था। उसी समस्त न्याय और बुद्धिवाद को शस्त्र बल के सामने झुकते देखकर, काशी के विच्छिन्न और निराश नागरिक जीवन ने, एक नवीन सम्प्रदाय की सृष्टि की। वीरता जिसका धर्म था। अपनी बात पर मिटना, सिंहवृत्ति से जीविका ग्रहण करना, प्राण भिक्षा माँगने वाले कारयों तथा चोट खाकर गिरे हुए प्रतिद्वन्द्वी पर शस्त्र न उठाना, सताये हुए निर्बलों को सहायता देना और प्रत्येक क्षण प्राणों को हथेली पर लिए घूमना, उनका बाना था। उन्हें लोग काशी में गुण्डा कहते थे।

SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 ' न्याय ' का विलोम शब्द है-

Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उससे सम्बंधित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिये -

पचास वर्ष से ऊपर था। तब भी वह युवकों से अधिक बलिष्ठ और दृढ़ था। चमड़े पर झुर्रियां नहीं पड़ी थीं वर्षा की झड़ी में, पूस की रातों की छाया में, कड़कती जेठ की धूप में, नंगे शरीर घूमने में वह सुख मानता था। उसकी चढ़ी मूछें, बिच्छू के डंक की तरह, देखने वालों की आँखों में चुभती थीं। उसका साँवला रंग साँप की तरह चिकना और चमकीला था। ईसा की अट्ठारहवीं शताब्दी के अंतिम भाग में वही काशी नहीं रह गई थी, जिसमें उपनिषद् के अजातशत्रु की परिषद् में ब्रह्मविद्या सीखने के लिए विद्वान ब्रह्मचारी आते थे गौतम बुद्ध और शंकराचार्य के धर्म-दर्शन के वाद-विवाद कई शताब्दियों से लगातार मन्दिरों और मठों के ध्वंश और तपस्वियों के वध के कारण, प्रायः बन्द से हो गये थे। यहाँ तक कि पवित्रता और छुआछूत में कट्टर वैष्णव धर्म भी उसे विश्रुंखलता में, नवागन्तुक धर्मोन्माद में, अपनी असफलता देखकर काशी में अघोर रूप धारण कर रहा था। उसी समस्त न्याय और बुद्धिवाद को शस्त्र बल के सामने झुकते देखकर, काशी के विच्छिन्न और निराश नागरिक जीवन ने, एक नवीन सम्प्रदाय की सृष्टि की। वीरता जिसका धर्म था। अपनी बात पर मिटना, सिंहवृत्ति से जीविका ग्रहण करना, प्राण भिक्षा माँगने वाले कारयों तथा चोट खाकर गिरे हुए प्रतिद्वन्द्वी पर शस्त्र न उठाना, सताये हुए निर्बलों को सहायता देना और प्रत्येक क्षण प्राणों को हथेली पर लिए घूमना, उनका बाना था। उन्हें लोग काशी में गुण्डा कहते थे।

SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 ' विद्वान ' का पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं है-