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Section : General intelligence and Reasoning Ability

Q.1 Each vowel in the word BURGHERSHIP is changed to the letter immediately following it in the English alphabetical order AND each consonant is changed to the second letter preceding it in the English alphabetical order. Which of the following letters will appear exactly twice in the group of letters thus formed?¹⁰⁶⁴⁶

- Ans
- 1. F
 - 2. P
 - 3. N
 - 4. J

Q.2 Seven boxes S, T, U, V, W, X and Y are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.
Only T is kept above U. Only two boxes are kept between U and W. Only V is kept below S. Y is not kept immediately above W.
How many boxes are kept between X and V?

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

Q.3 Six friends, B, C, D, E, T and U, are sitting around a circular table, facing the center of the table. Only two people sit between T and C when counted from the right of T. Only two people sit between D and E when counted from the right of E. C sits to the immediate right of E. U sits to the immediate right of C. How many people sit between B and U when counted from the right of B?

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

Q.4 In this question, a statement is followed by two conclusions. Find out which conclusion is true based on the given statement.

Statement:

$F > R > K < Z \leq L$

Conclusions:

I. $K < L$

II. $Z < F$

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

Q.5 Refer to the following letter and symbol series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) N L + W J D E * O G A E D C / W R A = (Right)

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

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

Q.6 Refer to the following letter, symbol series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) \$ C * \$ \$ * F F H & @ S G X P K K K A (Right)

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

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

Q.7 Six people D, E, F, G, O and P are sitting around a circular table, facing the center of the table. Only three people sit between E and P when counted from the right of E. E sits second to the left of D. G sits second to the right of F. F is an immediate neighbor of both P and D. How many people sit between O and F when counted from the left of O?

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

Q.8 Each vowel in the word MOANED is changed to the letter immediately preceding it in the English alphabetical order and each consonant is changed to the letter immediately following it in the English alphabetical order. Which of the following letters will appear exactly twice in the group of letters thus formed?¹¹²¹⁴

- Ans
- 1. N
 - 2. E
 - 3. D
 - 4. M

Q.9 Seven boxes C, D, E, U, V, W and X are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.

Only two boxes are kept between E and W. Only V is kept above X. No box is kept below W. D is kept at some place below C but at some place above U. Which box is kept third above U?

- Ans
- 1. X
 - 2. W
 - 3. C
 - 4. D

Q.10 Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which conclusion/s logically follow/s from the given statements.

Statements:

Some slippers are chairs.

All chairs are flipflops.

Conclusions (I) : Some slippers are flipflops.

Conclusions (II) : All flipflops are chairs.

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

Q.11 In a certain code language, 'he fixes toy' is coded as 'ms ji zs' and 'like toy car' is coded as 'nw ky ms'. How is 'toy' coded in the given language?

- Ans
- 1. ji
 - 2. ky
 - 3. ms
 - 4. zs

Q.12 In a certain code language, 'DESK' is coded as '1738' and 'SURF' is coded as '5974'. How is 'S' coded in the given language?774

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

Q.13 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 daughter of B'.

Based on the above, how is L related to E if 'L # V - D # E'?

- Ans
- 1. Brother's wife
 - 2. Son's daughter
 - 3. Husband's brother
 - 4. Husband's sister

Q.14 Seven boxes, A, B, C, P, Q, R and S, are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.
No box is kept above P. Only three boxes are kept between P and R. Only one box is kept between C and B. B is kept immediately above R.
Only three boxes are kept between C and S. Q is kept at some place above A.
Which box is kept second below Q?

- Ans
- 1. C
 - 2. R
 - 3. P
 - 4. A

Q.15 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 P related to N if 'T # P + R % L - N'?

- Ans
- 1. Father's mother
 - 2. Son's daughter
 - 3. Mother's father
 - 4. Father's sister

Q.16 Seven boxes C, D, E, U, V, W and X are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.
Only three boxes are kept below W. Only two boxes are kept between W and U. Only V is kept above C. X is kept at some place below E and at some place above D.
Which box is kept at second position from the bottom?

- Ans
- 1. W
 - 2. C
 - 3. V
 - 4. D

Q.17 In this question, a statement is followed by two conclusions. Find out which conclusion is true based on the given statement.

Statement:

$$R < Z > K > L \leq F$$

Conclusions:

I. $F < Z$

II. $R < L$

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

Q.18 Refer to the following letter, symbol series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) ? & T K ? Q Z % + X = + G U N R O D / (Right)

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

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

Q.19 In a certain code language, 'light is beautiful' is coded as 'un oh eu' and 'use the light' is coded as 'oh vs fg'. How is 'light' coded in the given language? (All codes are two-letter codes)

- Ans
- 1. oh
 - 2. eu
 - 3. un
 - 4. fg

Q.20 Refer to the following number series and answer the question that follows. (All numbers are single digit numbers only). Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) 8 5 3 2 1 6 3 7 9 3 2 7 4 8 2 1 9 5 3 7 2 8 1 9 3 2 6 8 3 2 5 (Right)

How many such odd digits are there each of which is immediately preceded by an even digit and also immediately followed by an odd digit?

- Ans
- 1. More than three
 - 2. Two
 - 3. One
 - 4. Three

Section : General intelligence and Reasoning Ability1

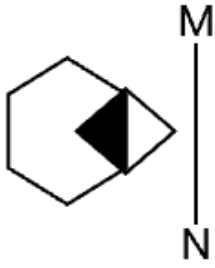
Q.1 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Select the pair in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following pairs.

(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.)

185, 310
204, 329

- Ans
- 1. 224, 359
 - 2. 216, 342
 - 3. 208, 333
 - 4. 192, 327

Q.2 Select the correct mirror image of the given figure when the mirror is placed at MN as shown below.



Ans

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

Q.3 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 to / subtracting from / multiplying with 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.)

37, 187
46, 232

- Ans
- 1. 96, 916
 - 2. 71, 555
 - 3. 82, 412
 - 4. 47, 685

Q.4 What will come in the place of '?' in the following equation if '+' and '-' are interchanged, and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$$70 \div 2 + 150 \times 3 - 8 = ?$$

- Ans
- 1. 78
 - 2. 118
 - 3. 108
 - 4. 98

Q.5 UAVT is related to YEZX in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, YNDP is related to CRHT. To which of the following is AHRK related, following the same logic?

- Ans**
- 1. ELVO
 - 2. EMVO
 - 3. ELWP
 - 4. FMWP

Q.6 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. VX-YA
 - 2. QS-TV
 - 3. CE-FH
 - 4. MO-OT

Q.7 If 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for '-', 'C' stands for 'x' and 'D' stands for '÷', what will come in place of question mark '?' in the following equation?

$$21 B 45 D 3 A 10 C 2 = ?$$

- Ans**
- 1. 19
 - 2. 22
 - 3. 21
 - 4. 26

Q.8 Based on the English 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. SUR
 - 2. VXU
 - 3. IKH
 - 4. PRQ

Q.9 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?

$$78 C 14 B 7 D 246 A 6 = ?$$

- Ans**
- 1. 135
 - 2. 140
 - 3. 145
 - 4. 130

Q.10 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 man out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)

- Ans**
- 1. IF - CA
 - 2. QN - KH
 - 3. MJ - GD
 - 4. UR - OL

Q.11 Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which conclusion(s) logically follow(s) from the given statements.

Statements: All cauliflowers are tomatoes. All cauliflowers are peaches.

Conclusion (I) : Some tomatoes are peaches.

Conclusion (II) : All peaches are cauliflowers.

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

Q.12 What should come in place of '?'

0, 25, 55, 90, 130, ?

- Ans
- 1. 170
 - 2. 180
 - 3. 165
 - 4. 175

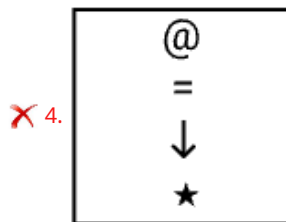
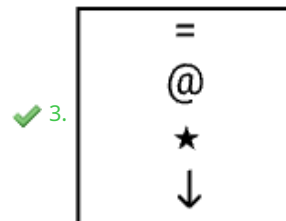
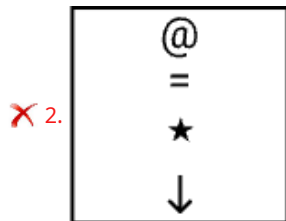
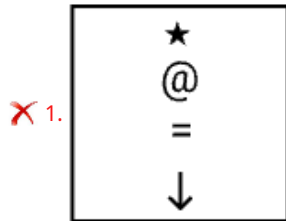
Q.13 AERT is related to CGTV in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, IMZB is related to KOBD. To which of the following options is OSFH related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. QHUI
 - 2. QUHJ
 - 3. QGHY
 - 4. QHUI

Q.14 Identify the figure given in the options which when put in place of ? will logically complete the series?

=	↓	★	@	?
@	=	↓	★	
★	@	=	↓	
↓	★	@	=	

Ans



Q.15 If 1 is added to each odd digit and 2 is subtracted from each even digit in the number 352875456352, what will be the sum of the digits which are second from the left and second from the right in the new number thus formed?

Ans ✓ 1. 12

✗ 2. 10

✗ 3. 9

✗ 4. 14

Q.16 What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

82 91 75 100 64 ?

Ans ✓ 1. 113

✗ 2. 121

✗ 3. 110

✗ 4. 117

Q.17 What should come in place of '?' in the given series?

120, 320, 570, 870, 1220, 1620, ?

- Ans
- 1. 2220
 - 2. 2170
 - 3. 2120
 - 4. 2070

Q.18 MURV is related to JROS in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, AIFJ is related to XFCG. To which of the following options is RZWA related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. OTYU
 - 2. OWTX
 - 3. OWER
 - 4. OWTY

Q.19 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Select the pair in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following pairs.

(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.)

27, 110
34, 138

- Ans
- 1. 62, 250
 - 2. 51, 205
 - 3. 71, 284
 - 4. 54, 210

Q.20 If 'A' stands for '+', 'B' stands for '-', 'C' stands for '×' and 'D' stands for '÷', what will come in place of question mark '?' in the following equation?

22 A 56 D 7 B 3 C 6 = ?

- Ans
- 1. 23
 - 2. 12
 - 3. 22
 - 4. 25

Section : General Awareness

Q.1 Which organisation did Subhash Chandra Bose become the President of after arriving in East Asia in 1943?

- Ans
- 1. Indian Independence League
 - 2. Indian National Congress
 - 3. All India Muslim League
 - 4. Congress Socialist Party

Q.2 Who published the newspaper Sambad Kaumudi to advocate for social and political reforms, including freedom of the press?

- Ans**
- 1. Surendranath Banerjee
 - 2. Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar
 - 3. Raja Ram Mohan Roy
 - 4. Bal Gangadhar Tilak

Q.3 Which state won a record fifth consecutive national title at the 5th National Finswimming Championship held in December 2025?

- Ans**
- 1. West Bengal
 - 2. Uttar Pradesh
 - 3. Karnataka
 - 4. Maharashtra

Q.4 When was the Community Development Programme (CDP) launched by the Government of India?

- Ans**
- 1. 1955
 - 2. 1965
 - 3. 1952
 - 4. 1958

Q.5 In which year was the Simon Commission appointed by the British Government?

- Ans**
- 1. 1924
 - 2. 1927
 - 3. 1930
 - 4. 1935

Q.6 What was the immediate cause for the withdrawal of the Non-Cooperation Movement in 1922?

- Ans**
- 1. Jallianwala Bagh massacre
 - 2. Chauri Chaura incident
 - 3. Simon Commission's arrival
 - 4. Arrest of Gandhi

Q.7 Which of the following is a major limitation of using Gross Domestic Product as a measure of welfare in developing countries?

- Ans**
- 1. Gross Domestic Product may overlook certain productive activities.
 - 2. Gross Domestic Product includes informal sector activities.
 - 3. Gross Domestic Product underestimates overall economic growth.
 - 4. Gross Domestic Product excludes non-monetary economic exchanges.

Q.8 The Gond zamindars of which area in Sambalpur were especially active during the 1857 uprising?

- Ans**
- 1. Ranchi and Chaibasa
 - 2. Umerkote and Nabarangpur
 - 3. Kolabira and Kodabaga
 - 4. Jashpur and Raigarh

Q.9 In which of the following states, the 86th Senior National Badminton Championship was held in December 2024?

- Ans**
- 1. West Bengal
 - 2. Karnataka
 - 3. Uttar Pradesh
 - 4. Odisha

Q.10 What does MYRADA stand for in the context of the Action Research Programme commissioned by NABARD in 1987?

- Ans**
- 1. Mysore Rural and Development Agency
 - 2. Mysore Resettlement and Development Agency
 - 3. Microfinance and Rural Development Association
 - 4. Madras Research and Development Alliance

Q.11 What was the theme for National Voters' Day 2026 in India?

- Ans**
- 1. Proud to Participate
 - 2. Every Vote Counts
 - 3. Empowering Democracy
 - 4. My India, My Vote

Q.12 When was the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) launched in India to enhance urban living through improved access to essential services such as water supply, sewerage, urban transport, and green spaces?

- Ans**
- 1. 2025
 - 2. 2018
 - 3. 2022
 - 4. 2015

Q.13 On June 30, 2025, which Indian state launched the 'Digi-Lakshmi' scheme to empower urban poor women as digital service providers?

- Ans**
- 1. Karnataka
 - 2. Andhra Pradesh
 - 3. Odisha
 - 4. Telangana

Q.14 Which agency launched the 12 days 'Cyber Suraksha' multi-phase cybersecurity training exercise?

- Ans**
- 1. Indian Computer Emergency Response Team
 - 2. Indian Cybercrime Coordination Centre
 - 3. National Cyber Coordination Centre
 - 4. Defence Cyber Agency

Q.15 According to Keynesian fiscal policy, when a government spends money on building infrastructure like roads and bridges, what is the most likely effect on the country's income and employment?

- Ans**
- 1. Income increases but employment decreases.
 - 2. Only employment increases without affecting income.
 - 3. Both income and employment are expected to increase.
 - 4. Employment increases but income remains unchanged.

Q.16 In July 2025, scientists from which organization announced the discovery of four new species of spider-egg parasitic wasps in West Bengal?

- Ans**
- 1. Wildlife Institute of India (WII)
 - 2. Botanical Survey of India (BSI)
 - 3. Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)
 - 4. Zoological Survey of India (ZSI)

Q.17 Who was named the Player of the Tournament in the ICC U-19 Women's T20 World Cup 2025?

- Ans**
- 1. Gongadi Trisha
 - 2. G Kamalini
 - 3. Sanika Chalke
 - 4. Vaishnavi Sharma

Q.18 What is the primary function of a microfinance institution?

- Ans**
- 1. To regulate banking operations in the financial system
 - 2. To provide small loans and financial services to low-income groups
 - 3. To provide insurance coverage to high-income individuals
 - 4. To offer large corporate loans to established businesses

Q.19 The Mera Gaon Meri Dharohar initiative is being implemented under which national mission in 2025?

- Ans**
- 1. Village Cultural Renaissance Programme
 - 2. Digital Bharat Cultural Project
 - 3. National Rural Heritage Plan
 - 4. National Mission on Cultural Mapping

Q.20 Hola Mohalla, a three-day festival marked by martial displays, mock battles, and demonstrations of bravery and discipline, was celebrated as which type of festival?

- Ans**
- 1. A spring flower festival
 - 2. A martial festival
 - 3. A monsoon festival
 - 4. A harvest festival

Section : General Awareness1

Q.1 The Nilgiri Hills are spread over which of the following two states?

- Ans**
- 1. Tamil Nadu and Kerala
 - 2. Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh
 - 3. Maharashtra and Rajasthan
 - 4. Maharashtra and Gujarat

Q.2 Acetylation of glucose with acetic anhydride confirms the presence of how many hydroxyl groups?

- Ans**
- 1. Six
 - 2. Five
 - 3. Three
 - 4. Four

Q.3 Which of the following languages was NOT included through the 71st Amendment to the Constitution in 1992?

- Ans**
- 1. Konkani
 - 2. Santhali
 - 3. Nepali
 - 4. Manipuri

Q.4 What is the annual precipitation in the Great Indian Desert?

- Ans**
- 1. Below 15 cm
 - 2. 15-25 mm
 - 3. 25 to 35 mm
 - 4. 35-50 mm

Q.5 If the President returns a Bill (other than a Money Bill) to Parliament for reconsideration and the Houses pass it again, what must the President do?

- Ans**
- 1. Return the Bill again
 - 2. Give assent to the Bill
 - 3. Withhold assent
 - 4. Suggest further amendments

Q.6 When making mayonnaise, egg yolk is used primarily as an emulsifier. What is the chemical role of an emulsifier?

- Ans**
- 1. To stabilize a mixture of two immiscible liquids.
 - 2. To chemically change the flavor compounds in the oil.
 - 3. To increase the viscosity of the liquid by adding starch.
 - 4. To crystallize sugar and prevent cloudiness.

Q.7 The Chairman of the Rajya Sabha is:

- Ans**
- 1. President
 - 2. Speaker
 - 3. Prime Minister
 - 4. Vice-President

Q.8 Which type of agriculture in India is characterized by high use of labour and inputs per unit of land?

- Ans**
- 1. Extensive commercial agriculture category
 - 2. Intensive subsistence agriculture category
 - 3. Shifting cultivation agriculture category
 - 4. Plantation agriculture category

Q.9 Traits inherited from parents are stored in _____.

- Ans**
- 1. Chromosomes
 - 2. Nuclei
 - 3. Ribosomes
 - 4. Mitochondria

Q.10 Buddha and Mahavira delivered their teachings in dialects belonging to which language group?

- Ans**
- 1. Prakrit
 - 2. Marathi
 - 3. Assamese
 - 4. Hindi

Q.11 In the Vesara style of temple architecture, the sanctum tower combines the _____ of Nagara with the _____ of Dravida features.

- Ans
- 1. mandapa corridor; prakara enclosure
 - 2. gopuram steep steps; jagati platform
 - 3. amalaka disc; water tank
 - 4. curvilinear shikhara; pyramidal vimana

Q.12 The sharp, sour taste of most fruits and some dairy products like yogurt is due to the presence of _____.

- Ans
- 1. Carbohydrates
 - 2. Fatty acids
 - 3. Organic acids
 - 4. Amino acids

Q.13 When an ant bites, it injects formic acid into the skin. The effect of this acid can be neutralised by applying:

- Ans
- 1. Vinegar
 - 2. Lemon juice
 - 3. Common salt
 - 4. Baking Soda

Q.14 Which of the following cities is historically associated with the largest concentration of cotton textile mills, contributing to its industrial prominence?

- Ans
- 1. Mumbai
 - 2. Delhi
 - 3. Coimbatore
 - 4. Surat

Q.15 Which of the following religious fairs, held periodically at four rotating locations on the banks of the Ganga, Yamuna, Godavari, and Shipra rivers, and involving large gatherings of ascetics and pilgrims over an extended duration, was recognized as the longest religious fair in the world?

- Ans
- 1. Pushkar Mela
 - 2. Kumbh Mela
 - 3. Ganga Sagar Mela
 - 4. Shravani Mela

Q.16 The Right to Constitutional Remedies empowers citizens to:

- Ans
- 1. seek legal help from foreign courts
 - 2. move the court for enforcement of Fundamental Rights
 - 3. approach the Parliament directly
 - 4. amend the Constitution

Q.17 The Fundamental Duties, inserted by the 42nd Constitutional Amendment Act, 1976 in the Constitution of India, are provided under which Article?

- Ans
- 1. Article 19A
 - 2. Article 368A
 - 3. Article 51A
 - 4. Article 32A

Q.18 What was the total Hindu population in India according to Census 2011?

- Ans
- 1. 96.63 crores
 - 2. 78.69 crores
 - 3. 79.80 crores
 - 4. 90.83 crores

Q.19 In which Article did the Constitution (91st Amendment) Act, 2003 insert clause 1A which limits the size of the Council of Ministers, including the Prime Minister?

- Ans
- 1. Article 75
 - 2. Article 55
 - 3. Article 61
 - 4. Article 89

Q.20 Which ancient Indian monument is renowned for its massive granite structure and monolithic Nandi sculpture, along with an impressive temple tower?

- Ans
- 1. Ashokan pillars
 - 2. Pancha Rathas
 - 3. Shore Temple
 - 4. Brihadeshwara Temple

Section : Arithmetical and Numerical Ability

Q.1 The length and breadth of a rectangle are increased by 35% and 18%, respectively. I

- Ans
- 1. 59.3%
 - 2. 54.3%
 - 3. 57.3%
 - 4. 56.3%

Q.2 A trader marks his goods at 46% above the cost price and allows a discount of 9% on it. If he gains x%, then the value of x is:

- Ans
- 1. 34.86
 - 2. 32.86
 - 3. 33.86
 - 4. 31.86

Q.3 In how much time would ₹3,000 amount to ₹3,630 at 10% per annum compound interest, compounded annually?

- Ans
- 1. $1\frac{1}{2}$ years
 - 2. $3\frac{1}{2}$ years
 - 3. 3 years
 - 4. 2 years

Q.4 Two students appeared in an examination. One of them secured 4 marks more than the other and his marks were 68% of the sum of their marks. The sum of the marks obtained by them (rounded off to two decimal places) was:

- Ans
- 1. 12.11
 - 2. 15.11
 - 3. 7.11
 - 4. 11.11

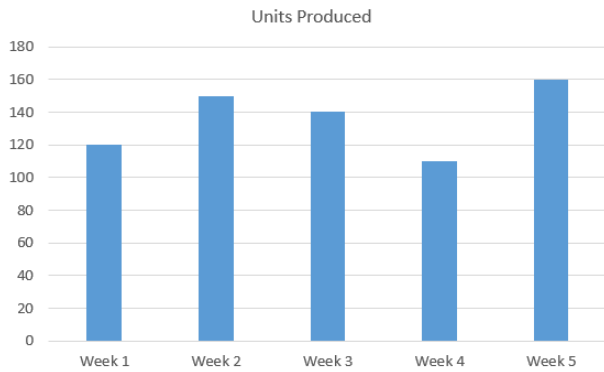
Q.5 A sum of ₹10,00,000 amounts to ₹16,01,613 in 3 years at a certain rate of interest per annum, compounded annually. The rate of interest per annum is:8155

- Ans
- 1. 17%
 - 2. 15%
 - 3. 18%
 - 4. 14%

Q.6 What sum of money (in ₹) will amount to ₹3,720 at 4% per annum simple interest in 6 years?6966

- Ans
- 1. 3,050
 - 2. 2,950
 - 3. 15,500
 - 4. 3,000

Q.7 If the factory aims to produce a minimum of 130 units each week, in how many weeks did the factory meet or exceed this target?

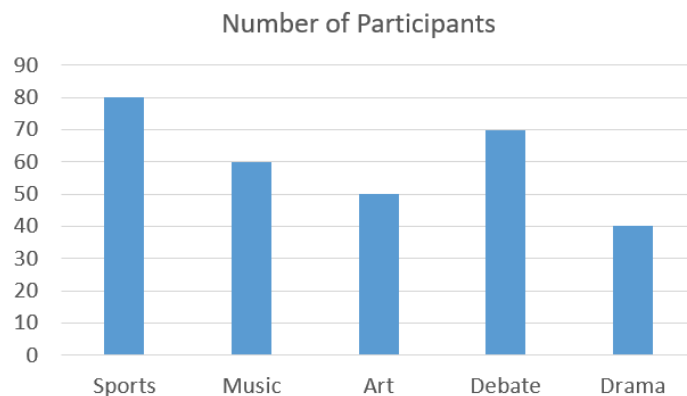


- Ans
- 1. 2 weeks
 - 2. 5 weeks
 - 3. 4 weeks
 - 4. 3 weeks

Q.8 The cost of 58 mangoes is ₹870. What is the cost of 22 mangoes?

- Ans
- 1. ₹330
 - 2. ₹280
 - 3. ₹380
 - 4. ₹420

Q.9 What is the total number of students who participated in Debate and Drama combined?



- Ans
- 1. 110
 - 2. 140
 - 3. 70
 - 4. 120

Q.10 The average of first 10 natural numbers is:

- Ans
- 1. 6.5
 - 2. 5
 - 3. 5.5
 - 4. 6

Q.11 The LCM of 34, 38 and 46 is:

- Ans
- 1. 15000
 - 2. 14858
 - 3. 14786
 - 4. 15856

Q.12 A sum of ₹2,500 is invested at 2% per annum compound interest, compounded annually. If the amount becomes ₹2,601, what is the time of the investment?

- Ans
- 1. 1.5 years
 - 2. 1 year
 - 3. 2.5 years
 - 4. 2 years

Q.13 The average of 8 numbers is 37. If each number is decreased by 6, what will the new average be?

- Ans
- 1. 8
 - 2. 37
 - 3. 31
 - 4. 25

Q.14 A trader marks his goods at 45% above the cost price and allows a discount of 18% on it. If he gains $x\%$, then the value of x is:

- Ans
- 1. 20.9
 - 2. 18.9
 - 3. 19.9
 - 4. 17.9

Q.15 On mixing two classes of students having average marks 20 and 35 respectively, the overall average obtained is 25 marks. Find the ratio of students in the classes.

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

Q.16 Find the value of 'a' in the expression $\frac{(477 \div 9 \times 8 + 18)}{a} = 6^2 \div$

- Ans
- 1. 41
 - 2. 37
 - 3. 34
 - 4. 35

Q.17 A man has three types of wheat costing ₹30, ₹40, and ₹50 per kg, respectively. He mixes them in the ratio 2 : 3 : 5. What is the cost price per kg of the resulting mixture?

- Ans
- 1. ₹42
 - 2. ₹43
 - 3. ₹41
 - 4. ₹40

Q.18 The length and breadth of a rectangle are increased by 12% and 5% respectively. What is the percentage increase in area?

- Ans
- 1. 17.6%
 - 2. 17.4%
 - 3. 17.7%
 - 4. 17.5%

Q.19 Simplify: $\frac{5^{28} \times 7^3 \times 119 \times 3^{25}}{15^{25} \times 17}$

- Ans
- 1. 315982
 - 2. 309456
 - 3. 312098
 - 4. 300125

Q.20 If a T-shirt originally costs ₹1,199 and is now on sale for ₹999, what is the percentage decrease in price (rounded off to one decimal place)?

- Ans
- 1. 13.4%
 - 2. 14.8%
 - 3. 12.5%
 - 4. 16.7%

Section : Arithmetical and Numerical Ability1

Q.1 Two trains of lengths 180 m and 160 m are running with speeds of 95 km /hr and 85 km /hr respectively towards each other on parallel lines. If they are 110 m apart, after how many seconds will they cross each other?

- Ans
- 1. 14
 - 2. 9
 - 3. 12
 - 4. 10

Q.2 The profit made on a product is 75%. 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. 45.05%
 - 2. 42.86%
 - 3. 40.01%
 - 4. 41.44%

Q.3 A bus moving at a speed of 42 km/hr overtakes a truck 140 meters ahead going in the same direction in 36 seconds. What is the speed of the truck?

- Ans
- 1. 27 km/hr
 - 2. 30 km/hr
 - 3. 28 km/hr
 - 4. 25 km/hr

Q.4 A work can be completed by A, B, C, and D in 5 days, 6 days, 8 days and 10 days, respectively, working alone. They all decided to work one by one on alternate days, starting with B on the first day, D on the second day, A on the third day and C on the fourth day, again B on the fifth day and so on. In how many days will the work get finished?

- Ans
- 1. $5\frac{12}{19}$ days
 - 2. $7\frac{12}{23}$ days
 - 3. $8\frac{19}{21}$ days
 - 4. $6\frac{17}{24}$ days

Q.5 A merchant has announced a 30% rebate on the marked price of readymade garments at the time of sale. If a purchaser wants a rebate of ₹408, how many shirts, each marked at ₹340, should he purchase?

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

Q.6 Two trains of length 110 m and 90 m are running on parallel lines in the same direction with speeds of 35 km/hr and 40 km/hr, respectively. How long will the faster train take to completely overtake the other train?

- Ans
- 1. 158 seconds
 - 2. 154 seconds
 - 3. 144 seconds
 - 4. 148 seconds

Q.7 A can complete a job in 18 days, and B can complete the same job in 10 days. With the help of C, they completed the job in 3 days. Then, C alone can complete the job in:

- Ans
- 1. $5\frac{5}{8}$ days
 - 2. $7\frac{5}{8}$ days
 - 3. $14\frac{5}{8}$ days
 - 4. $11\frac{5}{8}$ days

Q.15 L, M and N invest ₹1,50,000 for a business. L invests ₹12,000 more
Out of the total profit of ₹2,80,000, what is the share received by L?

- Ans
- 1. ₹1,04,500
 - 2. ₹68,200
 - 3. ₹96,200
 - 4. ₹1,17,600

Q.16 The marked price of an article is 12% above its cost price. If it is sold at a discount of 6%, find the gain or loss percentage.

- Ans
- 1. gain 5.20%
 - 2. loss 5.20%
 - 3. loss 5.28%
 - 4. gain 5.28%

Q.17 If 6,450 candidates appeared for a CAT exam from a college, and the ratio of boys to girls among them was 29 : 14, then find the number of boys who appeared for the exam from that college.

- Ans
- 1. 4363
 - 2. 4341
 - 3. 4350
 - 4. 4368

Q.18 A solid cuboid of dimension 8 cm, 4 cm and 6 cm is to be melted and 24 small solid cubes of same size are to be formed. What would be the surface area of each cube?

- Ans
- 1. 4 cm²
 - 2. 8 cm²
 - 3. 12 cm²
 - 4. 24 cm²

Q.19 If the fourth proportional to $(x + 2)$, $(x - 3)$, and $5x$ is 20, then find the positive value of x .

- Ans
- 1. 8
 - 2. 16
 - 3. 2
 - 4. 4

Q.20 $\frac{1}{8}$ th part of the money of P is equal to $\frac{1}{10}$ th part of the money of Q.

If the summation of their money is ₹1125, what will be the difference

- Ans
- 1. ₹166
 - 2. ₹148
 - 3. ₹125
 - 4. ₹204

Q.1 Fill in the blank with the most appropriate article. If no article is needed, choose 'no article required'.

We visited ___ Louvre when we went to Paris last summer.

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

Q.2 Fill in the blank with the most suitable article:

I have not seen ___ Pyramids of Egypt.1108

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

Q.3 In the given question, a statement divided into different segments is given. Rearrange all the segments to form a coherent statement.

hanging down his head(A)/ clear his debts(B) /he could not(C)/ answered that(D)/ Smith(E)

- Ans
- 1. EADCB
 - 2. EACBD
 - 3. DABCE
 - 4. DAECB

Q.4 Identify the error in the sentence and select the best correction. If there is no error, select 'No correction required'.

He was chosen to lead the project because of his expertise. 2166

- Ans
- 1. He had chosen to lead the project because of his expertise.
 - 2. He was chosen to lead the project because of his expert.
 - 3. No correction required.
 - 4. He has chosen to lead the project because of his expertise.

Q.5 Choose the most appropriate option to complete the given sentence.

The ancient ruins were remarkably ____, considering they had survived centuries of natural disasters.

- Ans
- 1. feeble
 - 2. deteriorated
 - 3. intact
 - 4. fragile

Q.6 Select the most appropriate option from the given alternatives to fill in the blank.

The white people _____ needed a team leader who would free them.433

- Ans
- 1. badly
 - 2. nearly
 - 3. slightly
 - 4. fairly

Q.7 Fill in the blank with the most appropriate article. If no article is needed, choose 'No article required'.

___ Prime Minister addressed the nation last night.

- Ans
- 1. The
 - 2. No article required
 - 3. An
 - 4. A

Q.8 The given sentence has an error. Select the option that rectifies the error.

The children played joyful in the park.860

- Ans
- 1. The children played joyfully in the park.
 - 2. The children played more joyful in the park.
 - 3. The children played joyfull in the park.
 - 4. The children played most joyful in the park.

Q.9 Choose the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

She _____ by the end of the next month.
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- Ans
- 1. will have graduated
 - 2. have graduated
 - 3. graduate
 - 4. had graduated

Q.10 Select the option that rectifies the highlighted part of the given sentence.

She sings **more sweet than** her sister.

- Ans
- 1. more sweetly than
 - 2. much sweet than
 - 3. most sweet than
 - 4. very sweetly than

Q.11 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank and complete the given sentence.

He _____ me a window of opportunity so that I could take action and progress in life.

- Ans
- 1. provided
 - 2. signed
 - 3. validated
 - 4. ordered

Q.12 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

He is _____ absent from work, which is why he has been suspended for a fortnight. 2387

- Ans
- 1. often
 - 2. almost
 - 3. nearly
 - 4. hardly

Q.13 In the given question, a statement divided into different segments is given.
Rearrange all the segments to form a coherent statement:

- (P) every child must
- (Q) of giving up at least one of the bad habits
- (R) take a resolution
- (S) such as getting up late, biting nails, etc.

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- Ans**
- 1. QPRS
 - 2. SPRQ
 - 3. PRQS
 - 4. RSQP

Q.14 Choose the correct option to complete the sentence.

There was ___ hour left before the train arrived.

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

Q.15 Complete the sentence with the suitable word.

She was awarded a grant ____ her groundbreaking research in renewable energy.

- Ans**
- 1. by
 - 2. on
 - 3. for
 - 4. to

Comprehension:

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

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Q.16 Select the most appropriate title for the passage.

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Q.17 Identify the fact stated in the passage.

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 Mention the fact given in the passage.

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 Identify the inference drawn from the passage.

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 Identify the tone of the passage.

Section : Test of English Language and Comprehension1

Q.1 Correct the error in the sentence by choosing the correct spelling option.

The principal described the new employee as conscscientious and hard working.

- Ans**
- 1. conscientious
 - 2. conscienciouss
 - 3. concientious
 - 4. consceintious

Q.2 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given proverb.

A bird in hand is worth two in the bush.⁶⁵

- Ans**
- 1. Take risk for higher rewards.
 - 2. Value the present over the uncertain future.
 - 3. Always aim for more success.
 - 4. Hope for better opportunities.

Q.3 What does the proverb "haste makes waste" mean?

- Ans
- 1. Rushing leads to mistakes.
 - 2. One should always finish tasks quickly.
 - 3. Hurry up and finish.
 - 4. It's better to be late than to do a bad job.

Q.4 Select the most appropriate one-word substitute for the underlined segment in the given sentence.

Looking through old photographs often brings about a sentimental longing for the past that many people cherish.

- Ans
- 1. reminiscence
 - 2. nostalgia
 - 3. melancholy
 - 4. apathy

Q.5 A word segment has been highlighted in the given sentence. Select the CORRECT option that shows the most appropriate one-word substitute for the highlighted segment.

Paleontologists spent years painstakingly digging away to unearth the dinosaur bones from the rocky deposit.

- Ans
- 1. transporting
 - 2. destroying
 - 3. analysing
 - 4. excavating

Q.6 Choose the correct meaning of the given proverb.

Cross the stream where it is shallowest.

- Ans
- 1. Learn how to cross a stream.
 - 2. Do things in the easiest possible way.
 - 3. Never do easy things in tough time.
 - 4. Do things in the most difficult possible way.

Q.7 Select the wrongly spelt word from the words given below.

- Ans
- 1. grimace
 - 2. resilience
 - 3. beseigement
 - 4. invasion

Q.8 Choose the option which is opposite in meaning to the given word.

Curtail

- Ans
- 1. Praise
 - 2. Diminish
 - 3. Lengthen
 - 4. Complete

Q.9 In the given question, choose the word which is opposite in meaning to the given word.

Garrulous

- Ans 1. Confident
 2. Talkative
 3. Thrifty
 4. Succinct

Q.10 What does the proverb "there's no smoke without fire" mean?

- Ans 1. Rumors are often based on truth
 2. Smoke is a sign of fire
 3. Fires are dangerous
 4. Gossiping is harmful

Q.11 In the following question choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word.

DISTRAUGHT

- Ans 1. bewildered
 2. distracted
 3. unruffled
 4. tormented

Q.12 In the question given below, out of four alternatives, choose the one which can be substituted for the underlined segment.

As a person who is genuinely interested in the welfare and emancipation of women, she worked tirelessly to challenge societal norms that limit women's opportunities.

- Ans 1. sexist
 2. physicist
 3. liberal
 4. feminist

Q.13 Parts of a sentence are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the parts in the correct order to form a meaningful sentence.

- A. actions are not taken
B. increasing deforestation rates could lead
C. and climate systems if immediate
D. to irreversible damage to biodiversity

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

Q.14 In the following question choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word.

CONCILIATE

- Ans 1. intervene
 2. incite
 3. soothe
 4. mediate

Q.15 A word segment has been highlighted in the given sentence. Select the **CORRECT** option that shows the most appropriate one-word substitute for the highlighted segment.

The scientist meticulously examined the data, searching for any hidden **pieces of evidence or indicative signs** that could explain the anomaly.

Ans 1. inventions

2. clues

3. theories

4. data

Comprehension:

Read the passage and answer the questions.

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SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 What is the main purpose of the Elmsford Art and Culture Festival?

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 What would be an appropriate title for the passage?

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 What can be inferred about the attendees' experience at the festival?

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 What is the tone of the passage?

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 What is the antonym of the word 'vibrant' as used in the passage?

Section : Test of Hindi Language and Comprehension

Q.1 निम्नलिखित वाक्यों में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य की पहचान करें।

- Ans
- 1. जलवायु परिवर्तन से पृथ्वी का तापमान लगातार बढ़ रहा है।
 - 2. हिमखंड पिघल रहे हैं और समुद्र का जलस्तर बढ़ रहा है।
 - 3. ग्लोबल वार्मिंग का प्रभाव पारिस्थितिक तंत्र पर पड़ रहा है।
 - 4. ग्लोबल वार्मिंग मानव की संवेदना की सुंदर अभिव्यक्ति होती है।

Q.2 नीचे दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में अशुद्धि है?
कल प्रधानमंत्री ने पटना में भाषण बोला ।

- Ans
- 1. बोला
 - 2. भाषण
 - 3. पटना में
 - 4. कल प्रधानमंत्री ने

Q.3 'केवल दूध पर जीवित रहने वाला' वाक्यांश के लिए एक सार्थक शब्द कौनसा है?

- Ans
- 1. पायिनिधी
 - 2. पायिकारी
 - 3. पयोहारी
 - 4. पायोकारी

Q.4 नीचे दिए गए वाक्य खंडों को सही क्रम में व्यवस्थित कीजिए-

1. देखकर
2. आदरपूर्वक
3. मुझे
4. युवक ने
5. नमस्कार किया

Ans 1. 31425

2. 31254

3. 42531

4. 25431

Q.5 निम्नलिखित लोकोक्ति का अर्थ बताइए -
आँख का अंधा गाँठ का पूरा

Ans 1. वह व्यक्ति जो मूर्ख किन्तु धनी हो।

2. धनवान किन्तु निडर व्यक्ति

3. बहुत व्यावसायिक प्रज्ञा वाला व्यक्ति

4. केवल शारीरिक दुर्बल होना

Q.6 नीचे दिए वाक्य में रिक्त-स्थान भरने के लिए उचित क्रिया विशेषण चुनिए-
छात्र सर्वेक्षण के लिए _____ गया।

Ans 1. क्यों

2. यहीं

3. चला

4. घर-घर

Q.7 नीचे दिए गए वाक्य खंडों को सही क्रम में व्यवस्थित कीजिए-

1. की ओर
2. जा रहा था
3. पीछे
4. दौड़ता
5. उसका मन

Ans 1. 53142

2. 54231

3. 42531

4. 31425

Q.8 निम्नलिखित वाक्य के रिक्त स्थान में उचित क्रिया की पूर्ति कीजिए -
'_____ से आदमी बीमार हो जाता है।'

Ans 1. विचरण करना

2. पाए जाना

3. भूखे रहने

4. खाए जाना

Q.9 दिए गए वाक्य में उचित कारक का चयन करके रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति करें -

राहुल ने फुटपाथ _____ फल की दुकान लगाई।

Ans 1. पर

2. ने

3. से

4. को

Q.10 'सवा सोलह आने सही' मुहावरे का सही अर्थ है-

- Ans
- 1. पूरे तौर पर ठीक
 - 2. स्तब्ध होना
 - 3. काफी प्रयत्न करना
 - 4. बुद्धि भ्रष्ट होना

Q.11 निम्नलिखित में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य वाले विकल्प को चुनिए-

- Ans
- 1. कठिनाइयों का सामना कर जो व्यक्ति डगमगाता नहीं, वही विजेता कहलाता है।
 - 2. आज बाजार में नई तकनीक के कारण व्यापार बहुत तेज़ी से बढ़ रहा है।
 - 3. जीवन में संकट आते हैं तो मनुष्य की हिम्मत की परीक्षा होती है।
 - 4. कमल सूर्य की चिलचिलाती धूप को तो सह लेता है किंतु बर्फ पड़ने पर जल जाता है।

Q.12 'शरणागत की रक्षा करने वाला' वाक्यांश के लिए एक सार्थक शब्द कौनसा है?

- Ans
- 1. पीलतापन
 - 2. लवण
 - 3. प्रणतपाल
 - 4. रक्षक

Q.13 निम्नलिखित वाक्य को उचित गुणवाचक विशेषण द्वारा पूर्ण करें।
मैं _ पलंग लाया हूँ, इस पर तुम सोना।

- Ans
- 1. एक
 - 2. बड़ा
 - 3. अभी
 - 4. यहाँ

Q.14 निम्न विकल्पों में से उचित विकल्प का चयन कर वाक्य पूर्ति करें -
शेर है ।

- Ans
- 1. दहाड़ता
 - 2. छींकता
 - 3. रेंगता
 - 4. बोलता

Q.15 नीचे दिए विकल्पों में से शुद्ध वाक्य चुनिए-

- Ans
- 1. शब्द केवल संकेत मात्र हैं।
 - 2. शब्द केवल संकेत हैं।
 - 3. शब्द केवल संकेत मात्र ही हैं।
 - 4. शब्द मात्र केवल संकेत हैं।

Comprehension:

गद्यांश के आधार पर अग्रलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

राष्ट्रीय प्रतीक अशोक स्तंभ में देखा जा सकता है कि चार एशियाई शेर अपना पिछला हिस्सा जोड़कर चार दिशाओं में एक साथ खड़े हैं। यह न सिर्फ देश की सभी राष्ट्रीय ताकतों के एकजुट होकर भारतीय महाशक्ति बनने का स्वप्न है, बल्कि ये चार शेर, चार चीजों-ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर भी संकेत करते हैं। समग्रतः संदेश यह है कि अपनी विशिष्ट भावनाओं के बावजूद चारों दिशाओं में एक समान सौहार्द का विस्तार करो। रेशमी कपड़े पर तिरंगे के रंग चटक होते गए हैं, पर सोचा जा सकता है कि उन रंगों का अर्थ धुंधला हुआ है या निखरा है। दुनिया के 93 प्रतिशत देश स्वाधीनता दिवस मनाते हैं, क्योंकि वे गुलाम थे। सात प्रतिशत देश नहीं मनाते, क्योंकि वे गुलाम नहीं थे। इन सात प्रतिशत देशों का राष्ट्रीय दिवस वस्तुतः उन देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस है।⁷⁷⁶

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 गद्यांश का उचित शीर्षक क्या हो सकता है-777

Comprehension:

गद्यांश के आधार पर अग्रलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

राष्ट्रीय प्रतीक अशोक स्तंभ में देखा जा सकता है कि चार एशियाई शेर अपना पिछला हिस्सा जोड़कर चार दिशाओं में एक साथ खड़े हैं। यह न सिर्फ देश की सभी राष्ट्रीय ताकतों के एकजुट होकर भारतीय महाशक्ति बनने का स्वप्न है, बल्कि ये चार शेर, चार चीजों-ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर भी संकेत करते हैं। समग्रतः संदेश यह है कि अपनी विशिष्ट भावनाओं के बावजूद चारों दिशाओं में एक समान सौहार्द का विस्तार करो। रेशमी कपड़े पर तिरंगे के रंग चटक होते गए हैं, पर सोचा जा सकता है कि उन रंगों का अर्थ धुंधला हुआ है या निखरा है। दुनिया के 93 प्रतिशत देश स्वाधीनता दिवस मनाते हैं, क्योंकि वे गुलाम थे। सात प्रतिशत देश नहीं मनाते, क्योंकि वे गुलाम नहीं थे। इन सात प्रतिशत देशों का राष्ट्रीय दिवस वस्तुतः उन देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस है।¹⁷⁷⁶

SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 'स्वाधीनता' का विलोम शब्द क्या होगा-778

Comprehension:

गद्यांश के आधार पर अग्रलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

राष्ट्रीय प्रतीक अशोक स्तंभ में देखा जा सकता है कि चार एशियाई शेर अपना पिछला हिस्सा जोड़कर चार दिशाओं में एक साथ खड़े हैं। यह न सिर्फ देश की सभी राष्ट्रीय ताकतों के एकजुट होकर भारतीय महाशक्ति बनने का स्वप्न है, बल्कि ये चार शेर, चार चीजों-ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर भी संकेत करते हैं। समग्रतः संदेश यह है कि अपनी विशिष्ट भावनाओं के बावजूद चारों दिशाओं में एक समान सौहार्द का विस्तार करो। रेशमी कपड़े पर तिरंगे के रंग चटक होते गए हैं, पर सोचा जा सकता है कि उन रंगों का अर्थ धुंधला हुआ है या निखरा है। दुनिया के 93 प्रतिशत देश स्वाधीनता दिवस मनाते हैं, क्योंकि वे गुलाम थे। सात प्रतिशत देश नहीं मनाते, क्योंकि वे गुलाम नहीं थे। इन सात प्रतिशत देशों का राष्ट्रीय दिवस वस्तुतः उन देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस है।¹⁷⁷⁶

SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर संकेत कौन करता है-779

Comprehension:

गद्यांश के आधार पर अग्रलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

राष्ट्रीय प्रतीक अशोक स्तंभ में देखा जा सकता है कि चार एशियाई शेर अपना पिछला हिस्सा जोड़कर चार दिशाओं में एक साथ खड़े हैं। यह न सिर्फ देश की सभी राष्ट्रीय ताकतों के एकजुट होकर भारतीय महाशक्ति बनने का स्वप्न है, बल्कि ये चार शेर, चार चीजों-ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर भी संकेत करते हैं। समग्रतः संदेश यह है कि अपनी विशिष्ट भावनाओं के बावजूद चारों दिशाओं में एक समान सौहार्द का विस्तार करो। रेशमी कपड़े पर तिरंगे के रंग चटक होते गए हैं, पर सोचा जा सकता है कि उन रंगों का अर्थ धुंधला हुआ है या निखरा है। दुनिया के 93 प्रतिशत देश स्वाधीनता दिवस मनाते हैं, क्योंकि वे गुलाम थे। सात प्रतिशत देश नहीं मनाते, क्योंकि वे गुलाम नहीं थे। इन सात प्रतिशत देशों का राष्ट्रीय दिवस वस्तुतः उन देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस है।¹⁷⁷⁶

SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 दुनिया के कुछ देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस क्यों मनाया जाता है-780

Comprehension:

गद्यांश के आधार पर अग्रलिखित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

राष्ट्रीय प्रतीक अशोक स्तंभ में देखा जा सकता है कि चार एशियाई शेर अपना पिछला हिस्सा जोड़कर चार दिशाओं में एक साथ खड़े हैं। यह न सिर्फ देश की सभी राष्ट्रीय ताकतों के एकजुट होकर भारतीय महाशक्ति बनने का स्वप्न है, बल्कि ये चार शेर, चार चीजों-ताकत, साहस, स्वाभिमान और आत्मविश्वास की ओर भी संकेत करते हैं। समग्रतः संदेश यह है कि अपनी विशिष्ट भावनाओं के बावजूद चारों दिशाओं में एक समान सौहार्द का विस्तार करो। रेशमी कपड़े पर तिरंगे के रंग चटक होते गए हैं, पर सोचा जा सकता है कि उन रंगों का अर्थ धुंधला हुआ है या निखरा है। दुनिया के 93 प्रतिशत देश स्वाधीनता दिवस मनाते हैं, क्योंकि वे गुलाम थे। सात प्रतिशत देश नहीं मनाते, क्योंकि वे गुलाम नहीं थे। इन सात प्रतिशत देशों का राष्ट्रीय दिवस वस्तुतः उन देशों में नागरिकता अर्जन का दिवस है।¹⁷⁷⁶

SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 'दिवस' - शब्द का पर्यायवाची क्या होगा-781

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Q.1 कौन सा शब्द तत्सम है ?

- Ans
- 1. गाय
 - 2. कंगन
 - 3. मस्तक
 - 4. सात

Q.2 निम्नलिखित लोकोक्ति का अर्थ बताइए -
अशरफियाँ लूटें और कोयले पर छाप

- Ans
- 1. कोयले के आगामी महत्व को बहुत पहले ही पहचान लेना
 - 2. मूल्यवान वस्तु के स्थान पर सस्ती वस्तु की ओर ध्यान देना
 - 3. सोने के मूल्य का निरंतर गिरते चले जाना
 - 4. बिना सोचे समझे छापेमारी करना और सत्ता के अनुसार काम करना

Q.3 'क्षुद्र' शब्द का अनेकार्थक चुनिए।

- Ans
- 1. बाण
 - 2. नीच
 - 3. नष्ट
 - 4. गंदा

Q.4 प्रणेता का पर्यायवाची होगा।

- Ans
- 1. उद्योग
 - 2. नामवर
 - 3. प्रस्थान
 - 4. रचयिता

Q.5 अवरोह का विलोम शब्द पहचानें।

- Ans
- 1. अभिज्ञ
 - 2. आरोह
 - 3. अर्जन
 - 4. आंतर

Q.6 इनमें से कौन-सा अर्थ 'सारंग' शब्द से नहीं निकलता है?

- Ans
- 1. मोर
 - 2. हिरन
 - 3. घर
 - 4. सर्प

Q.7 निम्नलिखित मुहावरे का अर्थ बताइए -
अथ से इति तक

- Ans
- 1. शुरू से अन्त तक
 - 2. खाली बैठे रहना
 - 3. देर तक किसी को चाहना
 - 4. संग लगे रहना

Q.8 दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है?

- Ans
- 1. होती है।
 - 2. क्षेत्रों में
 - 3. पर्वती
 - 4. बहुत ठंड

Q.9 दिये गये वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है-

शिक्षा, मानव के जीवन के साथ -साथ उसके चरित्र निर्माण में भी एक महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाती है।

- Ans
- 1. चरित्र निर्माण में भी
 - 2. शिक्षा, मानव के जीवन
 - 3. एक महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाती है।
 - 4. के साथ -साथ उसके

Q.10 दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है?
उसने चमड़े के तरह-तरह के जुते खरीदे

- Ans
- 1. के जुते
 - 2. खरीदे
 - 3. उसने चमड़े
 - 4. के तरह-तरह

Q.11 गाँव का तत्सम रूप क्या होगा?

- Ans
- 1. ग्राम
 - 2. ग्रहण
 - 3. ग्रामीण
 - 4. गँवार

Q.12 'घर खीर तो बाहर भी खीर' लोकोक्ति का अर्थ है-

- Ans
- 1. अलग-अलग मत रखना
 - 2. उत्तम वस्तु वह भी अधिक
 - 3. सम्पन्नता में सर्वत्र प्रतिष्ठा मिलती है
 - 4. समान व्यवहार करना

Q.13 दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है?

- Ans
- 1. हर एक ने
 - 2. टोपियाँ
 - 3. रखी थी।
 - 4. पहन

Q.14 नीचे दिए विकल्पों में से कौन-सा शब्द 'तीर' का पर्यायवाची नहीं है?

- Ans
- 1. पैना
 - 2. तट
 - 3. किनारा
 - 4. कूल

Q.15 'छुटकारा' का विलोम शब्द है -

- Ans
- 1. बंधन
 - 2. मुसीबत
 - 3. कष्ट
 - 4. पराजित

Comprehension:

दिये गये गद्यांश को पढ़कर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दीजिये -

परम्परा और संस्कृति पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं हैं, हालाँकि सामान्य व्यवहार में दोनों का प्रयोग एक ही अर्थ को ध्वनित करने के लिए किया जाता है संस्कृति अधिक व्यापक अवधारणा है, परम्पराएँ उसकी अपेक्षा दीर्घजीवी धाराएँ और उपधाराएँ होती हैं परम्पराएँ किसी भी संस्कृति की बुनावट के लिए आवश्यक हैं, किन्तु उनसे ही पूरी संस्कृति को नहीं समझा जा सकता है परम्पराएँ जातीय स्मृति का अंग होती हैं, किन्तु उनका चुनाव समाज स्वयं जीवन के बदलते सन्दर्भों और तात्कालिक आवश्यकताओं को ध्यान में रखकर करता है नयी व्याख्याएँ उनके आयाम को बदल देती हैं विशेष स्थितियों में जातीय विस्मृति भी आवश्यक हो जाती है ऐसे भी उदाहरण हैं कि पुरानी परम्पराएँ भुला दी गयीं और उनके स्थान पर नयी परम्पराएँ गढ़ी गयीं एकवचन परंपरा शब्द का प्रयोग भी भ्रामक है छोटे-छोटे कबीलों में भी स्थान, गोत्र और वंश के आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर पाया जाता है संश्लिष्ट और जटिल संरचना की संस्कृतियों में परम्पराओं के भेद और भी महत्वपूर्ण होते हैं स्थानीय, क्षेत्रीय और राष्ट्रीय सन्दर्भों में उनके रूप भिन्न होते हैं उनमें निश्चित अंतः संबंध होते हैं, पर प्रत्येक की अलग-अलग पहचान भी संभव होती है जीवन के अनेक पक्षों और बड़े समाजों में उनकी उपस्थिति अनिवार्य होती है

SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 उक्त गद्यांश का उपयुक्त शीर्षक होगा -

Comprehension:

दिये गये गद्यांश को पढ़कर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दीजिये -

परम्परा और संस्कृति पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं हैं, हालाँकि सामान्य व्यवहार में दोनों का प्रयोग एक ही अर्थ को ध्वनित करने के लिए किया जाता है संस्कृति अधिक व्यापक अवधारणा है, परम्पराएँ उसकी अपेक्षा दीर्घजीवी धाराएँ और उपधाराएँ होती हैं परम्पराएँ किसी भी संस्कृति की बुनावट के लिए आवश्यक हैं, किन्तु उनसे ही पूरी संस्कृति को नहीं समझा जा सकता है परम्पराएँ जातीय स्मृति का अंग होती हैं, किन्तु उनका चुनाव समाज स्वयं जीवन के बदलते सन्दर्भों और तात्कालिक आवश्यकताओं को ध्यान में रखकर करता है नयी व्याख्याएँ उनके आयाम को बदल देती हैं विशेष स्थितियों में जातीय विस्मृति भी आवश्यक हो जाती है ऐसे भी उदाहरण हैं कि पुरानी परम्पराएँ भुला दी गयीं और उनके स्थान पर नयी परम्पराएँ गढ़ी गयीं एकवचन परंपरा शब्द का प्रयोग भी भ्रामक है छोटे-छोटे कबीलों में भी स्थान, गोत्र और वंश के आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर पाया जाता है संश्लिष्ट और जटिल संरचना की संस्कृतियों में परम्पराओं के भेद और भी महत्वपूर्ण होते हैं स्थानीय, क्षेत्रीय और राष्ट्रीय सन्दर्भों में उनके रूप भिन्न होते हैं उनमें निश्चित अंतः संबंध होते हैं, पर प्रत्येक की अलग-अलग पहचान भी संभव होती है जीवन के अनेक पक्षों और बड़े समाजों में उनकी उपस्थिति अनिवार्य होती है

SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 परम्पराएँ किसका अंग होती हैं ?

Comprehension:

दिये गये गद्यांश को पढ़कर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दीजिये -

परम्परा और संस्कृति पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं हैं, हालाँकि सामान्य व्यवहार में दोनों का प्रयोग एक ही अर्थ को ध्वनित करने के लिए किया जाता है संस्कृति अधिक व्यापक अवधारणा है, परम्पराएँ उसकी अपेक्षा दीर्घजीवी धाराएँ और उपधाराएँ होती हैं परम्पराएँ किसी भी संस्कृति की बुनावट के लिए आवश्यक हैं, किन्तु उनसे ही पूरी संस्कृति को नहीं समझा जा सकता है परम्पराएँ जातीय स्मृति का अंग होती हैं, किन्तु उनका चुनाव समाज स्वयं जीवन के बदलते सन्दर्भों और तात्कालिक आवश्यकताओं को ध्यान में रखकर करता है नयी व्याख्याएँ उनके आयाम को बदल देती हैं विशेष स्थितियों में जातीय विस्मृति भी आवश्यक हो जाती है ऐसे भी उदाहरण हैं कि पुरानी परम्पराएँ भुला दी गयीं और उनके स्थान पर नयी परम्पराएँ गढ़ी गयीं एकवचन परंपरा शब्द का प्रयोग भी भ्रामक है छोटे-छोटे कबीलों में भी स्थान, गोत्र और वंश के आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर पाया जाता है संश्लिष्ट और जटिल संरचना की संस्कृतियों में परम्पराओं के भेद और भी महत्वपूर्ण होते हैं स्थानीय, क्षेत्रीय और राष्ट्रीय सन्दर्भों में उनके रूप भिन्न होते हैं उनमें निश्चित अंतः संबंध होते हैं, पर प्रत्येक की अलग-अलग पहचान भी संभव होती है जीवन के अनेक पक्षों और बड़े समाजों में उनकी उपस्थिति अनिवार्य होती है

SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 एकवचन में परम्परा शब्द का प्रयोग कैसा है ?

Comprehension:

दिये गये गद्यांश को पढ़कर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दीजिये -

परम्परा और संस्कृति पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं हैं, हालाँकि सामान्य व्यवहार में दोनों का प्रयोग एक ही अर्थ को ध्वनित करने के लिए किया जाता है संस्कृति अधिक व्यापक अवधारणा है, परम्पराएँ उसकी अपेक्षा दीर्घजीवी धाराएँ और उपधाराएँ होती हैं परम्पराएँ किसी भी संस्कृति की बुनावट के लिए आवश्यक हैं, किन्तु उनसे ही पूरी संस्कृति को नहीं समझा जा सकता है परम्पराएँ जातीय स्मृति का अंग होती हैं, किन्तु उनका चुनाव समाज स्वयं जीवन के बदलते सन्दर्भों और तात्कालिक आवश्यकताओं को ध्यान में रखकर करता है नयी व्याख्याएँ उनके आयाम को बदल देती हैं विशेष स्थितियों में जातीय विस्मृति भी आवश्यक हो जाती है ऐसे भी उदाहरण हैं कि पुरानी परम्पराएँ भुला दी गयीं और उनके स्थान पर नयी परम्पराएँ गढ़ी गयीं एकवचन परंपरा शब्द का प्रयोग भी भ्रामक है छोटे-छोटे कबीलों में भी स्थान, गोत्र और वंश के आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर पाया जाता है संश्लिष्ट और जटिल संरचना की संस्कृतियों में परम्पराओं के भेद और भी महत्वपूर्ण होते हैं स्थानीय, क्षेत्रीय और राष्ट्रीय सन्दर्भों में उनके रूप भिन्न होते हैं उनमें निश्चित अंतः संबंध होते हैं, पर प्रत्येक की अलग-अलग पहचान भी संभव होती है जीवन के अनेक पक्षों और बड़े समाजों में उनकी उपस्थिति अनिवार्य होती है

SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 किस आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर माना जाता है ?

Comprehension:

दिये गये गद्यांश को पढ़कर निम्नलिखित प्रश्नों का उत्तर दीजिये -

परम्परा और संस्कृति पर्यायवाची शब्द नहीं हैं, हालाँकि सामान्य व्यवहार में दोनों का प्रयोग एक ही अर्थ को ध्वनित करने के लिए किया जाता है संस्कृति अधिक व्यापक अवधारणा है, परम्पराएँ उसकी अपेक्षा दीर्घजीवी धाराएँ और उपधाराएँ होती हैं परम्पराएँ किसी भी संस्कृति की बुनावट के लिए आवश्यक हैं, किन्तु उनसे ही पूरी संस्कृति को नहीं समझा जा सकता है परम्पराएँ जातीय स्मृति का अंग होती हैं, किन्तु उनका चुनाव समाज स्वयं जीवन के बदलते सन्दर्भों और तात्कालिक आवश्यकताओं को ध्यान में रखकर करता है नयी व्याख्याएँ उनके आयाम को बदल देती हैं विशेष स्थितियों में जातीय विस्मृति भी आवश्यक हो जाती है ऐसे भी उदाहरण हैं कि पुरानी परम्पराएँ भुला दी गयीं और उनके स्थान पर नयी परम्पराएँ गढ़ी गयीं एकवचन परंपरा शब्द का प्रयोग भी भ्रामक है छोटे-छोटे कबीलों में भी स्थान, गोत्र और वंश के आधार पर परम्पराओं में अंतर पाया जाता है संश्लिष्ट और जटिल संरचना की संस्कृतियों में परम्पराओं के भेद और भी महत्वपूर्ण होते हैं स्थानीय, क्षेत्रीय और राष्ट्रीय सन्दर्भों में उनके रूप भिन्न होते हैं उनमें निश्चित अंतः संबंध होते हैं, पर प्रत्येक की अलग-अलग पहचान भी संभव होती है जीवन के अनेक पक्षों और बड़े समाजों में उनकी उपस्थिति अनिवार्य होती है

SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 संस्कृति कैसी अवधारण है ?