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Section : General intelligence and Reasoning Ability

Q.1 Refer to the following number and symbol series and answer the question.
Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) * 1 % 3 £ 9 9 3 5 9 £ @ 2 # % & 1 6 # 7 # £ (Right)

How many such numbers are there, each of which is immediately preceded by a number and also immediately followed by a number?629

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

Q.2 Refer to the following letter, symbol series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only

(Left) K O * © I % X © V € £ # U B \$ D * # L © A U (Right)

How many such symbol are there each of which is immediately preceded by a letter and also immediately followed by a symbol?6433

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

Q.3 A, E, I, O, U and V live on six different floors of the same building. The lowermost floor in the building is numbered 1, the floor above it is numbered 2 and so on, till the topmost floor, which is numbered 6.

I lives on floor number 5. E lives on a floor above I. Only O lives below U. V lives on an even-numbered floor.

How many people live below A?

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

Q.4 Refer to the following series and answer the question that follows (all numbers are single digit numbers only). Counting to be done left to right.

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

How many such odd numbers are there, each of which is immediately preceded by an even number and also immediately followed by an even number?641

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

Q.5 In this question, statement is followed by two conclusions. Find out which conclusion is true based on the given statement.

Statement : $A < B < C < D < E < F$

Conclusions:

I. $A < F$

II $C > F$

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

Q.6 In a certain code language,
A x B means 'A is the brother of B',
A @ B means 'A is the sister of B',
A ! B means 'A is the father of B',
A < B means 'A is the wife of B'.

Based on the above, how is G related to S if 'G x O < A ! T @ S'?

- Ans
- 1. Mother's daughter
 - 2. Mother's brother
 - 3. Mother's mother
 - 4. Mother's son

Q.7 Refer to the following letter, symbol series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only

(Left) Y R © K J £ S & K W \$ \$ L N £ G & # Q @ % S (Right)

How many such symbols are there each of which is immediately preceded by a letter and also immediately followed by a letter?6432

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

Q.8 A, B, C, D, M and N live on six different floors of the same building. The lowermost floor in the building is numbered 1, the floor above it, number 2 and so on till the topmost floor is numbered 6. M lives on the floor numbered 4. Only two people live between M and B. Only A lives between M and N. C lives immediately below M. Who lives on the floor numbered 2?2439

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

Q.9 Seven boxes, A, E, I, O, U, P and Q, are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order.
Only four boxes are kept between A and I. Only O is kept above A. Only two boxes are kept between P and Q. U is kept immediately above E. Q is not kept immediately above U.
Which box is kept fourth from the top?

- Ans**
- 1. E
 - 2. Q
 - 3. O
 - 4. U

Q.10 A, B, C, D, K, L and M are sitting around a circular table facing the centre of the table. K sits to the immediate right of D. Only three people sit between K and M when counted from the left of K. Only three people sit between D and A. L sits to the immediate right of C. How many people sit between D and C when counted from the right of C?²⁴⁴⁹

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

Q.11 Refer to the following letter series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) Q G I H K L Q I Q B K I E D B M A P X U L Y (Right)

How many such vowels are there, each of which is immediately preceded by a consonant and also immediately followed by a consonant?

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

Q.12 Refer to the following number series and answer the question that follows (all numbers are single digit numbers only). Counting to be done left to right only.

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

How many such odd numbers are there, each of which is immediately preceded by an odd number and also immediately followed by an even number?

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

Q.13 In a certain code language, 'HOST' is coded as '2764' and 'STOP' is coded as '6347'. What is the code for 'P' in the given code language?²²⁷⁹

- Ans**
- 1. 4
 - 2. 3
 - 3. 6
 - 4. 7

Q.14 D, E, F, P, Q, R and T are sitting around a circular table facing the centre of the table. Only one person sits between R and P when counted from the right of R. Only one person sits between P and T. Only one person sits between R and D. Only two people sit between Q and T. Only one person sits between F and D. Who sits third to the right of E?2078

- Ans
- 1. R
 - 2. P
 - 3. Q
 - 4. T

Q.15 All 16 people are standing in a row, facing North. Karan is 8th from the left end, while Madan is 4th from the right end. How many people are there between Karan and Madan?2322

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

Q.16 In a certain code language,
A ! B means 'A is the father of B',
A < B means 'A is the wife of B',
A x B means 'A is the brother of B',
A @ B means 'A is the sister of B'.

Based on the above, how is I related to S if 'I ! N x K @ A < S'?

- Ans
- 1. Wife's brother
 - 2. Wife's mother
 - 3. Wife's sister
 - 4. Wife's father

Q.17 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 conclusion(s) logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements:

All hammers are nails.

All tapes are nails.

Conclusions:

(I) Some hammers are tapes.

(II) Some nails are tapes.2104

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

Q.18 In a certain code language, 'PINK' is coded as '4893' and 'SPIN' is coded as '9342'. What is the code for 'S' in the given code language?2281

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

Q.19 In a certain code language, 'FIRM' is coded as '2973' and 'MEAN' is coded as '4621'. What is the code for 'M' in the given code language?273

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

Q.20 A statement is given followed by two conclusions. Identify which of the given conclusions is/are true based on the given statement.

Statement:

$$E > K < D < P = C$$

Conclusions:

I. $E < D$

II. $C < E$ 1983

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

Section : General intelligence and Reasoning Ability1

Q.1 Select the option figure in which the given figure (X) is embedded as its part (rotation is NOT allowed).



Ans

- ✗ 1.
- ✓ 2.
- ✗ 3.
- ✗ 4.

Q.2 What should come in place of '?' in the given series ?

25 28 ? 31 19 34 37 03

- ✗ 1. 31
- ✓ 2. 22
- ✗ 3. 27
- ✗ 4. 25

Q.3 If 1 is added to each odd digit and 2 is subtracted from each even digit in the number 5731468, how many digits will appear more than once in the new number thus formed?¹⁹⁷

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

Q.4 Based on 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 letter-cluster pair that does not belong to that group?
(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their positions in the letter-cluster.)

- Ans
- 1. LC - GI
 - 2. OF - JM
 - 3. UL - PS
 - 4. RI - MP

Q.5 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)

36, 13
48, 17342

- Ans
- 1. 84, 28
 - 2. 57, 20
 - 3. 63, 20
 - 4. 24, 19

Q.6 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Which numbers should replace X and Y so that the pattern followed by the two numbers on the left side of :: is same as that on the right side of :: ?
(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.)

X : 294 :: 20 : Y³⁷⁹

- Ans
- 1. X = 18, Y = 405
 - 2. X = 19, Y = 406
 - 3. X = 18, Y = 404
 - 4. X = 17, Y = 405

Q.7 Each of the digits in the number 9357146 is arranged in ascending order from left to right. The position(s) of how many digits will remain unchanged as compared to that in the original number?⁴⁸⁹⁵

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

Q.8 FIOL is related to JMSP in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, VYEB is related to ZCIF. To which of the following options is HKQN related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. LORU
 - 2. LRET
 - 3. LROU
 - 4. LOUR

Q.9 In the following triads, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the one which follows the same logic.

GOAT - GTA0 - TAOG
JOKE - JEKO - EKOJ

- Ans
- 1. LIST - LSIT - TSIL
 - 2. SLOW - SLWO - LOWS
 - 3. MILE - IMLE - EILM
 - 4. PETS - PSTE - STEP

Q.10 What should come in place of '?' in the given series?
11 25 47 97 191 ?6572

- Ans
- 1. 390
 - 2. 385
 - 3. 380
 - 4. 309

Q.11 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?

60 A 12 B 9 C 11 D 5 = ?

- Ans
- 1. 52
 - 2. 49
 - 3. 51
 - 4. 50

Q.12 In the following number-pairs, the second number is obtained by applying certain mathematical operations to the first number. Which numbers should replace X and Y so that the pattern followed by the two numbers on the left side of :: is same as that on the right side of :: ?

(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)

X : 10 :: 7 : Y

- Ans
- 1. X=6.4, Y=11.8
 - 2. X=3.2, Y=15.8
 - 3. X=4.4, Y=9.2
 - 4. X=5.2, Y=11.8

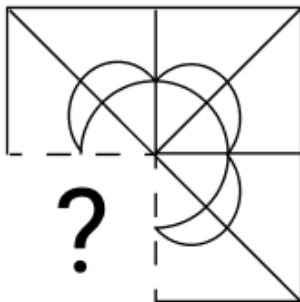
Q.13 Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-cluster pairs are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the one that DOES NOT belong to that group?
(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)

- Ans
- 1. TU-XY
 - 2. KL-OP
 - 3. CD-GI
 - 4. AB-EF

Q.14 What should come in place of '?' in the given series?
49 72 95 118 141 ?

- Ans
- 1. 161
 - 2. 164
 - 3. 160
 - 4. 171

Q.15 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.16 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 conclusion(s) logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements:

Some tools are machines.
All machines are hammers.

Conclusions:

(I) Some tools are hammers.
(II) All hammers are machines.2047

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

Q.17 Each of the digits in the number 719453268 is arranged in ascending order from left to right. What will be the sum of the digits which are third from the left and second from the right in the new number thus formed?184

- Ans
- 1. 11
 - 2. 13
 - 3. 12
 - 4. 10

Q.18 In the following triads, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the one which follows the same logic.

FAWN - AFWN - NAFW
URNS - RUNS - SRUN

- Ans
- 1. DONE - ODNE - EOND
 - 2. TUNE - UTNE - EUTN
 - 3. MOST - MSOT - TSOM
 - 4. HEAR - EHAR - EARH

Q.19 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.)2385

- Ans
- 1. WZ-BI
 - 2. TW-YF
 - 3. QT-VC
 - 4. RU-WE

Q.20 What will come in place of the '?' in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$$27 \div 5 - 9 + 80 \times 8 = ?$$

- Ans
- 1. 133
 - 2. 131
 - 3. 132
 - 4. 134

Q.1 In national income estimation, which of the following is included to prevent double counting of production?

- Ans**
- 1. All type of goods produced during the year
 - 2. Only intermediate goods
 - 3. Sale of second-hand goods
 - 4. Only final goods and services

Q.2 Which social reformer established the Prarthana Samaj in Bombay in 1867 to promote social and religious reform within Hindu society?

- Ans**
- 1. Shri R.C. Bhandarkar
 - 2. Justice Mahadev Govind Ranade
 - 3. Swami Dayananda Saraswati
 - 4. Dr. Atmaram Pandurang

Q.3 The Economic Survey 2025-26 was presented in Parliament in January 2026 by which of the following ministers?

- Ans**
- 1. Annpurna Devi
 - 2. Nirmala Sitharaman
 - 3. Ashwini Vaishnaw
 - 4. Rajnath Singh

Q.4 With reference to the 2026 edition of the TATA Women's Premier League (WPL), which of the following teams secured the championship title?

- Ans**
- 1. Royal Challengers Bengaluru
 - 2. Mumbai Indians
 - 3. Delhi Capitals
 - 4. Gujarat Giants

Q.5 The iDEX initiative recently announced results of its "Open Challenge 3.0". This indicates that iDEX is:

- Ans**
- 1. Discontinuing its grant-based support mechanism
 - 2. Running innovation challenges for startups and MSMEs in defence tech
 - 3. Exclusively focused on importing defence technologies
 - 4. Only supporting traditional defence PSUs with no startup involvement

Q.6 For what primary purpose did the British Government appoint the Welby Commission in 1895-96, before which Gopal Krishna Gokhale later presented evidence?

- Ans**
- 1. To investigate the causes of the Revolt of 1857 and the administration of the East India Company
 - 2. To recommend constitutional reforms for introducing responsible government in India
 - 3. To examine the financial relations between Britain and India, including Indian revenues used for imperial expenditure
 - 4. To review the working of provincial legislative councils under British rule in India

Q.7 Which commission was set up to investigate the Jallianwala Bagh massacre?

- Ans**
- 1. Simon Commission
 - 2. Hunter Commission
 - 3. Hartog Commission
 - 4. Butler Commission

Q.8 Which of the following features was announced in December 2025 regarding India's DHRUV64 microprocessor under the Digital India RISC-V initiative?

- Ans**
- 1. Dual core design
 - 2. Optical processor
 - 3. Quantum module
 - 4. Analog chipset

Q.9 Who took over as the Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the Eastern Air Command of the Indian Air Force in February 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. Air Marshal Rajesh Kumar
 - 2. Air Marshal Inderpal Singh Walia
 - 3. Air Marshal Arjun Mehta
 - 4. Air Marshal Rakesh Singh

Q.10 From which groups did the British decide to recruit more soldiers after the 1857 revolt?

- Ans**
- 1. South Indian tribals
 - 2. Bengal zamindars
 - 3. Awadh and Bihar peasants
 - 4. Gurkhas, Sikhs, and Pathans

Q.11 Which of the following primary functions does money perform when it acts as a medium of exchange in an economy?

- Ans**
- 1. It supports overall economic stability.
 - 2. It removes the need for barter exchanges.
 - 3. It serves as a common unit of account.
 - 4. It avoids the need for double coincidence.

Q.12 Who scored 175 runs in the U19 World Cup final, setting a record for the highest individual score in a U-19 WC final in 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. Harry Dixon
 - 2. Vaibhav Suryavanshi
 - 3. Hugh Weibgen
 - 4. Uday Saharan

Q.13 Under the Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana Gramin (PMAY-G), which specific group of rural households is targeted for housing assistance?

- Ans**
- 1. All rural house owners
 - 2. Above Poverty Line families
 - 3. Rural government employee families
 - 4. Houseless or kutcha house dwellers

Q.14 As per Ministry of Electronics & IT of Government of India, which interface was migrated to an indigenous cloud platform in February 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. BHASHINI
 - 2. Vaani
 - 3. Sampark
 - 4. Prabhasha

Q.15 Which monument in Delhi, constructed by Emperor Shah Jahan, served as the main residence of Mughal emperors?

- Ans**
- 1. Red Fort, with its massive walls
 - 2. Taj Mahal, with its white marble
 - 3. Jama Masjid, with its courtyard
 - 4. Humayun's Tomb, with its dome

Q.16 Which of the following is an important factor for stability of the financial institutions?

- Ans**
- 1. High political affiliation
 - 2. High Capital-Output ratio
 - 3. Digitalisation gaps
 - 4. Adherence to government guidelines

Q.17 Which city hosted the Asian Rifle/Pistol Shooting Championship held from 2 to 14 February 2026?

- Ans**
- 1. Punjab
 - 2. New Delhi
 - 3. Pune
 - 4. Hyderabad

Q.18 Which type of monetary policy action involves the central bank buying government securities from the open market?

- Ans**
- 1. Tightening policy
 - 2. Contractionary policy
 - 3. Neutral policy
 - 4. Expansionary policy

Q.19 Which of the following states in India recorded the largest decline in the number of people living in multidimensional poverty between 2013-2014 and 2022-2023?

- Ans**
- 1. Uttar Pradesh
 - 2. Tamil Nadu
 - 3. Maharashtra
 - 4. Kerala

Q.20 Who launched the Bhoodan Movement, also referred to as the "Bloodless Revolution"?

- Ans**
- 1. Sarojini Naidu
 - 2. Jawaharlal Nehru
 - 3. Vinoba Bhave
 - 4. Mahatma Gandhi

Section : **General Awareness1**

Q.1 Which Article of the Indian Constitution requires at least 10% of the total members of the House to be present to form a quorum?

- Ans**
- 1. Article 108
 - 2. Article 100
 - 3. Article 107
 - 4. Article 105

Q.2 A single gene that influences or controls multiple, often unrelated, phenotypic traits in an organism is known as:

- Ans**
- 1. Allelic gene
 - 2. Metagenic gene
 - 3. Xylogene
 - 4. Pleiotropic gene

Q.3 According to the Census of India 2011, which of the following states/union territories has recorded the highest literacy rate?

- Ans**
- 1. Goa
 - 2. Mizoram
 - 3. Delhi
 - 4. Kerala

Q.4 Which mountain range geographically separates the northern India from the southern India?

- Ans**
- 1. Vindhyas
 - 2. Aravallis
 - 3. Karakoram
 - 4. Patkai

Q.5 The Sundarbans mangrove forest is located in which delta?

- Ans**
- 1. Krishna–Godavari river delta
 - 2. Cauvery river delta region
 - 3. Ganga–Brahmaputra–Meghna delta
 - 4. Mahanadi river delta region

Q.6 Which of the following inland waterways is officially recognised as National Waterway 1 (NW-1)?

- Ans**
- 1. Shastri river - Jaigad creek System
 - 2. Ganga-Bhagirathi - Hooghly River System
 - 3. Revadanda Creek - Kundalika River System
 - 4. Brahmaputra River System

Q.7 The Fundamental Rights in the Indian Constitution under 'Right against Exploitation' are mentioned in which of the following Articles?

- Ans**
- 1. 29 & 30
 - 2. 12 & 13
 - 3. 23 & 24
 - 4. 19 & 20

Q.8 What is a "harmika" in a stupa?

- Ans**
- 1. A Dome-Like-Structure
 - 2. A Sacred Parasole
 - 3. Square Railing
 - 4. A Stone Fence at the Base

Q.9 Who among the following presides over the meetings of the Cabinet in India?

- Ans**
- 1. Vice-President of India
 - 2. Prime Minister of India
 - 3. Speaker of Lok Sabha
 - 4. President of India

Q.10 Which style of temple architecture, prominent in South India, is known for its tall, pyramidal tower called a gopuram?

- Ans
- 1. Vesara, with its mixed features
 - 2. Dravida, with its stepped tower
 - 3. Nagara, with its curved shikhara
 - 4. Kalinga, with its distinct spire

Q.11 Who prescribes the service conditions for officers and servants of the Supreme Court as per the Indian Constitution?

- Ans
- 1. Parliament of India
 - 2. Chief Justice of India
 - 3. President of India
 - 4. Attorney General of India

Q.12 If a trait is controlled by multiple genes, what is this inheritance pattern called?

- Ans
- 1. Linkage
 - 2. Codominance
 - 3. Monogenic inheritance
 - 4. Polygenic inheritance

Q.13 Which of the following plants has the scientific name *Saccharum officinarum*?

- Ans
- 1. Sugarcane
 - 2. Barley
 - 3. Rice
 - 4. Wheat

Q.14 The first successful textile mill was established in which place in India in 1854?

- Ans
- 1. Kolkata
 - 2. Chennai
 - 3. Mumbai
 - 4. New Delhi

Q.15 Which among the following plant organs adapts to maximise light absorption for photosynthesis?

- Ans
- 1. Stem
 - 2. Root
 - 3. Leaf
 - 4. Flower

Q.16 Which of the following foods is/are a rich natural source of dietary fibre in the human diet?

- Ans
- 1. Meat
 - 2. Milk
 - 3. Sugar
 - 4. Whole grains

Q.17 What is the typical entrance structure in Dravida temples called?

- Ans
- 1. Gopuram
 - 2. Mandapa
 - 3. Shikhara
 - 4. Vimana

Q.18 Bihu, a set of seasonal festivals associated with the agricultural cycle and marked by traditional dance, music and community feasts, is primarily celebrated in which Indian state?

- Ans
- 1. Manipur
 - 2. Sikkim
 - 3. Assam
 - 4. Odisha

Q.19 The fundamental duties laid down in which part of the Constitution relate to the individuals and the nation?

- Ans
- 1. Part V-A
 - 2. Part IV-A
 - 3. Part VIII-A
 - 4. Part II-A

Q.20 The temple at Deogarh in Lalitpur district of Uttar Pradesh is an example of the panchayatana style of architecture. What is the key feature of this style?

- Ans
- 1. A circular temple with shrines along the inner wall
 - 2. A temple with two shrines facing each other
 - 3. A main shrine with four subsidiary shrines at the four corners
 - 4. A temple with only one central sanctum and no additional shrines

Section : **Arithmetical and Numerical Ability**

Q.1 A number when increased by 100%, gives 3890. The number is:6131

- Ans
- 1. 5835
 - 2. 1945
 - 3. 972.5
 - 4. 3890

Q.2 The average of 11 consecutive natural numbers arranged in ascending order is 31. What is the average of the next 9 consecutive natural numbers?

- Ans
- 1. 40
 - 2. 41
 - 3. 38
 - 4. 42

Q.3 Which of the following pairs of numbers are co-prime?

- Ans
- 1. 506, 667
 - 2. 209, 342
 - 3. 572, 675
 - 4. 238, 459

Q.4 The average of the five consecutive multiple of 13 starting from 39 is equal to:

- Ans
- 1. 52
 - 2. 39
 - 3. 65
 - 4. 78

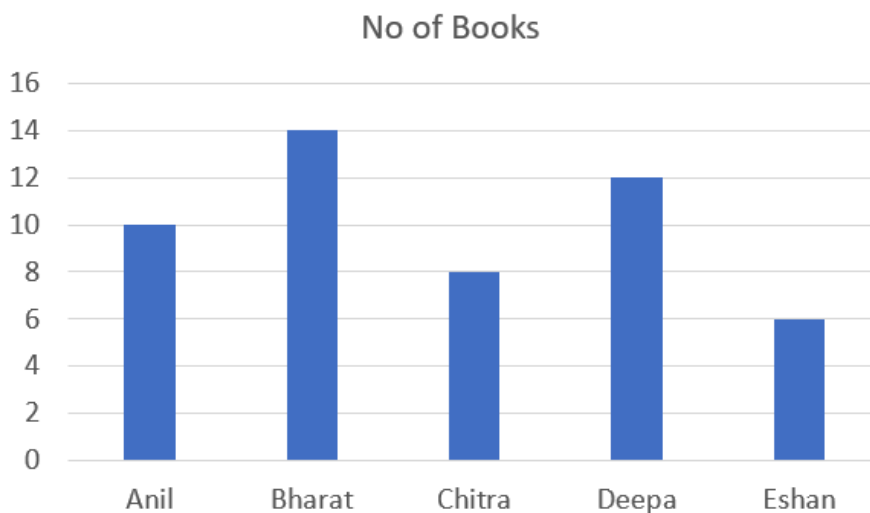
Q.5 Mahesh spends 55% of his income. If he saves ₹54,000, then his income (in ₹) is:105

- Ans
- 1. 29,700
 - 2. 1,21,000
 - 3. 1,19,000
 - 4. 1,20,000

Q.6 A manufacturer sells a product to a wholesaler at a profit of 25%. The wholesaler, in turn, sells it to a retailer at a profit of 25%, and the retailer sells it to a customer at a profit of 28%. If the customer pays ₹340, find the cost price (in ₹) for the manufacturer.

- Ans
- 1. 168
 - 2. 167
 - 3. 172
 - 4. 170

Q.7 The bar graph below shows the number of books read by five students in a month.



What is the average number of books read by all five students?

- Ans
- 1. 8
 - 2. 10
 - 3. 12.4
 - 4. 14

Q.8 Two plumbers, X and Y, are paid a total of ₹660 per day by their employer. If X is paid 200% of the sum paid to Y, then how much is Y paid (in ₹) per day?4511

- Ans
- 1. 270
 - 2. 120
 - 3. 170
 - 4. 220

Q.9 A sum of ₹10,000 is invested at 8% per annum compounded annually. What will be the compound interest after 2 years?

- Ans
- 1. ₹1,684
 - 2. ₹1,664
 - 3. ₹1,464
 - 4. ₹1,646

Q.10 The population of a city increased by 28% in the first year and decreased by 18% in the next year. If the present population is 1,25,952, then what was its population 2 years ago?

- Ans
- 1. 1,18,900
 - 2. 1,10,900
 - 3. 1,20,000
 - 4. 1,15,765

Q.11 The average of 13 numbers is 21. If each number is multiplied by 2, then what will the new average be?

- Ans
- 1. 2
 - 2. 13
 - 3. 21
 - 4. 42

Q.12 The six-digit number 12A25B is divisible by 9. Find the maximum possible value of (A+B).

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

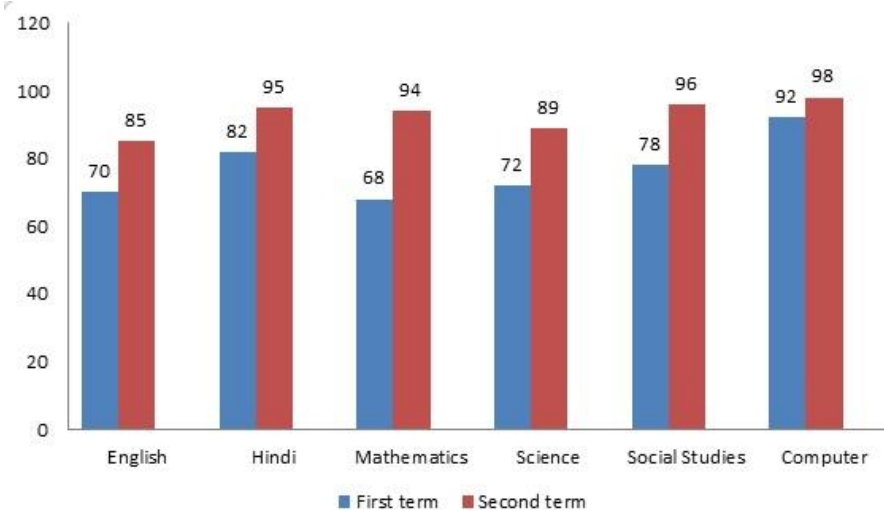
Q.13 The fraction form of 0.21875 is:

- Ans
- 1. $\frac{5}{32}$
 - 2. $\frac{7}{32}$
 - 3. $\frac{9}{32}$
 - 4. $\frac{11}{32}$

Q.14 $\frac{1}{20}$ is what percentage of $\frac{1}{70}$?⁶⁰⁶⁴

- Ans
- 1. 365%
 - 2. 350%
 - 3. 360%
 - 4. 700%

- Q.15 The bar graph given below shows the marks (out of 100) obtained by a student in various subjects in first term and the second term examination.



Find the difference between the total marks obtained in Hindi and Mathematics in the first term and the second term.

- Ans 1. 28
 2. 31
 3. 43
 4. 39
- Q.16 A trader marks his goods 50% above the cost price and allows a discount of 18% on it. If he gains $x\%$, find the value of x .
- Ans 1. 22
 2. 24
 3. 23
 4. 25
- Q.17 The population of Kalyan increases by 15% in the first year, it increases by 10% in the second year, and due to mass exodus, it decreases by 15% in the third year. What will its population be after 3 years, if today it is 20,000?
- Ans 1. 21,101
 2. 22,505
 3. 21,505
 4. 21,808
- Q.18 Find the simple interest (in ₹) on ₹1500 at an interest rate of 4% per month for 10 months.
- Ans 1. 600
 2. 100
 3. 60
 4. 50
- Q.19 The number 30728 is divisible by which of the following numbers?
- Ans 1. 92
 2. 99
 3. 102
 4. 87

Q.20 The average salary of 10 employees in a company is ₹17,500. The average salary of 20 other employees is ₹21,500. What is the average salary of all 30 employees together?
(Round off your answer to 2 decimal places.)

- Ans
- 1. ₹21,800.67
 - 2. ₹19,656.67
 - 3. ₹19,800.67
 - 4. ₹20,166.67

Section : Arithmetical and Numerical Ability1

Q.1 Pandu can complete a construction work in 12 days, working 8 hours (including one hour per lunch) per day. Ranjan can complete the same work in 7 days, working 8 hours without any specific lunch break. If both work together working 8 hours per day, in how many days can they complete 75% of the work?

- Ans
- 1. $3\frac{2}{5}$
 - 2. $4\frac{7}{20}$
 - 3. $31\frac{1}{2}$
 - 4. $3\frac{3}{20}$

Q.2 A tank has two pipes: one for filling and one for emptying. The filling pipe can fill the tank in 5 hours, and the emptying pipe can empty the tank in 7 hours. If both pipes are opened together, how long will it take to fill the tank?

- Ans
- 1. 17 hours 15 minutes
 - 2. 17 hours 20 minutes
 - 3. 16 hours 45 minutes
 - 4. 17 hours 30 minutes

Q.3 Three numbers are in the ratio of 3:5:7. If 8 is added to each number, the new numbers are in the ratio of 5:7:9. Find the smallest of the original three numbers.

- Ans
- 1. 12
 - 2. 18
 - 3. 15
 - 4. 9

Q.4 The marked price of a bed is ₹17,200. The shopkeeper allows successive discounts of 10%, 5% and 15% on it. What is the selling price of the bed? (Round off the answer to the nearest rupee.)

- Ans
- 1. ₹12,400
 - 2. ₹12,500
 - 3. ₹12,600
 - 4. ₹12,700

Q.5 An inlet pipe takes 6 hours to fill a tank. An outlet pipe takes 8 hours to empty it. If both pipes are opened simultaneously, in how many hours will the tank be filled?

- Ans
- 1. 20
 - 2. 26
 - 3. 24
 - 4. 22

Q.6 An article was bought for ₹200 and a repairing charge of ₹20 was paid on it. It is sold at a profit of 10%, after a discount of 10% on its marked price. What is the marked price of the article? (rounded off to two decimal places)

- Ans**
- 1. ₹215.67
 - 2. ₹196.67
 - 3. ₹268.89
 - 4. ₹256.67

Q.7 The perpendicular height of a right circular cone is 7 cm and its base radius is 24 cm. What is the curved surface area (in cm^2) of the cone?

- Ans**
- 1. 565π
 - 2. 600π
 - 3. 550π
 - 4. 580π

Q.8 A train runs at a speed of 78.4 km/h. How many metres will it travel in 15 minutes?

- Ans**
- 1. 19,750
 - 2. 18,980
 - 3. 18,650
 - 4. 19,600

Q.9 A man sells a mobile phone for ₹600 and incurs a loss. If he had sold it for ₹1,090, his gain would have been 2.5-times the former loss. The cost price (in ₹) of the mobile phone is:

- Ans**
- 1. 720
 - 2. 770
 - 3. 760
 - 4. 740

Q.10 Suman covers a certain distance by car, driving at 20 km/h, and returns to the starting point on a scooter at a speed of 16 km/h. Find the average speed for the whole journey.

- Ans**
- 1. $17\frac{7}{9}$ km/h
 - 2. $19\frac{7}{9}$ km/h
 - 3. $18\frac{7}{9}$ km/h
 - 4. $16\frac{7}{9}$ km/h

Q.11 If the radius and height of a right circular cylinder are r cm and h cm, then the total surface area of cylinder is :

- Ans**
- 1. $2\pi r(r+h)$ cm^2
 - 2. $\pi r(2r+h)$ cm^2
 - 3. $2\pi(r+h)$ cm^2
 - 4. $\pi r(r+2h)$ cm^2

Q.12 The ratio of P's salary to Q's salary is 5:4. The ratio of Q's salary to R's salary is 7:9. What is the ratio of R's salary to P's salary?

- Ans**
- 1. 9:5
 - 2. 35:36
 - 3. 36:35
 - 4. 5:9

Q.13 Ajit can do a piece of work in 5 hours, Birbal and Charan together can do it in 4 hours, while Ajit and Charan can do it in 4 hours. How many hours will it take Birbal to do the work alone?

- Ans 1.5
 2.4
 3.6
 4.3

Q.14 The volume of a cone is 308 cm^3 and its radius is 7 cm. Find its height. (Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$)

- Ans 1.6 cm
 2.4 cm
 3.10 cm
 4.8 cm

Q.15 Two trains of lengths 100 m and 240 m run in opposite directions at speeds 72 km/h and 108 km/h, respectively. Find the time taken to cross each other completely.

- Ans 1.6.6 sec
 2.6.2 sec
 3.7.2 sec
 4.6.8 sec

Q.16 Which of the ratios 2:13, 4:17, 4:13, and 5:19 has the highest value?

- Ans 1.4:13
 2.5:19
 3.4:17
 4.2:13

Q.17 The speed of a boat downstream is 18 km/hr. If the speed of the stream is 3 km/hr, then the speed of the boat upstream is:

- Ans 1.12 km/hr
 2.14 km/hr
 3.11 km/hr
 4.13 km/hr

Q.18 The radius of a solid cylinder is increased by 20% and its height is decreased by 20%. What is the percentage change in its volume?

- Ans 1.1.2% increase
 2.No change
 3.15.2% increase
 4.4.2% increase

Q.19 A shopkeeper gives 2 articles free on every purchase of 8 articles and also allows an additional discount of 20% for cash payment only. What is the total discount percentage, that a customer gets on cash payment?

- Ans 1.31%
 2.36%
 3.40%
 4.45%

Q.20 The fourth proportional of 16, $\sqrt{400}$, and 24 is equal to :

- Ans 1. 30
 2. 36
 3. 28
 4. 34

Section : Test of English Language and Comprehension

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

Ekta always makes ____ extra sandwich for me to share at lunchtime. 2066

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

Q.2 The following sentence has been split into four segments, where the first segment (S) is fixed. Rearrange the remaining jumbled segments (A, B, C, D) to form a coherent and meaningful paragraph.

S: Tourism contributes significantly to the economy

A: By creating employment opportunities

B: in popular travel destinations

C: and promoting cultural exchange

D: throughout the year

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

Q.3 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The ____ actor delivered a performance that moved the audience to tears.

- Ans 1. passable
 2. average
 3. illustrious
 4. unsung

Q.4 Choose the most grammatically correct sentence:

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- Ans 1. I always get nervous when I have to perform among an audience.
 2. I always get nervous when I have to perform in between an audience.
 3. I always get nervous when I have to perform in front of an audience.
 4. I always get nervous when I have to perform between an audience.

Q.5 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The aroma of freshly brewed coffee filled my heart with ____ feeling of nostalgia. 2063

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

Q.6 Parts of a sentence are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the parts in the correct order to form a meaningful sentence.

- (P) technology and social media,
- (Q) political force in the world today
- (R) thanks to the burgeoning of
- (S) public opinion is the most powerful

- Ans**
- 1. RPQS
 - 2. RSPQ
 - 3. RSQP
 - 4. RPSQ

Q.7 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The scientists made a _____ in the field of genetics.

- Ans**
- 1. fascinating new discovery
 - 2. new fascinating discovery
 - 3. fascinated new discovery
 - 4. new fascinated discovery

Q.8 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

When the child saw dogs barking, he ran _____.

- Ans**
- 1. away
 - 2. fastly
 - 3. well
 - 4. highly

Q.9 Choose the correct preposition from the given options to complete the sentence.

He has opened many franchises of his fashion outlets _____ the state and they are running successfully.

- Ans**
- 1. across
 - 2. against
 - 3. through
 - 4. around

Q.10 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blanks.

_____ tourists visiting _____ United Kingdom love its culture, history, and natural beauty.⁵⁹⁵⁵

- Ans**
- 1. The /the
 - 2. A/a
 - 3. The/a
 - 4. A/no article required

Q.11 Fill in the blank with the most suitable option.

She played _____ of all the players in the match.

- Ans**
- 1. worse
 - 2. worst
 - 3. most worst
 - 4. more worse

Q.12 Select the most appropriate verb/tense to fill in the blank.

Amit commented, "Before the evidence was shown, they _____ his innocence."

- Ans
- 1. were believing
 - 2. had believed
 - 3. believe
 - 4. believed

Q.13 Select the most appropriate article to fill in the blank. If there is no article required, select 'No article needed'.

_____ oldest tree in the park is over 200 years old.

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

Q.14 Select the most appropriate option that rectifies the incorrect preposition usage in the sentence.

He kept the bowl of salad in the table.¹¹⁶¹

- Ans
- 1. over
 - 2. inside
 - 3. on
 - 4. into

Q.15 Choose the grammatically correct sentence. ¹¹²⁹

- Ans
- 1. She was a decent girl but followed k-pop crazy
 - 2. She was a decent girl but followed k-pop crazily.
 - 3. She was a decent girl but followed crazily k-pop.
 - 4. She was a decent girl but followed k-pop crazingly.

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SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 According to the text, what specific factor facilitated women's equal rights?

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Q.18 Which inference is most logically supported by the passage?

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 Which of the following is not mentioned in the passage?

Q.1 Find the antonym of 'Expand'.

- Ans 1. Navigate
 2. Condense
 3. Expense
 4. Boost

Q.2 Choose the option that best explains the meaning of the given proverb.

Many hands make light work.

- Ans 1. Involvement of fewer people makes a task pleasant
 2. Involvement of many people makes a task easier
 3. Involvement of fewer people makes a task complex
 4. Involvement of many people makes a task harder

Q.3 Choose the correct option that best expresses the meaning of the given proverb.

Every cloud has a silver lining

- Ans 1. Silver is found in unexpected places.
 2. There is something good in every bad situation.
 3. Clouds are always lined with silve
 4. Bad weather is always followed by good weather.

Q.4 From the given options choose the one that has no misspelled words.

- Ans 1. The award was a prresumptuous commendation, given without consediration of her actual contributions to the project's success.
 2. The award was a pressumptuous commendation, given without consideration of her actual contributions to the project's success.
 3. The award was a presumptuous comendation, given without considerration of her actual contributions to the project's success.
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Q.5 Choose the most appropriate option that is an antonym of the word 'irascible'.

- Ans 1. peevish
 2. waspish
 3. intractable
 4. amiable

Q.6 From the given options choose the one that has no spelling error.

- Ans 1. "The old film reels were made from highly flammable nitrocelulose, requiring careful storage and handling."
 2. "The old film reels were made from highly flammable nitrocelulloose, requiring careful storage and handling."
 3. "The old film reels were made from highly flammable nitrocellulose, requiring careful storage and handling."
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**Q.7 What is the meaning of the following:
"Too many cooks spoil the broth"?**

- Ans 1. Cooking should be done individually and without interference. 2. Chefs have different cooking styles even if they prepare the same dish. 3. Broth is a delicate dish to prepare and uses many ingredients. 4. When too many people are involved in a task, it may not be done well.

Q.8 Out of the four alternatives, choose the one that can be used as a substitute for the bracketed word segment.

A/An (person who has a refined taste in food and enjoys high-quality cuisine), always seeking out the finest restaurants in the city.

- Ans
- 1. glutton
 - 2. foodie
 - 3. gourmet
 - 4. chef

Q.9 Choose the most appropriate option that is an antonym of the word 'succinctness'.

- Ans
- 1. pithiness
 - 2. prolixity
 - 3. brevity
 - 4. terseness

Q.10 Rearrange the given segments in the correct order to form a coherent statement.

- A. take care of the household
- B. families in small villages live
- C. peacefully and happily, helping
- D. work in the fields and others
- E. one another every day, while some

- Ans
- 1. DCABE
 - 2. ACDEB
 - 3. BCEDA
 - 4. BEACD

Q.11 Choose the option that best explains the meaning of the given proverb.

Better safe than sorry.

- Ans
- 1. It's wiser to take action than to regret
 - 2. It's wiser to take risks than to regret
 - 3. It's wiser to be cautious than to regret
 - 4. It's wiser to be indifferent than to regret

Q.12 Identify the one-word substitution for 'a person who pretends to be someone else to deceive others'.

- Ans
- 1. Mediator
 - 2. Mentor
 - 3. Prodigy
 - 4. Impostor

Q.13 Select the most appropriate one-word substitute for the underlined group of words in the given sentence.

My son, even at a very young age, is a/an expert when it comes to judging taste.

- Ans
- 1. referee
 - 2. dilettante
 - 3. connoisseur
 - 4. critic

Q.14 Out of the four alternatives, choose the one that can be used as a substitute for the bracketed word segment.

The (scientific study of fossils and ancient organisms) uncovers the history of life on Earth.

- Ans**
- 1. ecology
 - 2. paleontology
 - 3. geology
 - 4. archaeology

Q.15 Choose the correct synonym for the underlined word given in the sentence.

He refuted the charges levelled against him by the management.

- Ans**
- 1. discarded
 - 2. analysed
 - 3. contradicted
 - 4. accepted

Comprehension:

Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions.

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 What does the passage suggest about concentration across different people?

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Q.19 Identify the inference that can be drawn from the passage?

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 Which option suggests the correct structure of the passage?

Section : Test of Hindi Language and Comprehension

Q.1 संबंध कारक की दृष्टि से निम्नलिखित वाक्य को पूर्ण करें-
ये एक दूसरे ___ पूरक कहे जा सकते हैं।

- Ans**
- 1. ने
 - 2. से
 - 3. के
 - 4. में

Q.2 'जैसा उचित हो वैसा' वाक्यांश के लिए सार्थक शब्द होगा -

- Ans**
- 1. याचक
 - 2. यथोचित
 - 3. सार्थक
 - 4. यथावत

Q.3 'टांग अड़ाना' मुहावरे का अर्थ है -

- Ans**
- 1. जमीन पर गिराना
 - 2. झगड़ा करना
 - 3. अड़चन डालना
 - 4. जिद्द करना

Q.4 निम्नलिखित विकल्पों में से कौन-सा वाक्य पूर्ण रूप से शुद्ध है?

- Ans**
- 1. कारागृह ने एक कैदी भाग निकला।
 - 2. कारागृह में एक कैदी भाग निकला।
 - 3. कारागृह से एक कैदी भाग निकला।
 - 4. कारागृह के एक कैदी भाग निकला।

Q.5 निम्नलिखित विकल्पों में से उचित क्रिया-विशेषण वाले विकल्प का चयन कर वाक्य पूर्ण करें -

वहबोलता है।

- Ans
- 1. प्रभूत
 - 2. अधिक
 - 3. केवल
 - 4. सर्वथा

Q.6 "काला अक्षर भैंस बराबर" लोकोक्ति का क्या अर्थ है?

- Ans
- 1. शिक्षा का बहिष्कार करना
 - 2. खूब पढ़ा-लिखा होना
 - 3. पशुओं का व्यापार करना
 - 4. अनपढ़ होना

Q.7 'जो नया आया हुआ हो' वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द होगा -

- Ans
- 1. नवागंतुक
 - 2. नवआगमन
 - 3. नयागमन
 - 4. नयागत

Q.8 निम्नलिखित वाक्यों में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य का चयन करें -

- Ans
- 1. सरकार ने राष्ट्रीय एकता के लिए 'उत्तर-पूर्व को मुख्यधारा से जोड़ो' जैसे कार्यक्रम चलाए हैं।
 - 2. क्षेत्रवाद, भाषाई विवाद, धार्मिक कट्टरता और जातिवाद राष्ट्रीय एकता के लिए खतरा बन रहे हैं।
 - 3. भोजन में विविधता और अनुपात का संतुलन बनाए रखना स्वास्थ्य की दृष्टि से अत्यंत आवश्यक है।
 - 4. राष्ट्रीय एकता से ही आर्थिक विकास, सामाजिक समरसता और सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित होती है।

Q.9 नीचे दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में अशुद्धि है?
'ये कुत्ता किस जाती का है?'

- Ans
- 1. जाती
 - 2. ये
 - 3. का है
 - 4. कुत्ता किस

Q.10 वाक्य-विन्यास की दृष्टि से दिये गये वाक्य का शुद्ध रूप चुनें--
माँ के चरणों में स्वर्ग होता है और उनका हमेशा फलदायी होता है आशीर्वाद।

- Ans
- 1. माँ के चरणों में स्वर्ग होता है और उनका आशीर्वाद हमेशा होता है फलदायी।
 - 2. माँ के स्वर्ग होता है चरणों में और उनका आशीर्वाद हमेशा फलदायी होता है।
 - 3. माँ के चरणों में स्वर्ग होता है और उनका आशीर्वाद हमेशा फलदायी होता है।
 - 4. चरणों में स्वर्ग होता है और उनका आशीर्वाद हमेशा फलदायी होता है माँ के।

Q.11 निम्नलिखित वाक्य खंड को क्रम में लिखें -

1. राष्ट्रभक्ति की
2. ज्वाला प्रज्वलित की
3. स्वतंत्रता संग्राम
4. ने भारतीयों में

- Ans
- 1. 3412
 - 2. 1342
 - 3. 2134
 - 4. 3214

Q.12 बच्चे के हाथ से कलम छूटी। वाक्य में _____ कारक है। रेखांकित कारक चिह्न के आधार पर कारक के उचित भेद का चुनाव करें-

- Ans
- 1. सम्बंध कारक
 - 2. कर्ता कारक
 - 3. संप्रदान कारक
 - 4. अपादान कारक

Q.13 निम्नलिखित में से अतिरिक्त वाक्य वाले विकल्प को चुनिए-

- Ans
- 1. सच्चा जिज्ञासु छात्र वैज्ञानिक दृष्टिकोण अपनाकर अंधविश्वास और पुरानी मान्यताओं का खंडन करता है।
 - 2. प्रखर बुद्धि वाला बालक तार्किक चिंतन द्वारा समाज की कुरीतियों और भ्रमों को मिटाता है।
 - 3. आदर्श विद्यार्थी विज्ञान के नवीन प्रयोगों को व्यवहार में लाकर रूढ़ियों को त्याग देता है।
 - 4. अनुशासित छात्र नियमित रूप से विद्यालय जाकर अपनी काल्पनिक क्षमता और विश्वास को बढ़ाता है।

Q.14 निम्नलिखित वाक्य में क्रिया विशेषण का प्रयोग कर वाक्य पूर्ण करे -
तुम स्कूल जाओगे ?

- Ans
- 1. रहित
 - 2. तक
 - 3. कब
 - 4. अधिक

Q.15 दिए गए वाक्य में पूर्वकालिक क्रिया शब्द का चयन करके रिक्त स्थान की पूर्ति करें -

सरकार ने ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में सड़कों का निर्माण ----- आवागमन की सुविधा प्रदान की।

- Ans
- 1. समझाकर
 - 2. करवाकर
 - 3. सुनकर
 - 4. खरीदकर

Comprehension:

निम्नांकित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दिये गये गद्यांश के आधार पर दीजिए--

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SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 इस गद्यांश के लिए सबसे उपयुक्त शीर्षक क्या है?

Comprehension:

निम्नांकित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दिये गये गद्यांश के आधार पर दीजिए--

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SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 मुगल काल में राज्य की आमदनी का मुख्य ज़रिया क्या था?

Comprehension:

निम्नांकित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दिये गये गद्यांश के आधार पर दीजिए--

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 राजा टोडरमल का संबंध मुगल प्रशासन के किस क्षेत्र से था?

Comprehension:

निम्नांकित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दिये गये गद्यांश के आधार पर दीजिए--

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 मुगल काल की मुद्रा प्रणाली में सबसे महत्वपूर्ण सिक्का कौन-सा था?

Comprehension:

निम्नांकित प्रश्नों के उत्तर दिये गये गद्यांश के आधार पर दीजिए--

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 भारत को 'सोने की चिड़िया' क्यों कहा जाता था?

Section : Test of Hindi Language and Comprehension1

Q.1 'तीन कनोजिया, तेरह चूल्हे' लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ है -

- Ans
- 1. छुआछूत और अलगाव की दशा
 - 2. अधिक मज़ाक बुरा
 - 3. मुफ्त मिली चीज़ पर तर्क व्यर्थ
 - 4. कपटी

Q.2 नीचे दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में वर्तनी संबंधी अशुद्धि है ?
दुखमय अतीत का विस्मरण ही सुख है ।

- Ans
- 1. ही सुख है
 - 2. विस्मरण
 - 3. दुखमय
 - 4. अतीत का

Q.3 'तलवार' का पर्यायवाची क्या है?

- Ans
- 1. संतप्त
 - 2. भीति
 - 3. चंद्रहास
 - 4. प्रभंजन

Q.4 अंक का अनेकार्थी शब्द क्या है?

- Ans
- 1. वृक्ष
 - 2. गोद
 - 3. आनंद
 - 4. सेना

Q.5 रेखांकित शब्द की जगह उचित विकल्प का चयन कर वाक्य शुद्ध कीजिए।
'कंस का हत्या कृष्ण ने किया था।'

- Ans
- 1. संख्या
 - 2. वध
 - 3. अंश
 - 4. आहत

Q.6 निम्न में से कौन-सा शब्द तद्भव शब्द है ?

- Ans
- 1. पिपासा
 - 2. पर्यक
 - 3. पोखर
 - 4. पुण्य

Q.7 कौन सा शब्द तत्सम है?

- Ans
- 1. हीरा
 - 2. बाँह
 - 3. माथा
 - 4. स्वर्ण

Q.8 नीचे दी गई लोकोक्ति का अर्थ दिए गए विकल्पों में से चुनिए।
जैसा मुँह वैसा थप्पड़

- Ans
- 1. जैसा मालिक वैसे कर्मचारी
 - 2. दोनों एक से
 - 3. जो जिसके योग्य हो उसे वही मिलता है।
 - 4. ठीक मेल है

Q.9 'पतन' का विलोम शब्द क्या होगा?

- Ans
- 1. ऊष्म
 - 2. उर
 - 3. ऊर्जा
 - 4. उत्थान

Q.10 निम्नलिखित विकल्पों में 'दोना' का अनेकार्थी शब्द है -

- Ans
- 1. लकड़ी
 - 2. सांप
 - 3. द्रोण
 - 4. पतीला

Q.11 दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है?
उसने सब अधिकार अपने अधिन रखा है।

- Ans
- 1. रखा है।
 - 2. अपने अधिन
 - 3. अधिकार
 - 4. उसने सब

Q.12 'आँख एक नहीं, कजरौटा दस दस' लोकोक्ति का सही अर्थ इनमें से क्या होगा?

- Ans
- 1. व्यर्थ सुनना
 - 2. व्यर्थ देखना
 - 3. व्यर्थ आडंबर
 - 4. व्यर्थ बोलना

Q.13 "निर्भरता" का विलोम क्या होगा?

- Ans
- 1. स्वच्छंदता
 - 2. निर्बंधता
 - 3. स्वतंत्रता
 - 4. आत्मनिर्भरता

Q.14 निम्नांकित में से कौन-सा शब्द "विधि" का विलोम है?

- Ans
- 1. नियम
 - 2. विधान
 - 3. निषेध
 - 4. विधिवेत्ता

Q.15 निम्नलिखित वाक्य के वर्तनी दोष को पहचानकर सही वर्तनी का चयन कीजिए। 'कोश के इस नए संस्करण में बहुत से नए शब्द सामिल किए गए हैं।

- Ans
- 1. कोस
 - 2. शंस्करण
 - 3. षब्द
 - 4. शामिल

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए-

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SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 गद्यांश के लिए उपयुक्त शीर्षक चुनें।

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए-

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SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् की फ्रांसीसी भाषा में भूमिका किसने लिखी?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए-

महाकवि कालिदास विरचित संस्कृत नाटक अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् भारतीय साहित्य का एक अनमोल मोती है। अठारहवीं सदी के अंत में सर विलियम जोन्स ने अंग्रेज़ी में इसका अनुवाद किया तो यूरोप के साहित्य क्षेत्र में खलबली-सी मच गई। फिर इसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली उसका सहज अनुमान नहीं लगाया जा सकता है। पश्चिम की सभी भाषाओं यहाँ तक कि कबीलों की भाषाओं तक में इसका अनुवाद प्रकाशित हो चुका है। गोटे जैसे साहित्यकार ने इसकी जी खोलकर प्रशंसा की तो मोतबर जैसे कवि ने फ्रांसीसी भाषा में इसकी भूमिका भी लिखी। उर्दू भाषा के साहित्यकार ने इसका गद्यात्मक तथा पद्यात्मक दोनों प्रकार के अनुवाद उर्दू भाषा में प्रकाशित करके संस्कृत न जानने वाले अपने पाठकों तक इसे पहुँचाया। कालिदास तथा अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् की भूरि-भूरि प्रशंसा की। उर्दू के प्रसिद्ध समालोचक डॉ. इबादत बरेलवी ने लिखा है कि- "कालिदास के अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् को जिस प्रकार हाथों-हाथ लिया गया और उसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली वह विश्व की कम साहित्यिक रचनाओं को मिली होगी।" अब हैमलेट और फ्राउस्ट के साथ इसकी गणना विश्व के तीन प्रमुख नाटकों में की जाती है।

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SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 किस नाटक की गणना विश्व के तीन प्रमुख नाटकों में नहीं की जाती है?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए-

महाकवि कालिदास विरचित संस्कृत नाटक अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् भारतीय साहित्य का एक अनमोल मोती है। अठारहवीं सदी के अंत में सर विलियम जोन्स ने अंग्रेज़ी में इसका अनुवाद किया तो यूरोप के साहित्य क्षेत्र में खलबली-सी मच गई। फिर इसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली उसका सहज अनुमान नहीं लगाया जा सकता है। पश्चिम की सभी भाषाओं यहाँ तक कि कबीलों की भाषाओं तक में इसका अनुवाद प्रकाशित हो चुका है। गोटे जैसे साहित्यकार ने इसकी जी खोलकर प्रशंसा की तो मोतबर जैसे कवि ने फ्रांसीसी भाषा में इसकी भूमिका भी लिखी। उर्दू भाषा के साहित्यकार ने इसका गद्यात्मक तथा पद्यात्मक दोनों प्रकार के अनुवाद उर्दू भाषा में प्रकाशित करके संस्कृत न जानने वाले अपने पाठकों तक इसे पहुँचाया। कालिदास तथा अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् की भूरि-भूरि प्रशंसा की। उर्दू के प्रसिद्ध समालोचक डॉ. इबादत बरेलवी ने लिखा है कि- "कालिदास के अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् को जिस प्रकार हाथों-हाथ लिया गया और उसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली वह विश्व की कम साहित्यिक रचनाओं को मिली होगी।" अब हैमलेट और फ्राउस्ट के साथ इसकी गणना विश्व के तीन प्रमुख नाटकों में की जाती है।

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् का किस भाषा में गद्य तथा पद्य दोनों में अनुवाद किया गया?

Comprehension:

नीचे दिए गद्यांश के आधार पर प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए-

महाकवि कालिदास विरचित संस्कृत नाटक अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् भारतीय साहित्य का एक अनमोल मोती है। अठारहवीं सदी के अंत में सर विलियम जोन्स ने अंग्रेज़ी में इसका अनुवाद किया तो यूरोप के साहित्य क्षेत्र में खलबली-सी मच गई। फिर इसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली उसका सहज अनुमान नहीं लगाया जा सकता है। पश्चिम की सभी भाषाओं यहाँ तक कि कबीलों की भाषाओं तक में इसका अनुवाद प्रकाशित हो चुका है। गोटे जैसे साहित्यकार ने इसकी जी खोलकर प्रशंसा की तो मोतबर जैसे कवि ने फ्रांसीसी भाषा में इसकी भूमिका भी लिखी। उर्दू भाषा के साहित्यकार ने इसका गद्यात्मक तथा पद्यात्मक दोनों प्रकार के अनुवाद उर्दू भाषा में प्रकाशित करके संस्कृत न जानने वाले अपने पाठकों तक इसे पहुँचाया। कालिदास तथा अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् की भूरि-भूरि प्रशंसा की। उर्दू के प्रसिद्ध समालोचक डॉ. इबादत बरेलवी ने लिखा है कि- "कालिदास के अभिज्ञानशाकुंतलम् को जिस प्रकार हाथों-हाथ लिया गया और उसे जो प्रसिद्धि मिली वह विश्व की कम साहित्यिक रचनाओं को मिली होगी।" अब हैमलेट और फ्राउस्ट के साथ इसकी गणना विश्व के तीन प्रमुख नाटकों में की जाती है।

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सा कथन गद्यांश के आधार पर असत्य है?