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English Version

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### About this Paper

This is the **OSSSC Combined Recruitment Examination (CRE) 2025** Preliminary written test (Advt. IIE-120/2025-3219) for the posts of Revenue Inspector, ICDS Supervisor, Village Agricultural Worker, Junior Assistant, Assistant Revenue Inspector, Amin & Statistical Field Surveyor — **17 Jun 2026, 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM** shift, **English version**, with the correct option marked as per the official answer key.

**Exam pattern:** 100 questions · 100 marks · 90 minutes. Sections: Mathematics 20, General Studies 20, English 20, Odia 15, Computer 15, Logical Reasoning 10. Marking: **+1** correct, **-0.25** wrong.

✓ Correct option (highlighted green)

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## Quant

## Q1 Quant

A shopkeeper offers two successive discounts of 10% and 20% on a shirt marked at ₹1,000. What is the selling price?

A. A. ₹700

B. B. ₹720 

C. D. ₹750

D. C. ₹770

## Q2 Quant

The ratio of marks obtained by three students P, Q, R is 3 : 4 : 5. If the difference between the highest and lowest marks is 40, find the marks of Q.

A. D. 60

B. C. 80 

C. A. 85

D. B. 90

## Q3 Quant

A boat can travel 20 km downstream in 2 hours and the same distance upstream in 5 hours. Find the speed of the stream.

A. B. 3 km/hr 

B. C. 2 km/hr

C. D. 3.5 km/hr

D. A. 2.5 km/hr

## Q4 Quant

The average speed of car during a journey should be 70 km per hour. It covers 50% of the total distance of the journey with a speed of 62 km per hour. What is its speed in the rest 50% distance of the journey in km per hour? (Round your answer to the nearest integer)

A. D. 72

B. A. 74

C. B. 76

D. C. 80 

## Q5 Quant

Mahesh's income increased successively by 10%, 20%, 30%, and 40% over four years. If his income after four years is ₹4,80,480, what was 40% of his initial income (in ₹)?

A. B. 80,000 

B. C. 1,20,000

C. A. 1,60,000

D. D. 60,000

## Q6 Quant

The ratio of the number of girls to boys in a class of 198 students is 4 : 7. If 18 boys left the class, find how many new girls would be admitted so that the number of girls and the number of boys becomes equal.

A. 18

B. 24

C. 30

D. 36 

## Q7 Quant

The following data gives the total scores (out of 500 marks) of 14 students in a class.

Total Score	252	280	308	322	406
No. of students	3	4	3	3	1

Find the average score of these 14 students.

A. C. 291

B. A. 298 

C. B. 301

D. D. 311

## Q8 Quant

Divide ₹8330 into three parts in such a way that half of the first part, one-fourth of the second part and one-eighth of the third part are equal. What is the value of the second part (in ₹)?

A. C. 2380 

B. D. 2880

C. A. 3880

D. B. 2980

**Q9 Quant**

If the compound interest on a sum of ₹y at 5% per year for 2 years, compounded annually, is ₹246, what will be the amount after 2 years?

A. D. ₹2646

B. A. ₹2554

C. C. ₹2900

D. B. ₹2246

**Q10 Quant**

In triangle ABC, the sides have lengths AB = 7 cm, BC = 9 cm, and AC = 14 cm. If AD is the angle bisector of angle BAC, and D lies on BC, find the length (in cm) of BD.

A. C. 3

B. D. 6

C. B. 7

D. A. 10

**Q11 Quant**

The length of a rectangle is twice its breadth. If the length is decreased by half of 20 cm and the breadth is increased by half of 20 cm, the area of the rectangle becomes  $200 \text{ cm}^2$ . Find the breadth of the rectangle (in cm).

A. C. 40

B. B. 30

C. D. 20

D. A. 10

**Q12 Quant**

In what time (in months) will ₹3,000 fetch an interest of ₹380 at 8% per year simple interest?

A. B. 19

B. C. 16

C. A. 17

D. D. 23

**Q13 Quant**

A number when increased by 60%, gives 3930. The number is:

A. C. 2456.25

B. B. 2912.53

C. D. 1228.12

D. A. 1768.75

**Q14 Quant**

Ashok can prepare one wooden wardrobe in 2 days and Robin can prepare the same wardrobe in 3 days. If they work together, in how many days will they prepare 115 wardrobes of the same kind?

A. C. 138

B. D. 134

C. A. 140

D. B. 142

**Q15 Quant**

The marked price of a television set is ₹74,300. It is sold to a retailer after two successive discounts of 20% and 30%. The retailer wants to earn a profit of 50% on his cost price after allowing a 16% discount on the marked price set by him to the customer. At what price should he mark the television set?

A. C. ₹74,300

B. B. ₹74,397

C. D. ₹74,173

D. A. ₹74,491

**Q16 Quant**

The roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2x - 143 = 0$  are \_\_\_\_\_.

A. A. positive

B. C. equal

C. D. one positive and other negative

D. B. negative



**Q17 Quant**

A can complete a work in 6 days while B can do it in 12 days. If they work together and complete it, the portion of work done by A is:

A.  $\frac{2}{3}$



B.  $\frac{1}{3}$

C.  $\frac{4}{5}$

D.  $\frac{3}{5}$

**Q18 Quant**

Simplify  $49 \div 7 \times (6 + 3) - 6$ .

A. B. 57



B. C. 54

C. A. 53

D. D. 52

**Q19 Quant**

Simplify:  $72 - \{(-17) \times [(-7 - 5 - 7)]\} \div [2 \times \{9 + (-1) \times (-2)\}]$

A.  $\frac{1261}{22}$



B.  $\frac{1269}{22}$

C.  $\frac{1253}{22}$

D.  $\frac{1254}{22}$

**Q20 Quant**

The perimeter of a square is 36 cm. What is the length (in cm) of its diagonal?

A.  $6\sqrt{2}$

B.  $12\sqrt{2}$

C.  $9\sqrt{2}$



D.  $18\sqrt{2}$

## Q21 GA

Which of the following universities won Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (MAKA) Trophy 2024?

- A. A. Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar
- B. B. Lovely Professional University
- C. C. Chandigarh University
- D. D. Delhi University

## Q22 GA

In June 2025, which of the following operations was launched by the Government of India to evacuate Indian nationals from conflict zones in Iran and Israel?

- A. A. Operation Shiva
- B. B. Operation Sindoor
- C. D. Operation Sukoon
- D. C. Operation Sindhu

## Q23 GA

Which of the following is the operation launched by the Indian Army in 2025 for Amarnath Yatra security of pilgrims?

- A. D. Operation Shiva
- B. B. Operation Sindoor
- C. C. Operation Sukoon
- D. A. Operation Devi Shakti

## Q24 GA

The Odisha government in 2022 has designated Mahendragiri hill in Gajapati district as a \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. D. Tiger Reserve
- B. C. Biosphere Reserve
- C. B. Biodiversity Heritage Site
- D. A. Ramsar Site

## Q25 GA

Which of the following is the deepest oceanic trench in the world?

- A. D. Mariana Trench
- B. A. Tonga Trench
- C. B. Philippine Trench
- D. C. Kuril-Kamchatka Trench

## Q26 GA

Which classical dance form, deeply rooted in the temple traditions of Jagannath in Puri and recognised by the Sangeet Natak Akademi as one of India's classical dances, represents a major aspect of Odisha's cultural history?

- A. D. Bharatanatyam
- B. B. Kathak
- C. A. Odissi
- D. C. Kuchipudi

## Q27 GA

The persistence of sound in a large hall due to repeated reflections from the walls is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. C. Echo
- B. D. Reverberation
- C. B. Vibration
- D. A. Diffraction

## Q28 GA

Which highway was reported to be submerged due to flooding in Odisha's Koraput-Malkangiri region in August 2025?

- A. C. NH 326
- B. A. NH 249
- C. B. NH 116
- D. D. NH 203

## Q29 GA

Two Odisha teachers (Basanta K. Rana, Tarun K. Dash) received National Teachers' Awards 2025. They serve in which districts?

- A. D. Malkangiri & Koraput
- B. C. Ganjam & Nayagarh
- C. B. Khordha & Puri
- D. A. Cuttack & Kandhamal

## Q30 GA

The cytoplasm is the cell's \_\_\_\_\_ within the plasma membrane containing specialized \_\_\_\_\_ for functions.

- A. C. fluid; organelles
- B. A. sap; ribose
- C. D. matrix; genes
- D. B. wall; pores



**Q31 GA**

Which of the following judges presided over Mahatma Gandhi's sedition trial in 1922?

- A. A. Lord Reading
- B. C. Sir John Stanley
- C. B. Justice Ranade
- D. D. Justice C.N. Broomfield

**Q32 GA**

Lionel Messi won the 2025 MLS Golden Boot while playing for which club?

- A. A. Inter Miami CF
- B. C. LA Galaxy
- C. D. New York City FC
- D. B. Atlanta United

**Q33 GA**

The Godavari River is often referred to as the "Dakshin Ganga" in Indian geography. Which of the following best explains this designation?

- A. D. It originates from the Himalayan mountain system
- B. A. It is the longest river in the Indian subcontinent
- C. C. It has an extensive course and the largest drainage basin in Peninsular India
- D. B. It flows westward similar to the Narmada River

**Q34 GA**

Which Article of the Indian Constitution deals with the power of the Parliament to amend the Constitution and its procedure?

- A. A. Article 356
- B. D. Article 370
- C. C. Article 352
- D. B. Article 368

**Q35 GA**

Which of the following is India's largest multi-sport event at the national level, organized by the Indian Olympic Association?

- A. D. Khelo India Youth Games
- B. B. National Games of India
- C. A. All India University Games
- D. C. School Games Federation of India Games

**Q36 GA**

Which stage of disaster management focuses on actions taken before a disaster to reduce its impact?

- A. C. Relief stage
- B. D. Recovery stage
- C. A. Mitigation stage
- D. B. Damage assessment stage

**Q37 GA**

In which of Derozio's works does he skillfully narrate the plight of a young Hindu widow, demonstrating both narrative and technical abilities?

- A. C. The long poem The Fakeer of Jungheera
- B. A. The essays written during his journalistic career
- C. B. The sonnet The Harp of India
- D. D. Collection of his shorter lyric poems

**Q38 GA**

Why is bleaching powder used in the textile industry?

- A. B. To add fragrance to fabrics
- B. A. To increase the softness of cloth
- C. D. To remove colour and stains from fabric
- D. C. To disinfect the fabric

**Q39 GA**

Which of the following is NOT one among the dimensions considered in calculating the Human Development Index (HDI)?

- A. D. Life expectancy at birth
- B. A. Gross national income per capita
- C. C. Employment rate
- D. B. Mean years of schooling for adults

**Q40 GA**

According to India Wood Sector Report, 2021, which of the following is a banned tree found in the Tropical Evergreen Forests of India?

- A. C. Rosewood
- B. D. Halmaddi
- C. A. Sandalwood
- D. B. Ebony



## Q41 English

Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.

She was resilient in pursuing her objective in spite of the constant criticism she received.

A. B. Fragile



B. A. Courageous

C. D. Centred

D. C. Composed

## Q42 English

Which sentence uses the correct form of the past tense?

A. C. Manish speak very well during the debate.

B. B. Manish spoken very well during the debate.

C. D. Manish spoke very well during the debate.



D. A. Manish speaking very well during the debate.

## Q43 English

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

P= A broader shift toward more controlled and secure travel policies

Q= While citizens of these nations will still be able to visit Brazil

R= For up to 90 days for business

S= And student purposes without a visa, the change represents

A. B. QRSP

B. D. SQRP

C. A. PRQS



D. C. RQSP

## Q44 English

Convert the following sentence from Active to Passive Voice.

The teacher is explaining the lesson to the students.

A. A. The lesson is explained the students by the teacher.

B. B. The lesson is being explained to the students by the teacher.



C. C. The lesson was explained to the students by the teacher.

D. D. The lesson will be explained to the students by the teacher.



#### Q45 English

Choose the option that correctly replaces the underlined idiom in the sentence below.

The advocate decided to let the cat out of the bag during the final hearing.

A. D. hide the main argument

B. B. reveal the hidden secret

C. A. withdraw from the hearing

D. C. confuse the opposing lawyer

#### Q46 English

Select the correct antonym for the underlined word from the options.

The driver pressed the pedal to accelerate quickly and merge safely onto the highway.

A. B. decrease

B. D. exhilarate

C. A. exaggerate

D. C. accomplish

#### Q47 English

Identify the misspelt word in the given sentence and rectify the error by choosing the correct option.

Researchers studied the migratory patterns of whales to analyze changes in ocean currents caused by climate shifts.

A. B. reserchers

B. C. migretory

C. A. analyze

D. D. curents

#### Q48 English

Select the correct meaning of the idiom that can replace the underlined words.

After missing the final shot, the captain was advised not to dwell on it and focus on the next match.

A. D. think continuously about it

B. B. blame others for it

C. C. discuss it publicly

D. A. deny responsibility for it

#### Q49 English

Complete the reported speech form of the following sentence correctly.

Sentence: "Did you finish the report last night?" the manager asked me.

The manager asked me \_\_\_\_\_

A. B. if I finished the report the previous night.

B. D. if I had finished the report the previous night.

C. C. did I finish the report last night?

D. A. whether I finished the report last night.



### Q50 English

Complete the sentence by selecting the appropriate option.

The athlete trained \_\_\_\_\_ for the competition and performed \_\_\_\_\_ during the final match, securing a decisive victory.

A. D. irregularly, poorly

B. C. diligently, exceptionally



C. B. casually, inadequately

D. A. reluctantly, barely

### Q51 English

Read the passage and answer the questions that follow:

Trees play an essential role in maintaining ecological balance and supporting life on Earth. They absorb carbon dioxide and release oxygen, making the air breathable for living organisms. In addition to improving air quality, trees help regulate temperature by providing shade and reducing the impact of heat. Their roots bind the soil together, preventing erosion and maintaining soil fertility. Furthermore, trees serve as habitats for numerous species of birds, insects, and animals, thereby supporting biodiversity. They also contribute to the water cycle by facilitating rainfall and maintaining groundwater levels. Despite their importance, deforestation continues to threaten ecosystems across the globe. Human activities such as urban expansion and industrial development often lead to the large-scale removal of trees. Protecting and planting trees is therefore crucial for sustaining environmental health. Awareness and collective action can ensure that future generations inherit a greener and more balanced planet.

Identify a suitable title for the passage:

A. D. The Importance of Trees in Maintaining Environmental Balance



B. C. The Effects of Industrial Growth on Natural Landscapes

C. A. The Role of Animals in Supporting Ecosystem Stability

D. B. The Development of Urban Areas in Modern Society

### Q52 English

Identify the facts given in the passage:

A. B. Trees grow only in specific climates and limited regions

B. C. Trees do not influence rainfall or water cycle processes

C. D. Trees are mainly useful for decorative urban purposes

D. A. Trees absorb carbon dioxide and release oxygen into the air



### Q53 English

Identify the tone of the passage:

A. D. Critical and dismissive

B. A. Informative and concerned



C. B. Humorous and entertaining

D. C. Indifferent and neutral



**Q54 English**

Identify the structure of the passage:

- A. A. Problem introduced followed by causes, effects, and solution
- B. C. Chronological sequence of historical environmental events
- C. B. Dialogue between experts discussing scientific theories
- D. D. Narrative story focusing on fictional environmental changes

**Q55 English**

Select the correct summary for the passage:

- A. C. Trees are only important for providing shade in urban areas
- B. B. Trees mainly help animals and do not affect human life
- C. D. Trees support environment, face threats, and need protection
- D. A. Trees are gradually becoming less important in modern times

**Q56 English**

Choose the correct option to complete the sentence.

The author is well known \_\_\_\_\_ his contributions to modern literature.

- A. B. for
- B. D. with
- C. C. at
- D. A. in

**Q57 English**

Select the most appropriate option that can replace the underlined segment in the given sentence.

He was declared an (a) enemy of the country and exiled.

- A. C. traitor
- B. B. patriot
- C. D. anarchist
- D. A. adversary

**Q58 English**

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

- P. that he is meeting with
- Q. who has been searching for a job for a few months
- R. and is getting disappointed by the failures
- S. it seems that he is an unemployed youngster

- A. A. SQRP
- B. C. SPRQ
- C. D. RQSP
- D. B. RSPQ



**Q59 English**

Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

The study of the origin and development of societies

A. B. Psychology

B. C. Sociology

C. D. Anthropology

D. A. Archaeology

**Q60 English**

Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

She adopted \_\_\_ cat from the animal shelter yesterday.

A. A. a

B. D. an

C. C. the

D. B. that

**Odia****Q61 Odia**

କ୍ରିୟା ବିଶେଷଣ ପଦ ବ୍ୟବହାର କରି ବାକ୍ୟଟିକୁ ସମ୍ପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ କର ।

"ଚାନ୍ଦିନୀ ରାସ୍ତାରେ \_\_\_ ପଡ଼ିଗଲା ।"

A. A. ଧୀରେ ଧୀରେ

B. C. ଚାଲୁଚାଲୁ

C. B. ହସି ହସି

D. D. ବାରମ୍ବାର

**Q62 Odia**

ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ଶବ୍ଦଗୁଡ଼ିକର ସମାନାର୍ଥବୋଧକ ଶବ୍ଦ ଲେଖା

ଆଜି ମୁଁ ଏକ "ନୂତନ" ବହି କଣିଲି।

A. B. ପୁରୁଣା

B. D. ଅଧୁନିକ

C. A. ଦୀର୍ଘ

D. C. ଅନନ୍ତ

**Q63 Odia**

ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ବିକଳ୍ପଗୁଡ଼ିକରୁ ଦିଆଯାଇଥିବା ଇଂରାଜୀ ବାକ୍ୟଟିର ସଠିକ୍ ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଅନୁବାଦ ବାଛନ୍ତୁ:

Ashoka was a great emperor of the Maurya dynasty.

A. C. ଅଶୋକ ମୌର୍ଯ୍ୟ ସାମ୍ରାଜ୍ୟର ଏକ ମହାନ ସମ୍ରାଟ ଥିଲେ।

B. A. ଆଶୋକ ମୌର୍ଯ୍ୟ ବଂଶର ଏକ ମହାନ ସମ୍ରାଟ୍ ଅଟନ୍ତି।

C. D. ଆଶୋକ ମୌର୍ଯ୍ୟ ବଂଶର ଏକ ମହାନ ସମ୍ରାଟ୍ ଅଛନ୍ତି।

D. B. ଆଶୋକ ମୌର୍ଯ୍ୟ ବଂଶର ଏକ ମହାନ ସମ୍ରାଟ୍ ହେଉଛନ୍ତି।



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**Q64 Odia**

ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ବିକଳ୍ପଗୁଡ଼ିକରୁ ଦିଆଯାଇଥିବା ଇଂରାଜୀ ବାକ୍ୟଟିର ସଠିକ୍ ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଅନୁବାଦ ବାଛନ୍ତୁ:  
The literacy rate in India has improved in recent years.

A. D. ଭାରତର ସାକ୍ଷରତା ହାର ନିକଟ ବର୍ଷରେ ଉନ୍ନତ ହୋଇଛି।



B. C. ଭାରତର ସାକ୍ଷରତା ହାର ଶେଷ ବର୍ଷ ଉନ୍ନତ ହୋଇଛି।

C. A. ଭାରତର ସାକ୍ଷରତା ହାର ଶେଷ ବର୍ଷ ଭଲ ହୋଇଛି।

D. B. ଭାରତ ସାକ୍ଷରତା ହାର ଶେଷ କିଛି ବର୍ଷ ଭଲ ଅଛି।

**Q65 Odia**

ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ବିକଳ୍ପଗୁଡ଼ିକରୁ ଦିଆଯାଇଥିବା ଇଂରାଜୀ ବାକ୍ୟଟିର ସଠିକ୍ ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଅନୁବାଦ ବାଛନ୍ତୁ:  
The national flag of India has three horizontal stripes of different colors.

A. C. ଭାରତର ଜାତୀୟ ପତାକାରେ ଭିନ୍ନ ରଙ୍ଗର ତିନୋଟି ସମସ୍ତରୀୟ ପଟା ରହିଛି।



B. B. ଭାରତର ଜାତୀୟ ପତାକା ତିନୋଟି ଭିନ୍ନ ରଙ୍ଗ ଅନୁଲମ୍ବ ପଟି ଅଛନ୍ତି।

C. A. ଭାରତ ଜାତୀୟ ପତାକାରେ ତିନୋଟି ଭିନ୍ନ ରଙ୍ଗ ଅଛି।

D. D. ଭାରତର ଜାତୀୟ ପତାକା ତିନୋଟି ରଙ୍ଗ ଅନୁଲମ୍ବ ପଟି ହେଉଛି।

**Q66 Odia**

ସଠିକ୍ ତତ୍ତ୍ୱ ଶବ୍ଦ ବାଛନ୍ତୁ: "ଆଖି" ର ତତ୍ତ୍ୱ କଣ?

A. D. ନୟନ

B. C. ଦୃଷ୍ଟି

C. B. ଚକ୍ଷୁ



D. A. ଦେଖା

**Q67 Odia**

ଉପଯୁକ୍ତ ବିଶେଷଣ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଶୂନ୍ୟସ୍ଥାନ ପୂରଣ କର ।  
କ୍ରମେ କ୍ରମେ ତାଙ୍କ ଶରୀର \_ହୋଇପଡ଼ୁଛି ।

A. D. ଶକ୍ତିଶାଳୀ

B. A. ଦୁର୍ବଳ



C. C. ସୁନ୍ଦର

D. B. ମନୋହର

**Q68 Odia**

କେଉଁଟି ତତ୍ତ୍ୱ ଶବ୍ଦ ଚିହ୍ନଟ କର ?

A. A. ଜଗତ

B. B. ଝଙ୍କାର

C. D. ମିଠା



D. C. ପର୍ବ



Q69 Odia

ନିମ୍ନୋକ୍ତ ଅନୁଛେଦକୁ ପଢ଼ି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନଗୁଡ଼ିକର ଉତ୍ତର ଚୟନ କର ।

ମହର୍ଷି ଭରଦ୍ଵାଜଙ୍କ ପୁତ୍ର ଥିଲେ ଦ୍ରୋଣ। କୃପାଚାର୍ଯ୍ୟଙ୍କ ଭଗ୍ନୀ କୃପାଙ୍କୁ ବିବାହ କରିଥିଲେ। ପରବର୍ତ୍ତୀ ସମୟରେ କୌରବ ଶତଭ୍ରାତା ତଥା ପାଣ୍ଡବଙ୍କର ଶସ୍ତ୍ର ଗୁରୁ ଭାବେ ମାନ୍ୟତା ପାଇଥିଲେ। ଜଣେ ଶସ୍ତ୍ର ଗୁରୁ ଭାବରେ ଖ୍ୟାତିଲାଭ କରିବା ପଛରେ ଏକ ରୋଚକ ତଥ୍ୟ ଅଛି। ଦ୍ରୋଣଙ୍କର ବିଶେଷତ୍ଵ ଥିଲା ପରଶୁରାମଙ୍କ ଶିଷ୍ୟ ଭାବରେ ପରଶୁରାମ ଥିଲେ ଅଜେୟ ଯୋଦ୍ଧା ଯିଏ କି ଥରେ ଦୁଇଥର ନୁହେଁ, ହେଁ, ଏକୋଇଶ ବାର ପୃଥିବୀ ନିକ୍ଷତ୍ଵ କରିଥିଲେ ନିଜ କଠୋର ପ୍ରତିଜ୍ଞା ପୂରଣ ନିମନ୍ତେ। ଆର୍ଥକ ଅବସ୍ଥା ସୁଜ୍ଞାନ ନଥିଲା। ଉତ୍କଟ ଦାରିଦ୍ର୍ୟ ସହ ସୂଝୁଥିଲେ। ଏଇ ସମୟରେ ଶୁଣିବାକୁ ପାଇଲେ ପ୍ରୟାଗ ତୀର୍ଥରେ ଜମଦଗ୍ନି ରଷିଙ୍କ ପୁଅ ପରଶୁରାମ ନିଜର ଯାହାକିଛି ଧନସମ୍ପତ୍ତି ଅଛି ସେ ସବୁକୁ ଦାନ କରିବାରେ ଲାଗିଛନ୍ତି। ମନକୁ ଆସିଲା ପରଶୁରାମଙ୍କ କୃପା କଣିକା ଲାଭ କଲେ ଦାରିଦ୍ର୍ୟ ଦୂର ହୋଇଯିବ ନିଶ୍ଚୟ। ଅନେକ ଆଶା ନେଇ ପରଶୁରାମଙ୍କ ନିକଟକୁ ଯାଇଥିଲେ। ହେଲେ ଧନଲାଭର ଯେଉଁ ବଡ଼ ଆଶା ନେଇ ସେ ଯାଇଥିଲେ, ତାଙ୍କୁ ନିରାଶ ହେବାକୁ ପଡ଼ିଥିଲା। ସେତେବେଳକୁ ବହୁତ ବିଳମ୍ବ ହୋଇଯାଇଥିଲା। ପରଶୁରାମ ତାଙ୍କର ସମ୍ପଦ ଦାନ କରି ସାରିଥାନ୍ତି । ପରଶୁରାମ ଦିବ୍ୟଦୃଷ୍ଟି ବଳରେ ଜାଣି ପାରିଥିଲେ, ଦ୍ରୋଣ ଜଣେ ମହା ତେଜସ୍ଵୀ ବ୍ରାହ୍ମଣ ବୋଲି । ଜଣେ ତେଜସ୍ଵୀ ବ୍ରାହ୍ମଣ ତାଙ୍କ ନିକଟକୁ କିଛି ପ୍ରାପ୍ତି ଆଶାରେ ଆସି ନିରାଶ ହୋଇ ଫେରି ଯିବାକୁ ଉଚିତ ମଣି ନଥିଲେ । ତାଙ୍କ ପରିଚୟ ପଚାରିବାରୁ ଜାଣିବାକୁ ପାଇଥିଲେ ସେ ହେଉଛନ୍ତି ମହର୍ଷି ଭରଦ୍ଵାଜଙ୍କ ଡନୟ । ତାଙ୍କଠାରେ ଯେଉଁ ପ୍ରତିଭା ଲୁକ୍କାୟିତ ଭାବରେ ରହିଛି ତାହା କଥାବାର୍ତ୍ତାରୁ ଠଉରାଇ ନେଇଥିଲେ ପରଶୁରାମ। ଧନସମ୍ପଦ ସିନା ଦେଇପାରି ନ ଥିଲେ, ହେଲେ ପାଖରେ ରଖି ଅସ୍ତ୍ରବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ଦେଇଥିଲେ। ଅସ୍ତ୍ର ବିଦ୍ୟାରେ ତାଙ୍କୁ ଜଣେ ପାରଙ୍ଗମ, ଦୁର୍ଜୟ ଯୋଦ୍ଧା ଭାବରେ ପରିଗଣିତ କରାଇବାର ଦାୟିତ୍ଵ ନେଇଥିଲେ ପରଶୁରାମ । ଗୁରୁଙ୍କ ଉପଯୁକ୍ତ ଦିଗ୍‌ଦର୍ଶନରେ ଦ୍ରୋଣାଚାର୍ଯ୍ୟ ଅସ୍ତ୍ରବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷାସହ ରଣକୌଶଳ ଶିଖି ଅଳ୍ପଦିନ ବ୍ୟବଧାନରେ ଜଣେ ପ୍ରବୀଣ ଅସ୍ତ୍ର ବିଶାରଦ ହୋଇଗଲେ । ପରଶୁରାମଙ୍କଠାରୁ ଯୁଦ୍ଧବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିକ୍ଷା ହେଁ ତାଙ୍କୁ ଜଣେ ଅସାଧାରଣ ଯୋଦ୍ଧାର ମାନ୍ୟତା ଦେଇଥିଲା। ଆହରିତ ଜ୍ଞାନ ବଳରେ କୃପାଧ୍ୟାୟ କୌରବ-ପାଣ୍ଡବ ଖେଳୁଥିବା କନୁକ ଉଦ୍ଧାର କରି ପିତାମହ ଭୀଷ୍ମ କର୍ତ୍ତୃକ ନିୟୁକ୍ତି ପାଇଥିଲେ କୌରବ-ପାଣ୍ଡବ ଭ୍ରାତାଙ୍କ ଶସ୍ତ୍ର ଗୁରୁ ଭାବରେ। ଏହି ନିୟୁକ୍ତି ହେଁ ତାଙ୍କ ଜୀବନରେ ଆଣିଥିଲା ଅତୁଟପୂର୍ବ ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନ।

ଉପରୋକ୍ତ ଅନୁଛେଦର ସ୍ଵର ଚିହ୍ନଟ କର ?

- A. A. ହାସ୍ୟମୟ
- B. D. ପ୍ରେରଣାଦାୟକ ଓ ଜ୍ଞାନମୂଳକ
- C. B. ତ୍ୟାଗ
- D. C. ବ୍ୟଙ୍ଗମୂଳକ

Q70 Odia

'ସୁଜ୍ଞଳ' ଶବ୍ଦର ଅର୍ଥ କ'ଣ?

- A. C. ଦରିଦ୍ର
- B. A. ସମ୍ବଳ ଓ ସୁବିଧାସମ୍ପନ୍ନ
- C. B. ଅଶାନ୍ତ
- D. D. ଅଳ୍ପ

Q71 Odia

ଏହି ଗଦ୍ୟାଂଶର ଗଢଣ ଚିହ୍ନଟ କର ?

- A. D. କାଳ୍ପନିକ
- B. A. ଐତିହାସିକ
- C. C. ପୌରାଣିକ
- D. B. ସାମାଜିକ

Q72 Odia

ଅନୁଛେଦର ତଥ୍ୟଟି ଚିହ୍ନଟ କର ?

- A. B. ଦ୍ରୋଣ ଧନୀ ପରିବାରରେ ଜନ୍ମ ନେଇଥିଲେ
- B. A. ପରଶୁରାମ ତାଙ୍କୁ ଧନସମ୍ପଦ ଦେଇଥିଲେ
- C. C. ପରଶୁରାମ ଦ୍ରୋଣଙ୍କୁ ଅସ୍ତ୍ରବିଦ୍ୟା ଶିଖାଇଥିଲେ
- D. D. ଦ୍ରୋଣ ଯୁଦ୍ଧକୁ ଭୟ କରୁଥିଲେ

### Q73 Odia

ଅନୁଚ୍ଛେଦରେ ଦିଆଯାଇଥିବା "ଉପଯୁକ୍ତ" ର ବିପରୀତ ଶବ୍ଦଟି ଚୟନ କର ।

- A. B. ଅପକାର
- B. C. ଅବସାନ
- C. A. ଅନୁପଯୁକ୍ତ ✓
- D. D. ଅନୁପଗତ

### Q74 Odia

"ପବନ ଧୀରେ ବହୁଛି" ଏହି ବାକ୍ୟରେ କ୍ରିୟା ବିଶେଷଣ ପଦଟି କିଏ?

- A. A. ପବନ
- B. C. ଧୀରେ ✓
- C. D. ବହୁଛି
- D. B. କୌଣସିଟି ନୁହେଁ

### Q75 Odia

'ବିରାଡ଼ି କପାଳକୁ ଶିକା ଛିଣ୍ଡିବା' ଏହି ରୂଢ଼ିର ଅର୍ଥ କଣ?

- A. D. ବିରାଡ଼ି ଶିକା ଛିଣ୍ଡାଇବା
- B. A. ଅପେକ୍ଷା କରିବା
- C. C. ହଠାତ୍ ଅପ୍ରତ୍ୟାଶିତ ସୁବିଧା ମିଳିବା ✓
- D. B. ଦୁର୍ଭାଗ୍ୟ ଆସିବା

## Computer

### Q76 Computer

Which of the following is considered application software in Windows 11?

- A. B. BIOS
- B. C. Microsoft Word ✓
- C. A. Windows 11
- D. D. Device Driver

### Q77 Computer

A document editor wants to achieve an effect where the first line of every paragraph is indented further than the rest of the paragraph's lines, but also needs the entire paragraph to maintain a 1-inch distance from the left margin. Which two specific settings within the Paragraph Dialog Box must be configured to achieve this precise formatting?

- A. B. Alignment set to "Justified" and Spacing set to "Single"
- B. D. Indentation (Left) set to "1 inch" and Special set to "Hanging"
- C. C. Indentation (Left) set to "1 inch" and Special set to "First line" ✓
- D. A. Spacing (Before) set to "12 pt" and Special set to "First line"

### Q78 Computer

To make an audio file play automatically when a slide appears in PowerPoint, which of the following should one choose under Audio Options?

- A. A. In Click Sequence
- B. C. When Clicked
- C. D. Automatically ✓
- D. B. Play in Background

### Q79 Computer

Which menu lets users set up how the slideshow will run?

- A. B. Home → Setup
- B. A. Slide Show → Set Up Slide Show ✓
- C. C. Insert → Slide Show Setup
- D. D. View → Slide Show Setup



#### Q80 Computer

In MS-Excel, text is by default aligned:

- A. B. Left
- B. A. Right
- C. D. Center
- D. C. Justify

#### Q81 Computer

Which of the following services allows real-time text-based communication between users?

- A. D. FTP
- B. B. Chatting or Instant Messaging
- C. A. Telnet
- D. C. Newsgroup

#### Q82 Computer

Which Internet service protocol is primarily used for transferring files between computers over a network?

- A. B. SMTP
- B. C. FTP
- C. A. IMAP
- D. D. POP3

#### Q83 Computer

ASCII is used in computers for which major purpose?

- A. B. To store audio files
- B. D. To represent characters using numeric codes
- C. C. To increase network speed
- D. A. To format Compact Disks

#### Q84 Computer

Which of the following is the best example of Application Software?

- A. A. Windows 11 Operating System
- B. D. Microsoft Word 2021
- C. C. Device Driver for a printer
- D. B. BIOS (Basic Input/Output System)

#### Q85 Computer

What is the use of placing a dollar sign (\$) before column and/or row in a formula in MS Excel 2021 ?

- A. D. To create absolute references that don't shift when copied
- B. B. For currency format
- C. C. To color cells
- D. A. To enable macros

#### Q86 Computer

Bullets and numbering in MS Word documents are used to:

- A. D. change font size
- B. A. create organized lists
- C. B. insert images
- D. C. change page orientation

#### Q87 Computer

Page formatting DOES NOT include:

- A. B. Margins and page orientation
- B. A. Headers and footers
- C. C. Page numbers
- D. D. Table of contents

#### Q88 Computer

Which of the following CD/DVD has a capacity of 25 GB, and allows for higher quality video and audio with higher resolution?

- A. A. CD-ROM
- B. D. CD-R
- C. B. DVD
- D. C. Blu-ray



**Q89 Computer**

Which option must you select in order to fit the spreadsheet on one page?

A. C. Page Layout → Scale to Fit

B. D. Page Layout → Margins

C. B. Page Layout → Orientation

D. A. Page Layout → Print Area

**Q90 Computer**

Which keyboard shortcut starts the slideshow from the current slide in PowerPoint 2024?

A. C. F5

B. A. Shift + F5

C. D. Alt + F5

D. B. Ctrl + Enter

**Reasoning****Q91 Reasoning**

In a certain code language,  
'A + B' means 'A is the wife of B',  
'A - B' means 'A is the brother of B',  
'A x B' means 'A is the mother of B',  
'A = B' means 'A is the father of B'.

How is P related to Q if 'P x R - Y + S = Q'?

A. D. Mother's mother

B. C. Father's sister

C. B. Wife's father's mother

D. A. Wife's mother's sister's daughter

**Q92 Reasoning**

What should come in place of the '?' in the given series based on the English alphabetical order to make it logically complete?

PUY OTX NSW MRV ?

A. A. LQU

B. B. LQV

C. C. LRU

D. D. LRV

**Q93 Reasoning**

If + means -, - means ×, × means ÷, ÷ means +, then what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

$$49 - 2 \div 5 + 36 \times 12 = ?$$

A. B. 60

B. A. 80

C. D. 100

D. C. 120

**Q94 Reasoning**

ST 10 is related to VW -4 in a certain way. In the same way, LM 14 is related to OP 0. To which of the following is PU 21 related, following the same logic?

A. A. KJ 7

B. C. SX 7

C. B. JK 8

D. D. MN 9

### Q95 Reasoning

Six people Meenal, Priyam, Reena, Tillu, Vishu and Yogesh are sitting in a row, facing north. Only two people sit to the right of Reena. Only two people sit between Reena and Yogesh. Vishu sits third to the left of Priyam. Priyam does not sit at one of the extreme ends. Tillu is not an immediate neighbour of Priyam. How many people sit between Yogesh and Priyam?

- A. D. None
- B. B. One
- C. A. Two
- D. C. Three

### Q96 Reasoning

In a certain code language, 'chat man mop' is coded as 'ew fj bg' and 'arch mop voice' is coded as 'ee ii fj'. How is 'mop' coded in the given language?

- A. B. fj
- B. D. ew
- C. C. bg
- D. A. ee

### Q97 Reasoning

Each of P, Q, R, S, T, U and V has an exam on a different day of a week, starting from Monday and ending on Sunday of the same week. P has an exam on Saturday. Only 4 people have exams between S and V, neither of whom has an exam on Monday. U has an exam immediately after T and Q has an exam immediately before T. V has an exam after U. How many people have exams between P and T?

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

### Q98 Reasoning

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

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

- A. D. JGI
- B. A. OKN
- C. C. NJM
- D. B. YUX

### Q99 Reasoning

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

Statements: All girls are hens. No hen is a cat.

Conclusion (I): No girl is a cat.

Conclusion (II): Some cats are hens.

- A. A. Only conclusion (I) follows
- B. B. Only conclusion (II) follows
- C. C. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows
- D. D. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow

### Q100 Reasoning

Refer to the following series and answer the question. Counting to be done from left to right only. (Note: All numbers are single digit numbers only)

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

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

- A. B. 4
- B. D. 3
- C. A. 5
- D. C. 6

