

1. Identify the ANTONYM of the underlined word:

In front of a large audience he spoke with certain diffidence.

- (a) Sheepishness (b) Pluck
(c) Confidence (d) Hesitation

2. How many errors the following sentence "The old man no longer believe that money was the most important thing in life" has?

- (a) one (b) two
(c) three (d) none

3. Four parts of a single sentence are given as A, B, C, D in a sequence. One of these parts is not acceptable in standard English. This part is

- (a) We are three (b) But you have ordered
(c) Only for (d) Two drinks

4. Man has no choice but to seek truth, he is made uncomfortable and frustrated without truth-thus, the quest for truth is part of what makes us _____

- (a) noble (b) difference
(c) human (d) intelligent

5. To be purposely confusing:

- (a) equivocate (b) obviate
(c) proscribe (d) placata

6. Who attended the Imperial Durbar of 1877 dressed in hand-spun khadi?

- (a) M.K. Gandhi (b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
(c) Bipin Chandra Pal (d) Ganesh Vasudev Joshi

7. Synonym of Acquaint:

- (a) With hold (b) Conceal
(c) Familiarize (d) Risky

8. The word "Involute" is related to:

- (a) Involved (b) Strangled
(c) Both of the above (d) None of the above

9. Identify the antonym of the word Circumlocutory:

- (a) Shyness (b) Forthright
(c) Talkative (d) Unwilling

10. An incomplete sentence is given as "Countries which do not have a very well-developed machine tool industry can never _____ to be even a first grade." The gap should be filled in with

- (a) prosper (b) become
(c) aspire (d) Manifest

11. Antonym of PROTECT is
 (a) Defend (b) Defect
 ✓(c) Desert (d) Deprive
12. The appropriate synonym for FOSTERING is :
 (a) Safeguarding (b) Neglecting
 (c) Ignoring ✓(d) Nurturing
13. A place where birds are kept
 (a) Apiary ✓(b) Aviary
 (c) Nursery (d) Extempore
14. Which of the following research types focuses on ameliorating the prevailing situations?
 (a) Fundamental Research ✓(b) Applied Research
 (c) Action Research (d) Experimental Research
15. Who among the following leaders was instrumental in the formation of the congress socialist party?
 (a) P.C. Joshi (b) Subhash Chandra Bose
 (c) Acharya Narendra Dev ✓(d) Ram Manohar Lohia
16. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom/phrase from the option given below:
To have an axe to grind.
 (a) Work to meet both ends (b) To have private ends to serve
 ✓(c) Failure at arousing interest (d) Having a strong opinion about something
17. If the last four letters of the word CONCENTRATION are written in reverse order followed by next two in the reverse order and next three in the reverse order and then followed by the first four in the reverse order, counting from the end, which letter would be eighth in the new arrangement?
 (a) N (b) T NOITARTNEC NOC
 (c) E ✓(d) R
18. Which one of the following indicates the correct chronological order of the later Mughal emperors?
 (a) Bahadur Shal-I, Farrukh Siyar, Jahandar Shah, Muhammad Shah ✓(b) Farrukh Siyar, Bahadur Shah-I, Jahandar Shah, Muhammad Shah
 (c) Bahadur Shah-I, Jahandar Shah, Farrukh Siyar, Muhammad Shah ✓(d) Jahandar Shah, Bahadur Shah-I, Muhammad Shah, Farrukh Siyar
19. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom "To blaze a trail" from the alternatives given below:
 (a) To set on fire (b) To blow the trumpet
 (c) To be vehemently oppose ✓(d) To initiate work

$$\begin{array}{r} 72 \\ 40 \\ \hline 32 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 24 \\ \hline 16 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 72 \\ 48 \\ \hline 24 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 48 \\ 24 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$



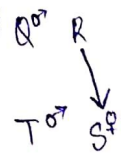
$$\begin{array}{r} 49 \\ 14 \\ \hline 14 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 14 \\ \hline 14 \end{array}$$

20. Choose that set of numbers from the following sets, that is similar to the set (63, 49, 35)

- (a) (72, 40, 24) ☒ (b) (72, 48, 24)
(c) (64, 40, 28) (d) (81, 63, 45)

21. Q is the brother of R; P is the sister of Q; T is the brother of S; S is the daughter of R. Who are the cousins of Q?

- (a) R and P (b) P and T
(c) Q and T ☒ (d) S and T



22. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom/phrases from the options given below:

Go Dutch.

- (a) Share the cost of something (b) Work hard to succeed
☒ (c) Play with enthusiasm (d) None of these

23. Average of four numbers n_1, n_2, n_3 and $36 = 76$. The last number 36 is now replaced by a new number n_4 and the average is now 68. What is the value of n_4 ?

$$\frac{n_1 + n_2 + n_3 + 36}{4} = 76$$

- (a) 35 (b) 15
☒ (c) 04 (d) 13

$$\frac{x + 36}{4} \times 4 = 76 \times 4 - 36$$

24. Complete the series: EJO, TYD, INS, XCH, _____?

$$\frac{n_1 + n_2 + n_3 + n_4}{4} = 68$$

- (a) NRW (b) MRW
(c) MSX ☒ (d) NSX

$$\frac{x + n_4}{4} \times 4 = 68 \times 4 - x$$

$$n_4 = (68 \times 4) - (76 \times 4 - 36)$$

$$n_4 =$$

$$\frac{3}{272} \times 4$$

25. If Ahmad can mow the lawn in 30 minutes and with the help of his brother, Wasim, they can mow the lawn in 20 minutes, how long would it take Wasim alone to mow the lawn?

- (a) 60 minutes (b) 30 minutes
☒ (c) 45 minutes (d) 75 minutes

$$\frac{2}{268} \times 4$$

Find the missing number in the following Table:

1	2	3
3	6	9
24	32	?

- (a) 40 ☒ (b) 48
(c) 54 (d) 58

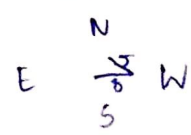
27. A card is drawn at random from a pack of cards. The probability that card is king or 10 is

- ☒ (a) $\frac{2}{13}$ (b) $\frac{4}{13}$
(c) $\frac{4}{52}$ (d) $\frac{2}{52}$

$$2 \times \frac{4}{52} + \frac{4}{52}$$

28. A boy starts from his school facing the west direction, walks straight for 8m and then takes a 45 degree turn to his left, walks 5 m and stops. In which direction is he walking?

- ☒ (a) South-West (b) South
(c) South-East (d) East



A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z



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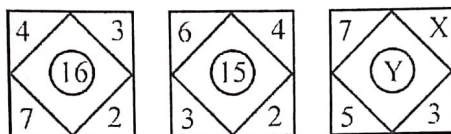
29. In Cricket, a batsman scores 120 runs in his 12th innings. As a result, his average increases by 5 runs. What was his average before his 12thinnings?

(a) 55 (b) 60
☒ (c) 65 (d) 70

30. A woman starts shopping with Rs. X and Y paisa, spends Rs. 3.50 and is left with Rs. 2Y and 2X paisa. The amount she started with is:

(a) Rs. 48.24 (b) Rs. 28.64
☒ (c) Rs. 32.14 (d) Rs. 23.42

31. Find the value of X and Y



(a) $X = 2, Y = 12$ (b) $X = 5, Y = 12$
 (c) $X = 20, Y = 5$ (d) $X = 5, Y = 20$

32. Vijay Tendulkar has certain average for 9 innings. In the tenth inning, he scores 100 runs thereby increasing his average by 8 runs. His new average is

(a) 20 (b) 24
 (c) 28 ☒ (d) 32

33. If Rs. 58 is divided among 150 children such that each girl and each boy gets 25 paisa and 50 paisa respectively. Then how many girls are there?

(a) 52 (b) 54
☒ (c) 62 (d) 68

34. In a certain office, $\frac{1}{3}$ of the workers are women, $\frac{1}{2}$ of the women are married and $\frac{1}{3}$ of the women have children. if $\frac{3}{4}$ of the married men have children, what part of workers are without children?

☒ (a) $\frac{5}{18}$ (b) $\frac{4}{9}$
 (c) $\frac{11}{18}$ (d) $\frac{17}{36}$

35. Rashid ranked thirteen from the top and twenty sixth from the bottom among those who have passed in the annual examination in a class. If six students have failed in the annual examination, what was the total number of students in that class?

(a) 38 ☒ (b) 44
 (c) 45 (d) 50

36. If n is the product of the integers from 1 to 8, inclusive, how many different prime factors greater than 1 does n have?

☒ (a) Four (b) Five
 (c) Six (d) Seven

$$\begin{array}{r}
 X.Y \\
 - 3.50 \\
 \hline
 27.2X \quad 32.14 \\
 48.24 \quad 3.50 \\
 - 48.50 \quad 28.64 \\
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 44.74 \quad 28.64 \\
 3.50 \\
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 25.14
 \end{array}$$



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37. Today Rebecca, who is 34 years old, and her daughter, who is 8 years old, celebrate their birthdays. How many years will pass before Rebecca's age is twice her daughter's age?
- (a) 10
(b) 14
(c) 18
(d) 22
38. $(49)^{15} - 1$ is exactly divisible by
- (a) 8
(b) 29
(c) 50
(d) 51
39. In a certain encryption pattern, HARD is coded as 1357 and SOFT is coded as 2468. What will 21448 stand for?
- (a) SHAFT
(b) RAFTS
(c) SHOOT
(d) ROOTS
40. The Entente Powers and Central Powers fought
- (a) Second World War
(b) Falklands War
(c) First World War
(d) American Civil War

