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1. If A is 150% of B, then B is what per cent of (A + B)?

(A) $33\frac{1}{3}\%$

(B) 40%

(C) $66\frac{2}{3}\%$

(D) 75%

Handwritten solution for Q1:
 $\frac{150}{100} \times \frac{3}{2}$
 $\frac{150 \times 3}{100 \times 2} = \frac{450}{200} = \frac{9}{4}$
 $\frac{9}{4} = 2\frac{1}{4}$
 $\frac{2\frac{1}{4}}{3\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{2\frac{1}{4} \times 4}{3\frac{1}{4} \times 4} = \frac{9}{13}$
 $\frac{9}{13} \times 100 = 69\frac{3}{13}\%$

2. Simplify the expression : $2(3 + 5) - 4 \div 2$

(A) 6

(B) 12

(C) 14

(D) 16

Handwritten: $16 - 2 = 14$

Handwritten solution for Q2:
 $2(3+5) - 4 \div 2$
 $2(8) - 2$
 $16 - 2 = 14$

3. If a number is increased by 20% and then the resulting number is decreased by 10%, the final value is what percentage of the original number?

(A) 108%

(B) 109%

(C) 110%

(D) 120%

Handwritten: $120 \rightarrow$

Handwritten solution for Q3:
 $100 \times 1.2 = 120$
 $120 \times 0.9 = 108$
 $\frac{108}{100} = 108\%$

4. 6555×6555 is equal to

(A) 42252525

(B) 42245525

(C) 42968525

(D) 42968025

Handwritten: 6555

Handwritten solution for Q4:
 6555×6555
 $65 \times 65 = 4225$
 $55 \times 55 = 3025$
 $2 \times 65 \times 55 = 7150$
 $4225 + 7150 + 3025 = 14400$
 $14400 \times 100 = 1440000$

5. Two numbers are in the ratio 2 : 5. If 16 is added to both the numbers, their ratio becomes 1:2. The numbers are

(A) 16, 40

(B) 20, 50

(C) 28, 70

(D) 32, 80

6. Anwit buys a glass, a pencil box and a cup and pays Rs. 21 to the shopkeeper. Arnav buys a cup, two pencil boxes and a glass and pays Rs. 28 to the shopkeeper. Gunjeeta buys two glasses, a cup and two pencil boxes and pays Rs. 35 to the shopkeeper. The cost of 6 cups will be _____.

(A) 30

(B) 36

(C) 42

(D) 48

7. If VARANASI is coded as WCUESGZQ, then the code of DIBRUGARH will be _____.

(A) EKEVZMHVI

(B) EJCSVHBSI

(C) EKEVZNIYP

(D) EKEVZMHZQ

Handwritten solution for Q7:
 $V \rightarrow W, A \rightarrow C, R \rightarrow U, A \rightarrow E, N \rightarrow S, I \rightarrow Z$
 $D \rightarrow E, I \rightarrow K, B \rightarrow C, R \rightarrow U, G \rightarrow S, A \rightarrow E, R \rightarrow U, H \rightarrow Z$

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Handwritten: \checkmark VARANASI
 WCUESGZQ

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8. It was Sunday on Jan 1, 2006. What was the day of the week Jan 1, 2010?

- (A) Sunday
- (B) Saturday
- (C) Friday
- (D) Wednesday

1 Jan 2006
1 Jan 2010

2006 = 1
2 = 1
2008 = 2
2 = 1
10 = 1

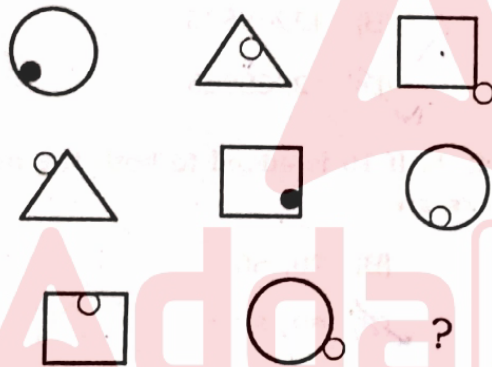
9. If $A + B$ means A is the sister of B ; $A \times B$ means A is the wife of B ; $A \% B$ means A is the father of B ; and $A - B$ means A is the brother of B . Which of the following means T is the daughter of P ?

- (A) $P \times Q \% R + S - T$
- (B) $P \times Q \% R + S + T$
- (C) $P \times Q \% R - T + S$
- (D) $P \times Q \% R + T - S$

+ sister
 \times wife
 $\%$ father
- brother

2006 = 1
7 = 1
8 = 2
1 = 1
10 = 1

10. Find the shape to replace the '?' mark :



- (A)
- (B)
- (C)
- (D)

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11. Find the missing number in the following :

| | | |
|----|----|----|
| 10 | 7 | 12 |
| 5 | 3 | 8 |
| 75 | 40 | ? |

- (A) 65 (B) 70
(C) 95 (D) 80

12. If a session has an interval of 45 minutes. The first half of the session was over 22 minutes ago. The next half of the session is at 12.10 pm. What is the time now?

- (A) 11 : 47 am (B) 11 : 45 am
(C) 11 : 43 am (D) 11 : 49 am

12.10
15
22

13

13. (i) **Statement I** : Importance of Yoga is being realized all over the world.
(ii) **Statement II** : There is an increasing awareness about health in the world.

Choose the correct option—

- (A) (i) is the cause and (ii) is its effect
(B) Both (i) and (ii) are independent causes
(C) (ii) is the cause and (i) is its effect
(D) Both (i) and (ii) are effects of independent causes

12.10
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14. What will come in the place of question-mark (?) in the following series?
BIP, ELR, HOT, KRV, ?

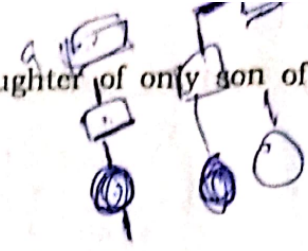
- (A) NUX (B) NUY
(C) MTY (D) MTX

15. Five friends A, B, C, D and E are standing in a row facing south but not necessarily in the same order. Only B is between A and E, C is immediate right to E and D is immediate left to A. On the basis of above information, which of the following statements is definitely true?

- (A) B is to the left of A ✓
(B) D is third to the left of E ✗
(C) B is to the right of E ✗
(D) A is second to the left of C ✗

D A B E C

16. Pointing towards a girl, Rohit said, "She is the daughter of only son of my grandfather". How is Rohit related to the girl?
- (A) Brother (B) Cousin
(C) Father (D) Uncle



17. Inclusive education implies
- (A) ensuring learning outcomes of every child to be the same
(B) including the disabled in the main stream
(C) providing compulsory education for children below 14 years
(D) ensuring that no child is left behind in education
18. Reflective practice implies use of one's _____.
- (A) Cognition (B) Metacognition
(C) Metacognition on cognition (D) Reinforcement of learning
19. A teacher will become an effective communicator if
- (A) he/she/they use instructional aids
(B) helps students get meaning out of what is being taught
(C) asks questions in between teaching
(D) helps students get correct answer to the questions on the topic
20. In a classroom a communicator's trust level is determined by _____.
- (A) the use of hyperbola
(B) the change of voice level
(C) the use of abstract concepts
(D) eye contact
21. Which of the following best describes the role of a teacher as facilitator in a student-centered learning environment?
- (A) Delivering lectures and disseminating correct information with illustrations
(B) Providing direct instructions and guiding students step-by-step
(C) Creating opportunities for active learning and guiding students' exploration
(D) Strictly enforcing rules and discipline in the classroom

Instructions : Read the following passage and answer questions 22–26.

There is a direct relationship between gender equality, women empowerment and climate change. On the one hand, women are disproportionately vulnerable to the effects of climate change, which could, in turn, exacerbate existing gender disparities. On the one hand, women have unique knowledge and skills that can help make the response to climate change more effective and sustainable. Climate change policies that take account of gender-based vulnerability and the unique contribution that women can make could help advance gender equality and women's empowerment while fighting climate change. As the world moves towards the post-Kyoto climate regime, it is essential that climate initiatives at all levels pay particular attention to the interlinkages between gender and climate change and that women are engaged at all levels of the decision-making process. Climate change impacts men and women differently, given their different roles and responsibilities at the household and community levels. Women are more exposed and vulnerable to climate change because they are often poorer, receive less education and are not involved in political and household decision-making processes that affect their lives. Cultural norms related to gender sometimes limit the ability of women to make quick decisions on whether to move to safer grounds in disaster situations until it is too late.

22. The passage is about
- (A) gender equality
 - (B) climate change
 - (C) participation of women in politics
 - (D) significance of incorporating gender issues in climate change policies
23. Climate change impacts men and women differently because
- (A) women are more vulnerable to climate change
 - (B) women are poorer and receive less education
 - (C) Both (A) and (B)
 - (D) Neither (A) nor (B)
24. Climate change policies should take the gender factor into account because
- (A) women will feel involved and responsible
 - (B) women will be able to participate in administration
 - (C) it will promote women empowerment while addressing issues related to climate change
 - (D) women will be able to protect themselves during natural disasters

✓ 25. The word "exacerbate" in the passage means

- (A) solve a problem
- (B) worsen a problem
- (C) address a problem
- (D) None of the above

26. Which word in the passage is an antonym of the word "resilient"?

- (A) Disproportionately
- (B) Vulnerable
- (C) Sustainable
- (D) Disaster

27. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom written in bold from among the options :

Harassed by repeated acts of injustice, he decided to **put his foot down**.

- (A) resign
- (B) not to yield
- (C) withdraw
- (D) accept the proposal unconditionally

28. A poem lamenting the death of near and dear ones _____.

- (A) Sonnet
- (B) Elegy
- (C) Epic
- (D) Ballad

29. Exact term for—

"Impossible to change someone's behaviour" is—

- (A) incorrigible
- (B) unchangeable
- (C) unstoppable
- (D) invincible

30. What is the synonym of the word "abrogate"?

- (A) Persuade
- (B) Engender
- (C) Repeal
- (D) Furnish

31. "Don't allow anyone to deceive you!"

Change into passive—

- (A) Don't be deceived!
- (B) You should not allow anyone to deceive you.
- (C) Don't get deceived by anyone!
- (D) You shouldn't be deceived!

32. "All the students liked the program."

Change into negative without changing the meaning—

- (A) None of the students disliked the program.
- (B) No students disliked the program.
- (C) None of the students liked the program.
- (D) No student liked the program.

33. Peter purchased his uncle's car.

Turn into complex sentence—

- (A) Peter purchased the car of his uncle.
- (B) Peter's uncle's car was purchased by him.
- (C) Peter purchased the car that belonged to his uncle.
- (D) Peter purchased the car belonging to his uncle.

34. Select the antonym of the given word—'EXPLICIT'

- (A) Wrong
- (B) Inadequate
- (C) No
- (D) Ambiguous

35. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom—"Gives her a cold shoulder"

- (A) Creates all sorts of troubles for her
- (B) Insults her in the presence of others
- (C) Tries to be unfriendly by taking no notice of her
- (D) Argues with her on any issue

36. Frame the sentence in a proper sequence— "When he _____"
P-did not know

Q-he was nervous and

R-heard the hue and cry at midnight

S-what to do

Options :

- (A) RQPS
- (B) QSPR
- (C) SQPR
- (D) PQRS

P S Q R

P Q

R Q P Q

37. Which of the following is the major habitat of State Tree and State Bird of Assam ?

- (A) Dibru-Saikhowa National Park
- (B) Manash National Park
- (C) Kaziranga National Park
- (D) Dehing-Patkai National Park

38. Which of the following is not a Classical dance form of India ?

- ~~(A)~~ Manipuri
- (B) Garba
- (C) Kathakali
- (D) Satriya

39. Which of the following is/are the UNESCO World Heritage Site in Assam ?

1. Kamakhya Temple
- ~~2. Manash National Park~~
3. Pobitora Wildlife Sanctuary
4. Satras of Majuli

(A) 1 and 3

~~(B) 2~~

(C) 3 and 4

(D) All of the above

40. From which country did India assume the G20's Presidency on the 1st of December, 2022 ?

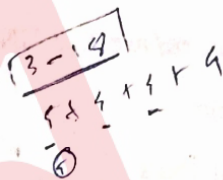
- (A) Brazil
- (B) China
- (C) Japan
- (D) Indonesia

41. The ratio of dimension (width : length) of the National Flag of India is
 (A) 2 : 3
 (B) 3 : 4
 (C) 1 : 3
 (D) 3 : 2



42. 'Brajawali' language used in Ankia Naat is a mixture of which two languages
 (A) Assamese and Pali
 (B) Assamese and Maithili
 (C) Assamese and Awadhi
 (D) Braj and Assamese

43. The 'Draft National Curriculum framework for School Education' provides frame work for children of which age group
 (A) 3-18 years
 (B) 5-15 years
 (C) 5-10 years
 (D) 6-18 years



44. Amendment of Indian Constitution and their related objectives are given as—

| <u>Amendment of Indian Constitution</u> | <u>Related Objectives</u> |
|---|---|
| a. 22 nd Amendment | I. Reduce age for voting rights from 21 to 18 |
| b. 65 th Amendment | II. Include Bodo, Dogri, Santali and Maithili as official languages |
| c. 86 th Amendment | III. Provision of autonomous states within the state of Assam |
| d. 92 nd Amendment | IV. Provides Right to Education until the age of fourteen |

Find the correct match—
 (A) a-IV, b-I, c-III, d-II
 (B) a-I, b-II, c-III, d-IV
 (C) a-III, b-I, c-IV, d-II
 (D) a-II, b-IV, c-III, d-I

45. Famous books and writers are given :

| <u>Name of the Book</u> | <u>Name of the Writer</u> |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| I. Alakananda | Nalinibala Devi ✓ |
| II. Aghari Aatmar Kahini | Nagen Saikia |
| III. Pita Putra | Homen Bargohain ✓ |
| IV. Andharat Nijor Mukh | Syed Abdul Malik |

Choose the correct match—

- (A) I, II, and IV only
 (B) II and III only
 (C) I, II, III and IV
 (D) I and IV only

46. The names of five Indian States are given as—

- I. West Bengal
 II. Uttar Pradesh
 III. Bihar
 IV. Maharashtra
 V. Rajasthan

Arrange them from largest in population to smallest in population as per 2011 Census—

- (A) V-II-IV-III-I
 (B) II-III-IV-V-I
 (C) II-IV-III-I-V
 (D) IV-I-II-V-III

47. The name of Scientists and Inventions are given as—

Name of Scientists

Inventions

- | | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| a. Graham Bell | I. Radioactivity |
| b. Marie Curie | II. Telephone |
| c. Thomas Edition | III. X-Ray |
| d. Wilhelm Rontgen | IV. Phonograph |

Find the correct match—

- (A) a-II, b-III, c-I, d-IV
(B) a-I, b-II, c-III, d-IV
(C) a-III, b-I, c-IV, d-II
(D) a-II, b-I, c-IV, d-III

48. Who was the first Indian to win an Oscar award of any category?

- (A) Gulzar
(B) Bhanu Athaiya
(C) A. R. Rahman
(D) M. M. Keeravani

49. 3rd Khelo India University Games, 2023 was held at

- (A) Uttar Pradesh
(B) Delhi
(C) Odisha
(D) Tamil Nadu

50. Who won the Orange Cap in IPL, 2023?

- (A) Rituraj Gaikwad
(B) Shubman Gill
(C) Suryakumar Yadav
(D) Y. Jaiswal

51. Which player became the first women president of the Indian Olympic Association ?
- (A) MC Mary Kom
(B) Anju Bobby George
 (C) PT Usha
(D) Sania Mirza
52. The author of the book 'Iyat Ekhan Aaronya Asil' is
- (A) Anuradha Sarma Pujari
(B) Rita Choudhury
(C) Medini Choudhury
(D) Phanindra Kumar Dev Choudhury
53. The first Indian woman wrestler to win gold in Asian Games is
- (A) Sakshi Malik
(B) Mary Kom
(C) Lovlina Borgohain
(D) Vinesh Phogat
54. The practice which will not conserve LPG in your kitchen is
- (A) soaking dal for some time before cooking it
(B) keeping the vegetables chopped before lighting the gas for cooking
(C) cooking food in a pressure cooker
 (D) cooking food in an open pan kept on a low flame
55. Which of the following are the characteristics of Higher Education as per National Education Policy, 2020 ?
- i. Multidisciplinary in Nature
ii. Provision of Multiple Entry and Exit
iii. Provision of Education for International Understanding
iv. Provision of Honours and Research in Undergraduate level
- (A) i, ii and iii
(B) ii, iii and iv
 (C) i, ii and iv
(D) i, ii, iii and iv

60. Assamese poet Nilamoni Phukan received 56th Jnanpith Award in the year 2021. He was awarded for
- (A) his book Gulapi Jamur Lagna
 - (B) his book Surya Henu Nami Abe Ei Nodiedi
 - (C) lifetime contribution in literature
 - (D) selected poems of Nilamoni Phukan

61. Name the Indian boxer who won gold medal in 2023 World Women's Boxing Championship in 50kg category.
- (A) Lovelina Borgohain
 - (B) Nikhat Zareen
 - (C) Laishram Sarita Devi
 - (D) Mary Kom

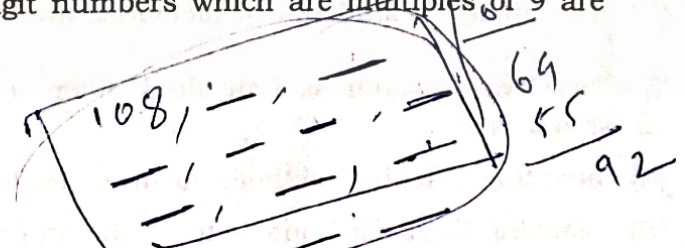
62. A number when divided by 195 leaves a remainder 47. If the same number is divided by 15, the remainder will be
- (A) 1
 - (B) 2
 - (C) 3
 - (D) 4

$$\begin{array}{r} 195 \overline{) } \\ \underline{195} \\ 47 \end{array}$$

63. The smallest number that must be added to 803642 in order to obtain a multiple of 11 is
- (A) 1
 - (B) 4
 - (C) 7
 - (D) 9

$$\begin{array}{r} 7305 \\ 11 \overline{) 803642} \\ \underline{11} \\ 77 \\ \underline{77} \\ 33 \\ \underline{33} \\ 2 \\ 20 \\ \underline{18} \\ 2 \end{array}$$

64. The number of three-digit numbers which are multiples of 9 are
- (A) 100
 - (B) 99
 - (C) 98
 - (D) 101



65. The average of ten numbers is 7. If each number is multiplied by 12, then the average of the new set of numbers is
- (A) 7
 - (B) 19
 - (C) 82
 - (D) 84

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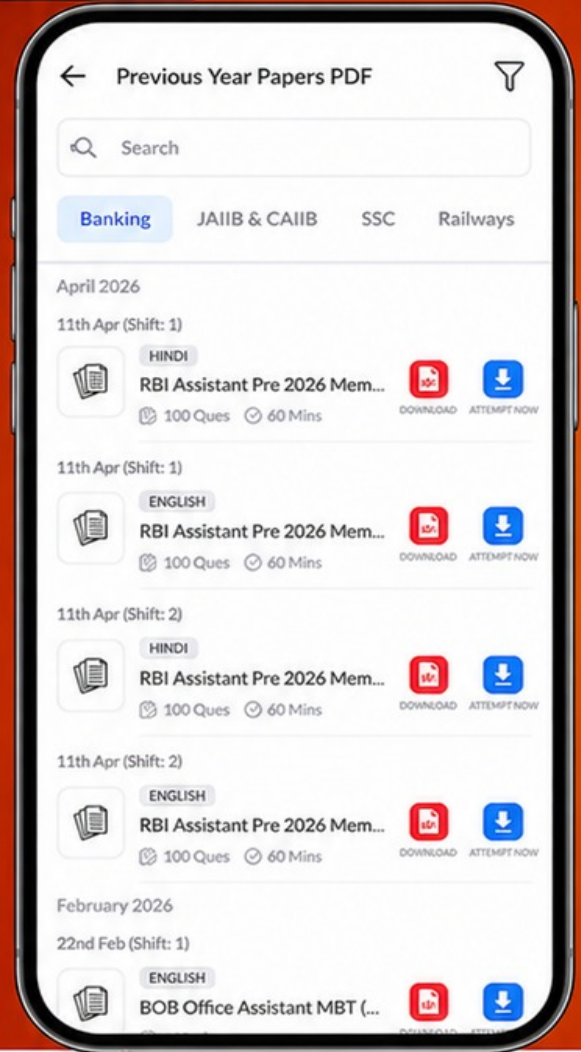
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66. A teacher's assessment of students' learning progress during a lesson is known as
- (A) Formative assessment
 - (B) Summative assessment
 - (C) Diagnostic assessment
 - (D) Prognostic assessment
67. Which of the following teacher education programmes has not been mentioned in the NEP, 2020 as programme to be continued?
- (A) M.Ed
 - (B) Two-Year B.Ed
 - (C) Four Year Integrated B.Ed
 - (D) D. El. Ed
68. The main purpose of using teaching aids in classroom is to
- (A) replace the need for verbal communication in the classroom
 - (B) enhance understanding and facilitate learning experiences
 - (C) entertain students and keep them engaged during lessons
 - (D) assess students' knowledge and understanding of the subject
69. Which of the following best defines the term "student engagement" in the context of teaching-learning process?
- (A) The ability of students to complete assigned tasks on time
 - (B) The level of participation and interest students demonstrate in learning activities
 - (C) The extent to which the students are engaged in different activities of the school
 - (D) The ability of students to memorize and recall information accurately
70. The best way to address individual differences among the student in the classroom is
- (A) adapting teaching methods to meet needs of all the students
 - (B) teaching the same content to all the students in the class in a easy way
 - (C) following a standardized curriculum without modifications
 - (D) providing remedial instruction to students who lag behind