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## HIGH COURT PAPER 4th OCT (1-3 PM)

Exam Date	04/10/2022
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Section: General Knowledge

Q.1 Which of the following is the apex body for sports in India established by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports?

- Ans
- 1. Sports Club of India
  - 2. Sports Authority of India
  - 3. Sports Affairs of India
  - 4. Sports Body of India

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Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

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Q.2 Which of the following was the first Satyagraha movement led by Gandhiji in India in 1917 and is considered as a vital event in the history of India's freedom struggle?

- Ans
- 1. Kheda Satyagraha
  - 2. Champaran Satyagraha
  - 3. Rowlatt Satyagraha
  - 4. Ahmedabad Satyagraha

Question ID : 917572331  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.3 What is the name of the book based on a transparent commentary on the working of the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) written by Vinod Rai?

- Ans
- 1. A Success Story of BCCI
  - 2. Not Just A Nightwatchman: My Innings in the BCCI
  - 3. A Wild Ride into the Secret Heart of BCCI
  - 4. On Board: My Years in BCCI

Question ID : 917572329  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.4 Which mountain pass, situated at 14,450 feet above sea level on the Indo-Tibetan border, connects Sikkim with the Tibet Autonomous Region of China?

- Ans
- 1. Zoji La
  - 2. Pensi-la
  - 3. Taglang La
  - 4. Nathu La

Question ID : 917572350  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.5 In 1950, a small-scale industrial unit was the one which invested a maximum of:

- Ans
- 1. Rs. 15 lakh
  - 2. Rs. 10 lakh
  - 3. Rs. 5 lakh
  - 4. Rs. 20 lakh

Question ID : 917572346  
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Chosen Option : 4

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Q.6 Dr. A Gopalakrishnan won the VASVIK Industrial Research Award for the year 2020 in the category of agricultural science and technology in May 2022. Of which institute is he the director?

- Ans
- 1. ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute
  - 2. ICAR-Central Inland Agricultural Research Institute
  - 3. ICAR-Central Potato Research Institute
  - 4. ICAR-Central Soil Salinity Research Institute

Question ID : 917572323  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.7 Who among the following is the first Indian male tennis player to receive the Padma Shri award?

- Ans
- 1. Vijay Amritraj
  - 2. Leander Paes
  - 3. Ramanathan Krishnan
  - 4. Mahesh Bhupathi

Question ID : 917572370  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.8 Which of the following is the largest Indian bank, with one-fourth market share, serving over 450 million customers through its vast network of over 22,000 branches?

- Ans
- 1. State Bank of India
  - 2. Union Bank of India
  - 3. Indian Overseas Bank
  - 4. Bank of India

Question ID : 917572344  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.9 Recently, Elaine Thompson-Herah was crowned 'Sportswoman of the Year' at the 2022 Laureus World Sports Awards. Which sport is she associated with?

- Ans
- 1. Sprint
  - 2. Hammer throw
  - 3. Shot put
  - 4. Pole vault

Question ID : 917572321  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

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Q.10 Which of the following types of earthquakes is usually small in magnitude and occurs near underground mines and is induced by the pressure generated within the rocks?

- Ans
- 1. Collapse earthquake
  - 2. Volcanic earthquake
  - 3. Tectonic earthquake
  - 4. Explosion earthquake

Question ID : 917572357  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.11 In May 2022, Indian men's badminton team created history by winning the Thomas Cup title for the first time, with a thumping 3-0 win over \_\_\_\_\_.

- Ans
- 1. Japan
  - 2. Indonesia
  - 3. Spain
  - 4. South Korea

Question ID : 917572328  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.12 In which architectural style is the Thousand Pillar Temple built?

- Ans
- 1. Nagara
  - 2. Chalukyan
  - 3. Kalinga
  - 4. Gadag

Question ID : 917572337  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.13 Which of the following is the oldest scholarly organisation set up by William Jones in 1784 to promote oriental research and studies in India?

- Ans
- 1. Oriental Institute
  - 2. Asiatic Society of Bengal
  - 3. Theosophical Society
  - 4. Anglo-Oriental College

Question ID : 917572334  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

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Q.14 In which year was a school named Kalakshetra established by the vibrant visionary Rukmini Devi Arundale for training in Bharatanatyam?

- Ans
- 1. 1930
  - 2. 1940
  - 3. 1950
  - 4. 1936

Question ID : 917572339  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.15 In 1833, which Act was passed during the tenure of Lord William Bentinck that symbolised the centralisation in the administration of India?

- Ans
- 1. Pitt's India Act
  - 2. Rowlatt Act
  - 3. Charter Act
  - 4. Regulating Act

Question ID : 917572332  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.16 As per the guidelines of Rooftop Solar Program Phase-II released in August 2019, what is the minimum capacity of rooftop solar plants to be installed in the residential sector by 2022?

- Ans
- 1. 4000 MW
  - 2. 8000 MW
  - 3. 6000 MW
  - 4. 3000 MW

Question ID : 917572352  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.17 Who among the following was the only woman table tennis player from India to feature in the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing?

- Ans
- 1. Neha Aggarwal
  - 2. Ankita Das
  - 3. Mouma Das
  - 4. Poulomi Ghatak

Question ID : 917572368  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

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Q.18 In Buddhist architecture, which part of the Stupa denotes a pedestrian path for devotees to pay homage to the Stupa?

- Ans
- 1. Vedica
  - 2. Toranas
  - 3. Medhi
  - 4. Hamika

Question ID : 917572336  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.19 Which state has topped in terms of accommodating the highest number of open-defecation free (ODF Plus) villages in the country by 31 December 2021, under the Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen) Phase-II programme?

- Ans
- 1. Assam
  - 2. Madhya Pradesh
  - 3. Telangana
  - 4. Haryana

Question ID : 917572327  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.20 In October 2021, which constituent emirate of the UAE signed an agreement with India to develop infrastructure such as industrial parks, IT towers, multipurpose towers, logistics centres, a medical college and a specialised hospital in Jammu and Kashmir?

- Ans
- 1. Dubai
  - 2. Ajman
  - 3. Abu Dhabi
  - 4. Sharjah

Question ID : 917572354  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.21 What is the duration of relaxation/half-time break in Kabaddi?

- Ans
- 1. 10 minutes
  - 2. 8 minutes
  - 3. 5 minutes
  - 4. 3 minutes

Question ID : 917572369  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

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Q.22 Who among the following formulated a model in the early 1970s, generally representing the cell membrane structure and dynamics?

- Ans  1. Singer and Nicolson  
 2. Schleiden and Schwann  
 3. Hooke and Brown  
 4. Evans and Kauffman

Question ID : 917572360  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.23 Which of the following options is NOT introduced by Purandara Dasa, the Pitamah of Carnatic music?

- Ans  1. Alankaras  
 2. Janta Geetas  
 3. Swaravalis  
 4. Mayamalavagowla

Question ID : 917572340  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.24 Which folk music of Jammu and Kashmir, sung in Dogri language, depicts the agony of a newlywed girl whose husband is in the army?

- Ans  1. Bakhan  
 2. Surma  
 3. Chakri  
 4. Ladishah

Question ID : 917572342  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

Q.25 Which is a complex starch derived from plants used to preserve fruit products, such as jams and jellies, and gummy candies?

- Ans  1. Lignin  
 2. Lecithin  
 3. Pectin  
 4. Olein

Question ID : 917572361  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

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Q.26 In which year did M Fathima Beevi become the first female Judge of the Supreme Court of India?

- Ans
- 1. 1989
  - 2. 1990
  - 3. 1991
  - 4. 1992

Question ID : 917572366  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.27 Which of the following is a severe wasting disease caused by long-term inadequate intake of proteins, carbohydrates and fats?

- Ans
- 1. Xerophthalmia
  - 2. Haemorrhage
  - 3. Hypocalcaemia
  - 4. Marasmus

Question ID : 917572359  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.28 During the Harappan civilisation, the main material used for building construction was sun-dried and \_\_\_\_\_, which were made in moulds of 1 : 2 : 4 ratios.

- Ans
- 1. burnt bricks
  - 2. sand lime bricks
  - 3. firebricks
  - 4. fly ash bricks

Question ID : 917572335  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.29 Which Hindu religious society was formed in May 1897, with purely spiritual and humanitarian purposes?

- Ans
- 1. Brahma Samaj
  - 2. Arya Samaj
  - 3. Ramakrishna Mission
  - 4. Theosophical Society

Question ID : 917572333  
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Q.30 Which of the following books depicts the journey of Dr. Tehemton Erach Udwadia, who was the first surgeon in India to introduce laparoscopy?

- Ans
- 1. Complications: A Surgeon's Notes on an Imperfect Science
  - 2. More than Just Surgery: Life Lessons Beyond the OT
  - 3. Final Exam: A Surgeon's Reflections on Mortality
  - 4. Bedside Clinics in Surgery

Question ID : 917572324  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

Q.31 What is it called when there is a decrease in the income of a government in comparison to its expenditure?

- Ans
- 1. Fiscal deficit
  - 2. Revenue deficit
  - 3. Effective revenue deficit
  - 4. Capital deficit

Question ID : 917572343  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.32 According to the Ministry of Mines Annual Report 2020–21, which state was at the leading position in terms of estimated value of mineral production in the country and held a share of 17.14 percent in the national production?

- Ans
- 1. Rajasthan
  - 2. Karnataka
  - 3. Gujarat
  - 4. Maharashtra

Question ID : 917572349  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.33 In January 2022, the draft National Air Sports Policy (NASP) was released by the Ministry of Civil Aviation. In line with which flagship program does this policy promote the design, development and manufacture of aerial sports equipment in India?

- Ans
- 1. Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan
  - 2. Stand-Up India
  - 3. Make in India
  - 4. Skill India Mission

Question ID : 917572330  
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Q.34 Which of the following is also known as the 'Dog Star' and is highly visible in the Northern Hemisphere winter night sky, with an apparent visual magnitude of  $-1.46$ ?

- Ans
- 1. Antares
  - 2. Rigel
  - 3. Beatrix
  - 4. Sirius

Question ID : 917572356  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.35 Who among the following famous sages codified the Bharatnatyam dance in a Sanskrit text called 'Natyashastra'?

- Ans
- 1. Sage Murti Swami
  - 2. Sage Bharat Muni
  - 3. Sage Narad Damodar Shastri
  - 4. Sage Akshaya

Question ID : 917572338  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.36 Which Asian country's National Intelligence Service (NIS) was included as a cyber defence group under the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) in May 2022?

- Ans
- 1. The Philippines
  - 2. Indonesia
  - 3. South Korea
  - 4. Iran

Question ID : 917572322  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.37 India lies entirely in the Northern Hemisphere, with the mainland extending between latitudes 8 degree 4'N and \_\_\_\_\_ and longitudes 68 degree 7'E and 97 degree 25'E.

- Ans
- 1. 34 degree 6'N
  - 2. 32 degree 6'N
  - 3. 39 degree 6'N
  - 4. 37 degree 6'N

Question ID : 917572348  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

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Q.38 Which of the following rivers is a tributary of the Alaknanda River and originates from Chorabari glacier near Kedarnath in Uttarakhand?

- Ans
- 1. Barak River
  - 2. Rupen River
  - 3. Dhaleswari River
  - 4. Mandakini River

Question ID : 917572358  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.39 What is the total number of categories of Parliamentary Committees in the Rajya Sabha?

- Ans
- 1. 3
  - 2. 5
  - 3. 9
  - 4. 2

Question ID : 917572365  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.40 What was the annual growth rate of the industrial sector during the period 1950–1990?

- Ans
- 1. 3 percent
  - 2. 6 percent
  - 3. 5 percent
  - 4. 8 percent

Question ID : 917572347  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.41 On 22 April 2022, Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment and Chairman of Dr. Ambedkar Foundation (DAF) Dr. Virendra Kumar launched the Dr. Ambedkar Centre of Excellence (DACE) scheme to provide high-quality, free coaching facilities to SC students for Civil Service Examinations. In how many central universities across the country will this scheme be implemented?

- Ans
- 1. 35
  - 2. 21
  - 3. 31
  - 4. 25

Question ID : 917572326  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

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Q.42 According to the Global Quality Infrastructure Index (GQII) 2020 Report, at what position does India rank worldwide in terms of overall quality infrastructure environment in the country?

- Ans
- 1. Fifth
  - 2. Tenth
  - 3. Seventh
  - 4. Twelfth

Question ID : 917572353  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.43 Which British scientist published a treatise on the Indian summer monsoon in the 17th century that he attributed to the seasonal reversal of winds due to differential heating of the Asian land mass and the Indian Ocean?

- Ans
- 1. Phil D Jones
  - 2. Adrian Matthews
  - 3. Susan Solomon
  - 4. Edmund Halley

Question ID : 917572351  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 1

Q.44 Which is an inorganic salt of fluoride used topically or in municipal water fluoridation systems to prevent tooth decay?

- Ans
- 1. Sodium fluoride
  - 2. Potassium fluoride
  - 3. Aluminium fluoride
  - 4. Magnesium fluoride

Question ID : 917572363  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Q.45 Which of the following was NOT a policy to promote equity in the agriculture sector during the period 1950–1990?

- Ans
- 1. Land ceiling
  - 2. Land acquisition
  - 3. Land reforms
  - 4. Green revolution

Question ID : 917572345  
Status : Not Answered  
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Q.46 A state-of-the-art supercomputer was inaugurated at NIT Tiruchirappalli in May 2022 in a joint initiative by the Department of Science and Technology (DST) and the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY). What is the name of that supercomputer?

- Ans
- 1. PARAM PORUL
  - 2. PARAM YUVA
  - 3. PARAM PADMA
  - 4. PARAM ISHAN

Question ID : 917572325  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.47 For which classical music is Rudra Veena mainly used?

- Ans
- 1. Dhrupad
  - 2. Tarana
  - 3. Tappa
  - 4. Thumri

Question ID : 917572341  
Status : Not Answered  
Option : --

Q.48 Which medicinal herb belonging to the mint family is commonly used as a self-heal that helps protect against viruses, infections and chronic diseases, including diabetes and cancer?

- Ans
- 1. Medicago sativa
  - 2. Prunella vulgaris
  - 3. Arachis hypogaea
  - 4. Bush clover

Question ID : 917572362  
Status : Not Answered  
Chosen Option : --

Q.49 In which year was the 'Earth Summit' held in Rio de Janeiro, with a focus on state of the global environment and the relationship between the economics, science and environment in a political context?

- Ans
- 1. 1998
  - 2. 1985
  - 3. 2000
  - 4. 1992

Question ID : 917572364  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

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Q.50 Which type of climate is found only along the Equator and usually within 25 degree of the Equator, where the annual rainfall exceeds 150 cm (59 inches)?

- Ans
- 1. Temperate climate
  - 2. Tropical savanna climate
  - 3. Mediterranean climate
  - 4. Tropical wet climate

Question ID : 917572355  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

Section : English Objective

**Comprehension:**

Select the sentence part which has an error in spelling. If there is no error, select 'No error'.

SubQuestion No : 1

Q.1 He peared into the wound with the bright surgeon's light fastened to his forehead.

- Ans
- 1. with the bright surgeon's light
  - 2. No error
  - 3. fastened to his forehead.
  - 4. He peared into the wound

Question ID : 917572374  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

Select the sentence part which has an error in spelling. If there is no error, select 'No error'.

SubQuestion No : 2

Q.2 He swept the bright green carpet of his moss garden constantly so that not a leaf marred its velvet surpface.

- Ans
- 1. of his moss garden constantly so that
  - 2. No error
  - 3. He swept the bright green carpet
  - 4. not a leaf marred its velvet surpface.

Question ID : 917572373  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

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Select the sentence part which has an error in spelling. If there is no error, select 'No error'.

**SubQuestion No : 3****Q.3** He saw a flicker of terror on the young face that was still very whitish.

- Ans
- 1. He saw a flicker of terror
  - 2. that was still very whitish.
  - 3. No error
  - 4. on the young face

Question ID : 917572372

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

**SubQuestion No : 4****Q.4** Sunita impressed me \_\_\_\_\_ her sincerity to hard work.

- Ans
- 1. at
  - 2. for
  - 3. on
  - 4. with

Question ID : 917572377

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

**SubQuestion No : 5****Q.5** Glancing \_\_\_\_\_ her watch, mother said it was time to home.

- Ans
- 1. to
  - 2. on
  - 3. in
  - 4. at

Question ID : 917572376

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

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Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

SubQuestion No : 6

Q.6 I was dreading the French test and was very glad to get it \_\_\_\_\_.

- Ans
- 1. out
  - 2. through
  - 3. over
  - 4. down

Question ID : 917572378  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

SubQuestion No : 7

Q.7 MELONCHOLY

- Ans
- 1. dejected
  - 2. gloomy
  - 3. downcast
  - 4. joyful

Question ID : 917572380  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

SubQuestion No : 8

Q.8 MINISCULE

- Ans
- 1. gigantic
  - 2. puny
  - 3. tiny
  - 4. minute

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Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 9****Q.9 INANE**

- Ans
- 1. foolish
  - 2. smart
  - 3. empty
  - 4. worthless

Question ID : 917572382  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 10****Q.10 CLANDESTINE**

- Ans
- 1. covert
  - 2. forthright
  - 3. hidden
  - 4. secretive

Question ID : 917572383  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 11****Q.11 VOUCH**

- Ans
- 1. condemn
  - 2. cross
  - 3. confirm
  - 4. contradict

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Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 12****Q.12 BIZARRE**

- Ans
- 1. serious
  - 2. customary
  - 3. familiar
  - 4. weird

Question ID : 917572385  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 13****Q.13 HIGHBROW**

- Ans
- 1. ignorant
  - 2. simple
  - 3. intellectual
  - 4. commonplace

Question ID : 917572389  
Status : Answered  
Chosen Option : 3

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

**SubQuestion No : 14****Q.14 REPRIMAND**

- Ans
- 1. scold
  - 2. praise
  - 3. forgive
  - 4. annoy

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Chosen Option : 3

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Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

SubQuestion No : 15

Q.15 AWRY

- Ans
- 1. true
  - 2. straightforward
  - 3. even
  - 4. twisted

Question ID : 917572386

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

**Comprehension:**

Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

SubQuestion No : 16

- Q.16
- A. To be at school at the stroke of the hour and to run back home as soon as the school closed that was my daily habit
  - B. During my school days I used to be very shy and avoided all company.
  - C. I literally ran back, because I could not bear to talk to anybody.
  - D. My books and my lessons were my sole companions.

- Ans
- 1. BADC
  - 2. CABD
  - 3. ABCD
  - 4. BDAC

Question ID : 917572392

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

**Comprehension:**

Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

SubQuestion No : 17

- Q.17
- A. I rose and went to the window, and saw that a crowd had gathered round the gypsy hermitage.
  - B. A superior-looking personage was flourishing a stick and indulging in the strongest language.
  - C. This morning a great disturbance invaded the peaceful gypsy settlement.
  - D. The headman of the gypsies, cowed and nervous, was apparently trying to offer explanations.

- Ans
- 1. CABD
  - 2. BDAC
  - 3. CDAB
  - 4. ABCD

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Chosen Option : 3

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**Comprehension:**

Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

**SubQuestion No : 18**

- Q.18** A. The daily lessons had to be done, because I disliked being taken to task by my teacher as much as I disliked deceiving him.  
 B. As a rule I had a distaste for any reading beyond my school books.  
 C. Thus when even the lessons could not be done properly, there was of course no question of any extra reading.  
 D. Therefore I would do the lessons, but often without my mind in them.

- Ans**  1. ABCD  
 2. CABD  
 3. BDAC  
 4. BADC

Question ID : 917572391

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

**SubQuestion No : 19**

- Q.19** die in harness.

- Ans**  1. die while working  
 2. die while riding  
 3. die while relaxing  
 4. die while walking

Question ID : 917572395

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

**Comprehension:**

Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

**SubQuestion No : 20**

- Q.20** bolt from the blue

- Ans**  1. a narrow escape from danger  
 2. something sudden and unexpected  
 3. a bad thing turning into good  
 4. a fear of undertaking a task

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Q.1 Write an essay of 150 words on any one of the following topics:

- Pollution: A Threat to Life
- India – A Land of Diversity
- Elements of Western Culture have had a very influential role on Cultures of the World
- The Waiting Room at a Railway Station

Case Sensitivity: No

Answer :

Possible Answer: NA

Given Answer: Pollution can be defined as the alteration or decrease in the quality of the environmental resources or ecosystem services provided by the nature. There are 4 main types of pollution, that are soil pollution, water pollution, air pollution and noise pollution. Soil pollution occurs mainly due to the household waste products such as empty packets, plastic bottles and plastic bags. They degrade the soil quality and causes soil erosion thus the fertility of soil is also reduced. Water pollution mainly occurs due to the industrial waste and harmful chemicals that are drawn into the rivers and lakes which results in water pollution. Air pollution mainly occurs due to the harmful gases that are released from factories and vehicles. it is the most severe pollution for the survival of living organisms as the amount of greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide and methane is increasing in the atmosphere and oxygen is depleting thus air is getting polluted which results in problems related to breathing. These are threat to the survival of living beings. Noise pollution is a type of pollution which occurs due to the prolonged use of the loudspeakers and other instruments that produce sound. Noise pollution also occurs due to the loud horns of the vehicles. Continuous exposure to loud sound can permanently cause hearing damage. Thus, pollution is a threat to life. We should take serious steps to reduce the pollution. Government should strictly enforce schemes such as plastic ban and increased use of electric vehicles so that we can save the mother earth.

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Status : Answered

Q.2 Your grandfather has promised to give you a gift of Rs. 5000/-. Write an informal letter thanking him for the offer, tell him how you plan to spend the money; and why you wish to spend it in this way.

OR

Many areas near your school have been affected by floods. You are President of the Rotary club of your township. Write a formal letter to the Mayor of your town / city telling him her what you plan to do for the relief of the victims. Suggest ways in which you can combine with other organizations to bring about better distribution of relief items.

Case Sensitivity: No

Answer :

Possible Answer: NA

Given Answer: To Mr. Ram Singh Sector 46 Chandigarh Good morning grandfather. I hope you are well. You promised me to give a gift of 5000 rupees so i am writing this letter to thank you for the gift and also tell you that how I want to spend this money. I have decided that I will spend this money in purchasing novels so that I can read the novels and enhance my reading ability and gain some knowledge about various aspects of life. This will also improve my vocabulary and I will be able to use new words while speaking and writing in english. This will also help me in the preparation of competitive exams as english is a necessity for every exam, moreover English is an international language so it will help me to communicate with people from other countries also. Your gifted money is very precious for me so I will use it efficiently. Thanks for the gift. Your grandson Sourav

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**Q.3** Write a precise of the following paragraph in not more than 1/3 number of words of the total passage.

There is nothing which adds so much to the beauty of the countryside as water, be it just a little stream trickling over the rocks or a little pond by the wayside where the cattle quench their thirst of an evening. The rain-fed tanks that are so common in South India- alas often so sadly neglected in their maintenance are a cheering sight when they are full. They are, of course, shallow, but this is less evident since the water is silt-laden and throws the light back, and bottom does not therefore show up. These tanks play a vital role in South Indian agriculture. In Mysore, for example, much of the rice is grown under them. Some of these tanks are surprisingly large and it is a beautiful sight to see the sun rise or set over one of them. Water in a landscape may be compared to the eyes in a human face. It reflects the mood of the hour, being bright and gay when the sun shines, turning to dark and gloomy when the sky is overcast.

Case Sensitivity: No

Answer :

Possible Answer: NA

Given **Water is the most beautiful thing of the countryside whether it is a little pond or stream. The rain fed tanks in South India look beautiful when they are full but sadly their maintainance is neglected. These tanks are useful for agriculture in South India. Sun rise and sun set looks beautiful over them. Water in landscapes resembles the eyes in a human face. It reflects the mood of the hour according to the movement of day from sun rise to sun set.**

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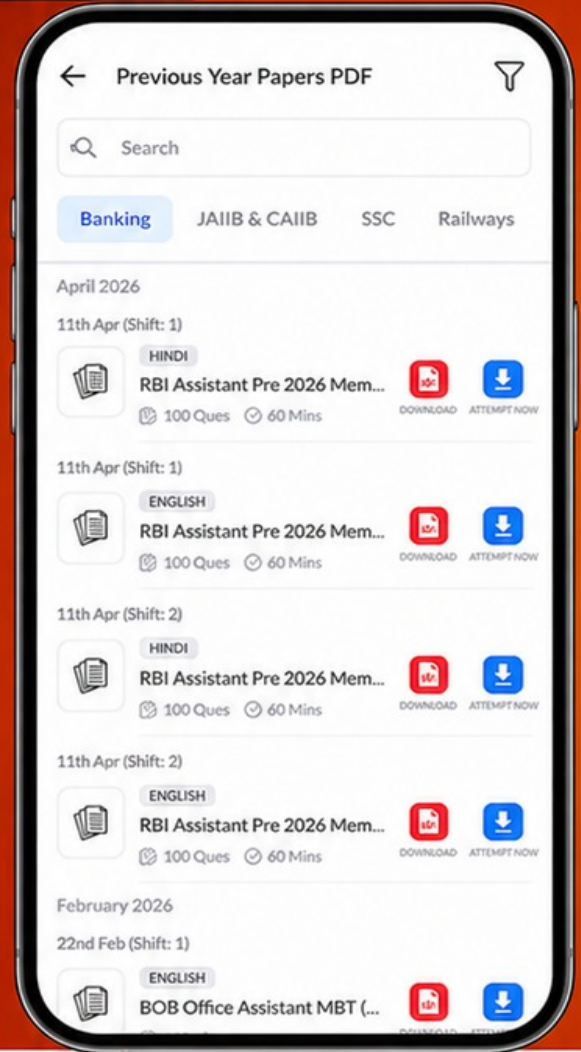
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Q.4 Translate the following paragraph from Punjabi to English.

ਹਰ ਸਾਲ ਦੀ ਤਰ੍ਹਾਂ ਇਸ ਸਾਲ ਵੀ ਸਾਡੇ ਕਾਲਜ ਵਿਚ ਟੂਰਨਾਮੈਂਟ ਕਰਵਾਏ ਗਏ। ਇਸ ਸਾਲ ਜਿਲੇ ਦੇ ਕਾਲਜਾਂ ਦੇ ਟੂਰਨਾਮੈਂਟ ਵਿਚ ਸਾਡੀ ਟੀਮ ਵੀ ਬਾਈ ਟੀਮਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਜਿੱਤ ਕੇ ਫਾਈਨਲ ਵਿਚ ਆਈ ਸੀ। ਦੂਜੇ ਪਾਸੇ ਖਾਲਸਾ ਕਾਲਜ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਦੀ ਟੀਮ ਨੇ ਸਾਡੇ ਜਿੰਨੀਆਂ ਟੀਮਾਂ ਜਿੱਤ ਕੇ ਸਾਡੇ ਵਾਲੀ ਥਾਂ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕੀਤੀ ਹੋਈ ਸੀ। ਦੋਹਾਂ ਦਾ ਆਖਰੀ ਮੰਚ ਦੁਆਬਾ ਕਾਲਜ ਦੀ ਗਰਾਊਂਡ ਵਿਚ ਹੋਇਆ। ਰੈਫਰੀ ਚੌਧਰੀ ਕਰਨੈਲ ਸਿੰਘ ਸਨ, ਜੋ ਜਿਲੇ ਵਿਚ ਮੰਨੇ ਹੋਏ ਰੈਫਰੀ ਸਨ। ਠੀਕ ਚਾਰ ਵਜੇ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਸੀਟੀ ਵਜਾਈ। ਦੋਵੇਂ ਟੀਮਾਂ ਮੈਦਾਨ ਵਿਚ ਨਿਤਰ ਆਈਆਂ। ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਟਾਸ ਸੁੱਟਿਆ ਗਿਆ ਜੋ ਅਸੀਂ ਜਿੱਤ ਲਿਆ। ਅਸੀਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਮਰਜ਼ੀ ਨਾਲ ਇਕ ਪਾਸੇ ਹੋ ਗਏ। ਰੈਫਰੀ ਨੇ ਇਕ ਹੋਰ ਸੀਟੀ ਵਜਾਈ ਤੇ ਸਭ ਖਿਡਾਰੀ ਨੀਅਤ ਥਾਂ ਤੇ ਪੁੱਜ ਗਏ। ਦੋ ਇਕ ਅੱਖ ਦੇ ਫੇਰ ਵਿਚ ਹੀ ਖੇਡ ਸ਼ੁਰੂ ਹੋ ਗਈ। ਮੰਚ ਦੇਖਣ ਲਈ ਕਾਫੀ ਜਨਤਾ ਆਈ ਹੋਈ ਸੀ। ਐਨੀ ਭੀੜ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਤਿਲ ਸੁੱਟਣ ਲਈ ਵੀ ਥਾਂ ਨਹੀਂ ਸੀ। ਭਾਵੇਂ ਸਾਡੀ ਟੀਮ ਦੇ ਖਿਡਾਰੀ ਸੋਹਣੇ ਖੇਡਦੇ ਸਨ ਪਰ ਸਾਨੂੰ ਕੈਪਟਨ ਜੀਤ ਤੇ ਰਾਈਟ ਇਨ ਚਰਨੀ ਤੇ ਬਹੁਤ ਮਾਣ ਸੀ। ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਤਾਂ ਦਸ ਮਿੰਟ ਸਾਡੀ ਟੀਮ ਅੜੀ ਰਹੀ, ਪਰ ਸਾਨੂੰ ਇਹ ਡਰ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਕਿਤੇ ਗੋਲ ਨਾ ਹੋ ਜਾਵੇ। ਸਾਡੀ ਟੀਮ ਦਾ ਗੋਲ ਕੀਪਰ ਵੀ ਆਪਣੀ ਮਿਸਾਲ ਆਪ ਸੀ। ਉਸ ਪਾਸ ਬਹੁਤ ਬਾਲ ਗਏ ਪਰ ਉਸ ਨੇ ਇਕ ਨਾ ਜਾਣੀ। ਉਹ ਬਾਲ ਨੂੰ ਐਵੇਂ ਹੀ ਫੜ ਲਿਆ ਕਰਦਾ ਸੀ। ਇਸ ਤਰ੍ਹਾਂ ਕਾਫੀ ਜ਼ੋਰ ਲਗਾ ਕੇ ਅੱਧੇ ਸਮੇਂ ਦੀ ਸੀਟੀ ਵੱਜ ਗਈ। ਅਸੀਂ ਸਾਰੇ ਹੀ ਬਾਹਰ ਦੌੜ ਕੇ ਗਏ ਅਤੇ ਪਿੰਸੀਪਲ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਨੂੰ ਮਿਲੇ।

Case Sensitivity: No

Answer :

Possible Answer: NA

Given **Like every year the tournaments were organised in our college this year. Our team reached finals after defeating 22 teams of other colleges in the district. On the contrary the team of Khalsa college Jalandhar was in finals against us. The final match was played in the ground of Doaba college. Chaudhary Karnail Singh was the referee for the match who is a well-known referee. He blew his whistle at 4 and both the teams came into the ground. We won the toss and took our places when the referee blew the whistle again. The game began in the wink of an eye. A huge crowd was there to see the match. The ground was jam-packed. Although all the players of our team play well but we were proud of the captain Jeet and right-in Charni. Our team stood stiff for 10 minutes but we were afraid that a goal may happen. Our goalkeeper was brilliant, he didn't let a single goal happen. He stopped every goal by catching the ball. Then a whistle was blown and half time was over so we all ran outside and met our principal.**

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