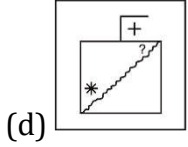
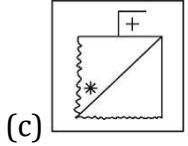
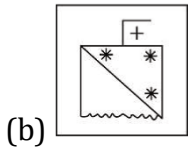
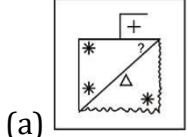
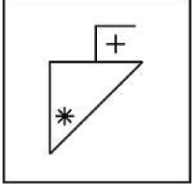


SSC Stenographer (14 Sep 2026) Exam Day Based Paper-exam

Q1. दी गई उत्तर आकृतियों में से, उस आकृति का चयन करें जिसमें प्रश्न आकृति छिपी/अंतर्निहित है।



Ans.(a)

Q2. नीचे दिए गए प्रत्येक प्रश्न में एक कथन और उसके बाद दो कार्यवाहियां I और II दी गई हैं। आपको कथन में दी गई हर बात को सत्य मानना है और कथन में दी गई जानकारी के आधार पर यह तय करना है कि दी गई कार्यवाहियों में से कौन-सी तार्किक रूप से अनुसरण करती है।

कथन: रिपोर्टों से संकेत मिलता है कि ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में कई बच्चे मध्याह्न भोजन की कमी के कारण स्कूल छोड़ रहे हैं।

कार्यवाही I: ग्रामीण स्कूलों में एक मजबूत मध्याह्न भोजन कार्यक्रम शुरू करें।

कार्यवाही II: ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में बच्चों के लिए शिक्षा को वैकल्पिक बनाएं।

(a) केवल I अनुसरण करता है

(b) केवल II अनुसरण करता है

(c) दोनों अनुसरण करते हैं

(d) या तो I या II अनुसरण करता है

Ans.(a)

Q3. यदि शब्द 'MOVETIME' के सभी अक्षरों को बाएं से दाएं वर्णमाला के क्रम में व्यवस्थित किया जाए, तो पुनर्व्यवस्था के बाद कितने अक्षरों का स्थान अपरिवर्तित रहेगा?

(a) एक

(b) दो

(c) तीन

(d) चार

Ans.(a)



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Q4. 2 अक्टूबर 2023 से 9 जुलाई 2024 तक (दोनों दिन शामिल) कुल कितने दिन हैं?

- (a) 283
- (b) 284
- (c) 281
- (d) 282

Ans.(d)

Q5. यदि '+' और 'x' को आपस में बदल दिया जाए तथा '-' और '÷' को आपस में बदल दिया जाए, तो निम्नलिखित समीकरण में '?' के स्थान पर क्या आएगा?

$$8 + 3 \div 116 - 4 \times 18 = ?$$

- (a) 22
- (b) 19
- (c) 13
- (d) 15

Ans.(c)

Q6. सात मित्र - A, B, C, D, E, F और G - में से प्रत्येक की सप्ताह के अलग-अलग दिन बैठक है, जो सोमवार से शुरू होकर रविवार तक है। C की बैठक गुरुवार को है। C और F के बीच केवल एक व्यक्ति की बैठक है। A की बैठक F से ठीक पहले है, लेकिन सोमवार को नहीं। A और G के बीच केवल दो व्यक्तियों की बैठकें हैं। B की बैठक E से पहले लेकिन D के बाद है। B की बैठक किस दिन है?

- (a) शुक्रवार
- (b) बुधवार
- (c) मंगलवार
- (d) सोमवार

Ans.(b)

Q7. एक घड़ी में 2:50 और 7:20 पर मिनट की सुई और घंटे की सुई के बीच का कोण क्रमशः J और K है। J और K के बीच क्या अंतर (डिग्री में) है?

- (a) 30
- (b) 60
- (c) 50
- (d) 45

Ans.(d)

Q8. निर्देश: नीचे दिए गए प्रश्न के लिए, संदर्भ कथन की सावधानीपूर्वक जाँच कीजिए। फिर, चार विकल्पों (a, b, c, d) में से उस एकमात्र विकल्प की पहचान कीजिए जो संदर्भ कथन की बिल्कुल सटीक और पूर्ण प्रतिकृति (प्रतिलिपि) है। प्रत्येक वर्ण, संख्या, प्रतीक, स्थान (स्पेस) और विराम चिह्न पर विशेष रूप से ध्यान दीजिए।

संदर्भ: Sarajevo: 28 Jun. 1914.

- (a) Sarajevo: 28 Jun. 1914.
- (b) Sarajevo; 28 Jun 1914.
- (c) Sarajevo; 28 Jun. 1941.
- (d) Sarajevo; 28 Jun. 1914.

Ans.(a)

Q9. निम्नलिखित अक्षर श्रृंखला को देखें और उसके बाद दिए गए प्रश्न का उत्तर दें।

(बाएं) X P S A D U G L O E J F K I M C R T Q (दाएं)

श्रृंखला के दाएं छोर से तीसरे और बाएं छोर से पांचवें अक्षर के बीच अंग्रेजी वर्णमाला श्रृंखला में कितने स्वर हैं?

- (a) दो
- (b) एक से अधिक
- (c) तीन
- (d) एक

Ans.(c)

Q10. एक निश्चित कूट भाषा में, 'PANT' को '102' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया जाता है और 'TAPE' को '84' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया जाता है। उसी कूट भाषा में 'EAST' को किस प्रकार कूटबद्ध किया जाएगा?

- (a) 92
- (b) 84
- (c) 80
- (d) 90

Ans.(d)

Q11. यदि संख्या 1528634 में प्रत्येक विषम अंक में 2 जोड़ा जाता है और प्रत्येक सम अंक से 1 घटाया जाता है, तो इस प्रकार बनी नई संख्या में बाएँ से दूसरे और दाएँ से दूसरे अंकों का योग क्या होगा?

- (a) 13
- (b) 10
- (c) 12
- (d) 14

Ans.(c)

Q12. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा अक्षर-संख्या समूह दी गई श्रृंखला में प्रश्नवाचक चिह्न (?) को प्रतिस्थापित कर इसे तार्किक रूप से पूर्ण करेगा?

XK253, UO236, RS219, ?

- (a) OW202
- (b) NW206
- (c) OV204
- (d) MV208

Ans.(a)

Q13. एक तस्वीर की ओर इशारा करते हुए, एक महिला कहती है, "वह मेरी माता का इकलौता पुत्र है।" तस्वीर में दिख रहा व्यक्ति महिला से किस प्रकार संबंधित है?

- (a) भाई
- (b) बेटा
- (c) पिता
- (d) पति

Ans.(a)

Q14. दी गई शृंखला में '?' के स्थान पर क्या आना चाहिए?

41 53 66 80 95 111 ?

- (a) 131
- (b) 134
- (c) 128
- (d) 123

Ans.(c)

Q15. इस प्रकार के प्रश्नों में, प्रश्न के साथ कुछ मुद्दे/विवाद/समस्या दी जाती है, उसके बाद कथन में समस्या को हल करने के लिए कुछ तरीके दिए जाते हैं, जिन्हें लागू किया जा सकता है, आपको उचित समस्या-समाधान विधि का चयन करना होता है। एक सांस्कृतिक उत्सव के दौरान, दो सामुदायिक समूह अपने प्रदर्शन के लिए एक ही स्थान का दावा करते हैं। आयोजक को कैसे निर्णय लेना चाहिए?

- (a) इसे बड़े समूह को दें
- (b) स्थान का समय विभाजित करें और कार्यक्रमों का समन्वय करें
- (c) एक समूह को रद्द करने के लिए कहें
- (d) सिक्का उछालकर फैसला करें

Ans.(b)

Q16. उस समुच्चय का चयन करें जिसमें संख्याएँ उसी प्रकार संबंधित हैं जैसे निम्नलिखित समुच्चयों की संख्याएँ हैं।

(नोट: संख्याओं को उनके घटक अंकों में तोड़े बिना, संक्रियाएँ पूर्ण संख्याओं पर की जानी चाहिए, उदाहरण के लिए 13 - 13 पर संक्रियाएँ जैसे 13 में जोड़ना/घटाना/गुणा करना आदि किया जा सकता है। 13 को 1 और 3 में तोड़ना और फिर 1 और 3 पर गणितीय संक्रियाएँ करने की अनुमति नहीं है।)

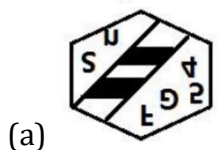
(14, 7, 21)

(56, 28, 42)

- (a) (114, 57, 72)
- (b) (242, 121, 134)
- (c) (346, 173, 188)
- (d) (62, 31, 45)

Ans.(d)

Q17. कौन सी विकल्प आकृति नीचे दी गई आकृति के सही जल प्रतिबिंब को दर्शाती है?



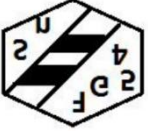
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Ans.(b)

Q18. निम्नलिखित संख्या, प्रतीक श्रृंखला का संदर्भ लें और उसके बाद दिए गए प्रश्न का उत्तर दें। गिनती केवल बाएँ से दाएँ की जानी है। (सभी संख्याएँ केवल एक अंक की संख्याएँ हैं।)

(बाएँ) * 5 # % 5 & ** 6 9 3 % # @ & % 5 9 # & € # (दाएँ)

ऐसे कितने प्रतीक हैं, जिनमें से प्रत्येक के ठीक पहले एक संख्या और ठीक बाद में एक प्रतीक है?

(a) चार

(b) पाँच

(c) छह

(d) तीन

Ans.(a)

Q19. दिए गए कथन के आधार पर निष्कर्ष सत्य है।

कथन: $F \leq G < H = I > J$

निष्कर्ष:

I. $F < I$

II. $G > J$

(a) I और II दोनों सत्य हैं

(b) केवल I सत्य है

(c) न तो I और न ही II सत्य है

(d) केवल II सत्य है

Ans.(b)

Q20. $A + B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का भाई है'

$A - B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B की माता है'

$A \times B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का पति है'

$A \div B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का पिता है'

यदि $X + J \div Q \times V - L$ है, तो निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा कथन सही है?

(a) J, V का पिता है।

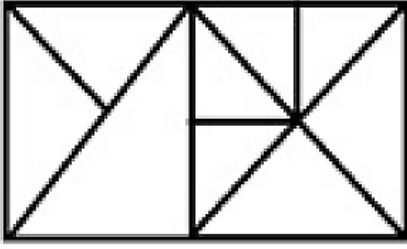
(b) L, Q की माता है।

(c) X, L की दादी है।

(d) J, L का दादा है।

Ans.(d)

Q21. आकृति में कितने त्रिभुज हैं?



(a) 15

(b) 17

(c) 19

(d) 20

Ans.(b)

Q22. दिए गए कथनों और निष्कर्षों को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ें। यह मानते हुए कि कथनों में दी गई जानकारी सत्य है, भले ही यह सामान्यतः ज्ञात तथ्यों से भिन्न प्रतीत होती हो, यह तय करें कि दिए गए निष्कर्षों में से कौन सा/से तार्किक रूप से कथनों का अनुसरण करता है/करते हैं।

कथन:

सभी सुअर सियार हैं। सभी सुअर बिल्लियां हैं। सभी हाथी बिल्लियां हैं।

निष्कर्ष:

(I) सभी हाथी सियार हैं।

(II) कुछ बिल्लियां सियार हैं।

(a) केवल निष्कर्ष (I) अनुसरण करता है।

(b) न तो निष्कर्ष (I) और न ही (II) अनुसरण करता है।

(c) निष्कर्ष (I) और (II) दोनों अनुसरण करते हैं।

(d) केवल निष्कर्ष (II) अनुसरण करता है।

Ans.(d)

Q23. एक निश्चित कूट भाषा में 'BUSS' को 'CXQN' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया गया है और 'ANDS' को 'BQBN' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया गया है। उसी कूट भाषा में 'VEIN' को कैसे कूटबद्ध किया जाएगा?

(a) WHGI

(b) XFFH

(c) XIIH

(d) VIHG

Ans.(a)

Q24. नीचे दिए गए कथन के बाद दो निर्णय I और II दिए गए हैं। आपको कथन में दी गई सभी बातों को सत्य मानना है, और फिर यह तय करना है कि दिए गए दो निर्णयों में से कौन सा निर्णय तार्किक रूप से अनुसरण करता है।

कथन: ऑटोमोबाइल उद्योगों के कारण होने वाले वायु प्रदूषण से बड़ी संख्या में लोग प्रभावित हैं।

निर्णय:

I. ऑटोमोबाइल उद्योगों को तुरंत बंद कर दिया जाना चाहिए।

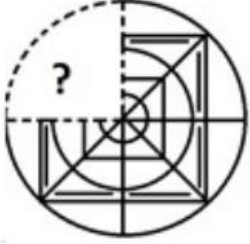
II. इस प्रकार के उद्योगों को शहर के बाहरी इलाकों में स्थानांतरित किया जाना चाहिए।

विकल्प :

- (a) केवल I अनुसरण करता है
(b) I और II दोनों अनुसरण करते हैं
(c) न तो I और न ही II अनुसरण करता है
(d) केवल II अनुसरण करता है

Ans.(d)

Q25. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सी विकल्प आकृति नीचे दी गई आकृति में पैटर्न को पूरा करेगी?



- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)

Ans.(d)

Q26. सात डिब्बे P, Q, R, S, T, U और V एक के ऊपर एक रखे गए हैं लेकिन आवश्यक नहीं कि इसी क्रम में हों। U के ऊपर कोई डिब्बा नहीं रखा गया है। U और P के बीच केवल तीन डिब्बे रखे गए हैं। R और T के बीच केवल एक डिब्बा रखा गया है। T को P के ठीक ऊपर रखा गया है। R और V के बीच केवल चार डिब्बे रखे गए हैं। Q को S के ऊपर किसी स्थान पर रखा गया है। S और U के बीच कितने डिब्बे रखे गए हैं?

- (a) 3
(b) 2
(c) 4
(d) 1

Ans.(c)

Q27. उस विकल्प का चयन करें जो पांचवें अक्षर-संख्या समूह से उसी प्रकार संबंधित है जैसे दूसरा अक्षर-संख्या समूह पहले अक्षर-संख्या समूह से संबंधित है और चौथा अक्षर-संख्या समूह तीसरे अक्षर-संख्या समूह से संबंधित है।

(नोट: संख्याओं को उनके घटक अंकों में तोड़े बिना, संक्रियाएँ पूर्ण संख्याओं पर की जानी चाहिए, उदा. 13 - 13 पर संक्रियाएँ जैसे 13 में जोड़ना / घटाना / गुणा करना आदि की जा सकती हैं। 13 को 1 और 3 में तोड़ना और फिर 1 और 3 पर गणितीय संक्रियाएँ करने की अनुमति नहीं है)

AK50 : CM78 :: TP70 : VR98 :: OQ60 : ?

(a) SQ88

(b) SR78

(c) QR78

(d) QS88

Ans.(d)

Q28. निम्नलिखित शृंखला में पदों की संख्या ज्ञात कीजिए।

15, 25, 35, 45, _____, 125

(a) 10

(b) 11

(c) 12

(d) 13

Ans.(c)

Q29. सात व्यक्ति, मनु, नेहा, ओजस, प्रीतम, रीना, सीता और टीना, एक वृत्ताकार मेज के चारों ओर केंद्र की ओर मुख करके बैठे हैं। रीना, टीना के दाईं ओर दूसरे स्थान पर और सीता के बाईं ओर दूसरे स्थान पर बैठी है। मनु, ओजस के बाईं ओर तीसरे स्थान पर बैठा है और मनु, रीना का निकटतम पड़ोसी है। प्रीतम, मनु के बाईं ओर दूसरे स्थान पर बैठा है। टीना के बाईं ओर से गिनने पर सीता और टीना के बीच कितने व्यक्ति बैठे हैं?

(a) एक

(b) दो

(c) तीन

(d) कोई नहीं

Ans.(b)

Q30. A, B, C, D, E और F एक ही इमारत की छह अलग-अलग मंजिलों पर रहते हैं। इमारत में सबसे निचली मंजिल की संख्या 1 है, उसके ऊपर की मंजिल की संख्या 2 है और इसी तरह सबसे ऊपरी मंजिल तक, जिसकी संख्या 6 है। D के ऊपर केवल एक व्यक्ति रहता है। A और D के बीच केवल दो व्यक्ति रहते हैं। F, B के ठीक ऊपर रहता है। E, D के ऊपर नहीं रहता है। C के नीचे कितने व्यक्ति रहते हैं?

(a) पाँच

(b) तीन

(c) चार

(d) दो

Ans.(a)

Q31. कौन सा शब्द 'ACHIEVEMENT' शब्द के अक्षरों का उपयोग करके नहीं बनाया जा सकता है?

- (a) HEAT
- (b) TIME
- (c) MATE
- (d) CHEF

Ans.(d)

Q32. उस त्रिक का चयन करें जो नीचे दिए गए दो त्रिकों द्वारा अनुसरण किए गए स्वरूप का अनुसरण करता है। दोनों त्रिक समान स्वरूप का अनुसरण करते हैं।

PK - QL - RT

RM - SN - TV

- (a) LG - MH - NP
- (b) KG - MI - NO
- (c) LG - MH - NO
- (d) KG - MH - NO

Ans.(a)

Q33. दिए गए कथनों और निष्कर्षों को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ें। आपको दिए गए कथनों को सत्य मानना है, भले ही वे सामान्यतः ज्ञात तथ्यों से भिन्न प्रतीत होते हों। आपको यह तय करना है कि दिए गए कथनों में से कौन सा/से निष्कर्ष तार्किक रूप से अनुसरण करता है/करते हैं।

कथन:

सभी कुर्सियां मेज हैं। सभी मेज बोर्ड हैं। कुछ मेज डेस्क हैं।

निष्कर्ष:

- (I) कुछ बोर्ड डेस्क हैं।
- (II) कुछ कुर्सियां डेस्क हैं।
- (a) निष्कर्ष I और II दोनों अनुसरण करते हैं।
- (b) केवल निष्कर्ष II अनुसरण करता है।
- (c) केवल निष्कर्ष I अनुसरण करता है।
- (d) न तो निष्कर्ष I और न ही II अनुसरण करता है।

Ans.(c)

Q34. उस अक्षर समूह का चयन करें जो तीसरे अक्षर समूह से उसी प्रकार संबंधित है जैसे दूसरा अक्षर समूह पहले अक्षर समूह से संबंधित है।

ADMIT : YZIGP :: COLONY : ?

- (a) YMHMJU
- (b) YLHMJU
- (c) YNHNJU
- (d) ZMHMJU

Ans.(a)

Q35. सात व्यक्ति, B, C, O, P, Q, R और S, एक सीधी पंक्ति में उत्तर की ओर मुख करके बैठे हैं। S के बाईं ओर केवल तीन व्यक्ति बैठे हैं। B और O के बीच केवल तीन व्यक्ति बैठे हैं। Q और O के बीच केवल चार व्यक्ति बैठे हैं, जिनमें से कोई भी बाएँ छोर पर नहीं बैठा है। C, R के ठीक बाईं ओर बैठा है। P और R के बीच कितने व्यक्ति बैठे हैं?

- (a) एक
- (b) दो
- (c) चार
- (d) तीन

Ans.(c)

Q36. D, E, H, K, M, R, S और W एक वर्गाकार मेज़ के चारों ओर केंद्र की ओर मुख करके बैठे हैं। उनमें से कुछ कोनों पर बैठे हैं जबकि कुछ भुजाओं के ठीक केंद्र पर बैठे हैं। D मेज़ के एक कोने पर बैठा है। E, D के बाएँ दूसरे स्थान पर बैठा है। E और H के बीच केवल तीन व्यक्ति बैठे हैं। H और M के बीच केवल एक व्यक्ति बैठा है। S, M के ठीक बाएँ बैठा है। W, D का निकटतम पड़ोसी नहीं है। K, R के दाएँ दूसरे स्थान पर बैठा है। दी गई व्यवस्था के अनुसार R के ठीक बाएँ कौन बैठा है।

- (a) E
- (b) H
- (c) D
- (d) M

Ans.(a)

Q37. आप देखते हैं कि आपका सहकर्मी पहले बहुत सक्रिय रहने के बाद बैठकों के दौरान असामान्य रूप से शांत और अलग-थलग रहता है। सबसे सामाजिक रूप से बुद्धिमान दृष्टिकोण क्या है?

- (a) निजी तौर पर उनसे संपर्क करें और पूछें कि क्या वे ठीक हैं और सहायता की पेशकश करें
- (b) सार्वजनिक रूप से पूछें कि वे पहले की तरह योगदान क्यों नहीं दे रहे हैं
- (c) इसे नजरअंदाज करें; यदि वे तैयार होंगे तो खुलकर बात करेंगे
- (d) मैनेजर को बताएं कि उनका प्रदर्शन खराब है

Ans.(a)

Q38. G, Y की बहन है। Y, J का भाई है। M, W का पिता है। W, J का पुत्र है। G का M से क्या संबंध है?

- (a) पत्नी की माता
- (b) बहन
- (c) पत्नी की बहन
- (d) माता

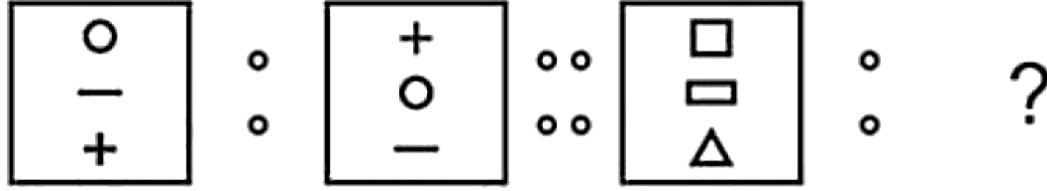
Ans.(c)

Q39. वर्ष 1989 का अंतिम दिन क्या था?

- (a) गुरुवार
- (b) शुक्रवार
- (c) शनिवार
- (d) रविवार

Ans.(d)

Q40. (::) के बाईं ओर दी गई दो आकृतियां किसी तर्क/नियम/संबंध से संबंधित हैं। उसी तर्क/नियम/संबंध के आधार पर दिए गए विकल्पों में से (::) के दाईं ओर लुप्त आकृति का चयन करें।



- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)

Ans.(a)

Q41. उस विकल्प का चयन करें जो चौथी संख्या से उसी प्रकार संबंधित है जैसे पहली संख्या दूसरी संख्या से संबंधित है और पांचवीं संख्या छठी संख्या से संबंधित है।

(नोट: संक्रियाएं पूर्ण संख्याओं पर की जानी चाहिए, संख्याओं को उनके घटक अंकों में तोड़े बिना। उदा. 13 - 13 पर संक्रियाएं जैसे 13 में जोड़ना / घटाना / गुणा करना आदि किया जा सकता है। 13 को 1 और 3 में तोड़ना और फिर 1 और 3 पर गणितीय संक्रियाएं करने की अनुमति नहीं है)

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- (a) 741
(b) 744
(c) 734
(d) 733

Ans.(c)

Q42. सात बॉक्स A, B, R, U, P, T और S एक के ऊपर एक रखे गए हैं, लेकिन जरूरी नहीं कि इसी क्रम में हों। U के ऊपर केवल चार बॉक्स रखे गए हैं। R के ऊपर केवल एक बॉक्स रखा गया है। R और A के बीच केवल एक बॉक्स रखा गया है। S, T के ठीक ऊपर रखा गया है। P, B के नीचे किसी स्थान पर रखा गया है। B और S के बीच कितने बॉक्स रखे गए हैं?

- (a) चार
(b) तीन
(c) दो
(d) एक

Ans.(a)

Q43. यदि 'A' का अर्थ '+' है, 'B' का अर्थ '-' है, 'C' का अर्थ '×' है और 'D' का अर्थ '÷' है, तो निम्नलिखित समीकरण में प्रश्नवाचक चिह्न (?) के स्थान पर क्या आएगा?

$$40 D 5 A 8 C 2 B 12 = ?$$

(a) 12

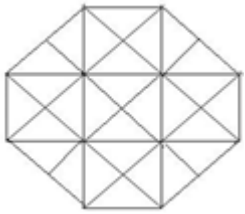
(b) 10

(c) 14

(d) 16

Ans.(a)

Q44. निम्नलिखित आकृति को बनाने के लिए आवश्यक न्यूनतम रेखाओं की संख्या कितनी है?



(a) 18

(b) 13

(c) 20

(d) 16

Ans.(a)

Q45. एक निश्चित कूट भाषा में, 'FILE' को '4128' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया जाता है और 'LIME' को '1268' के रूप में कूटबद्ध किया जाता है। दी गई कूट भाषा में 'M' के लिए कूट क्या है?

(a) 8

(b) 6

(c) 1

(d) 2

Ans.(b)

Q46. अंग्रेजी वर्णमाला क्रम के आधार पर दी गई शृंखला में '?' के स्थान पर क्या आना चाहिए?

URW GDI SPU EBG ?

(a) QNS

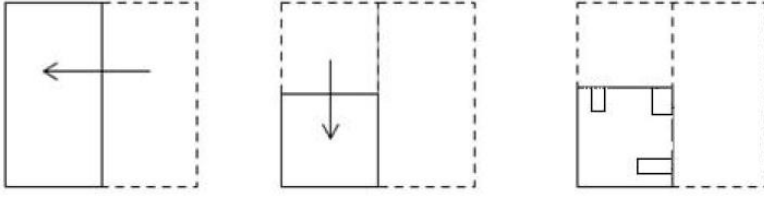
(b) LIN

(c) NJP

(d) PLR

Ans.(a)

Q47. एक कागज को मोड़ा जाता है और निम्नानुसार काटा जाता है। खोले जाने पर यह कैसा दिखाई दे सकता है?



- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)

Ans.(b)

Q48. नीचे दिए गए प्रत्येक प्रश्न में एक कथन है, जिसके बाद I और II क्रमांक वाले दो तर्क दिए गए हैं। आपको यह तय करना है कि कौन सा तर्क 'सबल' है और कौन सा तर्क 'निर्बल' है।

कथन : क्या आय की परवाह किए बिना सभी नागरिकों को मुफ्त स्वास्थ्य सेवा प्रदान की जानी चाहिए?

तर्क I : हाँ, स्वास्थ्य सेवा एक मौलिक अधिकार है और यह सभी के लिए सुलभ होनी चाहिए।

तर्क II : नहीं, इससे सरकार पर अत्यधिक वित्तीय दबाव पड़ेगा।

- (a) केवल I सबल है
- (b) केवल II सबल है
- (c) I और II दोनों सबल हैं
- (d) न तो I और न ही II सबल है

Ans.(c)

Q49. एक निश्चित कूट भाषा में,

$A @ B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का पुत्र है',

$A \leq B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B की पत्नी है',

$A \in B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का पिता है' और

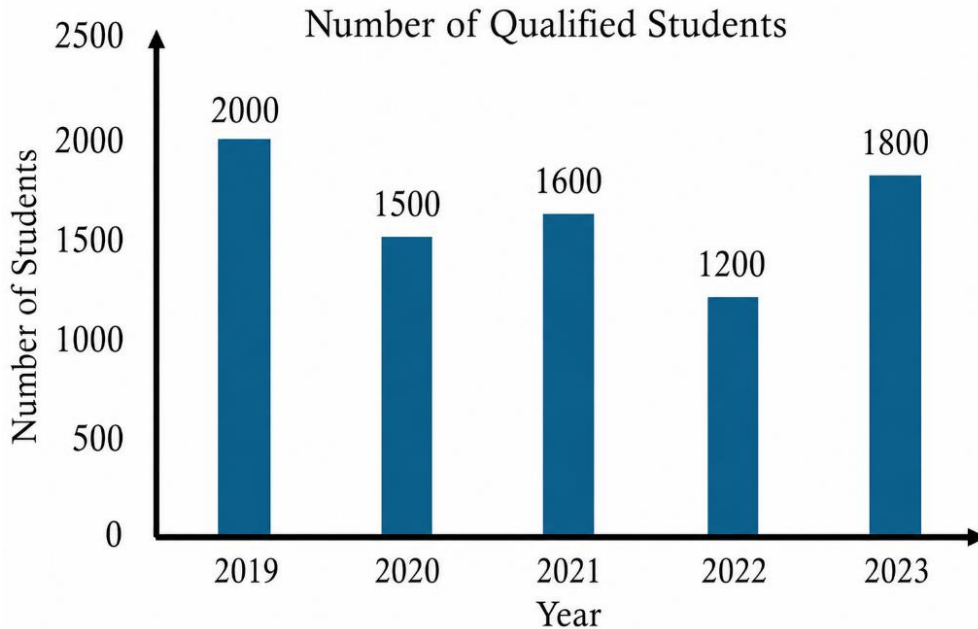
$A \neq B$ का अर्थ है 'A, B का भाई है'।

यदि ' $A @ D \in J \neq L \leq P$ ' है, तो A, P से किस प्रकार संबंधित है?

- (a) पत्नी की माता की माता
- (b) पत्नी का भाई
- (c) पत्नी की बहन
- (d) पत्नी की माता

Ans.(b)

Q50. निम्नलिखित दंड आलेख (bar graph) 2019 से 2023 तक एक प्रतियोगी परीक्षा में अर्हता प्राप्त करने वाले छात्रों की संख्या को दर्शाता है। दंड आलेख का अध्ययन करें और नीचे दिए गए प्रश्न का उत्तर दें।



किन दो लगातार वर्षों में अर्हता प्राप्त छात्रों की संख्या में प्रतिशत वृद्धि सबसे अधिक थी?

- (a) 2019 - 2020
- (b) 2020 - 2021
- (c) 2022 - 2023
- (d) 2021 - 2022

Ans.(c)

Q51. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा कथन हिमनदीय परिदृश्यों में एस्कर के निर्माण, संरचना और भू-आकृतिक महत्व का सबसे सटीक वर्णन करता है?

- (a) एस्कर मुख्य रूप से टिल से बनी खड़ी ढाल वाली, लम्बी कटक होती हैं, जो समशीतोष्ण जलवायु में हिमनदों के पीछे हटने के दौरान उप-हवाई अपरदन से बनती हैं।
- (b) एस्कर स्तरीकृत रेत और बजरी की घुमावदार कटक होती हैं जो बर्फ की सुरंगों के भीतर बहने वाली उप-हिमनदीय पिघले पानी की धाराओं द्वारा जमा की जाती हैं, जो पूर्व हिमनद जल निकासी पैटर्न के प्रमाण के रूप में कार्य करती हैं।
- (c) एस्कर हिमनदीय आउटवॉश मैदानों पर हवा की क्रिया द्वारा निर्मित निक्षेपण विशेषताएं हैं, जिनमें आमतौर पर अंतिम हिमयुग के दौरान जमा हुए महीन लोएस निक्षेप शामिल होते हैं।
- (d) एस्कर घाटी के किनारों के साथ पार्श्व हिमोढ़ निक्षेपण के कारण बनते हैं और मुख्य रूप से हिमनद के आगे बढ़ने की अधिकतम सीमा का संकेत देते हैं।

Ans.(b)

Q52. भव्य (BHAVYA) योजना, जिसके लिए DPIIT ने मई 2026 में परिचालन दिशानिर्देश जारी किए, का उद्देश्य भारत में किसका विकास करना है?

- (a) ग्रामीण पर्यटन अवसंरचना
- (b) निवेश के लिए तैयार औद्योगिक अवसंरचना

(c) डिजिटल बैंकिंग अवसंरचना

(d) कृषि निर्यात क्षेत्र

Ans.(b)

Q53. राजवंश - क्षेत्र का निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा युग्म सही है? I. राष्ट्रकूट - तमिलनाडु II. गुर्जर-प्रतिहार - राजस्थान

(a) केवल I

(b) केवल II

(c) I और II दोनों

(d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(b)

Q54. दिल्ली सल्तनत में, अपने आवंटित इत्ता में 'मुक्तियों' का मुख्य कर्तव्य क्या था?

(a) उच्च गुणवत्ता वाले घोड़ों का प्रबंधन करना

(b) व्यापार और वाणिज्य का प्रबंधन करना

(c) किलों और महलों का निर्माण करना

(d) सैन्य अभियानों का नेतृत्व करना और कानून एवं व्यवस्था बनाए रखना

Ans.(d)

Q55. बौद्ध स्तूपों के संबंध में निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा सही है? I. वे मिट्टी के विशाल टीलों से बनाए गए थे। II. वे सावधानीपूर्वक पकाई गई छोटी मानक ईंटों से घिरे हुए थे।

(a) केवल I

(b) केवल II

(c) I और II दोनों

(d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q56. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा अपशिष्ट उत्पाद पौधों के पुराने जाइलम में जमा होता है? I. रेजिन II. गोंद

(a) केवल I

(b) केवल II

(c) I और II दोनों

(d) न तो I न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q57. नीचे अभिकथन (A) और कारण (R) दिए गए हैं। सही विकल्प चुनें:

अभिकथन (A): जनसंख्या वृद्धि को पूर्ण संख्या और प्रति वर्ष प्रतिशत परिवर्तन में मापा जा सकता है।

कारण (R): केवल पूर्ण संख्याओं में वृद्धि को मापने से समय के साथ जनसंख्या के रुझानों के बारे में विस्तृत जानकारी मिलती है।

(a) A और R दोनों सही हैं, और R, A की सही व्याख्या है

(b) A और R दोनों सही हैं, लेकिन R, A की सही व्याख्या नहीं है

(c) A सही है, लेकिन R गलत है

(d) A गलत है, लेकिन R सही है

Ans.(c)

Q58. पी. सी. महालानोबिस द्वारा विकसित महालानोबिस दूरी (Mahalanobis Distance) का उपयोग मुख्य रूप से किसके लिए किया जाता है:

- (a) आर्थिक विकास की गति को मापना
- (b) डेटा के समूहों के बीच समानता निर्धारित करना
- (c) जनसंख्या घनत्व का अनुमान लगाना
- (d) मुद्रास्फीति दर की गणना करना

Ans.(b)

Q59. निम्नलिखित में से कौन आधिकारिक तौर पर किसी कानून की संवैधानिक वैधता निर्धारित करता है?

- (a) संसद एक विशेष प्रस्ताव के माध्यम से
- (b) सर्वोच्च न्यायालय न्यायिक समीक्षा के माध्यम से
- (c) भारत के राष्ट्रपति संवैधानिक विवेक के माध्यम से
- (d) केंद्रीय मंत्रिमंडल कार्यकारी व्याख्या के माध्यम से

Ans.(b)

Q60. खुले बाजार की प्रक्रियाएं (OMOs) RBI द्वारा _____ को नियंत्रित करने के लिए संचालित की जाती हैं।

- (a) मुद्रा आपूर्ति
- (b) राज्य के बजट
- (c) कॉर्पोरेट लाभ
- (d) विदेशी व्यापार

Ans.(a)

Q61. भारतीय वायु सेना ने मई 2026 में किस लड़ाकू विमान के लिए भविष्य कहनेवाला रखरखाव (predictive maintenance) तकनीक विकसित करने के लिए IIT बॉम्बे के साथ साझेदारी की?

- (a) तेजस Mk-1
- (b) राफेल
- (c) मिराज 2000
- (d) Su-30MKI

Ans.(d)

Q62. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा क्रम पश्चिमी तट पर उत्तर से दक्षिण तक तटीय खंडों का सही ढंग से मिलान करता है?

- (a) कर्नाटक → कोंकण → मालाबार
- (b) काठियावाड़ → मालाबार → कोंकण
- (c) कोंकण → कर्नाटक → मालाबार
- (d) मालाबार → कोंकण → कर्नाटक

Ans.(c)

Q63. निम्नलिखित अभिकथन और कारण को ध्यान से पढ़ें और सही विकल्प चुनें:

अभिकथन (A): प्रथम पंचवर्षीय योजना मुख्य रूप से भारत में कृषि क्षेत्र के विकास पर केंद्रित थी।

कारण (R): उस समय भारत को गंभीर खाद्यान्न की कमी का सामना करना पड़ रहा था और कृषि उत्पादन बढ़ाने की आवश्यकता थी।

- (a) A और R दोनों सही हैं, और R, A की सही व्याख्या है
- (b) A और R दोनों सही हैं, लेकिन R, A की सही व्याख्या नहीं है
- (c) A सही है, लेकिन R गलत है
- (d) A गलत है, लेकिन R सही है

Ans.(a)

Q64. अभिकथन (A) और कारण (R) के रूप में चिह्नित नीचे दिए गए कथनों को पढ़ें।

अभिकथन (A): नाममात्र GDP बढ़ सकती है भले ही उत्पादन की वास्तविक भौतिक मात्रा स्थिर रहे।

कारण (R): ऐसा इसलिए होता है क्योंकि नाममात्र GDP की गणना वर्तमान बाजार कीमतों पर की जाती है, जिसमें मुद्रास्फीति का प्रभाव शामिल होता है।

- (a) A और R दोनों सही हैं, और R, A की सही व्याख्या है।
- (b) A और R दोनों सही हैं, लेकिन R, A की सही व्याख्या नहीं है।
- (c) A सही है, लेकिन R गलत है।
- (d) A गलत है, लेकिन R सही है।

Ans.(a)

Q65. किस टीम ने 2026 ऑस्ट्रेलियाई ग्रैंड प्रिक्स में एक नए ब्रांड के तहत आधिकारिक तौर पर अपनी शुरुआत या महत्वपूर्ण वापसी की, जिसमें गेब्रियल बोर्टोलेटो ने अंक प्राप्त किए?

- (a) एस्टन मार्टिन
- (b) ऑडी
- (c) पोर्श
- (d) अल्पाइन

Ans.(b)

Q66. निम्नलिखित कथनों को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़ें और अभिकथन (A) और कारण (R) के संबंध में सही विकल्प चुनें।

अभिकथन (A): वैश्वीकरण के कारण भारत में सेवाओं की आउटसोर्सिंग (बाह्य-स्रोतन) में वृद्धि हुई है।

कारण (R): भारत विदेशी कंपनियों को उच्च लागत वाली, कम कौशल वाली सेवाएँ प्रदान करता है।

- (a) A और R दोनों सत्य हैं और R, A की सही व्याख्या है
- (b) A और R दोनों सत्य हैं लेकिन R, A की सही व्याख्या नहीं है
- (c) A सत्य है लेकिन R असत्य है
- (d) A असत्य है लेकिन R सत्य है

Ans.(c)

Q67. जून 2026 में भारत के एंटी-मनी लॉन्ड्रिंग (AML) और आतंकवाद के वित्तपोषण का मुकाबला (CFT) ढांचे को मजबूत करने के लिए लॉन्च किए गए राष्ट्रीय उद्योग मंच का नाम क्या है?

- (a) FINSAFE
- (b) ARIFAC
- (c) AMLNET
- (d) STR इंडिया

Ans.(b)

Q68. विंध्य पर्वत श्रृंखला के ठीक दक्षिण में, नर्मदा घाटी द्वारा अलग की गई कौन सी पर्वत श्रृंखला स्थित है?

- (a) अरावली पर्वत श्रृंखला
- (b) सतपुड़ा पर्वत श्रृंखला
- (c) पश्चिमी घाट
- (d) पूर्वी घाट

Ans.(b)

Q69. उद्घाटन एशियाई U23 एथलेटिक्स चैंपियनशिप 2026 के संबंध में निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा/से कथन सही है/हैं?

- 1. भारत 16 पदक के साथ समग्र पदक तालिका में चौथे स्थान पर रहा।
- 2. चैंपियनशिप 9-12 जुलाई 2026 तक ओरडोस, चीन में आयोजित की गई थी।
- 3. भारत ने तीन स्वर्ण पदक जीते, जिसमें मिश्रित 4×400 मीटर रिले और महिला 4×400 मीटर रिले शामिल हैं।
- 4. चीन ने 23 स्वर्ण पदक के साथ पदक तालिका में शीर्ष स्थान प्राप्त किया।

- (a) केवल 1 और 2
- (b) केवल 2 और 3
- (c) केवल 1, 3 और 4
- (d) 1, 2, 3 और 4

Ans.(d)

Q70. नब्बे के दशक की शुरुआत में भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्था के सामने निम्नलिखित में से कौन सी समस्या आई थी? I. भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्था तीव्र मुद्रास्फीति के दबाव का सामना कर रही थी। II. अर्थव्यवस्था औद्योगीकरण आदि के लिए वित्त की कमी का अनुभव कर रही थी।

- (a) केवल I
- (b) केवल II
- (c) I और II दोनों
- (d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q71. जल में निम्नलिखित में से किसके घुलने से सल्फ्यूरस अम्ल के बनने के कारण विलयन अम्लीय हो जाता है?

- (a) सल्फोनिक अम्ल
- (b) सल्फर ट्राइऑक्साइड
- (c) सल्फर डाइऑक्साइड
- (d) सल्फर हेक्साफ्लोराइड

Ans.(c)

Q72. निम्नलिखित में से किस भारतीय शहर में दुनिया के सबसे बड़े क्रिकेट स्टेडियम का निर्माण किया जा रहा है?

- (a) इंदौर
- (b) ग्वालियर
- (c) सूरत
- (d) अहमदाबाद

Ans.(d)

Q73. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सी भारतीय रिज़र्व बैंक द्वारा प्रकाशित एक रिपोर्ट है?

I. वित्तीय स्थिरता रिपोर्ट II. भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्था पर सांख्यिकी की पुस्तिका

- (a) केवल I
- (b) केवल II
- (c) I और II दोनों
- (d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q74. ऊर्जा संरक्षण के नियम के संबंध में निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा सही है? I. ऊर्जा को केवल एक रूप से दूसरे रूप में परिवर्तित किया जा सकता है। II. ऊर्जा को आसानी से नष्ट किया जा सकता है।

- (a) केवल I
- (b) केवल II
- (c) I और II दोनों
- (d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(a)

Q75. 'एंग्री रिवर' पुस्तक के लेखक कौन हैं?

- (a) शशि थरूर
- (b) आर. के. नारायण
- (c) वी. एस. नायपॉल
- (d) रस्किन बॉन्ड

Ans.(d)

Q76. 'फुलाइच उत्सव' किस भारतीय राज्य/केंद्र शासित प्रदेश में मनाया जाता है?

- (a) असम
- (b) पुदुचेरी
- (c) राजस्थान
- (d) हिमाचल प्रदेश

Ans.(d)

Q77. सूची I का सूची II के साथ मिलान करें।

सूची I

A. राफेल नडाल

B. रोनाल्डो

C. माइकल फेलप्स

D. विराट कोहली

सूची II

I. क्रिकेट

II. टेनिस

III. तैराकी

IV. फुटबॉल

नीचे दिए गए विकल्पों में से सही उत्तर चुनें:

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

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

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

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

Ans.(a)

Q78. पुस्तक 'इन एन एंटीक लैंड' के लेखक कौन हैं?

(a) अमिताव घोष

(b) मनु जोसेफ

(c) नील मुखर्जी

(d) सिद्धार्थ धनवंत सांघवी

Ans.(a)

Q79. 2011 की जनगणना में भारत की शहरी जनसंख्या का प्रतिशत लगभग कितना था?

(a) 20%

(b) 27%

(c) 31%

(d) 36%

Ans.(c)

Q80. गंग वंश के एक प्रसिद्ध राजा अनंत वर्मन चोडगंग देव द्वारा निर्मित जगन्नाथ मंदिर _____ में स्थित है।

(a) ओडिशा

(b) मध्य प्रदेश

(c) तमिलनाडु

(d) कर्नाटक

Ans.(a)

Q81. मुगल शासन के दौरान राजा के अधीन निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा मंत्री पूरी सेना का कमांडर था?

(a) मीर सामन

(b) मीर बख्शी

(c) दीवान-ए-इंशा

(d) सद्र-उस-सुदूर

Ans.(b)

Q82. 'खुपीएलिए' निम्नलिखित में से किस भारतीय राज्य का लोक नृत्य है?

- (a) कर्नाटक
- (b) नागालैंड
- (c) हिमाचल प्रदेश
- (d) चंडीगढ़

Ans.(b)

Q83. संघ की राजभाषा के संबंध में निम्नलिखित कथनों पर विचार कीजिए:

1. संविधान का अनुच्छेद 343 संघ की राजभाषा से संबंधित है और इस प्रयोजन के लिए देवनागरी लिपि में हिंदी को मान्यता देता है।
 2. अनुच्छेद 351 हिंदी के प्रसार और विकास को बढ़ावा देने के लिए एक निर्देश प्रदान करता है।
- उपर्युक्त कथनों में से कौन सा/से सही है/हैं?

- (a) केवल 1
- (b) केवल 2
- (c) न तो 1 और न ही 2
- (d) 1 और 2 दोनों

Ans.(d)

Q84. (i) _____ सबसे बेहतरीन स्मारकों में से एक है जो (ii) _____ में स्थित है।

- (a) (i) जिंजी किला (ii) पुडुचेरी
- (b) (i) हवा महल (ii) चेन्नई
- (c) (i) चारमीनार (ii) कोलकाता
- (d) (i) पुराना किला (ii) कोलकाता

Ans.(a)

Q85. मसौदा दिल्ली EV नीति 2026-2030 के तहत, किस तारीख से केवल इलेक्ट्रिक तिपहिया वाहन ही दिल्ली में नए पंजीकरण के लिए पात्र होंगे?

- (a) 1 जनवरी, 2025
- (b) 1 जनवरी, 2026
- (c) 1 जनवरी, 2027
- (d) 1 अप्रैल, 2027

Ans.(c)

Q86. मार्च 2026 में, राष्ट्रीय अपराध रिकॉर्ड ब्यूरो द्वारा जारी प्रोग्रेस डैशबोर्ड के अनुसार, इंटर-ऑपरेबल क्रिमिनल जस्टिस सिस्टम (ICJS) 2.0 के कार्यान्वयन में किस राज्य ने भारत में पहला स्थान प्राप्त किया?

- (a) हरियाणा
- (b) असम
- (c) उत्तराखंड
- (d) मध्य प्रदेश

Ans.(c)

Q87. निम्नलिखित पदों को उनकी सही परिभाषाओं के साथ सुमेलित करें:

पद	परिभाषा
A. सकल घरेलू उत्पाद (GDP)	1. घरेलू क्षेत्र के भीतर वस्तुओं/सेवाओं का कुल मूल्य
B. सकल राष्ट्रीय उत्पाद (GNP)	2. सकल घरेलू उत्पाद (GDP) + विदेशों से शुद्ध आय
C. शुद्ध राष्ट्रीय उत्पाद (NNP)	3. सकल राष्ट्रीय उत्पाद (GNP) माइनस मूल्यह्रास
D. प्रति व्यक्ति आय (PCI)	4. प्रति व्यक्ति आय संकेतक

(a) A-1, B-3, C-2, D-4

(b) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4

(c) A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4

(d) A-4, B-1, C-2, D-3

Ans.(c)

Q88. तरल घर्षण के संबंध में निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा कथन सही है?

I. इसे ड्रैग भी कहा जाता है।

II. यह तरल के संबंध में वस्तु की गति पर निर्भर करता है।

(a) केवल I

(b) केवल II

(c) I और II दोनों

(d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q89. बढ़ते डाइलेक्ट्रिक स्थिरांक के आधार पर निम्नलिखित गैर-ध्रुवीय विलायकों को व्यवस्थित करें:

A. डाइएथिल ईथर

B. टोल्यूनि

C. हेक्सेन

D. क्लोरोफॉर्म

E. पेंटेन

नीचे दिए गए विकल्पों में से सही उत्तर चुनें:

(a) B, A, D, C, E

(b) E, C, A, D, B

(c) C, A, E, B, D

(d) E, C, B, A, D

Ans.(d)

Q90. 1964 में, भ्रष्टाचार निवारण समिति की अध्यक्षता किसने की और केंद्रीय सतर्कता आयोग की स्थापना का सुझाव दिया?

(a) के. संथानम

(b) जी. वी. रामकृष्ण

(c) पी. के. मोहंती

(d) जी. के. पिल्लई

Ans.(a)

Q91. भारतीय संविधान का निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा अनुच्छेद अल्पसंख्यकों को शैक्षणिक संस्थानों की स्थापना और प्रशासन करने के अधिकार से संबंधित है?

- (a) अनुच्छेद 28
- (b) अनुच्छेद 24
- (c) अनुच्छेद 30
- (d) अनुच्छेद 29

Ans.(c)

Q92. वह प्रक्रिया जिसके द्वारा जल मिट्टी (उच्च जल सांद्रता) से अर्ध-पारगम्य झिल्ली के माध्यम से जड़ की कोशिकाओं (निम्न जल सांद्रता) में जाता है, ____ कहलाती है।

- (a) विसरण
- (b) परासरण
- (c) जीवद्रव्यकुंचन
- (d) सक्रिय परिवहन

Ans.(b)

Q93. 'पूर्णागिरि मेला' किस भारतीय राज्य में मनाया जाता है?

- (a) असम
- (b) गुजरात
- (c) पश्चिम बंगाल
- (d) उत्तराखंड

Ans.(d)

Q94. स्तंभों का मिलान करें।

सूची I | सूची II

- A. चारमीनार | i. गया
- B. चरार-ए-शरीफ | ii. माउंट आबू
- C. विष्णुपद मंदिर | iii. बडगाम
- D. दिलवाड़ा जैन मंदिर | iv. हैदराबाद

- (a) a-iv, b-iii, c-ii, d-i
- (b) a-iv, b-iii, c-i, d-ii
- (c) a-iii, b-iv, c-i, d-ii
- (d) a-iii, b-iv, c-ii, d-i

Ans.(b)

Q95. भारतीय संविधान का कौन सा अनुच्छेद संसद को नए राज्यों का गठन करने या उनकी सीमाओं में परिवर्तन करने का अधिकार देता है?

- (a) अनुच्छेद 6
- (b) अनुच्छेद 3
- (c) अनुच्छेद 5
- (d) अनुच्छेद 2

Ans.(b)

Q96. जुलाई 2026 में, पाणिनीयन इंडिया प्राइवेट लिमिटेड ने भारत का पहला निजी क्षेत्र का टर्बोफैन इंजन कार्यक्रम लॉन्च किया, जिसका नाम है:

- (a) कावेरी
- (b) शक्ति
- (c) यंतुर
- (d) गरुड़

Ans.(c)

Q97. भरतनाट्यम के संदर्भ में, निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा/से कथन सही है/हैं?

- I. यह भारत के शास्त्रीय नृत्य रूपों में से एक है।
- II. इसकी उत्पत्ति केरल की पारंपरिक नृत्य शैली में हुई है।

- (a) I और II दोनों
- (b) न तो I और न ही II
- (c) केवल I
- (d) केवल II

Ans.(c)

Q98. निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा खेलों में डोपिंग के रूप में उपयोग किए जाने वाले नारकोटिक्स का एक उदाहरण है?

- I. मॉर्फिन II. मेथाडोन
- (a) केवल I
- (b) केवल II
- (c) I और II दोनों
- (d) न तो I और न ही II

Ans.(c)

Q99. जुलाई 2026 में डीपीआईआईटी (DPIIT) के तहत आर्थिक सलाहकार कार्यालय (OEA) द्वारा जारी आधार वर्ष 2022-23 वाली संशोधित मूल उद्योग सूचकांक (ICI) श्रृंखला में निम्नलिखित में से कौन सा परिवर्तन पेश किया गया था?

- (a) 9वें मूल उद्योग के रूप में लौह अयस्क को शामिल करना
- (b) मूल उद्योगों की सूची से बिजली को हटाना
- (c) आधार वर्ष को 2011-12 से बदलकर 2004-05 करना
- (d) मूल उद्योगों की संख्या आठ से घटाकर सात करना

Ans.(a)

Q100. सूची I का सूची II के साथ मिलान करें :

सूची I सूची II

- A. प्रारंभिक औपनिवेशिक काल I. अन्वेषण और विवरण
 - B. उत्तर औपनिवेशिक काल II. क्षेत्रीय विश्लेषण
 - C. 1930 का दशक और अंतर-युद्ध काल III. क्षेत्रीय विभेदन
 - D. 1950 के दशक से 1960 के दशक का अंत IV. स्थानिक संगठन
- नीचे दिए गए विकल्पों में से सही उत्तर चुनें :

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

Ans.(c)

Q101. Select the misspelt word in the following sentence.

Everyone present found the reception something of an ordeal, chiefly on account of the ambassador's obsequious manner and his evident ignorance of even the most elementary protocol.

- (a) ordeal
- (b) chiefly
- (c) obsequious
- (d) ignorance

Ans.(c)

Q102. Directions: Select the most appropriate ONE-WORD SUBSTITUTION for the given group of words.

A signal, usually sounded on a bugle or drum, to wake personnel in the armed forces

- (a) Tattoo
- (b) Taps
- (c) Reveille
- (d) Retreat

Ans.(c)

Q103. Spot the correct spelling of a lab toxicity assay term.

- (a) Cytotoxicity
- (b) Cytotoxicity
- (c) Cytotoxicety
- (d) Cytotoxcity

Ans.(b)

Q104. What should come in the place of blank number 1?

In the given passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:

Democracies are usually credited with being resilient, yet the past indicates that they can be quite vulnerable. Those institutions that are meant to protect freedom can weaken when citizens become disconnected or when politicians take advantage of (1)_____ within the system. Gradual removal of checks and balances might not raise an alarm until it is too late.

One of the central factors is the state of public discourse. When argument gets polarised and facts are sacrificed to (2)_____, democratic conventions start to disintegrate. The media is responsible here, either as a watchdog or as a megaphone for disinformation. The advent of echo chambers has made it simpler for individuals to shun (3)_____ perspectives, strengthening tribalism.

Economic inequality is another threat. When significant portions of the populace feel left out of prosperity, they can lose confidence in democratic processes and seek (4)_____ alternatives. This cynicism can be taken advantage of by populist movements that make quick fixes but destroy democratic ideas.

Democracy must be safeguarded with vigilance, participation, and a willingness to search for truth. Without these, even the most entrenched systems can become (5)_____, susceptible to rot from within.

- (a) Strength
- (b) Balances
- (c) Gaps
- (d) Faults

Ans.(c)

Q105. What should come in the place of blank number 2?

In the given passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:

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One of the central factors is the state of public discourse. When argument gets polarised and facts are sacrificed to (2)_____, democratic conventions start to disintegrate. The media is responsible here, either as a watchdog or as a megaphone for disinformation. The advent of echo chambers has made it simpler for individuals to shun (3)_____ perspectives, strengthening tribalism.

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Democracy must be safeguarded with vigilance, participation, and a willingness to search for truth. Without these, even the most entrenched systems can become (5)_____, susceptible to rot from within.

- (a) Lies
- (b) Emotions
- (c) Biases
- (d) Rhetoric

Ans.(d)

Q106. What should come in the place of blank number 3?

In the given passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:

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Democracy must be safeguarded with vigilance, participation, and a willingness to search for truth. Without these, even the most entrenched systems can become (5)_____, susceptible to rot from within.

- (a) Opposing
- (b) Dissecting
- (c) Critical
- (d) Alternative

Ans.(a)

Q107. What should come in the place of blank number 4?

In the given passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:

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One of the central factors is the state of public discourse. When argument gets polarised and facts are sacrificed to (2)_____, democratic conventions start to disintegrate. The media is responsible here, either as a watchdog or as a megaphone for disinformation. The advent of echo chambers has made it simpler for individuals to shun (3)_____ perspectives, strengthening tribalism.

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Democracy must be safeguarded with vigilance, participation, and a willingness to search for truth. Without these, even the most entrenched systems can become (5)_____, susceptible to rot from within.

- (a) Violent
- (b) Radical
- (c) Authoritarian
- (d) Extremist

Ans.(c)

Q108. .

What should come in the place of blank number 5?

In the given passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:

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cynicism can be taken advantage of by populist movements that make quick fixes but destroy democratic ideas.

Democracy must be safeguarded with vigilance, participation, and a willingness to search for truth. Without these, even the most entrenched systems can become (5)_____, susceptible to rot from within.

- (a) Strong
- (b) Vulnerable
- (c) Honest
- (d) Sincere

Ans.(b)

Q109. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in direct voice.

The scientist told the students that light travels faster than sound.

- (a) The scientist told the students, "Light travelled faster than sound."
- (b) The scientist said to the students, "Light travels faster than sound."
- (c) The scientist said, "Light is traveling faster than sound."
- (d) The scientist said, "Light will travel faster than sound."

Ans.(b)

Q110. According to the passage, why are the elderly specifically more vulnerable to ethylene glycol poisoning?

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions based on the passage:

The events in Rajamahendravaram in Andhra Pradesh involving the mass poisoning of consumers by milk contaminated with ethylene glycol sound a regulatory alarm. As of March 8, the death toll was 11, with approximately 20 other people, including infants, hospitalised. Milk is a staple in Indian households and contamination by an industrial compound already infamous in India for its lethality carries the potential to trigger a crisis of confidence in local, unbranded milk supplies. Children and the elderly are most affected by ethylene glycol poisoning due to their higher metabolic sensitivity and lower renal reserves, respectively. This could push people towards pasteurised milk from regulated cooperatives such as Amul or Vijaya, which seems desirable, but a large share of milk is also distributed in India through small vendors. Food-safety compliance is as much about punishing bad actors as about reducing the cost of doing the right thing. In the informal supply chain, cold-chain monitoring and hygiene inspections are almost entirely absent, leaving room for contamination. Subsidised testing kits and cooperative chilling facilities can thus reduce the risk at small dairies. Regulators may also consider safe-harbour provisions that ease penalties for dairy operators who report contamination at their facilities; this could also encourage early disclosure, giving authorities time to save lives.

- (a) Due to their lower renal reserves.
- (b) Due to their higher metabolic sensitivity.
- (c) Because they consume more unbranded milk than infants.
- (d) Because they lack access to regulated cooperatives.

Ans.(a)

Q111. What is a potential consequence of the contamination mentioned in the text?

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions based on the passage:

The events in Rajamahendravaram in Andhra Pradesh involving the mass poisoning of consumers by milk contaminated with ethylene glycol sound a regulatory alarm. As of March 8, the death toll was 11, with approximately 20 other people, including infants, hospitalised. Milk is a staple in Indian

households and contamination by an industrial compound already infamous in India for its lethality carries the potential to trigger a crisis of confidence in local, unbranded milk supplies. Children and the elderly are most affected by ethylene glycol poisoning due to their higher metabolic sensitivity and lower renal reserves, respectively. This could push people towards pasteurised milk from regulated cooperatives such as Amul or Vijaya, which seems desirable, but a large share of milk is also distributed in India through small vendors. Food-safety compliance is as much about punishing bad actors as about reducing the cost of doing the right thing. In the informal supply chain, cold-chain monitoring and hygiene inspections are almost entirely absent, leaving room for contamination. Subsidised testing kits and cooperative chilling facilities can thus reduce the risk at small dairies. Regulators may also consider safe-harbour provisions that ease penalties for dairy operators who report contamination at their facilities; this could also encourage early disclosure, giving authorities time to save lives.

- (a) A complete ban on the sale of milk in Andhra Pradesh.
- (b) A shift in consumer preference toward pasteurised milk.
- (c) An increase in the price of testing kits for small vendors.
- (d) The immediate closure of all informal milk supply chains.

Ans.(b)

Q112. Which measure does the author suggest to improve small dairy safety?

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions based on the passage:

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- (a) Make penalties tougher for all dairy owners.
- (b) Require all milk to be sold through Amul or Vijaya only.
- (c) Providing subsidised testing kits and cooperative chilling facilities.
- (d) Use machines to check cold storage instead of people.

Ans.(c)

Q113. What is the main purpose of the “safe-harbour provisions”?

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carries the potential to trigger a crisis of confidence in local, unbranded milk supplies. Children and the elderly are most affected by ethylene glycol poisoning due to their higher metabolic sensitivity and lower renal reserves, respectively. This could push people towards pasteurised milk from regulated cooperatives such as Amul or Vijaya, which seems desirable, but a large share of milk is also distributed in India through small vendors. Food-safety compliance is as much about punishing bad actors as about reducing the cost of doing the right thing. In the informal supply chain, cold-chain monitoring and hygiene inspections are almost entirely absent, leaving room for contamination. Subsidised testing kits and cooperative chilling facilities can thus reduce the risk at small dairies. Regulators may also consider safe-harbour provisions that ease penalties for dairy operators who report contamination at their facilities; this could also encourage early disclosure, giving authorities time to save lives.

- (a) To protect consumers from high milk costs.
- (b) To get dairy operators to report contamination early by giving them legal protection and lower penalties.
- (c) To protect regulators from possible public lawsuits about how they enforce the rules.
- (d) To ensure infants and the elderly receive free hospitalisation.

Ans.(b)

Q114. .

What does the word “lethality” mean in the passage about industrial hazards?

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- (a) The quality of being very expensive
- (b) The process of industrial manufacturing
- (c) A state of being famous or well-known
- (d) The ability to cause death

Ans.(d)

Q115. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The committee ____ a decision after long deliberation.

- (a) arrived at
- (b) arrived on
- (c) arrived in

(d) arrived to

Ans.(a)

Q116. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in direct voice.

He said that if he were to receive a promotion, he would buy his family a bigger house.

- (a) He said, "If I received a promotion, I would buy my family a bigger house."
- (b) He said, "If I were to receive a promotion, I will buy my family a bigger house."
- (c) He said, "If I receive a promotion, I will buy my family a bigger house."
- (d) He said, "If I had received a promotion, I would have bought my family a bigger house."

Ans.(c)

Q117. Choose the most suitable preposition from the given options to fill in the blank in the following sentence:

The decision was consistent ____ company policy.

- (a) with
- (b) to
- (c) by
- (d) for

Ans.(a)

Q118. Which of the following options is NOT one of the meanings of the homonym 'suspension'?

- (a) The act of temporarily stopping or halting something
- (b) A mixture in which particles are dispersed in a fluid but not dissolved
- (c) A state of uncertainty or excitement about what will happen next
- (d) A type of mechanical system used in vehicles to absorb shocks

Ans.(c)

Q119. Which of the following sentences uses the word "found" with a different meaning from the others?

- (a) The company was founded in 1995.
- (b) He found his keys under the couch.
- (c) They found a new species of fish.
- (d) She found the answer to the difficult question.

Ans.(a)

Q120. Directions: Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Cadaverous

- (a) Wan
- (b) Gaunt
- (c) Rubicund
- (d) Sallow

Ans.(c)

Q121. Select the most appropriate synonym of the word: MIRAGE

- (a) Fantasy
- (b) Reality

(c) Evidence

(d) Proof

Ans.(a)

Q122. Complete the sentence with the appropriate option.

I am never _____ my duty as a professional.

(a) negligent at

(b) negligent in

(c) negligent by

(d) negligent for

Ans.(b)

Q123. Choose the best option to replace the highlighted part to improve the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution.'

The project was completed before less than three months.

(a) completed on

(b) completed at

(c) completed in

(d) No substitution

Ans.(c)

Q124. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in INDIRECT SPEECH.

The archaeologist exclaimed, "What an exquisitely preserved frieze this is!"

(a) The archaeologist exclaimed that what an exquisitely preserved frieze that was.

(b) The archaeologist exclaimed with delight that that was a very exquisitely preserved frieze.

(c) The archaeologist said that what an exquisitely preserved frieze this was.

(d) The archaeologist exclaimed that this is an exquisitely preserved frieze.

Ans.(b)

Q125. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in ACTIVE VOICE.

A stirring encomium was being composed by the laureate's protégé when the news of her demise reached the academy.

(a) The laureate's protégé had been composing a stirring encomium when the news of her demise reached the academy.

(b) The laureate's protégé was composing a stirring encomium when the news of her demise reached the academy.

(c) The laureate's protégé composed a stirring encomium when the news of her demise reached the academy.

(d) The laureate's protégé was being composed a stirring encomium when the news of her demise reached the academy.

Ans.(b)

Q126. Directions: Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Fatuous

(a) Inane

(b) Asinine

- (c) Sagacious
(d) Vacuous

Ans.(c)

Q127. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, choose the one which gives the correct meaning of the given idiom or phrase.

Let's call it a day and start over tomorrow morning.

- (a) To start working for the day
(b) Give the day a specific name.
(c) To end the work for the day
(d) Check the calendar for the date.

Ans.(c)

Q128. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in indirect speech.

The historian said, "Even if the war had ended earlier, the long-term economic effects would have been equally devastating for the country."

- (a) The historian said that even if the war would have ended earlier, the long-term economic effects would have been equally devastating for the country.
(b) The historian said that even if the war had ended earlier, the long-term economic effects would have been equally devastating for the country.
(c) The historian said that even if the war ended earlier, the long-term economic effects would have been equally devastating for the country.
(d) The historian said that even if the war had ended earlier, the long-term economic effects will have been equally devastating for the country.

Ans.(b)

Q129. Directions: Select the option that can substitute the highlighted segment most appropriately.

More closely one examines the commission's footnotes, more untenable its central conclusion appears to any dispassionate reader.

- (a) The more closely one examines the commission's footnotes, the more untenable
(b) The more closely one examines the commission's footnotes, more untenable
(c) More closely one examines the commission's footnotes, the more untenable
(d) No substitution required

Ans.(a)

Q130. Choose the best option to replace the highlighted part to improve the given sentence.

I watched the paper boat float on the canal towards the lake.

- (a) down the canal
(b) in the canal
(c) over the canal
(d) No substitution

Ans.(a)

Q131. Directions: Select the option that can substitute the highlighted segment most appropriately.

At the estate auction in Lucknow the collector acquired *a Venetian exquisite little seventeenth-century glass chandelier*, which had hung undisturbed in the same palazzo for close to three hundred years.

- (a) a little exquisite Venetian seventeenth-century glass chandelier
- (b) an exquisite little seventeenth-century Venetian glass chandelier
- (c) an exquisite seventeenth-century little Venetian glass chandelier
- (d) No substitution required

Ans.(b)

Q132. Directions: The following sentences are given in jumbled form. Select the option that arranges them in a meaningful and coherent order.

- A. Yet the cartographers of the period, working from sailors' depositions and fragmentary sketches, filled those blanks with astonishing confidence.
- B. For much of the sixteenth century the interior of the subcontinent remained, to European eyes, an emptiness bounded by a well-charted coastline.
- C. Mountains were placed where no mountains stood, and rivers were made to flow into seas they had never reached.
- D. These inventions, far from being idle, guided the voyages and the appetites of the companies that followed.

- (a) BACD
- (b) ABCD
- (c) BCAD
- (d) ACBD

Ans.(a)

Q133. From the alternatives given below, select the correct meaning of the idiom.

Let sleeping dogs lie.

- (a) To experience a very deep and restful sleep; to sleep soundly
- (b) To leave a situation alone so as to avoid worsening it
- (c) To sleep easily and deeply, untroubled by one's conscience or satisfied with one's efforts
- (d) Refuse to rouse, provoke, or galvanize the enormous or unstoppable latent power of some person, group, or thing

Ans.(b)

Q134. Choose the option that is the most appropriate conversion of the following sentence into Active Voice.

The guests are being served dinner by the chef.

- (a) The chef has served dinner to the guests.
- (b) The chef serves dinner to the guests.
- (c) The chef is serving dinner to the guests.
- (d) The chef will serve dinner to the guests.

Ans.(c)

Q135. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom: Do it on autopilot

- (a) Do it with full attention
- (b) Do it while distracted
- (c) Do it out of habit
- (d) Do it with full enthusiasm

Ans.(c)

Q136. Choose the best option to replace the highlighted part to improve the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution.'

The truck was loaded on crates of fresh produce for the market.

- (a) loaded with
- (b) loaded by
- (c) loaded in
- (d) No substitution

Ans.(a)

Q137. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in INDIRECT SPEECH.

The magistrate said to the constable, "Why did you not corroborate the complainant's testimony yesterday?"

- (a) The magistrate asked the constable why he did not corroborate the complainant's testimony yesterday.
- (b) The magistrate told the constable why he had not corroborated the complainant's testimony the previous day.
- (c) The magistrate asked the constable why he had not corroborated the complainant's testimony the previous day.
- (d) The magistrate said to the constable that why had he not corroborated the complainant's testimony the previous day.

Ans.(c)

Q138. Choose the correct indirect narration of the following statement from the given alternatives:

Salini said to Meena, "Why did you not tell the truth to my friend when he was in real trouble?"

- (a) Salini asked Meena why she had not told the truth to her friend when he had been in real trouble.
- (b) Salini asked Meena why he had not told the truth to her friend when she was in real trouble.
- (c) Salini asked Meena that why she had not told the truth to her friend when she had been in real trouble.
- (d) Salini asked Meena why she had not told the truth to his friend when he had in real trouble.

Ans.(a)

Q139. Directions: Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

An eager beaver

- (a) A person who works with conspicuous enthusiasm and industry
- (b) One who hoards resources against an imagined shortage
- (c) A novice who blunders through a task he has not understood
- (d) A flatterer who curries favour with his superiors

Ans.(a)

Q140. Choose the option that is the most appropriate conversion of the following sentence into Direct Speech.

Shalini asked Yusuf if he would go to her party that night.

- (a) Shalini asked Yusuf, "Would you go to my party this night?"
- (b) Shalini said to Yusuf, "Will you come to my party that night?"
- (c) Shalini said to Yusuf, "Will you come to my party tonight?"

(d) Shalini asked Yusuf, "You will come to my party tonight?"

Ans.(c)

Q141. Choose the one-word substitute for the below sentence.

Neha approached her new hobby with enthusiasm, eager to grasp the basics as a beginner.

- (a) Veteran
- (b) Mentor
- (c) Apprentice
- (d) Expert

Ans.(c)

Q142. The following sentence has been divided into four parts. Identify the part which contains a grammatical error (ignore any punctuation error, if any). If there is no error in the sentence, then select 'No Error'.

The vibrant colors/ of the Holi festival/ were dispersed on the air./ No error.

- (a) The vibrant colors
- (b) of the Holi festival
- (c) were dispersed on the air.
- (d) No error

Ans.(c)

Q143. Choose the option that is the most appropriate conversion of the following sentence into Direct Speech.

He begged me to give him another chance.

- (a) He said, "Please give me another chance."
- (b) He begged me, "Can you give me another chance?"
- (c) He begged, "I need another chance please."
- (d) He said to me, "You should give me another chance."

Ans.(a)

Q144. Choose the option that is the most appropriate conversion of the following sentence into Direct Speech.

She said that the documents had to be submitted by the next evening.

- (a) She said, "The documents ought to be submitted by the next evening."
- (b) She said, "The documents must be submitted by tomorrow evening."
- (c) She said, "The documents need to be submitted by the coming evening."
- (d) She said, "The documents are to be submitted by the following evening."

Ans.(b)

Q145. Choose the correct option to specify the meaning of the highlighted idiom.

"I know you are ready. Go break a leg now."

- (a) Say Good Luck to someone
- (b) Ask someone not to go for a task
- (c) Say Bad Luck to someone
- (d) Not saying anything to someone

Ans.(a)

Q146. Choose the correct indirect narration of the following statement.

The king said to his wife, "I have already conquered all the neighbouring kingdoms and possess all the wealth therein."

- (a) The king told his wife that he had already conquered all the neighbouring kingdoms and possessed all the wealth therein.
- (b) The king told his wife that he has already conquered all the neighbouring kingdoms and possessed all the wealth therein.
- (c) The king told his wife that he had already conquered all the neighbouring kingdoms and possesses all the wealth therein.
- (d) The king told his wife that he has already conquered all the neighbouring kingdoms and possesses all the wealth therein.

Ans.(a)

Q147. Given below are four jumbled parts of a sentence. Select the option that gives their correct order and forms a meaningful sentence.

P. while providing a platform for global connectivity

Q can also lead to mental health issues

R. excessive use of social media platforms

S. if not balanced with real-world interactions

- (a) PRQS
- (b) PQRS
- (c) RQPS
- (d) SRQP

Ans.(c)

Q148. Spot the correct spelling of a sound-imitative word class.

- (a) Onomatopoeya
- (b) Onomatopoeia
- (c) Onnomatopoeia
- (d) Onomatopeia

Ans.(b)

Q149. Directions: In which of the following sentences is the word SANCTION used to mean "a penalty imposed for disobeying a law or rule"?

- (a) The finance department declined to sanction the release of the second instalment until the utilisation certificates were filed.
- (b) Long usage in the hill districts has sanctioned a practice that the statute nowhere expressly permits.
- (c) The council voted to impose severe sanctions on contractors who had abandoned work midway through the monsoon.
- (d) The proposal for a satellite campus received the formal sanction of the syndicate at its December sitting.

Ans.(c)

Q150. Sunita said to her brother, "Will you be able to join us for the party?" Choose the option which is the correct indirect form of the given sentence:

- (a) Sunita requested her brother if he would be able to join them for the party.
- (b) Sunita asked her brother if he would be able to join them for the party.
- (c) Sunita asked her brother if he will be able to join us for the party.
- (d) Sunita asked her brother if he would join them for the party.

Ans.(b)

Q151. Identify the incorrect sentence.

- (a) Ten percent of the students in the class speak three languages.
- (b) Forty-five minutes is a very long coffee break.
- (c) His advice was perfect for the situation his friend was facing.
- (d) The academic committee was undivided in their decision to hire the new staff.

Ans.(d)

Q152. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in direct voice.

My friend told me that she could not come.

- (a) My friend said to me, "She could not come."
- (b) My friend said to me, "I cannot come."
- (c) My friend said to me, "I could not come."
- (d) My friend said to me, "I might not come."

Ans.(b)

Q153. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

P: In addition, these ancient manuscripts provide profound insights into human consciousness.

Q: Therefore, modern scholars continue to analyze these texts for timeless wisdom.

R: Ancient Indian scriptures offer a vast treasure of philosophical and spiritual knowledge.

S: However, translating these complex Sanskrit verses remains a very difficult task.

- (a) RPSQ
- (b) QSPR
- (c) PRSQ
- (d) SQRP

Ans.(a)

Q154. Directions: The following sentence has been divided into four parts. Select the part that contains a grammatical error.

The controller of examinations made the invigilators/ to sign an undertaking that they would neither carry/ a mobile telephone into the hall/ nor permit any candidate to leave before the bell.

- (a) The controller of examinations made the invigilators
- (b) to sign an undertaking that they would neither carry
- (c) a mobile telephone into the hall

(d) nor permit any candidate to leave before the bell.

Ans.(b)

Q155. Choose the correct indirect narration of the following statement from the given alternatives:

The children said, "Teacher! Please show us what is inside the box."

- (a) The children requested the teacher to show them what was inside the box.
- (b) The children urged the teacher to show us what was inside the box.
- (c) The children requested the teacher to show them what has been inside the box.
- (d) The children requested the teacher please show them what was inside the box.

Ans.(a)

Q156. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in ACTIVE VOICE.

The dilapidated manuscripts have been painstakingly restored by a team of Florentine conservators.

- (a) A team of Florentine conservators have painstakingly restored the dilapidated manuscripts.
- (b) A team of Florentine conservators has painstakingly restored the dilapidated manuscripts.
- (c) A team of Florentine conservators had painstakingly restored the dilapidated manuscripts.
- (d) A team of Florentine conservators painstakingly restores the dilapidated manuscripts.

Ans.(b)

Q157. Directions: Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blanks.

At the bicentenary dinner the trustee was presented with ____ honorary doctorate and ____ one-rupee coin that had belonged to the founder himself.

- (a) a / an
- (b) an / a
- (c) an / an
- (d) a / a

Ans.(b)

Q158. The following sentence has two blanks. Choose the most suitable set of prepositions from the given options to fill in the blanks and complete the sentence meaningfully:

The athlete excelled ____ sprinting but faltered ____ long-distance events.

- (a) in, at
- (b) on, in
- (c) in, by
- (d) with, at

Ans.(a)

Q159. Select the correct alternative to fill in the blank with the correct preposition/prepositional phrase in the following sentence.

Prepare the project _____ the instructions given in the manual.

- (a) in front of
- (b) according to
- (c) instead of
- (d) for the purpose of

Ans.(b)

Q160. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in ACTIVE VOICE.

The consolidated dossier must be submitted to the vigilance officer by every officiating head of department before the audit commences.

- (a) Every officiating head of department must submit the consolidated dossier to the vigilance officer before the audit commences.
- (b) Every officiating head of department must have submitted the consolidated dossier to the vigilance officer before the audit commences.
- (c) Every officiating head of department should be submitting the consolidated dossier to the vigilance officer before the audit commences.
- (d) Every officiating head of department must submitted the consolidated dossier to the vigilance officer before the audit commences.

Ans.(a)

Q161. Directions: The following sentence has been divided into four parts. Select the part that contains a grammatical error.

Although the forensic auditors had pored upon the ledgers/ for the better part of a fortnight,/ they could not account for the discrepancy/ in the consolidated quarterly statements.

- (a) Although the forensic auditors had pored upon the ledgers
- (b) for the better part of a fortnight,
- (c) they could not account for the discrepancy
- (d) in the consolidated quarterly statements.

Ans.(a)

Q162. Select the correctly spelt word.

- (a) Idiosyncracy
- (b) Idiosyncrasy
- (c) Idiosyncracey
- (d) Ideosyncrasy

Ans.(b)

Q163. Which of the following options is the most suitable conversion of the following sentence into active voice?

You are requested not to enter.

- (a) Please do not enter.
- (b) Do not enter.
- (c) Please not to enter.
- (d) Your entry is not requested.

Ans.(a)

Q164. From the alternatives given below, select the correct passive voice of the following sentence.

The speech of the child impressed the principal and he gave a bouquet to the speaker on the stage.

- (a) The principal was impressed by the speech of the child and a bouquet was given to the speaker on the stage by him.
- (b) The principal had been impressed by the speech of the child and a bouquet was given to the speaker on the stage by him.

(c) The principal had been impressed by the speech of the child and a bouquet had been given to the speaker on the stage by him.

(d) Being impressed by the speech of the child by the principal, a bouquet was given to the speaker on the stage by him.

Ans.(a)

Q165. Choose the correct option to give a one-word substitution for the sentence given.

A person who fills up the bodies of dead pets/animals to make them look lifelike.

- (a) Misogynist
- (b) Mistymist
- (c) Taxidermist
- (d) Egoistic

Ans.(c)

Q166. Choose the correct passive voice transformation of the sentence:

Did she read the book?

- (a) The book was read by her?
- (b) Had the book been read by her?
- (c) Was the book read by her?
- (d) Is the book read by her?

Ans.(c)

Q167. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in ACTIVE VOICE.

It is widely believed that the treaty of cession was signed under considerable duress.

- (a) People widely believe that the treaty of cession was signed under considerable duress.
- (b) People are widely believing that the treaty of cession signed under considerable duress.
- (c) It believes widely that the treaty of cession was signed under considerable duress.
- (d) The treaty of cession is widely believed to have been signed under considerable duress.

Ans.(a)

Q168. Choose the correct passive voice transformation of the sentence:

They are building a new shopping mall.

- (a) A new shopping mall has been built by them.
- (b) A new shopping mall is being built by them.
- (c) A new shopping mall is built by them.
- (d) A new shopping mall was being built by them.

Ans.(b)

Q169. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in PASSIVE VOICE.

The indefatigable curator had meticulously catalogued every artefact in the eastern gallery before the deluge.

- (a) Every artefact in the eastern gallery was meticulously catalogued by the indefatigable curator before the deluge.
- (b) Every artefact in the eastern gallery had been meticulously catalogued by the indefatigable curator before the deluge.

(c) Every artefact in the eastern gallery has been meticulously catalogued by the indefatigable curator before the deluge.

(d) Every artefact in the eastern gallery had meticulously been catalogue by the indefatigable curator before the deluge.

Ans.(b)

Q170. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in PASSIVE VOICE.

Submit the impugned tender documents to the vigilance registrar before the stipulated deadline lapses.

(a) The impugned tender documents are submitted to the vigilance registrar before the stipulated deadline lapses.

(b) Let the impugned tender documents be submitted to the vigilance registrar before the stipulated deadline lapses.

(c) You are submitted the impugned tender documents to the vigilance registrar before the stipulated deadline lapses.

(d) Let the impugned tender documents to be submitted to the vigilance registrar before the stipulated deadline lapses.

Ans.(b)

Q171. Directions: The following sentence has been divided into four parts. Select the part that contains a grammatical error.

Ever since the new stormwater drainage network/ was commissioned in the monsoon of 2019,/ the low-lying wards of the city did not report/ a single instance of prolonged waterlogging.

(a) Ever since the new stormwater drainage network

(b) was commissioned in the monsoon of 2019,

(c) the low-lying wards of the city did not report

(d) a single instance of prolonged waterlogging.

Ans.(c)

Q172. Choose the correct word from the options given showing a synonym of the word below.

Garrulous

(a) Loquacious

(b) Silent

(c) Defined

(d) Well-mannered

Ans.(a)

Q173. Directions: Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Tantamount

(a) Commensurate

(b) Synonymous

(c) Disparate

(d) Equivalent

Ans.(c)

Q174. What is the antonym of "Obdurate"?

- (a) Adamant
- (b) Inflexible
- (c) Compliant
- (d) Unyielding

Ans.(c)

Q175. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom: Are on a collision course

- (a) Heading towards an inevitable conflict
- (b) Moving towards each other in a peaceful way
- (c) Working together on a project
- (d) Having different goals but no conflict

Ans.(a)

Q176. Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.

He said to me, "If I had known of your arrival, I would have postponed the meeting until tomorrow."

- (a) He told me that if he had known of my arrival, he would have postponed the meeting until the following day.
- (b) He told me that if he knew of my arrival, he would postpone the meeting until the next day.
- (c) He said to me that if he had known of your arrival, he would have postponed the meeting until tomorrow.
- (d) He told me that had he known of my arrival, he will have postponed the meeting the following day.

Ans.(a)

Q177. Choose the best option to replace the highlighted part to improve the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution.'

They decided to put up the launch indefinitely before their chairman was released from jail.

- (a) Put on the launch indefinitely till
- (b) Put off the launch indefinitely until
- (c) Put by the launch indefinitely after
- (d) No substitution

Ans.(b)

Q178. According to the passage, which of the following remained unaffected by the strike?

Read the passage and answer the following questions.

Banking services across the country were thrown into disarray on Friday as the United Forum of Bank Unions (UFBU), the umbrella body representing the overwhelming majority of bank officers and employees, observed a one-day nationwide strike in support of its long-pending demand for a five-day working week. Nearly eight lakh employees of public sector banks joined the agitation, leaving most state-run branches either wholly or partially shut. Cash deposits and withdrawals, cheque clearances and routine administrative work were disrupted at numerous branches, and a few older private banks reported difficulties as well; digital channels, however, including UPI and internet banking, functioned without interruption.

At the heart of the dispute lies a curious impasse. The unions contend that the conversion of all Saturdays into holidays was conceded in the 12th Bipartite Settlement signed with the Indian Banks' Association in March 2024, but the change still awaits notification by the government; branches at

present remain open on the first, third and fifth Saturdays of every month. Union leaders point out that the arrangement envisaged extending daily working hours from Monday to Friday by forty minutes in compensation, and that the proposal has lain unapproved for the better part of two years.

The five-day week is not the only grievance. The forum is also pressing for improvements in pension benefits, a uniform dearness allowance formula for all pensioners, and an option for employees under the National Pension System to migrate to the Old Pension Scheme, besides a review of the Performance Linked Incentive scheme, which the unions say was recast in a discriminatory, individual-centred form that divides the workforce. The strike followed a conciliation meeting with the Chief Labour Commissioner that ended without result.

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- (a) Cheque clearance at public sector branches
- (b) Routine administrative work at branches
- (c) UPI and internet banking services
- (d) Operations at certain older private banks

Ans.(c)

Q179. The word "impasse" as used in the second paragraph most nearly means:

Read the passage and answer the following questions.

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At the heart of the dispute lies a curious impasse. The unions contend that the conversion of all Saturdays into holidays was conceded in the 12th Bipartite Settlement signed with the Indian Banks' Association in March 2024, but the change still awaits notification by the government; branches at present remain open on the first, third and fifth Saturdays of every month. Union leaders point out that the arrangement envisaged extending daily working hours from Monday to Friday by forty minutes in compensation, and that the proposal has lain unapproved for the better part of two years.

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- (a) A deliberate act of administrative retaliation
- (b) A deadlock from which no progress appears possible
- (c) A sudden and unforeseen reversal of policy

(d) A prolonged dispute over the interpretation of a contract

Ans.(b)

Q180. Which of the following can be most reasonably inferred from the passage?

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(a) The Indian Banks' Association is opposed to the demand for a five-day week

(b) A settlement signed between the unions and the IBA does not by itself take effect without governmental notification

(c) The strike was called without any prior attempt at negotiation

(d) Public sector banks have suffered heavier financial losses than private banks

Ans.(b)

Q181. The unions' objection to the Performance Linked Incentive scheme is founded on the ground that it:

Read the passage and answer the following questions.

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- (a) links incentives to the profitability of the bank as a whole
- (b) reduces the quantum of incentive payable to senior executives
- (c) is based on individual performance and thereby fractures the workforce
- (d) has been kept in abeyance without consulting the employees

Ans.(c)

Q182. Which of the following statements is NOT supported by the passage?

Read the passage and answer the following questions.

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- (a) The UFBU regards the one-day strike as the opening phase of a longer agitation
(b) Bank branches are at present open on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month
(c) The unions have threatened to go on an indefinite strike from 26 October
(d) The proposed five-day week was to be offset by a lengthening of daily working hours

Ans.(b)

Q183. Select the correct direct form of the given sentence.

The captain urged his men not to lose heart, assuring them that reinforcements would reach them before nightfall.

- (a) The captain said to his men, "Do not lose heart; reinforcements will reach you before nightfall."
(b) The captain said to his men, "Don't lose heart; reinforcements would reach you before nightfall."
(c) The captain said to his men, "You must not lose heart, for reinforcements reach us before nightfall."
(d) The captain told his men, "Do not lose your heart; reinforcements shall have reached you before nightfall."

Ans.(a)

Q184. Given below are four jumbled parts of a sentence. Select the option that gives their correct order and forms a meaningful sentence.

P. to automate complex tasks that once

Q Artificial Intelligence has the potential

R. required human intuition and years of specialized training

S. thereby revolutionizing the modern workforce

- (a) QPRS
(b) RQPS
(c) PSQR
(d) SQPR

Ans.(a)

Q185. Which of the following words is the closest synonym of the word "underneath"?

- (a) Above
(b) Behind
(c) Beneath
(d) Across

Ans.(c)

Q186. Choose the most suitable option to fill in the blanks.

The villagers brought the little boy to the _____, who examined him closely, spotted a mole on his left _____, and solemnly declared him the chosen one.

- (a) oracle, oracle
(b) auricle, oracle
(c) auricle, auricle
(d) oracle, auricle

Ans.(d)

Q187. Choose the correct word to fill in blank (A) and complete the sentence.

Complete the passage by filling in the blanks with the most appropriate words.

Asthma is a chronic respiratory condition that affects millions of people worldwide. It is characterized by episodes of wheezing, shortness of breath, and chest tightness, which occur when the airways become inflamed and constricted. The exact cause of asthma remains unclear, but it is believed to be a combination of genetic and environmental factors. Certain triggers, such as dust, pollen, pet dander, and air pollution, can ___A___ asthma symptoms, making it difficult for sufferers to breathe. Managing asthma involves both preventative and rescue measures. Medications such as inhalers are commonly used to reduce inflammation and open the airways. However, these medications alone are not enough. It is important for individuals with asthma to identify their ___B___ triggers and avoid them whenever possible. Additionally, lifestyle changes such as regular exercise and a healthy diet can help strengthen the immune system and improve lung function. Despite advances in treatment, asthma can still be a debilitating condition. In severe cases, it may lead to hospitalization or even death. This makes early diagnosis and proper management ___C___ essential for those affected by the disease. Furthermore, public awareness about asthma is crucial to help people understand the severity of the condition and seek prompt medical attention. The lack of awareness can lead to ___D___ consequences, including inadequate treatment and mismanagement of asthma attacks. Moreover, it is important to remember that asthma is a ___E___ condition that requires long-term care and vigilance.

- (a) relieve
- (b) trigger
- (c) prevent
- (d) treat

Ans.(b)

Q188. Fill in blank (B) with the appropriate word.

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- (a) immediate
- (b) known
- (c) unknown
- (d) knowingly

Ans.(b)

Q189. Choose the correct word to fill in blank (C), which correctly collocates with the word "essential". Complete the passage by filling in the blanks with the most appropriate words.

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- (a) more
- (b) very
- (c) much
- (d) So

Ans.(b)

Q190. Choose the word that best fits blank (D), referring to serious consequences. Complete the passage by filling in the blanks with the most appropriate words.

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- (a) recurrent
- (b) sporadic

- (c) rare
(d) life-threatening

Ans.(d)

Q191. Choose the word for blank (E) that best describes a long-standing asthma.

Complete the passage by filling in the blanks with the most appropriate words.

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- (a) chronic
(b) acute
(c) temporary
(d) preventable

Ans.(a)

Q192. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in PASSIVE VOICE.

The disciplinary committee will not tolerate such egregious breaches of protocol at any future convocation.

- (a) Such egregious breaches of protocol are not tolerated by the disciplinary committee at any future convocation.
(b) Such egregious breaches of protocol will not be tolerated by the disciplinary committee at any future convocation.
(c) Such egregious breaches of protocol shall not be tolerating by the disciplinary committee at any future convocation.
(d) Such egregious breaches of protocol will not be tolerated by the disciplinary committee at any future convocation.

Ans.(d)

Q193. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

P: In contrast, applying a heavy moisturizer first would block the absorption of lighter serums.

Q: Hence, layering products from thinnest to thickest consistency ensures maximum efficacy for every ingredient.

R: Typically, a balanced skincare routine begins with a gentle cleanser to remove daily impurities.

S: Additionally, active treatments like vitamin C should be applied directly onto clean, damp skin.

- (a) QSPR
- (b) SPRQ
- (c) PRSQ
- (d) RSPQ

Ans.(d)

Q194. Directions: Select the option that expresses the given sentence in PASSIVE VOICE.

Who vandalised the marble plaques that adorn the memorial's eastern colonnade?

- (a) Who were the marble plaques that adorn the memorial's eastern colonnade vandalised by?
- (b) By whom the marble plaques that adorn the memorial's eastern colonnade were vandalised?
- (c) By whom were the marble plaques that adorn the memorial's eastern colonnade vandalised?
- (d) Whom were the marble plaques that adorn the memorial's eastern colonnade vandalised by?

Ans.(c)

Q195. Choose the correct one-word substitution for the italicized phrase:

"After a long day, Maya sat by the window in a state of being pleasantly lost in her thoughts."

- (a) Euphoria
- (b) Solitude
- (c) Reverie
- (d) Delirium

Ans.(c)

Q196. Change the following sentence into the Active form.

He was seen to have been struggling with the technical presentation for over an hour by the project manager.

- (a) The project manager saw him struggling with the technical presentation for over an hour.
- (b) He struggled with the technical presentation for over an hour, and the project manager saw him.
- (c) The project manager saw that he was struggling with the technical presentation for over an hour.
- (d) The project manager had seen him struggling with the technical presentation for over an hour.

Ans.(a)

Q197. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate conjunction:

The patient responded well to the treatment, _____ the prognosis remains guarded.

- (a) hence
- (b) therefore
- (c) yet
- (d) because

Ans.(c)

Q198. Select the grammatically correct option to fill in the blanks.

Since she is getting old she _____ a three-pronged stick to walk.

- (a) use
- (b) using
- (c) uses

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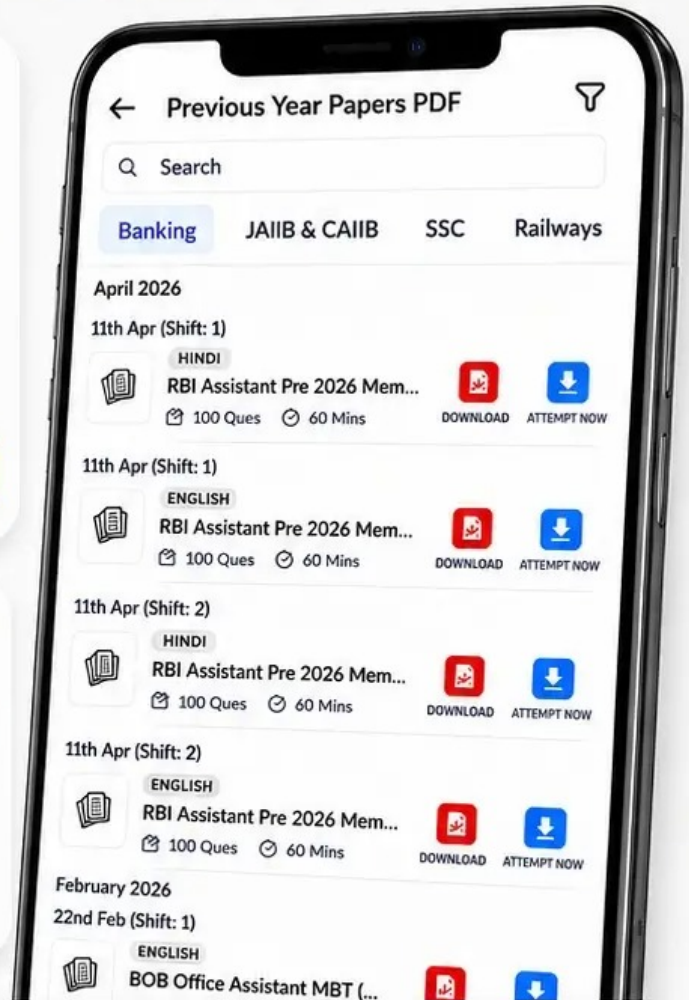
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(d) has used

Ans.(c)

Q199. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in indirect voice.

"The workers will be installing the new equipment," the supervisor said.

- (a) The supervisor said that the workers would be installing the new equipment.
- (b) The supervisor said that the workers will be installing the new equipment.
- (c) The supervisor said that the workers had been installing the new equipment.
- (d) The supervisor said that the workers were installing the new equipment.

Ans.(a)

Q200. Directions: Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

A deer in the headlights

- (a) So dazzled by sudden fame that one loses all judgement
- (b) A person who takes reckless risks on the open road
- (c) In a state of paralysing shock or confusion that leaves one unable to act
- (d) An easy target deliberately singled out for attack

Ans.(c)

