

Patna High Court Assistant Memory Based Paper 18 Sept. 2026

Q1. What is celebrated on National Space Day in India to commemorate the success of Chandrayaan-3?

- (a) August 15
- (b) August 23
- (c) October 22
- (d) November 14

Correct Option: (b)

Q2. Who holds the record for taking the highest number of wickets in Mens T20 Internationals (T20I)?

- (a) Tim Southee
- (b) Rashid Khan
- (c) Shakib Al Hasan
- (d) Ish Sodhi

Correct Option: (a)

Q3. The word Kathak is derived from the Sanskrit word Katha. What does a Kathak performance primarily express or narrate?

- (a) Martial arts forms and combat skills
- (b) Stories and tales of mythological epics through mime and footwork
- (c) Simple seasonal agricultural rituals
- (d) Folk stories solely restricted to tribal traditions

Correct Option: (b)

Q4. Which major social reform was introduced in India during the tenure of Governor-General Lord William Bentinck?

- (a) Abolition of Sati (1829)
- (b) Introduction of the Doctrine of Lapse
- (c) Partition of Bengal
- (d) Vernacular Press Act

Correct Option: (a)

Q5. Read the following passage and answer the question:

Renewable energy sources, such as solar and wind power, are essential in the global fight against climate change. Unlike fossil fuels, they generate electricity without emitting harmful greenhouse gases. However, the intermittent nature of sunlight and wind requires advancements in large-scale energy storage solutions to ensure a stable and continuous power supply.

According to the passage, what challenge is primarily associated with renewable energy sources like wind and solar?

- (a) They release harmful greenhouse gases during operation
- (b) Their availability is inconsistent and requires energy storage systems
- (c) They cannot be integrated into modern power grids
- (d) They require more land than fossil fuel power plants

Correct Option: (b)



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Q6. Choose the single word that best substitutes the phrase: A person who does not believe in the existence of God

- (a) Theist
- (b) Agnostic
- (c) Atheist
- (d) Altruist

Correct Option: (c)

Q7. Choose the single word that best substitutes the phrase: An extreme or irrational fear of confined or crowded spaces

- (a) Acrophobia
- (b) Claustrophobia
- (c) Hydrophobia
- (d) Xenophobia

Correct Option: (b)

Q8. If $\tan \theta = 3/4$, where $0^\circ < \theta < 90^\circ$, what is the value of $\sin \theta + \cos \theta$?

- (a) $7/5$
- (b) $1/5$
- (c) $5/7$
- (d) $6/5$

Correct Option: (a)

Q9. Select the most appropriate antonym for the word HOSTILE:

- (a) Aggressive
- (b) Friendly
- (c) Reluctant
- (d) Distant

Correct Option: (b)

Q10. Select the most appropriate synonym for the word CANDID:

- (a) Deceitful
- (b) Frank
- (c) Cautious
- (d) Hesitant

Correct Option: (b)

Q11. Five friends—A, B, C, D, and E—are sitting in a single row facing North. C sits in the exact middle. A sits to the immediate left of C. B is at the extreme right end. D is adjacent to both A and E. Who sits at the extreme left end?

- (a) D
- (b) A
- (c) E
- (d) B

Correct Option: (c)

Q12. Find the next term in the following letter series: B, E, H, K, N, ?

- (a) P
- (b) Q
- (c) R
- (d) O

Correct Option: (b)

Q13. The difference between compound interest (compounded annually) and simple interest on a principal amount of ₹10,000 for 2 years at an annual interest rate of 10% is:

- (a) ₹50
- (b) ₹100
- (c) ₹150
- (d) ₹200

Correct Option: (b)

Q14. An observer standing at a distance of 30 m from the foot of a vertical tower observes the angle of elevation of the top of the tower to be 30° . What is the height of the tower?

- (a) $10\sqrt{3}$ m
- (b) $15\sqrt{3}$ m
- (c) $30\sqrt{3}$ m
- (d) 20 m

Correct Option: (a)

Q15. Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence:

She said to him, Where are you going?

- (a) She asked him where was he going.
- (b) She asked him where he was going.
- (c) She inquired him where he is going.
- (d) She said to him where he was going.

Correct Option: (b)

Q16. Select the correct passive form of the given sentence:

The chef prepared a delicious meal for the guests.

- (a) A delicious meal was prepared by the chef for the guests.
- (b) A delicious meal had been prepared by the chef for the guests.
- (c) A delicious meal is prepared by the chef for the guests.
- (d) The guests were prepared a delicious meal by the chef.

Correct Option: (a)

Q17. An article is bought for ₹800 and sold for ₹1,000. What is the profit percentage?

- (a) 20%
- (b) 25%
- (c) 15%
- (d) 30%

Correct Option: (b)

Q18. Identify the tense used in the sentence:

By next December, she will have been working at the university for ten years.

- (a) Future Perfect
- (b) Future Continuous
- (c) Future Perfect Continuous
- (d) Present Perfect Continuous

Correct Option: (c)

Q19. Pre-monsoon showers and thunderstorms occurring in Assam during the spring season, crucial for tea cultivation, are locally known as:

- (a) Kalbaisakhi
- (b) Bardoli Chheerha
- (c) Mango Showers
- (d) Loo

Correct Option: (b)

Q20. What is the value of $\sin^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ$?

- (a) 0
- (b) $1/2$
- (c) 1
- (d) 2

Correct Option: (c)

Q21. A sum of money invested at simple interest doubles itself in 5 years. What is the annual rate of interest?

- (a) 10%
- (b) 15%
- (c) 20%
- (d) 25%

Correct Option: (c)

Q22. Select the correct passive form of the given sentence:

The teacher has marked the attendance.

- (a) The attendance was marked by the teacher.
- (b) The attendance has been marked by the teacher.
- (c) The attendance had been marked by the teacher.
- (d) The attendance is being marked by the teacher.

Correct Option: (b)

Q23. Select the most appropriate synonym for the word ABUNDANT:

- (a) Plentiful
- (b) Scarce
- (c) Rare
- (d) Meager

Correct Option: (a)

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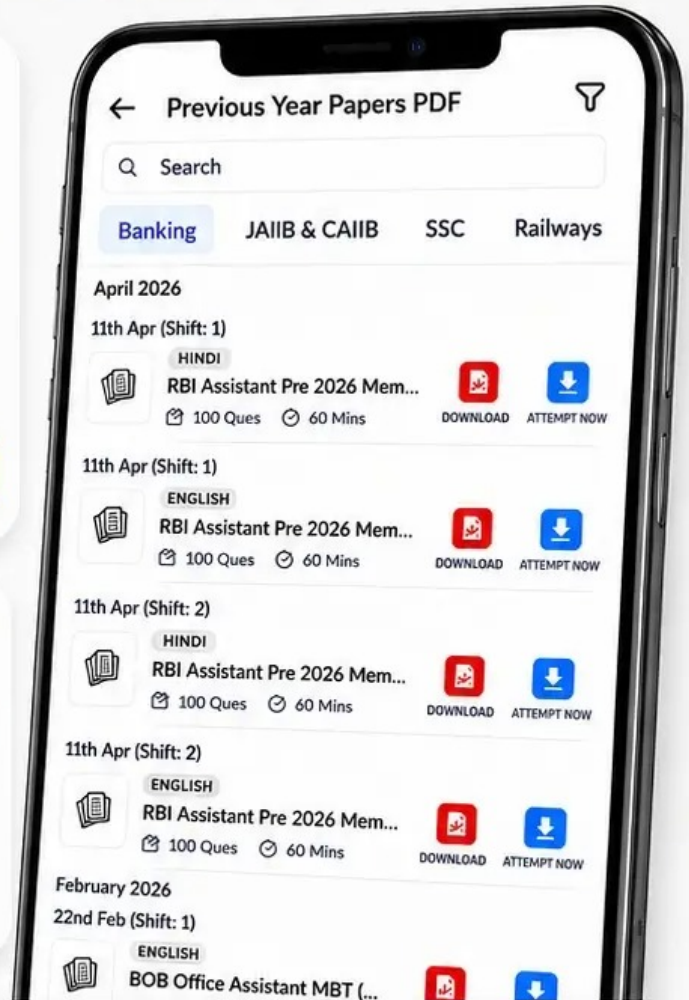
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Q24. Select the most appropriate antonym for the word PRUDENT:

- (a) Cautious
- (b) Reckless
- (c) Wise
- (d) Frugal

Correct Option: (b)

Q25. Choose the single word that best substitutes the phrase: A handwriting that cannot be easily read

- (a) Legible
- (b) Illegible
- (c) Incurable
- (d) Eligible

Correct Option: (b)

