

Section 1 - Recruitment Test

1) Which of the following is not a book publishing house?

- A) Turnkey
 - B) Hachette
 - C) HarperCollins
 - D) Penguin Random House
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2) Medical professionals have always ----- visual analysis to provide clues about a patient's condition.

- A) put out
 - B) run through
 - C) watched out for
 - D) relied on
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3) If RADIUS can be written as SZEHVR, what is the code for CIRCLE?

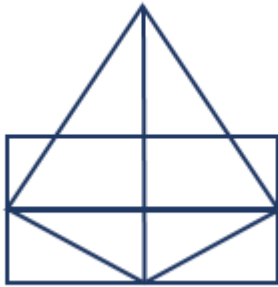
- A) DHSDMF
 - B) DJSDMF
 - C) DHSBMD
 - D) EHSEMC
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4) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

I wish I _____ those words. But now it's too late.

- A) had never said
- B) never said
- C) have never said
- D) not having said

5) How many triangles are there in the figure given below?



- A) 17
 - B) 13
 - C) 15
 - D) 11
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6) Choose the word with correct spelling..

- A) license
 - B) lisense
 - C) licens
 - D) lisence
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7) Choose the word with correct spelling...

- A) affidavit
- B) affedevit
- C) affidevit
- D) afidevit

8) In which of the following expressions does the expression 'A > D' hold true?

- A) $B = D > C \geq A$
 - B) $A \geq C > B = D$
 - C) $D \geq B > C > A$
 - D) $A = B < C \leq D$
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9) He has behaved ----- on many occasions, so this instance of impoliteness is hardly surprising.

- A) endearingly
 - B) shyly
 - C) inconsiderately
 - D) sensitively
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10) Which are the BRIC countries?

- A) Brazil, Romania, India and Cambodia
 - B) Bangladesh, Russia, India and China
 - C) Bangladesh, Romania, Indonesia and Cambodia
 - D) Brazil, Russia, India and China
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11) Which of the following offices are not under the Ministry of I&B

- A) Registrar of Newspapers of India
- B) Bureau of Outreach and Communication
- C) National Book Trust
- D) Publications Division

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it in the context of the passage.

An earthquake comes like a thief in the night, without warning. It was necessary, therefore to invent instruments that neither slumbered nor slept. Some devices were quite simple. One, for instance, consisted of rods of various lengths and thicknesses which would stand up on end like ninepins. When a shock came it shook the rigid table upon which these stood. If it were gentle, only the more unstable rods fell. If it were severe, they all fell. Thus, the rods by falling and by the direction in which they fell, recorded for the slumbering scientist, the strength of a shock that was too weak to waken him and the direction from which it came. But, instruments far more delicate than that were needed if any really serious advance was to be made.

The ideal to be aimed at was to devise an instrument that could record with a pen on paper the movements, of the ground or of the table, as the quake passed by. While I write my pen moves but the paper keeps still. With practice, no doubt, I could, in time, learn to write by holding the pen still while the paper moved. That sounds a silly suggestion, but that was precisely the idea adopted in some of the early instruments (seismometers) for recording earthquake waves. But when table, penholder and paper are all moving how is it possible to write legibly ? The key to a solution of that problem lay in an everyday observation. Why does a person standing in a bus or train tend to fall when a sudden start is made ? It is because his feet move on, but his head stays still.

12) The everyday observation referred to in the passage relates to

- A) people standing in a bus or train
 - B) a moving bus or train
 - C) the sudden start of a bus
 - D) the tendency of a standing person to fall when a bus or train moves suddenly
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13) The early seismometers adopted the idea that in order to record the earthquake, it is

- A) both pen and paper that should move
- B) the pen that should move just as it moves when we write on paper
- C) the pen that should stay still and the paper should move
- D) neither pen nor paper that should move

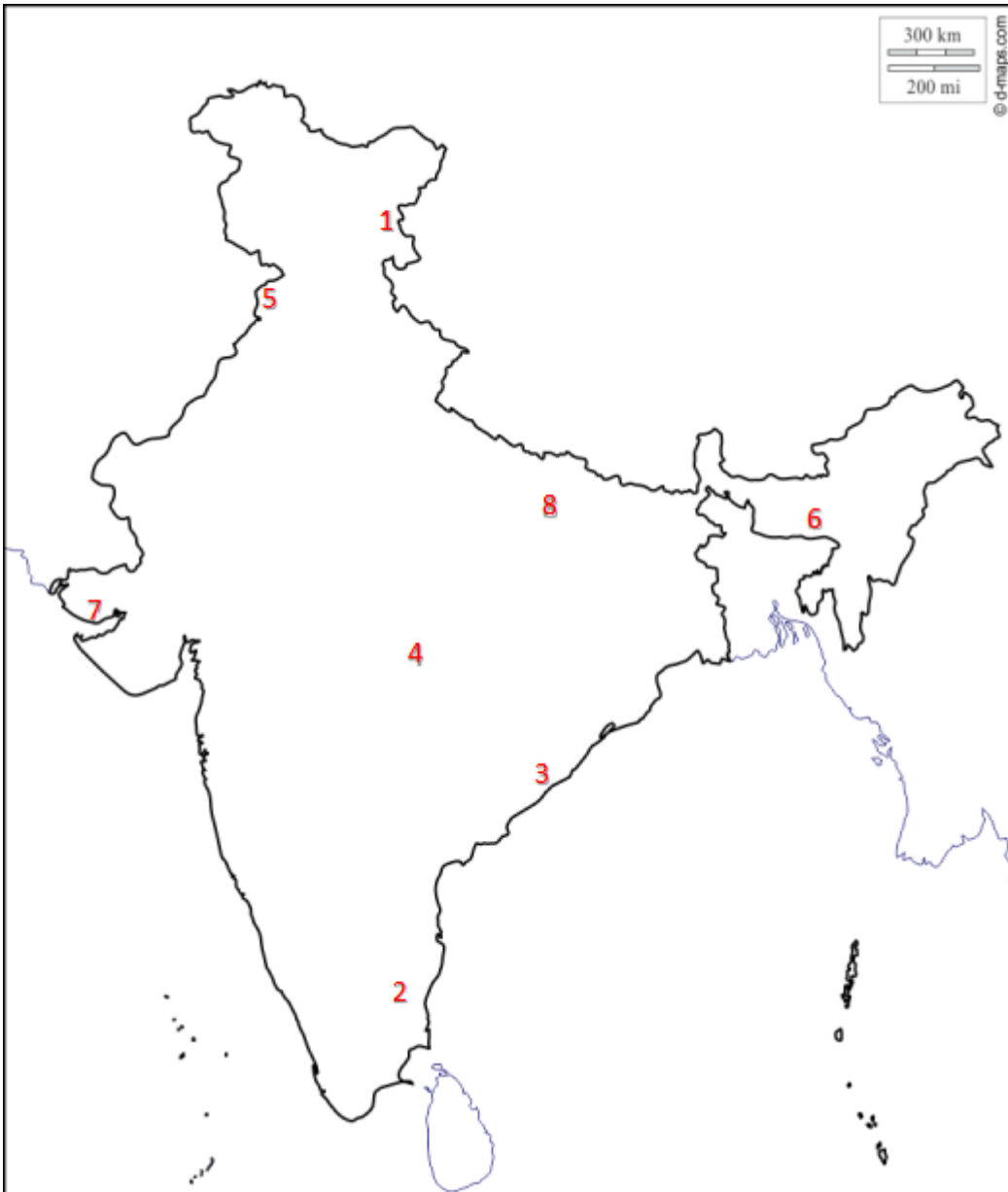
14) This passage says that early instruments for measuring earthquakes were

- A) not sensitive enough
 - B) faulty in design
 - C) expensive
 - D) not sturdy
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15) Why was it necessary to invent instruments to observe an earthquake ?

- A) Because an earthquake comes without warning, even at night
- B) To experiment with the control of man over nature
- C) To prove that we are technically advanced
- D) To make people alert about earthquake during their conscious as well as unconscious hours

Identify the locations marked in the map below from the options given.



16) Choose the correct option identifying the places marked from 1-4 in the map given above

- A) 1- Lahaul & Spiti, 2-Salem, 3-Hyderabad, 4-Bhopal
- B) 1- Pangong Tso, 2- Neyveli, 3- Visakhapatnam , 4-Nagpur
- C) 1- Pangong Tso, 2- Salem, 3- Hyderabad, 4-Nagpur
- D) 1- Lahaul & Spiti, 2-Neyveli, 3-Vishakaptnam, 4-Bhopal

17) Choose the correct option identifying the places marked from 5-8 in the map given above

- A) 5-Ludhiana, 6-Aizawl, 7-Kandla, 8-Kanpur
 - B) 5-Ludhiana, 6-Shillong, 7-Ahmedabad, 8-Kanpur
 - C) 5-Amritsar, 6-Shillong, 7-Kandla, 8-Varanasi
 - D) 5-Amritsar, 6-Aizawl, 7-Ahmedabad, 8-Varanasi
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18) In the following question, select the odd word from the given alternatives.

- A) Flower
 - B) Herb
 - C) Tree
 - D) Shrub
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19) Select the word with wrong spelling..

- A) Spurious
 - B) Subsidiary
 - C) Sensible
 - D) Studios
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20) Who is the new Comptroller and Auditor General of India?

- A) RK Mathur
 - B) Manoj Sinha
 - C) GC Murmu
 - D) Satyapal Malik
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21) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

I'm very happy _____ in India. I really miss being there.

- A) to have lived
 - B) to be living
 - C) to live
 - D) to be lived
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22) Anosmia, which was in news recently, as a disease symptom is the technical term for?

- A) Loss of perspiration
 - B) Loss of smell
 - C) Loss of skin sensitivity
 - D) Loss of taste
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23) Where is the All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA) located?

- A) Chennai
 - B) New Delhi
 - C) Mumbai
 - D) Lucknow
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24) Riya goes 30 km towards North from a fixed point, then after turning to her right she goes 15 km. After this she goes 30 km after turning to her right. How far and in what direction is she from her starting point?

- A) 10m east
 - B) 20m east
 - C) 30m east
 - D) 15m east
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25) Choose the right order to arrange the following word to form a meaningful sentence

1. I 2. help 3. not 4. You 5. did

- A) 54321
- B) 34521
- C) 12345
- D) 15324

26) If one-third of one-fourth of a number is 15, then three-tenth of that number is

- A) 45
 - B) 35
 - C) 54
 - D) 36
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27) The population of a town increases every year by 4%. If its present population is 50,000, then after 2 years it will be?

- A) 53,900
 - B) 54,080
 - C) 54,900
 - D) 54,000
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28) Scientists estimate that the wildlife will be -----danger of extinction within forty years as long as numbers diminish - ----- this rate.

- A) under / from
 - B) over / from
 - C) in / at
 - D) by / on
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29) What is the value of x in the equation $3x - 15 - 6 = 0$?

- A) 7
 - B) 8
 - C) -9
 - D) 9
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30) What will come at the place of question mark?

- A) 36
- B) 39
- C) 30
- D) 49

31) Which among the following is not a characteristic of good news report?

- A) Accuracy
 - B) Balance
 - C) Attribution
 - D) Prolixity
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32) What is the name of world's first Covid-19 vaccine developed by Russia?

- A) Sputnik V
 - B) Koronas
 - C) Meridian
 - D) Cosmos
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33) Publications that are aimed at a certain specific level of employees across industries are known as

- A) Top-down publications
 - B) Vertical publications
 - C) Horizontal publications
 - D) Specialized publications
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34) PM CARES Fund is part of which of the following

- A) Public charitable trust
 - B) Consolidated Fund of India
 - C) Contingency Fund of India
 - D) Public Account of India
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35) Out of the options, choose the one which is the correct indirect speech of the sentence given below.

The grandfather said to his grandsons, 'Did you not like my story yesterday?'

- A) The grandfather asked his grandsons if they did not like his story the day before.
 - B) The grandfather asked his grandsons if they did not like his story yesterday.
 - C) The grandfather asked his grandsons if they had not liked his story the day before.
 - D) The grandfather asked his grandsons if they have not liked his story the day before.
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36) Choose the word with correct spelling....

- A) embarrass
 - B) embarass
 - C) embaras
 - D) embarras
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37) The first public television transmission system in the world was

- A) Doordarshan
 - B) VOA
 - C) BBC
 - D) NHK
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38) Read the sentence to find out if there is any grammatical error in it. If there is error in any part of the sentence, the option given with that part will be the answer.

We have recently began insurance agents for our North-Eastern branches.

- A) insurance agents for
 - B) our North- Eastern branches
 - C) We have recently began
 - D) No error
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39) The appeals on decisions of Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC) are heard by

- A) Supreme Court of India
- B) Central Administrative Tribunal
- C) Directorate of Film Festivals
- D) Film Certification Appellate Tribunal

40) Which of the following statements are true?

- I. Scanners, digital cameras and computer monitors use red, green and blue (RGB) light to display color.
- II. Commercial printing presses print with cyan, magenta, yellow and black (CMYK) ink
- III. The combination of RGB light creates black, while the combination of CMYK inks creates white

- A) I and III
 - B) I and II
 - C) All of the above
 - D) III alone
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41) Read the two statements and choose the conclusion which follows

Statement I : P is taller than R but shorter than Q

Statement II: S is taller than Q

Who is the tallest of four?

- A) Q
 - B) S
 - C) P
 - D) R
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42) Instagram is owned by

- A) Microsoft
 - B) Facebook
 - C) Google
 - D) Apple
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43) Which of the following statement is wrong?

- A) The most popular Facebook page in India belongs to Amitabh Bachchan
- B) Among the active users of Facebook, highest number belongs to India
- C) In India, Mumbai has the largest number of Facebook users, followed by Delhi and Bangalore
- D) The largest user group of Facebook belongs to the age group 18-24

44) Fill in the blanks with the correct option. The air was clear and fresh, _____ all the traffic.

- A) even though
 - B) because of
 - C) according to
 - D) in spite of
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45) Which of the following is not a category for awarding Pulitzer Prize

- A) Public Service
 - B) Music
 - C) Photography
 - D) Fiction
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46) Which of the following is not a design software?

- A) Illustrator
 - B) GIMP
 - C) Retro
 - D) Canva
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47) What is the average of the numbers: 0, 0, 3, 7, 4, and 4 ?

- A) 3
 - B) 4
 - C) 5
 - D) 2
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48) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

_____ to offend anyone, she said both cakes were equally good.

- A) She didn't want
 - B) Because not wanting
 - C) As not wanting
 - D) Not wanting
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49) Which of the following has 'Bahujan Hitaya, Bahujan Sukhaya' as its motto ?

- A) LIC
 - B) Ministry of Social Justice
 - C) Doordarshan
 - D) All India Radio
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Directions for Question 50 to 59

Read the paragraph and choose the correct prepositions to fill in the blanks.

There are of course no friends like living, breathing, corporeal men and women; my devotion ___(A)___ reading has never made me a recluse. How could it? Books are of the people, ___(B)___ the people, for the people. Literature is the immortal part ___(C)___ history; it is the best and most enduring part ___(D)___ personality. But book-friends have this advantage ___(E)___ living friends; you can enjoy the most truly aristocratic society in the world whenever you want it. The great dead are beyond our physical reach, and the great living are usually almost as inaccessible; as for our personal friends and acquaintances, we cannot always see them. Perchance they are asleep, or away ___(F)___ a journey. But in a private library, you can at any moment converse ___(G)___ Socrates or Shakespeare or Carlyle or Dumas or Dickens or Shaw or Barrie or Galsworthy. And there is no doubt that in these books you see these men ___(H)___ their best. They wrote for *you*. They 'laid themselves out,' they did their ultimate best ___(I)___ entertain you. You are necessary to them as an audience is to an actor; only instead of seeing them masked, you look ___(J)___ their innermost heart of heart.

50) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of ___(F)___

- A) on
 - B) in
 - C) for
 - D) to
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51) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of ___(B)___

- A) by
- B) to
- C) of
- D) on

52) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of **__(D)___**

- A) to
 - B) on
 - C) of
 - D) in
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53) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of **__(C)___**

- A) on
 - B) for
 - C) of
 - D) to
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54) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of **__(J)___**

- A) to
 - B) on
 - C) for
 - D) into
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55) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of **__(I)___**

- A) on
 - B) for
 - C) to
 - D) by
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56) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of **__(A)___**

- A) on
 - B) to
 - C) for
 - D) of
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57) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of ___(H)___

- A) about
 - B) in
 - C) on
 - D) at
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58) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of ___(G)___

- A) about
 - B) on
 - C) with
 - D) to
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59) Choose the correct preposition from the following at the place of ___(E)___

- A) to
 - B) for
 - C) over
 - D) by
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60) Which is India's first social media app recently launched by Vice President of India?

- A) Qzone
 - B) Viber
 - C) Vero
 - D) Elyments
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61) The latest feature provided by Instagram is?

- A) Reels
- B) Duet
- C) Stories
- D) React

62) PM Modi praised nuclear scientists for achieving criticality at the Kakrapar Atomic Power Plant-3. The power plant is located in which state?

- A) Madhya Pradesh
 - B) Odisha
 - C) Gujarat
 - D) Telangana
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63) Which among the following tools is specifically used to design the look and feel of website?

- A) CSS
 - B) HTML
 - C) SGML
 - D) Plug-in
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64) RSS feeds allows subscribers to get up-to-date information on content published in websites or blogs. The term RSS here stands for?

- A) Responsive Shortcode System
 - B) Really Simple Syndication
 - C) Real System Sync
 - D) Readable System Shortlink
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65) Oklahoma is not perceived as overpopulated because, in spite of a horrendous drought, it is not facing famine. Famine in Oklahoma is inconceivable because it receives a fair price for its exports, it has not leased its land to foreign countries, the poorest of the poor receive a helping hand from the government, and farmers and ranchers receive federal assistance in times of droughts. It is a lack of these factors in Horn of Africa, plus political insecurity in Somalia, which explain the famine – not overpopulation.

- A) In spite of drought and overpopulation, there is no famine in Oklahoma.
- B) Overpopulation and famine are not causally related in the Horn of Africa.
- C) Famine in the Horn of Africa is not only due to overpopulation but, more importantly, due to the lack of government assistance and political insecurity.
- D) Hunger is caused by too many people pressing against finite resources.

66) Choose the correct tense form from the options given

I expect you ____ from college by this time next year and ____ for a job.

- A) graduate / will have been looking
 - B) have graduated / will have looked
 - C) were graduating / are going to look
 - D) will have graduated / will be looking
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67) Book : Cover :: Painting : ?

- A) Frame
 - B) Example
 - C) Colour
 - D) Wall
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68) The detailed account of the coming event is termed as

- A) Curtain raiser
- B) Future story
- C) Advancer
- D) Advance

69) Identify the figures of speech in the following sentences and match it from the options given

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|--|-----------------|
| A. I am so hungry I could eat a horse | 1) Irony |
| B. I posted a video on YouTube about how boring and useless YouTube is. | 2) Metaphor |
| C. All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players. They have their exits and their entrances. | 3) Alliteration |
| D. The comedian was seriously funny. | 4) Oxymoron |
| E. Sheep should sleep in a shed. | 5) Hyperbole |
| | 6) Anticlimax |

A) A-2, B-1, C-6, D-5, E-3

B) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-6, E-5

C) A-5, B-1, C-2, D-4, E-3

D) A-1, B-4, C-2, D-6, E-4

70) If Today is Monday, after 61 days it will be

- A) Thursday
- B) Saturday
- C) Wednesday
- D) Tuesday

71) What is the character limit for a Twitter post?

- A) 220
- B) 140
- C) 120
- D) 280

72) Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) is under which ministry

- A) Ministry of Home Affairs
 - B) Ministry of Finance
 - C) Ministry of Commerce and Industry
 - D) Ministry of External Affairs
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73) Which country was the top trading partner of India in 2019-20, as per the recent data released by Commerce Industry?

- A) United States
 - B) United Arab Emirates
 - C) China
 - D) Singapore
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74) From the given options choose the correct word suitable to fill in the blank space

The employee did not _____ to the argument of the manager.

- A) exceed
 - B) recede
 - C) precede
 - D) concede
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75) Which of the following represents principles of design?

- A) Balance, Rhythm, Emphasis, Proportion, Harmony
- B) Form, Typography, Line, Size, Pattern
- C) Colour, Depth, Shape, Texture, Value
- D) All of the above

76) From the given options choose the correct word suitable to fill in the blank space.

The man was _____ in financial disputes with several people.

- A) recuperated
 - B) swashbuckling
 - C) occluded
 - D) mired
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Directions for Questions 71 to 74

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it in the context of the passage.

Every autumn, when recruitment of new graduates and school leavers begins, major cities in Japan are flooded with students hunting for a job. Wearing suits for the first time, they run from one interview to another. The season is crucial for many students, as their whole lives may be determined during this period.

Unlike in many Western countries where companies employ people whose skills can be effective immediately, Japanese companies select applicants with potential who can be trained to become suitable employees. For this reason, recruiting employees is an important exercise for companies, as they invest a lot of time and money in training new staff. This is basically true both for factory workers and for professionals. Professionals who have studied subjects which are of immediate use in the workplace, such as industrial engineers, are very often placed in factories and transferred from one section to another. By gaining experience in several different areas and by working in close contact with workers, the engineers are believed, in the long run, to become more effective members of the company. Workers too feel more involved by working with professionals and by being allowed to voice their opinions. Loyalty is believed to be cultivated in this type of egalitarian working environment.

Many female graduates complain that they are not given equal training and equal opportunity in comparison to male graduates. Japanese companies generally believe that female employees will eventually leave to get married and have children. It is also true that, as well as the still-existing belief among women themselves that nothing should stand in the way of child-rearing, the extended hours of work often do not allow women to continue their careers after marriage.

Disappointed career-minded female graduates often opt to work for foreign firms. Since most male graduates prefer to join Japanese firms with their guaranteed security, foreign firms are often keen to employ female graduates as their potential tends to be greater than that of male applicants.

The average age of retirement is between 55 and 60. For most Westerners, retirement may be an eagerly awaited time to undertake such things as travel and hobbies. Many Japanese, however, simply cannot get used to the freedom of retirement and they look for ways of constructively using their time. Many look for new jobs, feeling that if they do not work they will be abandoned by society. This has recently led to the development in some municipalities of municipal job centres which advertise casual work such as cleaning and lawn mowing. Given that Japan is facing the problem of an increasingly ageing society, such activities may be vital in the future

77) Foreign firms are keen to employ Japanese women because

- A) the women will be only short-term employees
 - B) the women are more intelligent than men
 - C) the women prefer guaranteed security
 - D) the women that apply are more capable than the men that apply
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78) Japanese people continue to work after retirement because

- A) they need the income
 - B) they assist in the family business
 - C) they have no status outside employment
 - D) they miss working
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79) Choose the word which is an antonym to 'egalitarian', used in the passage

- A) equitable
 - B) elitist
 - C) socialistic
 - D) democratic
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80) Company training in Japan

- A) is for all staff
 - B) is for professionals only
 - C) is not important
 - D) is for factory workers only
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81) 'Dare to Dream' to promote innovation was recently launched by by:

- A) Atal Innovation Mission
 - B) Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
 - C) DRDO
 - D) NITI Aayog
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82) Repair and maintenance are perhaps the most important ones of the numerous tasks _____ engineers are responsible for in time of a disaster.

- A) what for
 - B) which
 - C) that
 - D) by which
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83) Identify the correct sequence of the following laws of the press.

- A) Official Secrets Act, Copyright Act, Contempt of Courts Act, Right to Information Act
 - B) Right to Information Act, Copyright Act, Official Secrets Act, Contempt of Courts Act
 - C) Copyright Act, Official Secrets Act, Contempt of Courts Act, Right to Information Act
 - D) Contempt of Courts Act, Copyright Act, Right to Information Act, Official Secrets Act
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84) What will be the length of the diagonal of the square plot whose area is equal to the area of a rectangular plot of length 45 meters and breadth 40 meters?

- A) 45.5 meters
 - B) 75 meters
 - C) 60 meters
 - D) None of these
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85) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

They didn't reach an agreement _____ their differences.

- A) on account of
- B) because
- C) due
- D) owing

86) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

The woman, who has been missing for 10 days, is believed ____.

- A) to be abducting
 - B) to have been abducting
 - C) to be abducted
 - D) to have been abducted
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87) Which renowned Indian writer's 140th birth anniversary was observed on July 31, 2020?

- A) Munshi Premchand
 - B) Rabindranath Tagore
 - C) Amrita Pritam
 - D) Sri Aurobindo
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88) Which of the following is not a social media platform?

- A) Tumblr
 - B) Reddit
 - C) Weibo
 - D) Python
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89) Which country has become the first-ever in the Arab world to produce nuclear energy?

- A) Saudi Arabia
- B) Qatar
- C) UAE
- D) Bahrain

90) In publications, extra margin intended to allow space for binding is called?

- A) Sidebar
 - B) Kern
 - C) Gutter
 - D) Lead
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91) Read the statements and find out which conclusions follow the statements from the options given below

Statements: Some poets are poems. No poem is song.

Conclusions:

- I. Some poems are not songs.
- II. Some songs are poems.

- A) Only II follows
 - B) Only I follows
 - C) Both I and II follow
 - D) Either I or II follows
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92) The first and last parts of the sentence are marked 1 and 6. The rest of the sentence is split into four parts and marked P, Q, R and S. These four parts are not given in their proper order. Read the sentences and find out which of the four combinations is correct.

1. Malnutrition is the condition

P. of the vitamins, minerals

Q. that develops when the body

R. and other nutrients it needs

S. does not get the right amount

6. to maintain healthy tissues and organ function.

- A) RQPS
 - B) SQRP
 - C) QSPR
 - D) PSQR
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93) Fill in the blanks with the correct conjugation. _____ the room is big, it won't hold all that furniture.

- A) Although
 - B) Because
 - C) Hence
 - D) But
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94) What is masthead in a newspaper?

- A) The headline that runs across all eight columns on the top of the page
 - B) The main headline that runs across all eight columns on the top of the page
 - C) The text used to describe a photograph
 - D) The forehead of the newspaper where the title, place of publication and date are given
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95) A series of recorded audio episodes to which audience can subscribe is known as

- A) Podcast
 - B) Sound forge
 - C) Vlog
 - D) Loops
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96) Complete the sentence with the correct option from choices given

If success _____, we need to prepare ourselves for every possible scenario.

- A) will be achieved
- B) is to be achieved
- C) is achieved
- D) is due to achieve

Directions for Question 97 to 100

Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow.

The 'Little Tramp', the unforgettable character Charlie Chaplin invented, was born purely by accident in 1915. While rushing to a film shoot in California, he grabbed clothes other people had left behind in the changing room. And when he emerged, he found he had created a personality everybody loved. A little guy in a bowler hat, a close-fitting jacket, a cane, oversized shoes and a brush-like moustache! Before long, Chaplin found himself a star. That puzzled him, for he saw himself essentially as a shy British Music hall comedian. The U.S. acknowledged him as its king of silent film comedy. Soon, so did crowds all over the world. But life wasn't always a laugh for Charles Spencer Chaplin. Both his parents were Music Hall artists, who separated when Charlie was very young. His childhood was very sad, for his mother never earned enough to look after Charlie and his elder brother, Sydney. Sometimes, Chaplin had to sleep on the streets and forage for food in the garbage. Charlie took his first bow on stage when his mother made her last appearance. It happened when her voice broke during a song. Her son stepped on stage and sang a popular song. That's when a star was born. Through all these years of success, Charlie never forgot his troubled childhood. It made him recall a Christmas when he was denied two oranges and his bag of sweets for breaking a rule at the orphanage he went to after his mother's death. It would have broken his heart, if the other children had not offered him a share of theirs. Spontaneously, the adult Chaplin gifted the orphanage with a motion picture machine and insisted that each child should have as many oranges and sweets as they pleased.

97) Which word in the passage means 'to take hold of something or someone suddenly and roughly'?

- A) None of the above
 - B) Recall
 - C) Grabbed
 - D) Emerged
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98) What does the word 'acknowledge' mean?

- A) None of the above
- B) To contradict
- C) To deny the truth
- D) To accept, admit or recognize something

99) Find the word in the passage opposite in meaning to 'bold'?

- A) Shy
 - B) Silent
 - C) Troubled
 - D) Puzzled
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100) Choose the correct tense form from the options given

Decoupage, an art form that ____ in France during the 17th century, ____ cutting out designs and patterned materials and fastening them permanently to surface.

- A) originated / involves
- B) has originated / will involve
- C) was originating / is involving
- D) is originating / was involving

Answer Keys
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1	A	26	C	51	A	76	D
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3	C	28	C	53	C	78	D
4	A	29	A	54	D	79	B
5	C	30	B	55	C	80	A
6	A	31	D	56	B	81	C
7	A	32	A	57	D	82	C
8	B	33	C	58	C	83	A
9	C	34	D	59	C	84	C
10	D	35	C	60	D	85	A
11	C	36	A	61	A	86	D
12	D	37	C	62	C	87	A
13	C	38	C	63	A	88	D
14	A	39	D	64	B	89	C
15	A	40	B	65	B	90	C
16	B	41	B	66	D	91	B
17	C	42	B	67	A	92	C
18	A	43	A	68	A	93	A
19	B	44	D	69	C	94	D
20	C	45	C	70	B	95	A
21	A	46	C	71	D	96	B
22	B	47	A	72	C	97	C
23	B	48	D	73	A	98	D
24	D	49	D	74	D	99	A
25	D	50	A	75	A	100	A