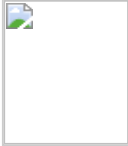


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SECTION 1 - SECTION 1

<p><b>Question No.1 (Question Id - 66)</b></p> <p>Identify the types of words for the following : Darkroom, football, greenhouse, blackberry, airhead</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Simple words</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Complex words</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>Compound words (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> All of the above</p>
<p><b>Question No.2 (Question Id - 41)</b></p> <p>Which direction should a screw is turned in order to tighten it into place ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>Clockwise (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Anti-clockwise</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Any direction</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Counter clockwise</p>
<p><b>Question No.3 (Question Id - 20)</b></p> <p>Onomatopoeia is :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> a combination of simile and metaphor</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>imitation of natural sounds (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> communication in gestures</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> a branch of linguistics which studies personal names</p>
<p><b>Question No.4 (Question Id - 4)</b></p> <p>What is the national language of Singapore ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Tamil</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> English</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>Malay (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Mandarin</p>
<p><b>Question No.5 (Question Id - 17)</b></p> <p>“Blah-blah” is an example of :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Assimilation</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>Reduplication (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Negation</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Metathesis</p>
<p><b>Question No.6 (Question Id - 12)</b></p> <p>As a language, the status of Hindi in India is :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Territorial</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> State</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>Official (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> National</p>
<p><b>Question No.7 (Question Id - 73)</b></p> <p>Find the <b>odd</b> one out.</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Baby talk</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Child directed speech</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Motherese</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> <b>Mother Tongue (Correct Answer)</b></p>
<p><b>Question No.8 (Question Id - 55)</b></p> <p>Given below are two statements :</p> <p><b>Statement I:</b></p> <p>Sign languages resemble spoken languages in all major aspects, showing that there are truly universals of language.</p>

**Statement II:**

Indian sign languages has its own grammar with Phonological, Morphological, Syntactic and Semantic rules and a mental lexicon of sign all of which is encoded through a system of gestures.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **Both Statement I and Statement II are true. (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are false.
- (C) ☐ **Statement I** is true but **Statement II** is false.
- (D) ☐ **Statement I** is false but **Statement II** is true.

**Question No.9 (Question Id - 29)**

Which one of these words mean 'to omit' ?

- (A) ☐ Accept
- (B) ☐ **Except (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Asset
- (D) ☐ Excerpt

**Question No.10 (Question Id - 3)**

Which language is not listed in the 8<sup>th</sup> Schedule of the Indian Constitution ?

- (A) ☐ Bengali
- (B) ☐ **Rajbanshi (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Punjabi
- (D) ☐ Sindhi

**Question No.11 (Question Id - 24)**

Which four acoustic events are involved in transmission and reception of sound ?

- (A) ☐ Vibration of air particles; reception by ear; comprehension by brain; creation of sound source.
- (B) ☐ **Creation of sound source; vibration of air particles; reception by ear; comprehension by brain. (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Creation of sound source; comprehension by brain; vibration of air particles; reception by ear.
- (D) ☐ Comprehension by brain; reception by ear; vibration of air particles; creation of sound source.

**Question No.12 (Question Id - 97)**

The first full-fledged Open University in India is :

- (A) ☐ Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi
- (B) ☐ **Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Nalanda Open University, Patna
- (D) ☐ Vardhaman Mahavir Open University, Kota

**Question No.13 (Question Id - 14)**

Which one is **not** a language disorder among the following ?

- (A) ☐ **Aerophobia (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Aphasia
- (C) ☐ Anomia
- (D) ☐ Agraphia

**Question No.14 (Question Id - 23)**

Which one among the following is **not** a tonal language ?

- (A) ☐ Manipuri
- (B) ☐ Chinese

- (C) ☐ Thai
- (D) ☐ **Assamese (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.15 (Question Id - 21)**

Captcha is used to distinguish between a human or a machine agent. Which of the following is **not** a captcha ? A. Face of an individual

- B. labelling an image
- C. Numeric calculation
- D. Visually confusing alphabets

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A only (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A and B only
- (C) ☐ B, C and D only
- (D) ☐ A, B and C only

**Question No.16 (Question Id - 45)**

Which one is **not** a supra-segmental feature of language ?

- (A) ☐ Stress
- (B) ☐ Intonation
- (C) ☐ **Phoneme (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Tone

**Question No.17 (Question Id - 16)**

A language that is adopted as a common language among speakers, whose native languages are different from each other, is known as :

- (A) ☐ **Lingua franca (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Official language
- (C) ☐ Dialect
- (D) ☐ Native language

**Question No.18 (Question Id - 83)**

The branch of Linguistics which studies speech sounds ?

- (A) ☐ Syntax
- (B) ☐ Morphology
- (C) ☐ **Phonetics (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Semantics

**Question No.19 (Question Id - 72)**

Which of the following is not the traditional teaching method for second language learning ?

- (A) ☐ Grammar Translation Method
- (B) ☐ **Communicative Language Teaching (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Direct Method
- (D) ☐ Audio-lingual method

**Question No.20 (Question Id - 10)**

The writing system of Urdu is :

- (A) ☐ **Right to left (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Left to right
- (C) ☐ Top down & Bottom up
- (D) ☐ None of above

**Question No.21 (Question Id - 9)**

To which of these language groups does English belong to ?

- (A) ☐ Baltic
- (B) ☐ Romance
- (C) ☐ **Germanic (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Slavonic

**Question No.22 (Question Id - 48)**

Which of the following does share the same script ?

- (A) ☒ **Marathi & Hindi (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Manipuri & Marathi
- (C) ☐ Gujarati & Bengali
- (D) ☐ Assamese & Telugu

**Question No.23 (Question Id - 58)**

The period between the offset of the plosive and the beginning of vocal fold vibration is known as :

- (A) ☐ Offset glide
- (B) ☒ **Voice onset time (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Onset glide
- (D) ☐ Delayed Nasal release

**Question No.24 (Question Id - 57)**

'Palatization' involves :

- (A) ☐ The addition of a vowel [i] to the consonant
- (B) ☐ The addition of a nasalized vowel [ã] to the consonant
- (C) ☐ The addition of a [w] glide to the consonant
- (D) ☒ **The addition of [j] glide to the consonant (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.25 (Question Id - 30)**

He told me that he once met \_\_\_\_ (A) \_\_\_\_ alien from \_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_ space. This alien didn't need \_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_ oxygen to live, it didn't have \_\_\_\_ (D) \_\_\_\_ nose.

Substitute "a", 'an' or 'the' relevant in the blanks marked (A) to (D), if these are not relevant then say NA.

- (A) ☒ **(A) - an, (B) - the, (C) - NA, (D) - a (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ (A) - a, (B) - a, (C) - the, (D) - an
- (C) ☐ (A) - NA, (B) - an, (C) - a, (D) - the
- (D) ☐ (A) - NA, (B) - an, (C) - the, (D) - a

**Question No.26 (Question Id - 79)**

Mandarin is majorly spoken in which country ?

- (A) ☐ India
- (B) ☐ Bhutan
- (C) ☐ Sri Lanka
- (D) ☒ **China (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.27 (Question Id - 36)**

Which of the following is a personal document with closed access ?

- (A) ☐ Government 'White Paper'
- (B) ☐ Confidential Medical Records
- (C) ☒ **Household Account Book (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ The Shares Register of a Business

**Question No.28 (Question Id - 95)**

Broca's Aphasia is a language disorder which causes impairment in :

- (A) ☒ **Language production (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Language comprehension
- (C) ☐ Reading and writing
- (D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.29 (Question Id - 7)**

The language of the Sacred Buddhist text was in :

- (A) ☐ Sinhalese
- (B) ☒ **Pali (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Apabhramsha
- (D) ☐ Tulu

**Question No.30 (Question Id - 89)**

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I		List - II	
(A)	Intransitive verb	(I)	play
(B)	Ditransitive verb	(II)	know
(C)	Stative verb	(III)	sleep
(D)	Transitive verb	(IV)	give

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A - III, B - IV, C - II, D - I (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A - I, B - II, C - III, D - IV
- (C) ☐ A - III, B - IV, C - I, D - II
- (D) ☐ A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I

**Question No.31 (Question Id - 11)**

In linguistics IPA stands for :

- (A) ☐ International Psychological Association
- (B) ☐ **International Phonetic Alphabet (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Indian Phonetic Alphabet
- (D) ☐ None of above

**Question No.32 (Question Id - 50)**

Which syllable receives the primary stress in ‘Academician’ ?

- (A) ☐ First syllable
- (B) ☐ Second syllable
- (C) ☐ Third syllable
- (D) ☐ **Fourth syllable (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.33 (Question Id - 2)**

The language policy of India is based on :

- (A) ☐ Five language formula
- (B) ☐ Four language formula
- (C) ☐ **Three language formula (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Two language formula

**Question No.34 (Question Id - 44)**

Which organ is **not** involved in the articulation of human speech sounds ?

- (A) ☐ **Chin (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Tongue
- (C) ☐ Lips
- (D) ☐ Glottis

**Question No.35 (Question Id - 81)**

Tulu language belongs to :

- (A) ☐ Munda Language Family
- (B) ☐ Indo-Aryan Language Family
- (C) ☐ **Dravidian Language Family (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Austro-Asiatic Language Family

**Question No.36 (Question Id - 52)**

Web accessibility refers to :

- (A) ☐ Open source web technologies
- (B) ☐ Standard way of writing web content
- (C) ☐ **Inclusiveness of deprived section for seamless access to web content (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Online crowd sourcing community

**Question No.37 (Question Id - 84)**

Spectrograph is used as :

- A. A component which creates a set of possible linguistic candidates in relation to particular input.
- B. The geographical distribution of languages throughout the world.
- C. To refer to the writing system of language on analogy with Phonology.

D. In acoustic phonetics which provides visual representation of the acoustic features of a sound in utterance.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A and B Only
- (B) ☐ A, B and C Only
- (C) ☐ C Only
- (D) ☐ **D Only (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.38 (Question Id - 38)**

Phonology deals with :

- A. Analyzing the production of human speech sound regardless of language.
- B. As the basis for future work in Morphology, Syntax, Discourse etc.
- C. To determine which phonetic sounds are significant.
- D. Explaining how the phonetic sounds are interpreted by a native speaker.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A and B only
- (B) ☐ B and C only
- (C) ☐ A, B and C only
- (D) ☐ **All of the above (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.39 (Question Id - 78)**

Given below are two statements :

**Statement I:**

Logographic systems are true writing systems in the sense that the symbols stands for words of a language.

**Statement II:**

Chinese is an example of Logographic writing system.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **Both Statement I and Statement II are true. (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are false.
- (C) ☐ **Statement I** is true but **Statement II** is false.
- (D) ☐ **Statement I** is false but **Statement II** is true.

**Question No.40 (Question Id - 39)**

\_\_\_\_\_ is a figure of speech that uses one thing to mean another and makes a comparison between the two.

- (A) ☐ POS
- (B) ☐ **Metaphor (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Annotation
- (D) ☐ **Similes (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.41 (Question Id - 54)**

If X and Y are married to each other C and D are brothers, C is the brother of X, then how is D related to Y ?

- (A) ☐ Brother
- (B) ☐ Son
- (C) ☐ **Brother-in-law (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Son-in-law

**Question No.42 (Question Id - 60)**

Look at the following data from Dutch :

Root	Infinitive	Past Participle	Gloss
wandel	wandelen	gewandeld	"walk"
duw	duwen	geduwd	"push"
stofzuig	stofzuigen	gestofzuigd	"vacuum clean"

Choose the **right** options from given below :

- A. Infinitive in Dutch is formed by adding -en to the root
- B. Past Participle is formed by adding 'g---d'
- C. Past participle is formed by adding 'ge----d' which is a circumfix
- D. Infinitive and Past Participle found in the root noun

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A and B Only
- (B) ☒ **A and C Only (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ A and D Only
- (D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.43 (Question Id - 51)**

Machine learning is subset of the discipline :

- (A) ☐ Machine Translation
- (B) ☒ **Artificial Intelligence (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Cross-lingual access
- (D) ☐ Speech Technology

**Question No.44 (Question Id - 34)**

\_\_\_\_\_ refers to the system of symbols, sounds, meaning and rules for their combination that constitutes the primary mode of communication among humans.

- (A) ☐ Syntax
- (B) ☐ Semantics
- (C) ☐ Communication systems
- (D) ☒ **Language (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.45 (Question Id - 93)**

Which of the following statements are **true** (T) ?

- A. Tribal languages do not have grammar.
- B. Khasi and Jaintia belongs to Austro-Asiatic language family.
- C. The official language of the State Of Meghalaya is Khasi.
- D. Telugu belongs to Indo-Aryan language family.

- (A) ☐ A and B Only
- (B) ☐ B and C Only
- (C) ☐ C Only
- (D) ☒ **B Only (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.46 (Question Id - 62)**

To be able to capture the sound of language :

- (A) ☒ **one must go for narrow transcription (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ one must go for orthographic writing
- (C) ☐ one must go for orthographic transcription
- (D) ☐ one must follow two scripts

**Question No.47 (Question Id - 82)**

The term 'homonym' is :

- (A) ☐ Different words that are pronounced the same, but may not be spelt the same
- (B) ☐ The words should be different but have the same or nearly the same meaning
- (C) ☐ The words that are opposite in meaning

(D) <input type="radio"/> <b>None of the above (Correct Answer)</b>
<p><b>Question No.48 (Question Id - 33)</b></p> <p>Choose the <b>correct</b> language pair having maximum divergence.</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>English - Hindi (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Tamil - Hindi</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Hindi - Punjabi</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Hindi - Marathi</p>
<p><b>Question No.49 (Question Id - 53)</b></p> <p>Given below are two statements :</p> <p><b>Statement I:</b></p> <p>Deaf children acquire sign language, much in the way that hearing children acquire a spoken language.</p> <p><b>Statement II:</b></p> <p>Deaf children babble with their hands, just as hearing children babble with their vocal tracts.</p> <p>In the light of the above statements, choose the <b>correct</b> answer from the options given below :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>Both Statement I and Statement II are true. (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Both <b>Statement I</b> and <b>Statement II</b> are false.</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>Statement I</b> is true but <b>Statement II</b> is false.</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> <b>Statement I</b> is false but <b>Statement II</b> is true.</p>
<p><b>Question No.50 (Question Id - 32)</b></p> <p>Select the <b>odd</b> one out.</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Rule-based Machine Translation (RBMT)</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>Natural Language Processing (NLP) (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Example Base Machine Translation (EBMT)</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Statistical Machine Translation (SMT)</p>
<p><b>Question No.51 (Question Id - 75)</b></p> <p>Which of these are <b>not</b> the high tech method to study the relationship between brain and language ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> CAT</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> PET</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> MRI</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> <b>CBI (Correct Answer)</b></p>
<p><b>Question No.52 (Question Id - 43)</b></p> <p>Technologies of 21<sup>st</sup> century which will have great societal impact :</p> <p>A. Big data</p> <p>B. Corpus Linguistics</p> <p>C. Data analysis</p> <p>D. Artificial intelligence</p> <p>Choose the <b>correct</b> answer from the options given below :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> A and D</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> B and C</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>A, C and D (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> C and D</p>
<p><b>Question No.53 (Question Id - 18)</b></p> <p>Sindhi belongs to :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Dravidian</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>Indo-Aryan (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Persian</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Sumerian</p>
<p><b>Question No.54 (Question Id - 31)</b></p>



Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	List - II
A. Hindi	I. Telugu
B. Kerala	II. Konkani
C. Goa	III. Malayalam
D. Andhra Pradesh	IV. Uttarakhand

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A - IV , B - III, C - II, D - I (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A - I, B - II, C - III, D - IV
- (C) ☐ A - II, B - III, C - IV, D - I
- (D) ☐ A - II, B - I, C - IV, D - III

**Question No.55 (Question Id - 37)**

Pre-testing a questionnaire is useful for :

- (A) ☐ Testing the functioning of computer & printers
- (B) ☐ Finding out a particular topic
- (C) ☐ To leave some respondents out of final sample
- (D) ☐ **Identifying any problems with the question wording & expected answer**
- (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.56 (Question Id - 100)**

Match **List - I** with **List - II** :

List - I	List - II
A. UNESCO, NATO	I. Complex word
B. Unfaithful, Inflectional	II. Alphabetism
C. NRC, CAA, RAC	III. Compound word
D. Blackberry, school bus	IV. Acronym

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A - II, B - III, C - I, D - IV
- (B) ☐ A - I, B - IV, C - III, D - II
- (C) ☐ **A - IV, B - I, C - II, D - III (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ A - III, B - I, C - IV, D - II

**Question No.57 (Question Id - 71)**

*Dyslexia* is a learning disorder which causes impairment in :

- (A) ☐ **Reading (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Writing
- (C) ☐ Some parts of speech
- (D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.58 (Question Id - 59)**

Languages that use pitch to contrast meanings of words are called :

- (A) ☐ Stress languages
- (B) ☐ **Tone languages (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Syllabic languages
- (D) ☐ Natural languages

**Question No.59 (Question Id - 15)**

Which one is **correct** among the following as far as breaking of the word ‘unacceptable’ into its smallest meaningful parts is concerned ? Example : books : book+s :

- (A) ☐ **un+accept+able (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ un+ac+cep+table
- (C) ☐ un+ac+cept+ab+le
- (D) ☐ unacceptable

**Question No.60 (Question Id - 87)**

- The term URL stands for :
- (A) ☐ Universal Resource Locator
  - (B) ☒ **Uniform Resource Locator (Correct Answer)**
  - (C) ☐ Uncode Resource Locator
  - (D) ☐ User Resource Locator

**Question No.61 (Question Id - 94)**  
If 'ORANGE' is coded as '691575'; how will 'GRAPES' be encoded ?

- (A) ☒ **791751 (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ 791752
- (C) ☐ 791753
- (D) ☐ 791754

**Question No.62 (Question Id - 13)**  
Which one of the following shouldn't be shared with any one ?

- A. Password
- B. e-mail ID
- C. Credit Card Pin
- D. OTP

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A, B and C
- (B) ☐ A, B and D
- (C) ☒ **A, C and D (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ B, C and D

**Question No.63 (Question Id - 77)**

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

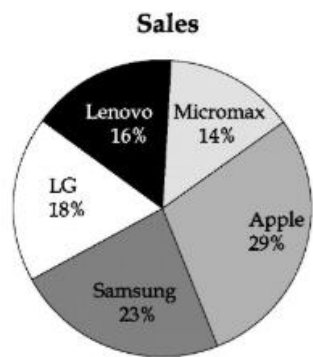
List - I	List - II
A. Brunch, Viruska	I. Complex word
B. Demonetisation, Antinationalist	II. Alphabetism
C. NRC, CAA	III. Compound word
D. Pickpocket, mallrat	IV. Blending

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A - II, B - III, C - I, D - IV
- (B) ☐ A - I, B - IV, C - III, D - II
- (C) ☒ **A - IV, B - I, C - II, D - III (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ A - III, B - I, C - IV, D - II

**Question No.64 (Question Id - 27)**

Look at the pie chart below :



Which mobile phone is highly sold ?

- (A) ☐ Samsung
- (B) ☐ LG
- (C) ☒ **Apple (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Lenovo

**Question No.65 (Question Id - 25)**

The branch of Linguistics which deals with ‘the meaning of language in context’ is :

- (A) ☐ **Pragmatics (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Semiotics
- (C) ☐ Semantics
- (D) ☐ Relevant Theory

**Question No.66 (Question Id - 76)**

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	List - II
A. Punjabi	I. Austro-Asiatic
B. Telugu	II. Indo-Aryan
C. Khasi	III. Dravidian
D. Bodo	IV. Tibeto-Burman

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A - I, B - II, C - III, D - IV
- (B) ☐ **A - II, B - III, C - I, D - IV (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ A - III, B - I, C - II, D - IV
- (D) ☐ A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I

**Question No.67 (Question Id - 19)**

The writer of the book “Language” is :

- (A) ☐ H.A. Gleason
- (B) ☐ Daniel Jones
- (C) ☐ **Leonard Bloomfield (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Charles Hockett

**Question No.68 (Question Id - 70)**

What types of questions are more appropriate for testing writing skills ?

- (A) ☐ Multiple choice based
- (B) ☐ Fill in the blanks
- (C) ☐ **Essay writing (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.69 (Question Id - 64)**

Given below four statements :

- A. All languages must have nouns and verbs
- B. Majority of the languages in the world have at least three vowels
- C. Languages share features when they are in contact
- D. Languages are acquired through imitation only

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A, B, C Only (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A, B, D Only
- (C) ☐ B, C, D Only
- (D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.70 (Question Id - 88)**

How many morphemes are there in the word "*Decentralization*" ?

- (A) ☐ 7
- (B) ☐ 6
- (C) ☐ 8
- (D) ☐ **5 (Correct Answer)**

**Question No.71 (Question Id - 5)**

The English word, ‘NASA’ is an example of :

- (A) ☐ Blending  
(B) ☒ Acronym (Correct Answer)  
(C) ☐ Backronym  
(D) ☐ Initialism

**Question No.72 (Question Id - 46)**  
The Peoples Linguistic Survey of India was conducted by :

- (A) ☐ Suniti Kumar Chatterjee  
(B) ☐ Sir Richard Temple  
(C) ☒ Ganesh Devi (Correct Answer)  
(D) ☐ G.A. Grierson

**Question No.73 (Question Id - 61)**

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	List - II
A. Synchrony	I. The substitutional relationship between words
B. Diachrony	II. The study of language in a given time
C. Syntagmatic	III. The study of language through time
D. Paradigmatic	IV. The combinatorial or chain relationship between words

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ A - I, B - IV, C - III, D - II  
(B) ☐ A - III, B - II, C - IV, D - I  
(C) ☒ A - II, B - III, C - IV, D - I (Correct Answer)  
(D) ☐ A - IV, B - I, C - II, D - III

**Question No.74 (Question Id - 40)**  
Find the word that has been spelt **correctly**.

- (A) ☐ Goverment  
(B) ☒ Government (Correct Answer)  
(C) ☐ Gorment  
(D) ☐ Govenment

**Question No.75 (Question Id - 28)**

Following table presents production of mobiles and tablets during period 2014 to 2018 :

Year	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Mobiles	8,000	15,000	10,000	13,000	20,000
Tablets	12,000	25,000	11,000	10,000	5,000

What is the difference between averages of production of mobiles and tablets from 2014 to 2016 ?

- (A) ☒ 5,000 (Correct Answer)  
(B) ☐ 2,400  
(C) ☐ 3,050  
(D) ☐ 4,869

**Question No.76 (Question Id - 65)**

Identify the underlined markers in the following words :

Remake, unkind, impossible, inconsistent

- (A) ☒ Prefixes (Correct Answer)  
(B) ☐ Suffixes  
(C) ☐ Infixes  
(D) ☐ All of the above

**Question No.77 (Question Id - 98)**  
Given below are two phrases :

- A. Free Coffee and minibar
- B. Old man and woman

These are examples of :

- (A) ☐ Cultural ambiguity
- (B) ☐ Social ambiguity
- (C) ☐ **Structural ambiguity (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Phonological ambiguity

Question No.78 (Question Id - 22)

The criteria of assessment in SSC exam \_\_\_\_\_ changed. What \_\_\_\_\_ the new criterion of assessment ? Fill in the blanks with **correct** options from the following :

- (A) ☐ Have, are
- (B) ☐ Has, is
- (C) ☐ **Have, is (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Has, are

Question No.79 (Question Id - 92)

Which hemisphere of the brain is mainly responsible for language ?

- (A) ☐ Right hemisphere
- (B) ☐ **Left hemisphere (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ Left, Front and Right Hemisphere
- (D) ☐ None of the above

Question No.80 (Question Id - 74)

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	List - II
A. Hindi	I. Kana and kanji
B. English	II. Hangul
C. Korean	III. Roman
D. Japanese	IV. Devanagari

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A - I, B - II, C - IV, D - III
- (C) ☐ A - II, B - IV, C - I, D - III
- (D) ☐ A - I, B - II, C - III, D -IV

Question No.81 (Question Id - 68)

Similar sounding words like ‘see’ & ‘sea’; ‘know’ & ‘no’ are called :

- (A) ☐ **Homophones (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ Homonyms
- (C) ☐ Synonyms
- (D) ☐ All of the above

Question No.82 (Question Id - 63)

Match **List - I** with **List - II**.

List - I	List - II
A. <i>A Course in General Linguistics</i>	I. Francis Katamba
B. <i>A Course in Phonetics</i>	II. Noam Chomsky
C. <i>The Minimalist Program</i>	III. Ferdinand de Saussure
D. <i>Morphology</i>	IV. Peter Ladefoged

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☐ **A - III, B - IV, C - II, D - I (Correct Answer)**
- (B) ☐ A - II, B - III, C - I, D - IV

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

**Question No.83 (Question Id - 91)**

Which article of the Indian Constitution provides for the provisions relating to freedom of speech & expression ?

- (A) ☒ **19 (Correct Answer)**  
(B) ☐ 36  
(C) ☐ 18  
(D) ☐ 14

**Question No.84 (Question Id - 56)**

An 'affricate' is a sound :

- (A) ☐ That is produced like a stop  
(B) ☐ That is produced through the nasal passage  
(C) ☒ **Which starts out rather like a plosive and finishes like a fricative (Correct Answer)**  
(D) ☐ That is produced without friction or turbulence

**Question No.85 (Question Id - 69)**

What types of questions are more appropriate for testing comprehension skill ?

- (A) ☐ Paragraph writing  
(B) ☒ **Question answer of unknown passage (Correct Answer)**  
(C) ☐ Letter writing  
(D) ☐ Fill in the blank

**Question No.86 (Question Id - 85)**

Given below are two statements :

**Statement I:**

All languages change through time.

**Statement II:**

The differences among languages are not due to biological reasons.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (A) ☒ **Both Statement I and Statement II are true. (Correct Answer)**  
(B) ☐ Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are false.  
(C) ☐ **Statement I** is true but **Statement II** is false.  
(D) ☐ **Statement I** is false but **Statement II** is true.

**Question No.87 (Question Id - 47)**

How many Dravidian Languages are listed in the constitution ?

- (A) ☐ One  
(B) ☒ **Four (Correct Answer)**  
(C) ☐ Two  
(D) ☐ Five

**Question No.88 (Question Id - 86)**

Where is Xhosa language spoken ?

- (A) ☐ Indonesia  
(B) ☐ Russia  
(C) ☒ **South Africa (Correct Answer)**  
(D) ☐ North America

**Question No.89 (Question Id - 96)**

Find the **odd** one out.

- (A) ☒ **Table and chair (Correct Answer)**  
(B) ☐ Tall and short  
(C) ☐ Hot and Cold

(D) <input type="radio"/> Big and small
<p><b>Question No.90 (Question Id - 80)</b></p> <p>What is the past participle marker in English ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>-en (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> -er</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> -ing</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> -est</p>
<p><b>Question No.91 (Question Id - 42)</b></p> <p>The vowel ‘a’ in the word ‘cane’ is :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>Diphthong (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Long vowel</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Short vowel</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Vowel Glide</p>
<p><b>Question No.92 (Question Id - 1)</b></p> <p>How many languages are approximately spoken in the world ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> 600</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>6000 (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> 16000</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> 26000</p>
<p><b>Question No.93 (Question Id - 6)</b></p> <p>The first Linguistic Survey of India (LSI) was conducted by :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>G.A. Grierson (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> B.H. Krishna Murthy</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> D.N. Bhatt</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Roman Jacobson</p>
<p><b>Question No.94 (Question Id - 49)</b></p> <p>The major source of user-generated content on web is through :</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Book Reading</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>Social Media (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Online Libraries</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Community Groups</p>
<p><b>Question No.95 (Question Id - 35)</b></p> <p>Who among these is an ancient linguist of India ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> Rabindra NathTagore</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> <b>Patanjali (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Noam Chomsky</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Tej K Bhatia</p>
<p><b>Question No.96 (Question Id - 99)</b></p> <p>What does a <i>repertoire</i> mean ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> A term used in morphology to refer a ‘morph’.</p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> A term sometimes used in generative linguistics to refer what is known as deep structure.</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> <b>A term used in sociolinguistics to refer the range of languages or varieties of a language available for use by a speaker.</b></p> <p><b>(Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> A term used in the theory of speech acts.</p>
<p><b>Question No.97 (Question Id - 8)</b></p> <p>Who is the author of “<i>Ashtadhyayi</i>”, a grammar book written on Sanskrit ?</p> <p>(A) <input type="radio"/> <b>Panini (Correct Answer)</b></p> <p>(B) <input type="radio"/> Patanjali</p> <p>(C) <input type="radio"/> Bhartrihari</p> <p>(D) <input type="radio"/> Yask</p>

**Question No.98 (Question Id - 26)**

Which of these words can be used as a *lexeme* heading in a dictionary ?

- (A) ☐ Giving
- (B) ☐ Gave
- (C) ☐ **Give (Correct Answer)**
- (D) ☐ Gives

**Question No.99 (Question Id - 90)**

The National Film Archive of India (NFAI) is located in :

- (A) ☐ Mumbai
- (B) ☐ **Pune (Correct Answer)**
- (C) ☐ New Delhi
- (D) ☐ Kolkata

**Question No.100 (Question Id - 67)**

Identify the number of syllables in the word 'uninterrupted'.

- (A) ☐ Two
- (B) ☐ Three
- (C) ☐ Four
- (D) ☐ **Five (Correct Answer)**

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