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### सूचना

- (1) सदर प्रश्नपुस्तिकेत 150 अनिवार्य प्रश्न आहेत. उमेदवारांनी प्रश्नांची उत्तरे लिहिण्यास सुरुवात करण्यापूर्वी या प्रश्नपुस्तिकेत सर्व प्रश्न आहेत किंवा नाहीत याची खात्री करून घ्यावी. असा तसेच अन्य काही दोष आढळल्यास ही प्रश्नपुस्तिका समवेक्षकांकडून लगेच बदलून घ्यावी.
- (2) आपला परीक्षा-क्रमांक ह्या चौकोनांत न विसरता बॉलपेनने लिहावा.
- (3) वर छापलेला प्रश्नपुस्तिका क्रमांक तुमच्या उत्तरपत्रिकेवर विशिष्ट जागी उत्तरपत्रिकेवरील सूचनेप्रमाणे न विसरता नमूद करावा.
- (4) या प्रश्नपुस्तिकेतील प्रत्येक प्रश्नाला 4 पर्यायी उत्तरे सुचविली असून त्यांना 1, 2, 3 आणि 4 असे क्रमांक दिलेले आहेत. त्या चार उत्तरपैकी सर्वात योग्य उत्तराचा क्रमांक उत्तरपत्रिकेवरील सूचनेप्रमाणे तुमच्या उत्तरपत्रिकेवर नमूद करावा. अशा प्रकारे उत्तरपत्रिकेवर उत्तरक्रमांक नमूद करताना तो संबंधित प्रश्नक्रमांकासमोर छायांकित करून दर्शविला जाईल याची काळजी घ्यावी. ह्याकरिता फक्त काळ्या शाईचे बॉलपेन वापरावे, पेन्सिल वा शाईचे पेन वापरू नये.
- (5) सर्व प्रश्नांना समान गुण आहेत. यास्तव सर्व प्रश्नांची उत्तरे द्यावीत. घाईमुळे चुका होणार नाहीत याची दक्षता घेऊनच शक्य तितक्या वेगाने प्रश्न सोडवावेत. क्रमाने प्रश्न सोडविणे श्रेयस्कर आहे पण एखादा प्रश्न कठीण वाटल्यास त्यावर वेळ न घालविता पुढील प्रश्नाकडे वळावे. अशा प्रकारे शेवटच्या प्रश्नापर्यंत पोहोचल्यानंतर वेळ शिल्लक राहिल्यास कठीण म्हणून वगळलेल्या प्रश्नांकडे परतणे सोईस्कर ठरेल.
- (6) उत्तरपत्रिकेत एकदा नमूद केलेले उत्तर खोडता येणार नाही. नमूद केलेले उत्तर खोडून नव्याने उत्तर दिल्यास ते तपासले जाणार नाही.
- (7) प्रस्तुत परीक्षेच्या उत्तरपत्रिकांचे मूल्यांकन करताना उमेदवारांच्या उत्तरपत्रिकेतील योग्य उत्तरांनाच गुण दिले जातील. तसेच "उमेदवाराने वस्तुनिष्ठ बहुपर्यायी स्वरूपाच्या प्रश्नांची अचूक उत्तरेच उत्तरपत्रिकेत नमूद करावीत. अन्यथा त्यांच्या उत्तरपत्रिकेत सोडविलेल्या प्रत्येक चार चुकीच्या उत्तरांसाठी एका प्रश्नाचे गुण वजा करण्यात येतील".

### ताकीद

ह्या प्रश्नपत्रिकेसाठी आयोगाने विहित केलेली वेळ संपेपर्यंत ही प्रश्नपुस्तिका आयोगाची मालमत्ता असून ती परीक्षाकक्षात उमेदवाराला परीक्षेसाठी वापरण्यास देण्यात येत आहे. ही वेळ संपेपर्यंत सदर प्रश्नपुस्तिकेची प्रत/प्रती, किंवा सदर प्रश्नपुस्तिकेतील काही आशय कोणत्याही स्वरूपात प्रत्यक्ष वा अप्रत्यक्षपणे कोणत्याही व्यक्तीस पुरविणे, तसेच प्रसिद्ध करणे हा गुन्हा असून अशी कृती करणाऱ्या व्यक्तीवर शासनाने जारी केलेल्या "परीक्षांमध्ये होणाऱ्या गैरप्रकारांना प्रतिबंध करण्याबाबतचा अधिनियम-82" यातील तरतुदीनुसार तसेच प्रचलित कायद्याच्या तरतुदीनुसार कारवाई करण्यात येईल व दोषी व्यक्ती कमाल एक वर्षाच्या कारावासाच्या आणि/किंवा रुपये एक हजार रकमेच्या दंडाच्या शिक्षेस पात्र होईल.

तसेच ह्या प्रश्नपत्रिकेसाठी विहित केलेली वेळ संपण्याआधी ही प्रश्नपुस्तिका अनधिकृतपणे बाळगणे हा सुद्धा गुन्हा असून तसे करणारी व्यक्ती आयोगाच्या कर्मचारीवृंदापैकी, तसेच परीक्षेच्या पर्यवेक्षकीयवृंदापैकी असली तरीही अशा व्यक्तीविरुद्ध उक्त अधिनियमानुसार कारवाई करण्यात येईल व दोषी व्यक्ती शिक्षेस पात्र होईल.

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1. Which one of the following alternatives is **not** a 'type of regular verb' ?  
(1) look (2) study (3) begin (4) travel
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2. Choose the **correct** answer from the following and fill in the blank :  
A doctor who studies and treats mental illness \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1) psychiatrist (2) psychologist (3) psychoanalyst (4) psychiatry
- 
3. Pick out the **correct** 'question tag' for the following sentence.  
John has a bad cold.  
(1) has he ? (2) hasn't he ? (3) did he ? (4) haven't he ?
- 
4. Pick out the **incorrect** part of the following sentence :  
'Taj Mahal is one of the wonder of the world.'  
(1) Taj Mahal is (2) one of (3) the wonder (4) of the world
- 
5. Which of the following words has the **correct** spelling ?  
(1) loneliness (2) lonliness (3) lonlyiness (4) loneliness
- 
6. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word from the choices given below :  
The principal scolded the students \_\_\_\_\_ project work was not complete.  
(1) what (2) whose (3) who (4) which
- 
7. Choose the **correct** sentence from the following :  
(1) Iron is most useful than any other metal.  
(2) Very few towns in India are as richer as Mumbai.  
(3) Kolkata is the largest town than any other in India.  
(4) Usha Kiran is the tallest of all the buildings in the city.
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8. Select the word nearest to the meaning of 'macro'.  
(1) middle (2) micro (3) small (4) large
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9. Select the word nearest to the meaning of 'devalue'.  
(1) exchange (2) reduce (3) discover (4) price
- 
10. Which one of the following is **not** an 'adjective' ?  
(1) friendly (2) carefully (3) monthly (4) only
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11. Which one of the following alternatives is **not** a prefix ?

- (1) ante                      (2) able                      (3) auto                      (4) arch
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12. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word from the choices given below :

In Tennis zero is designated by \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) "Not"                      (2) "O"                      (3) "Love"                      (4) "Game"
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13. Pick out the **incorrect** part of the following sentence :

He wanted to know if I shall work at the weekends.

- (1) he wanted                      (2) to know  
(3) if I shall work                      (4) at the weekends
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14. Choose the **correct** sentence from the following :

- (1) Switzerland is a European country.      (2) Switzerland is European country.  
(3) Switzerland is an European country.      (4) Switzerland is the European country.
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15. Fill in the blank with the correct word from the choices given below :

That you cannot hear \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) inhearable      (2) inlistenable      (3) inaudible      (4) incapable
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16. The plural of 'criterion' is :

- (1) Criteria      (2) Criterians      (3) Criterianes      (4) Criterias
- 

17. Pick out the **incorrect** part of the following sentence :

'Can you get for me a glass of milk ?'

- (1) can you get      (2) for me      (3) a glass      (4) of milk
- 

18. Choose the **correct** antonym of :

**rural**

- (1) polite      (2) well - bred      (3) polished      (4) urban
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19. Choose the **correct** antonym of 'glad' :

- (1) happy      (2) sad      (3) pleased      (4) delighted
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20. Choose the **correct** antonym of 'bottom' :

- (1) base      (2) foundation      (3) foot      (4) top
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21. Correct the following :

'eaten food have ever you Thai ?'

Choose the **correct** alternative :

- (1) You have eaten ever Thai food ? (2) Have you ever eaten Thai food ?  
(3) Have you eaten ever Thai food ? (4) You have ever eaten Thai food ?

22. Choose the **incorrect** alternative from the following :

- (1) As sweet as mango (2) As heavy as lead  
(3) As wise as Solomon (4) As swimming as fish

23. Choose the **correct** sentence from the following :

- (1) I live in a Paris (2) I live in the Paris  
(3) I live in Paris (4) I live in an Paris

24. Which one of the following alternatives is **not** a 'modal auxiliary' ?

- (1) have to (2) ought to (3) must (4) have

25. He killed two birds \_\_\_\_\_ one shot.

- (1) in (2) at (3) with (4) to

26. Choose the **correct** antonym of 'wet' :

- (1) moist (2) soaked (3) damp (4) dry

27. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word :

My flight was an hour \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) late (2) let (3) lite (4) lit

**Read the following passage and select the correct answer. (For Q.No. 28 to 32).**

It was in surgery that the most spectacular results of that discovery were obtained, and it was there that the battle between the new idea and the old prejudices was fought out most dramatically. It's coming into that field changed the whole conditions under which operations were performed, and so enormously extended its possibilities that we reckon the art act in two eras : one covering the history of mankind from the earliest times to this time of Lister ; the other, the period since. For in ancient India, in Egypt, Greece and Rome, surgery was practised, and the instruments and knowledge were already remarkable. If it stagnated under mediaeval influences, it revived again under such men as Paracelsus in the sixteenth century, and moved steadily forward through the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries as human anatomy and physiology yielded their secrets to the scientists. In the nineteenth century one great discovery came to the aid of the surgeon James Young Simpson experimented with anaesthetics, and so gave him time to perform his delicate work on patients unconscious of pain.

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28. The name of the sixteenth century doctor who revived surgery was \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(1) Pasteur                      (2) Simpson                      (3) Paracelsus                      (4) Semmelweis

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29. Choose the **correct** answer :

The theme of this passage seems to be \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) The battle of discovery                      (2) Human anatomy and physiology  
(3) Making surgery safe                      (4) The history of surgeon
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30. The word 'anaesthetics' means :

- (1) that prevents the existence of harmful germs.  
(2) something that prevents passing through.  
(3) that causes much suffering.  
(4) drug which prevents a person from feeling pain.
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31. According to this passage the discovery of anaesthetics belongs to \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) the middle ages  
(2) the nineteenth century  
(3) seventeenth and eighteenth century  
(4) the sixteenth century
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32. The reason that the most spectacular results of that discovery were obtained is \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) battle                      (2) new idea                      (3) old prejudice                      (4) surgery
- 

33. Pick out the **correct** indirect form :

Mohini told Rita, "Did you meet Rahul at the station ?"

- (1) Mohini asked Rita if she had met Rahul at the station.  
(2) Mohini replied Rita if she had met Rahul at the station.  
(3) Mohini told Rita if she had met Rahul at the station.  
(4) Mohini asked Rita that she had met Rahul at the stations.
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34. Which is the **correct** meaning of the following ?

'Court that hears cases involving minor children'.

- (1) Juvenile                      (2) Supreme                      (3) High                      (4) Session
- 

35. He \_\_\_\_\_ be in his office now.

(Supply a suitable modal auxiliary showing 'possibility')

- (1) have to                      (2) shall                      (3) may                      (4) has to
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36. It was not sure that it was you.

(Remove negative)

- (1) It wasn't, sure that it was you.
  - (2) It was sure that it was you.
  - (3) It was unbelievable that it was you.
  - (4) It was doubtful whether it was you.
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37. How sweet the moonlight sleeps upon this bank !

(Make it assertive).

- (1) The moonlight is sleeping upon this bank very sweetly.
  - (2) The moonlight very sweetly sleeps upon this bank .
  - (3) The moonlight sleeps upon very sweetly that bank.
  - (4) The moonlight sleeps upon that bank very sweetly.
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38. Fill in the blank with the suitable verb form :

The dish \_\_\_\_\_ tasty, if a little less sugar was used in it. (be)

- (1) is                      (2) were                      (3) was                      (4) are
- 

39. Fill in the blank with the correct word :

I speak English \_\_\_\_\_ Tamil.

- (1) besides              (2) between              (3) among              (4) beside
- 

40. "Saniya is not one of the cleverest girls in the class."

(Change it into comparative)

- (1) Some girls of the class are not cleverer than Saniya.
  - (2) Saniya is not so clever as some other girls of the class.
  - (3) Saniya is less clever than some other girls of the class.
  - (4) Saniya is as clever as some other girls in the class.
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41. Complete the sentence using the correct form of verb.

If it \_\_\_\_\_ we shall stay at home. (rain)

- (1) rains                      (2) will rain                      (3) would rain                      (4) had rain
- 

42. Give adjective form of :

'Significance'.

- (1) Signify                      (2) Signific                      (3) Significant                      (4) Signifying
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43. Choose the **correct** answer :

The last meal of the day \_\_\_\_\_.

- (1) dinner                      (2) breakfast                      (3) lunch                      (4) supper
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44. Alfred was the best king that ever reigned in England.

(Make it negative).

- (1) Alfred would not be the best king that ever reigned in England.  
(2) No other king as good as Alfred ever reigned in England.  
(3) Alfred is not the best king that ever reigned in England.  
(4) Alfred was the only king who had never reigned in England.
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45. They finished the work yesterday. (Make interrogative)

- (1) Do they finish the work yesterday ?  
(2) Did they finish the work yesterday ?  
(3) Had they finished the work yesterday ?  
(4) Have they finished the work yesterday ?
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46. Alas that youth should pass away !

(Make assertive)

- (1) It is sad to think that youth should pass away.  
(2) It is said that youth should pass away.  
(3) It is bad news that youth should pass away.  
(4) It is strange that youth should pass away.
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47. Which is the **correct** indirect speech of the following sentence ?

Mohit said, 'Where did they park the car ?'

- (1) Mohit said that where they had parked the car.  
(2) Mohit enquired where they had parked the car.  
(3) Mohit asked that where they had parked the car.  
(4) Mohit wanted to know where they had parked the car.
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48. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word :

He jumped \_\_\_\_\_ the wall.

- (1) on                      (2) from                      (3) into                      (4) upon
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49. Give the adverb form of 'commercial'.

- (1) commerce (2) commercialize  
(3) commercially (4) commercialism
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50. Why offer bread to a man who is dying of thirst ?

(Make it assertive)

- (1) It is useless to offer bread to a man who is dying of thirst.  
(2) Such offer is foolish to a man who is dying of thirst.  
(3) It is extremely foolish to offer bread a man who is dying of thirst.  
(4) No one can be offered bread to a man who is dying of thirst.
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51. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word from those given below :

The municipal corporation \_\_\_\_\_ the old buildings to raise a new one.

- (1) changed (2) destroyed (3) hired (4) replaced
- 

52. She had finished the work before we reached her house.

(Change the voice)

- (1) The work had been finished before we reached her house by her.  
(2) The work had been before finished by her we reached her house.  
(3) The work had been finished by her before we reached her house.  
(4) The work has been finished by her before we reached her house.
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53. An elephant is a wonderful creature.

(Make it exclamatory).

- (1) How a wonderful creature an elephant is !  
(2) That a wonderful creature an elephant is !  
(3) O a wonderful creature an elephant is !  
(4) What a wonderful creature an elephant is !
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54. Choose the most suitable word for the given expression :

'Change appearance so that people do not recognize a person' :

- (1) disguise (2) costume (3) colour (4) difference
- 

55. Which is the **correct** meaning of the following ?

'A list of questions to be filled in.'

- (1) assignment (2) questionnaire (3) question sets (4) answer sets
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56. Fill in the blank with a suitable article :

He is \_\_\_\_\_ M.Phil. student.

- (1) a                                      (2) an                                      (3) the                                      (4) no article
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Read the following passage and answer the questions 57 to 61.

### THE DUKE'S REVENGE

Long ago there was a ruler called the Duke of Ferrara, who for many years had been suffering from an illness which seemed to be incurable. The whole court was sad, but no one grieved more than Gonella, the Duke's faithful jester. Finally, the doctors said that if anyone were bold enough to give the Duke a sudden fright, it might cure him.

Out of love for his master, Gonella agreed to risk the Duke's anger and administer the fright. So one day, while they were walking in the grounds, he suddenly pushed his master into the lake. The Duke was of course promptly rescued, and to everyone's joy it was found that the shock had completely cured him.

Unfortunately, he was angry with Gonella for playing this trick on him, and planned to give the jester a fright in return. He ordered Gonella to be put in prison and then sentenced him to death. On the day of execution the poor frightened jester was blindfolded and made to lay his head on the block. Then the executioner, at the Duke's order, instead of the axe let a single drop of water fall on his neck. All the onlookers laughed merrily at the Duke's joke. But the jester did not rise. When the executioner lifted him up it was found that he was dead, from shock.

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57. It was the jester who \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) frightened the Duke                                      (2) gave the Duke the required shock.  
(3) rescued the Duke                                      (4) made the Duke angry
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58. The Duke was suffering from \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) an incurable illness                                      (2) an unknown fright  
(3) sleeplessness                                      (4) a severe disease
- 

59. The passage is about \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) the Duke's jester                                      (2) the Duke's revenge  
(3) the Duke's anger                                      (4) Jester's death
- 

60. The Duke decided \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) to imprison the jester                                      (2) to kill the jester  
(3) to take revenge on the jester                                      (4) to feel grateful to the jester
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61. The Duke's joke proved to be a cruel practical joke because \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) the jester was frightened
  - (2) the jester was accidentally executed
  - (3) the executioner took revenge on the jester
  - (4) the jester died from shock
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62. Find out the **correct** sentence of Future Perfect Tense :
- (1) I will have been completed this book by the end of the year.
  - (2) I will have completed this book by the end of the year.
  - (3) I will have been completing this book by the end of the year.
  - (4) I will be completing this book by the end of the year.
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63. Choose the appropriate word from the following to describe the meaning of the phrase.  
Pleasure trip of a number of persons \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) Excursion
  - (2) Excersion
  - (3) Excursion
  - (4) Excursion
- 
64. Choose the **correct** antonym of **Frank**.
- (1) good - mixer
  - (2) reserved
  - (3) friendly
  - (4) proud
- 
65. Choose the **correct** alternative from the following to fill in the blank :  
I met Renu after I \_\_\_\_\_ my work.
- (1) finished
  - (2) have finished
  - (3) will have finished
  - (4) had finished
- 
66. Choose the **correct** pronoun from the following alternatives to fill in the blank :  
You and \_\_\_\_\_ have both been placed first in the competition.
- (1) me
  - (2) mine
  - (3) I
  - (4) my
- 
67. Which of the following is the **correct** usage ?
- (1) Marina opened the door by a key.
  - (2) Marina opened the door with a key.
  - (3) Marina opened the door to a key.
  - (4) Marina opened the door from a key.
- 
68. Choose the word or phrase from the following that is most nearly opposite in meaning of the numbered word :  
Repudiate \_\_\_\_\_.
- (1) reject
  - (2) accept
  - (3) deny
  - (4) disown
- 

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69. Choose the **correct** alternative for the statement given below :

- (a) If you wake up early  
(b) Unless you wake up early } you will miss the train.

(1) (a) ✓ (b) ×      (2) (a) ✓ (b) ✓      (3) (a) × (b) ✓      (4) (a) × (b) ×

70. Choose from the following alternatives, the word which is most nearly the same in meaning :

'Pseudo' \_\_\_\_\_ .

(1) sweet smelling      (2) fresh      (3) salty      (4) fake

71. Complete the following sentence by choosing the **correct** option :

India is much bigger \_\_\_\_\_ Sri Lanka.

(1) that      (2) to      (3) but      (4) than

72. Choose the **correct** alternative from the following to fill in the blank :

When I reached his house, he \_\_\_\_\_ a letter.

- (1) was writing      (2) had written  
(3) is writting      (4) has been writing

73. Choose the word or phrase from the following that is most nearly opposite in meaning of the numbered word :

Savage \_\_\_\_\_ .

(1) brutal      (2) primitive      (3) wild      (4) civilized

74. Which of the following is the **correct** usage ?

- (1) The manager ought to get back on tomorrow.  
(2) The manager ought to get back at tomorrow.  
(3) The manager ought to get back out tomorrow.  
(4) The manager ought to get back by tomorrow.

75. Select the word nearest to the meaning of :

**Confusion**

(1) complex      (2) mixture      (3) discomfort      (4) chaos

76. Choose the correct noun form of the word 'prove' from the following alternatives :

(1) proving      (2) proven      (3) proved      (4) proof

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77. Choose the **correct** form of a verb from the following to fill in the blank :

Either my brother or my sister \_\_\_\_\_ taken my pencil.

- (1) has                      (2) have                      (3) have to                      (4) has to
- 

78. Choose the **correct** article from the following to fill in the blank :

\_\_\_\_\_ President of India is visiting Mumbai on Tuesday.

- (1) the                      (2) a                      (3) no article                      (4) an
- 

79. Choose the word or phrase from the following that is most nearly opposite in meaning of the numbered word :

Marvellous \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) wonderful                      (2) splendid                      (3) ugly                      (4) fantastic
- 

80. Choose the **correct** preposition from the following to fill in the blank :

I opened the door and went \_\_\_\_\_ the room.

- (1) in                      (2) to                      (3) out                      (4) into
- 

81. Pick out the **correct** question tag to the following sentence :

Amrita speaks German fluently \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) doesn't she ?                      (2) don't she ?                      (3) does she ?                      (4) isn't she ?
- 

82. Choose the **correct** form of a verb from the following to fill in the blank :

The news \_\_\_\_\_ at 7 O'clock everyday.

- (1) came                      (2) come                      (3) comes                      (4) coming
- 

83. Choose from the following alternatives, the word which is most nearly the same in meaning :

'Majesty' \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) man                      (2) lion                      (3) club                      (4) king
- 

84. Choose from the following alternatives, the **correct** language the word originates from :

'Sabbath' \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (1) French                      (2) Hebrew                      (3) Latin                      (4) German
- 

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85. Which is the **correct** indirect narration of the following sentence ?

'Please open the door', the host said to me.

- (1) The host requested to me that open the door.
- (2) The host requested to me open the door.
- (3) The host requested me to open the door.
- (4) The host requested to me to open the door.

86. Correct the following sentence :

'London is more bigger than Rome.'

Choose the **correct** sentence from the following alternatives :

- (1) London is as big as Rome
- (2) London is bigger than Rome
- (3) London is more big than Rome
- (4) London is much big than Rome

**Read the following passage and answer the questions from 87 to 91 :**

A multi - national firm wanted to engage a result - oriented, bright young man in the top position of their sales department. In order to avoid personal bias and to ensure fairness, it was decided that all the applications would be screened by a computer and the applicant who was given the highest ranking by the computer was to be appointed.

As there was just one vacancy and three young men secured the identical highest score it was decided that the candidate coming up with the correct answer was to get the job. The question placed before the candidates was the same. "How much do two plus two make ?"

The first candidate, who belonged to the middle class gave a brief reply, "four"; he said and stood respectfully. The second candidate came from the business community. He said shrewdly. "The answer can be either three or five. It depends on whether you are buying or selling." The third candidate was from the higher strata of the society. His suave reply was, "well gentlemen, the answer can be whatever you want it to be. I can make it anything from zero to infinity, according to your requirements."

It is very difficult to guess who got the job.

87. 'Screened' (paragraph 1) in the context means :

- (1) watched
- (2) worked
- (3) checked
- (4) separated

88. The first candidate's reply is :

- (1) either three or five
- (2) none
- (3) four
- (4) zero to infinity

89. The third candidate belongs to :

- (1) middle class
- (2) poor class
- (3) business community
- (4) the upper class

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90. The passage is about \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(1) A multi - national firm  
(2) The final selection  
(3) A need of efficient and enterprising young man  
(4) IQ Test
- 
91. His Suave reply was, means \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(1) confident, elegant and polite      (2) logical, ideal and straight  
(3) overawed and bothered      (4) confusing, wrong and careless
- 
92. In a certain code language, 15729 is written as AEGBI and 2346 is written as BCDF. How will 23549 be written in that code language ?  
(1) BCEDI      (2) CEBDI      (3) CBEDI      (4) IDECB
- 
93. Replace question marks by logically correct options.  
E, G, D, I, C, K, B, M, ?, ?  
(1) A H      (2) A O      (3) N A      (4) B N
- 
94. Find the area of a rectangular tile having length 1 metre and breadth 50 cm.  
(1) 1.50 sq. metre      (2) 5 sq. metre      (3) 0.5 sq. metre      (4) 0.05 sq. metre
- 
95. Replace the question mark with a logical alphabet.  
S, V, Y, B, E, ?  
(1) E      (2) I      (3) G      (4) H
- 
96. Going 50 m to the south of her house, Geeta turns to the left and goes another 20 m. Then turning to the north, she goes 30 m and then starts walking to her house. In which direction is she walking ?  
(1) North - West      (2) North      (3) South - East      (4) East
- 
97. How many prime numbers are there below 25 ?  
(1) 7      (2) 8      (3) 9      (4) 10
- 
98. Pick out the correct question tag to the following sentence :  
"Columbus discovered America".  
(1) did he ?      (2) didn't he ?      (3) hadn't he ?      (4) wasn't he ?
- 

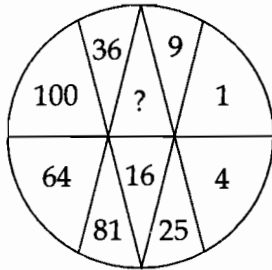
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99. If Saturday comes on 15<sup>th</sup> August. What will be the day on the 16<sup>th</sup> of next month?  
 (1) Wednesday (2) Monday (3) Friday (4) Saturday

100. A person is to go up a pole 40 units high. In every second, he climbs 5 units but slips 4 units. After how many seconds, will he be able to touch the top of the pole?  
 (1) 40 (2) 36 (3) 39 (4) 38

101. Study the pattern and select the number to replace the question mark.



- (1) 45 (2) 49 (3) 51 (4) 88

102. Which of the following words is odd in the group?

Mettle ; filial ; little ; idle

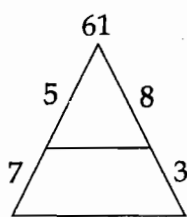
- (1) mettle (2) filial (3) little (4) idle

103. Choose the missing number from the alternatives :

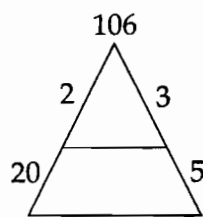
625,    ? , 225, 100, 25.

- (1) 150 (2) 250 (3) 300 (4) 400

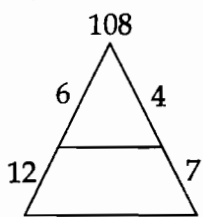
104. Study the pattern and find the missing number in place of the question mark.



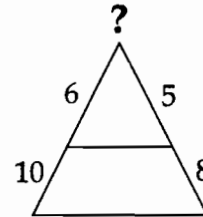
(1) 110



(2) 100



(3) 120



(4) 130

105. Fill in the blank with appropriate preposition :

It was very cold \_\_\_\_\_ the winter.

- (1) for (2) during (3) to (4) on

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106. Find out the **correct** sentence of Present Progressive Tense :

- (1) Sachin has been hitting the bat.      (2) Sachin has hit the bat.  
 (3) Sachin is hitting the bat.            (4) Sachin was hitting the bat.

107. If  $\times$  means minus  
 $\div$  means multiplied by  
 $-$  means plus  
 $+$  means divided by

Then  $8 \div 4 \times 2 - 4 + 2 = ?$

- (1) 2                                      (2) 28                                      (3) 32                                      (4) 36

108. Ram started from a place and walked 4 kms north and turned left and moved 2 kms. Then again he turned left and moved 4 kms. How many kilometres is he from the place he started ?

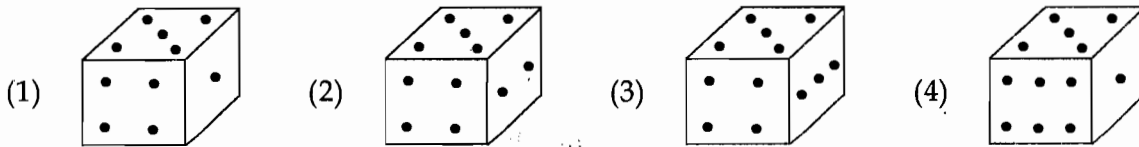
- (1) 4 kms                                      (2) 2 kms                                      (3) 6 kms                                      (4) 5 kms

109. Which group will appear in place of the question mark ?

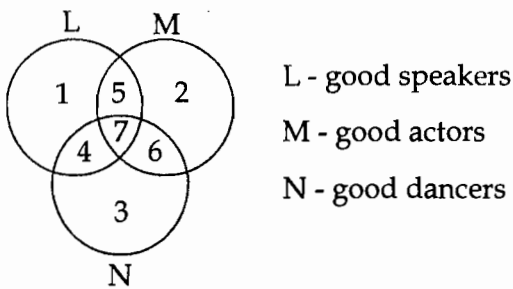
STU, TUV, UVW,    ?

- (1) VWX                                      (2) VXW                                      (3) WXY                                      (4) WYX

110. Each face of a cube is marked with distinct number of dots in the range of 1 to 6. If the total number of dots on opposite faces of a cubical box is always 7, then find the correct figure.



111. Which number indicates good speakers who are neither good actors nor good dancers ?



- (1) 10                                      (2) 6                                      (3) 5                                      (4) 1

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112. Which of the alternative relationships is identical to the following ?

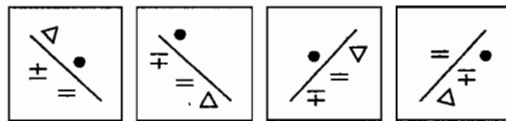
Monkey : Baboon

- (1) Milk : Butter      (2) Beverage : Tea      (3) Cow : Goat      (4) Fish : Shell

113. Which is the smallest number of the following ?

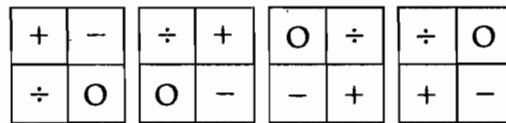
- (1)  $\sqrt{15}$       (2)  $\frac{\sqrt{15}}{5}$       (3)  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{15}}$       (4)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{15}}$

114. Name the odd figure.



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

115. Find the odd term.

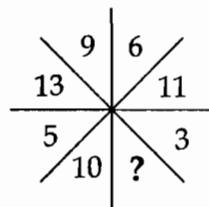


- 1      2      3      4  
 (1) 1      (2) 2      (3) 3      (4) 4

116. A 17 meter long ladder is kept at a distance of 8 metres from a wall in slanting position. At what height is the top of the ladder touching the wall ?

- (1) 23 mtrs.      (2) 32 mtrs.      (3) 25 mtrs.      (4) 15 mtrs.

117. What can replace the question mark ?



- (1) 3      (2) 5      (3) 8      (4) 7

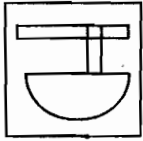
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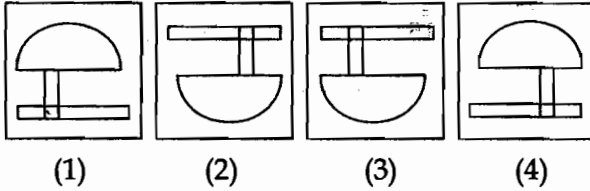
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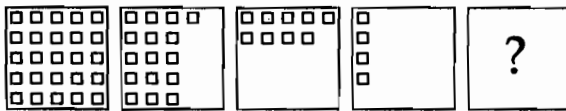
118. What will be the mirror image of the figure given below ?



Options :



119. Complete the series :



- (1) 3                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) 1

120. Find the odd number out.

16, 24, 36, 81

- (1) 16                      (2) 24                      (3) 36                      (4) 81

121. Which of the following is an odd group of alphabets ?

JOT, OUT, FED, DIN, DOG

- (1) JOT                      (2) DOG                      (3) FED                      (4) OUT

122. Find the missing number in the following series.

45, 36, 27, 18, .....

- (1) 7                      (2) 8                      (3) 9                      (4) 10

123.  $\sqrt{\sqrt{\sqrt{65536}}} = ?$

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 4                      (4) None of these

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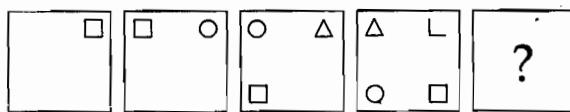
124. Sum of the numbers on dial of a watch is :

- (1) 78                      (2) 88                      (3) 80                      (4) None of

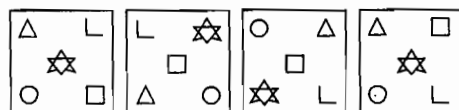
125. Choose the correct sentence from the following :

- (1) Our English teacher said that all students must bring their books.  
 (2) Our English teacher asked that all students must bring their books.  
 (3) Our English teacher told, all students must bring their books.  
 (4) Our English teacher said, all students must bring their books.

126. Complete the series :



Options :



- (1)                      (2)                      (3)                      (4)

127. If  $x = 0.975$

then  $4.475 = ?$

- (1)  $x + 1.5$                       (2)  $x + 2.5$                       (3)  $x + 3.5$                       (4) None of these

128. Which of the following letter groups is odd ?

AOT CPA REB TIW QUD

- (1) QUD                      (2) REB                      (3) CPA                      (4) TIW

129. If 'PLATO' is coded as 35204 then 043 is coded for which word ?

- (1) TOP                      (2) POT                      (3) LOP                      (4) ATO

130. Asha has one brother and one sister. Lata has two brothers and two sisters. Manisha has three sisters and no brother. Whose brother has more sisters ?

- (1) Asha                      (2) Lata                      (3) Manisha                      (4) None of the above

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131. What number would replace the question mark ?

8	1	6
3	5	7
4	9	?

- (1) 10                      (2) 4                      (3) 2                      (4) None of these

132. Find the odd man out :

$$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{3}$$

- (1)  $\frac{1}{2}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{4}$                       (3)  $\frac{1}{5}$                       (4)  $\frac{1}{3}$

133. Choose the **correct** sentence of the following :

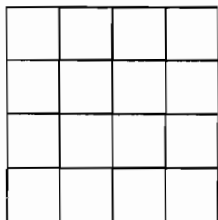
- (1) As he was the captain, he had to listen passenger's complaint.  
 (2) As he was the captain, though he had to listen passenger's complaint.  
 (3) As he was the captain, so he had to listen passenger's complaint.  
 (4) As he was the captain, as he had to listen passenger's complaint.

134. Study the pattern and replace the question mark.

1	4	5	8	9	12
20		52		?	
2	3	6	7	10	11

- (1) 26                      (2) 48                      (3) 84                      (4) 10

135. How many squares are there in the following figure ?



- (1) 32                      (2) 28                      (3) 30                      (4) 34

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136. If  $1 * 7 + 23 * + 433 = 77*$

Then which number should be in place of \* ?

- (1) 0                      (2) 5                      (3) 6                      (4) 8
- 

137. Choose the number to complete the sequence.

100, 99, 96, 91, 84,    ?   .

- (1) 72                      (2) 73                      (3) 74                      (4) 75
- 

138. If 'A' runs faster than 'E' but not as fast as 'D' and 'D' runs faster than 'C' but not as fast as 'B' ; then the person who runs fastest is :

- (1) A                      (2) B                      (3) C                      (4) E
- 

139. Fill in the blank with a suitable article :

What kind of \_\_\_\_\_ animal is it ?

- (1) a                      (2) the                      (3) an                      (4) no article
- 

140. Fill in the blank with the appropriate preposition :

Padma has been in Mumbai \_\_\_\_\_ 2001.

- (1) in                      (2) for                      (3) since                      (4) on
- 

141. Which of the following is the **correct** usage ?

- (1) The library was not opened till 11 O'clock.  
(2) The library was not opened at 11 O'clock.  
(3) The library was not opened on 11 O'clock.  
(4) The library was not opened in 11 O'clock.
- 

142. Which letter group should replace the question mark ?

$\frac{A}{d}, \frac{N}{q}, \frac{B}{e}, \frac{O}{r}, \frac{?}{?}$

- (1)  $\frac{C}{g}$                       (2)  $\frac{P}{f}$                       (3)  $\frac{C}{f}$                       (4)  $\frac{P}{e}$
- 

143. Find the odd man out :

cm. kg. mile. foot.

- (1) cm                      (2) kg                      (3) mile                      (4) foot
- 

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144. Fill in the blank with the appropriate option.

If 5184 : 72 then 8464 :

- (1) 82                      (2) 92                      (3) 72                      (4) 98
- 

145. Fill in the blank with the **correct** word :

I'm afraid, we don't have \_\_\_\_\_ face cream.

- (1) some                      (2) any                      (3) none                      (4) few
- 

146. Choose the logical alternative for completing the series :

8, 27, 125, .....

- (1) 64                      (2) 343                      (3) 216                      (4) 512
- 

147. What part is 25 paise of 6.25 Rs. ?

- (1)  $\frac{1}{20}$                       (2)  $\frac{1}{25}$                       (3) 25                      (4) None of these
- 

148. Find the odd man out.

Cat, Duck, Bat, Mouse

- (1) Duck                      (2) Cat                      (3) Bat                      (4) Mouse
- 

149. Sum of a number and 5 is divided by 3. The quotient is 116. What is the number ?

- (1) 100                      (2) 225                      (3) 343                      (4) 342
- 

150. How many times will the minute hand cross the hour hand from 5.30 pm to 7.30 pm ?

- (1) 1                      (2) 2                      (3) 3                      (4) None of these
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- (8) प्रश्नपुस्तिकेमध्ये विहित केलेल्या विशिष्ट जागीच कच्चे काम (रफ वर्क) करावे. प्रश्नपुस्तिकेव्यतिरिक्त उत्तरपत्रिकेवर वा इतर कागदावर कच्चे काम केल्यास ते काँपी करण्याच्या उद्देशाने केले आहे, असे मानले जाईल व त्यानुसार उमेदवारावर शासनाने जारी केलेल्या "परीक्षांमध्ये होणाऱ्या गैरप्रकारांना प्रतिबंध करण्याबाबतचे अधिनियम-82" यातील तरतुदीनुसार कारवाई करण्यात येईल व दोषी व्यक्ती कमाल एक वर्षांच्या कारावासाच्या आणि/किंवा रुपये एक हजार रकमेच्या दंडाच्या शिक्षेस पात्र होईल.
- (9) सदर प्रश्नपत्रिकेसाठी आयोगाने विहित केलेली वेळ संपल्यानंतर उमेदवाराला ही प्रश्नपुस्तिका स्वतःबरोबर परीक्षाकक्षाबाहेर घेऊन जाण्यास परवानगी आहे. मात्र परीक्षा कक्षाबाहेर जाण्यापूर्वी उमेदवाराने आपल्या उत्तरपत्रिकेचा भाग-1 समवेक्षकाकडे न विसरता परत करणे आवश्यक आहे.

**नमुना प्रश्न**

Pick out the correct word to fill in the blank :

**Q. No. 201.** I congratulate you \_\_\_\_\_ your grand success.

- (1) for (2) at (3) on (4) about

ह्या प्रश्नाचे योग्य उत्तर "(3) on" असे आहे. त्यामुळे या प्रश्नाचे उत्तर "(3)" होईल. यास्तव खालीलप्रमाणे प्र.क्र. 201 समोरील उत्तर-क्रमांक "③" हे वर्तुळ पूर्णपणे छायंकित करून दाखविणे आवश्यक आहे.

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अशा पद्धतीने प्रस्तुत प्रश्नपुस्तिकेतील प्रत्येक प्रश्नाचा तुमचा उत्तरक्रमांक हा तुम्हाला स्वतंत्ररीत्या पुरविलेल्या उत्तरपत्रिकेवरील त्या त्या प्रश्नक्रमांकासमोरील संबंधित वर्तुळ पूर्णपणे छायंकित करून दाखवावा. ह्याकरिता फक्त काळ्या शाईचे बॉलपेन वापरावे, पेन्सिल वा शाईचे पेन वापरू नये.

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