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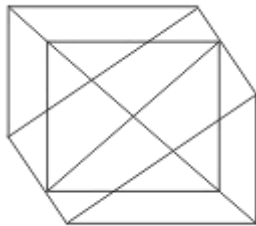
Part - A

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3. **Part – A** consists of **50** objective questions carrying **1** mark **each**.
4. Answer to these questions should be written in the box provided on **the right-hand side**, mentioning the correct alternative **A** or **B** or **C** or **D** or **E**
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6. The question answer booklet of **Part - A** consists of **24** pages
7. Write your answer using **Blue or Black** ink. Markings in pencil are not allowed and shall not be assessed.
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1. Complete the series:
 1336 1738 2212 2764 3400 ?
- A. 3638
 - B. 3832
 - C. 4126
 - D. 4244
 - E. None of the above

2. Find the number of triangles in the given figure.



- A. 22
- B. 24
- C. 26
- D. 28
- E. None of the above

3. **Directions: Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given beside:**

In a certain code language,

'There is Park' is written as 'nup yex ace'

'People in Schools' is written as 'ybx cvu vcl'

'Several Schools Are Present There' is written as 'cal del vuc ybx yex'

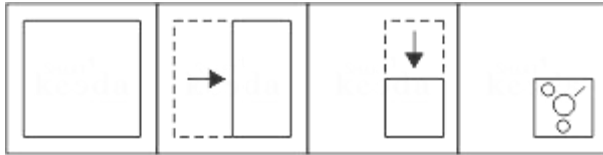
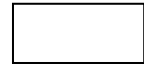
'Park is Dark' is written as 'nup cig ace'

'Dark People in Several Park' is written as 'vcl cal nup cig cvu'

What could be the code 'cig ybx gkl vcl' stand for in the given code language?

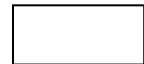
- A. Dark In People There Park
- B. Near People Dark Schools
- C. Schools Present There Park
- D. People Set Park Schools
- E. None of the above

4. **Directions: A piece of a paper is folded and cut as shown below in the Question Figures. Indicate how it will appear when opened.**



- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E. None of the above

5. **From the given options, select a figure in which the Question Figure is hidden/embedded.**



- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E. None of the above

6. **Study the following questions carefully and choose the right answer:**

Can a water tank of 2500 litres capacity be filled by two inlet pipes A and B together in less than 8 hours?

Statement I : If pipe A is opened alone then it takes 12 hours to fill the tank.

Statement II : Pipe B can fill 1 litres of water per minute

- A. The data in statements I alone is sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statement II alone is not sufficient to answer the question
- B. The data in statements II alone is sufficient to answer the question, while the data in statement I alone is not sufficient to answer the question
- C. Either Statement I or Statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question
- D. The data in both the statements I and II together is necessary to answer the question
- E. None of the above

7. **Study the following questions carefully and choose the right answer:**

Statement : Children are influenced more by their teachers nowadays.

Assumptions : I. The children consider teachers as their models.

II. A large amount of children's time is spent at school.

- A. if only assumption I is implicit
- B. if only assumption II is implicit
- C. if either I or II is implicit
- D. if neither I nor II is implicit
- E. None of the above

8. **Directions: Kindly read the paragraph below and answer the question that follows:**

In India, handloom art is in crisis. The textile ministry's Handlooms Census (2010) shows there has been a 33 per cent drop in handloom employment since 1995-96. India's handloom exports touched Rs 2,246 crore in 2014-15. However, this has been continually declining compared to the previous 4-5 years. Since India produces almost 85 per cent of the world's handloom products, we can ill afford to let the handloom sector and handloom art to fall into decline.

Which of the following statements weakens the importance of the handloom sector?

I. Only 4.3 million people are engaged in handloom weaving and allied activities now, against 6.5 million in 1995-96.

II. Handloom is the second largest unorganized set of economic activities in the country, after agriculture that supports rural areas.

III. Handloom art and weaving centres are clustered all over the country with many of these art genres being popular in international markets.

- A. Only I
- B. Only II
- C. Only I and III
- D. Only II and III
- E. None of the above

9. **Directions: Read the paragraph carefully and answer the question given below.**

Shipping business is quite dirty. Burning heavy fuel oil, the industry produces 13% of the world's sulphur emissions and 15% of its nitrogen oxides. And by 2050 ships will be producing 17% of all carbon emissions if left unregulated, according to research by the European Union.

Which of the following, if true, weakens the argument in the passage above?

- I. Shipping accounts for only around 1.2% of global carbon emissions.
- II. Demand for low-sulphur fuel oil and marine diesel is expected to reduce in 2020.
- III. As per rules brought in by the The International Maritime Organisation, the United Nations agency for shipping, ship owners have installed equipment to clean the dirty ballast water their ships suck in and discharge.

- A. Only I
- B. Only II
- C. Only I and II
- D. Only I and III
- E. None of the above

10. **Study the following questions carefully and choose the right answer:**

Statement: It is necessary to adopt suitable measures to prevent repetition of bad debts by learning from the past experiences of mounting non-performing assets of banks.

Courses of action:

- I. Before granting loan to customers their eligibility for loan should be evaluated strictly.
- II. To ensure the payment of instalments of loan, the work, for which loan was granted, should be supervised minutely on regular basis.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Both I and II follow
- E. None of the above

11. **The difference between a two-digit number and the number obtained by interchanging the digits is 36. What is the difference between the sum and the difference of the digits of the number if the ratio between the digits of the number is 1 : 2 ?**

- A. 4
- B. 8
- C. 16
- D. 14
- E. None of the above

12. **Directions:** In these questions, relationship between different elements is shown in the statement. The statement is followed by two conclusions. Choose the correct answer on the basis of information given below.

Statements : $M < T < G \leq J = U > Y > R$

Conclusions : $G < U$, $J > R$

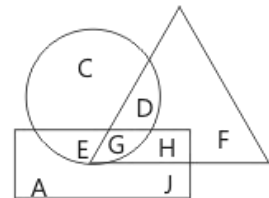
- A. Only conclusion I follows
 B. Either conclusion I or conclusion II follows
 C. Only conclusion II follows
 D. Both conclusions follow
 E. None of the above
13. **Directions:** In these questions, relationship between different elements is shown in the various statements which are followed by three conclusions. Choose the correct answer on the basis of information given below.

Statements: $W < X$, $Y = Z$, $V < U$, $X > Z$, $G \geq Y$, $W > U$, $H = V$

Conclusions: (i) $G > X$ (ii) $W > H$ (iii) $Y = H$

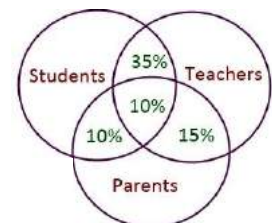
- A. Only conclusion (i) follows
 B. Both conclusions (i) and (iii) follow
 C. Only conclusion (ii) follows
 D. None of the above
14. **In the following figure , the circle represents Men, the rectangle represents Doctor and the triangle represents Lawyer. Find out the Men who are Doctor but not Lawyer.**

- A. E
 B. J and H
 C. G
 D. D and E
 E. None of the above



15. **In the given figure 10% are students and parents another 10% are students and teachers and parents 15% are teachers and parents. 35% are students and teachers. How many percentage are only teachers, parents and students?**

- A. 45,40,65
 B. 40, 45, 65
 C. 40,65,45
 D. 65, 40, 45
 E. None of the above



16. **Directions: In each question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows/follow from the given statements, disregarding commonly known facts.**

Statements:

A few Ostriches are Peacocks.
All Peacocks are Swans.
Some Swans are Ducks.

Conclusions:

I. A few Swans are Ostriches.
II. Some Ducks are Peacocks.

- A. If only conclusion I follow
- B. If only conclusion II follow
- C. If neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- D. If both the conclusions follow
- E. None of the above

17. Read the following questions carefully and choose the right answer.

Veeru is the only son of Ramesh. Meera who is grandmother of Rani is the only sister of Ramvati. Veeru is the father of Raja who is the only son of Nisha. Naresh is husband of Preeti who is the only sister of Veeru. Cheenu is nephew of Veeru who is father of a daughter named Rani. Ramesh is husband of Ramvati's sister and is having two offspring only

How is Nisha related to Meera?

- A. Daughter
- B. Daughter-in-law
- C. Granddaughter
- D. Cannot be determined
- E. None of the above

18. In a row of 70 persons, Asha is eighteenth from the left end and Ashu is thirteenth from the right end. How many persons are there in between Asha and Anshu if Anshu is eleventh to the left of Ashu?

- A. 38
- B. 40
- C. 28
- D. 44
- E. None of the above

19. Pointing to a photograph, a woman said, "His father is the only son of my daughter's grandmother's husband." How is the person in the photograph related to the woman?
- A. Father
B. Son
C. Husband
D. Brother
E. None of the above

20. If all the letters of the word 'SKILLFULNESS' are arranged in the alphabetical order then the position of how many letters will remain unchanged?
- A. None
B. One
C. Two
D. Three
E. None of the above

21. Arrange the following words according to dictionary arrangement.
1. Grecian 2. Greater 3. Greasepaint 4. Grebe 5. Greasy
- A. 3, 1, 4, 5, 2
B. 5, 1, 2, 4, 3
C. 1, 5, 3, 2, 4
D. 3, 5, 2, 4, 1
E. None of the above

22. Find the missing number from the given responses.
- | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|
| 38 | 54 | 61 | 79 |
| 21 | ? | 12 | 24 |
| 19 | 09 | 14 | ? |

- A. 18, 46
B. 28, 51
C. 42, 62
D. 18, 44
E. None of the above

23. The calendar for the year 2017 will be the same for which of the following year?

- A. 2022
- B. 2023
- C. 2026
- D. 2027
- E. None of the above

24. **Directions : Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given beside.**

“action packed night concert” is coded as “jio nul meb fot”

“star night out media” is coded as “ops hfa meb gul”

“media action report drama” is coded as “nul vis hfa dum”

“star strike media concert” is coded as “hfa gul fot sam”

Which of the following codes could be a possible code for “packed goods”?

- A. vis jio
- B. nul jio
- C. gul tue
- D. jio anw
- E. None of the above

25. **Directions: The below mentioned question is to be answered using the statements I and II given below. You have to determine the statement(s) which is/are sufficient to answer the question and mark the option accordingly.**

8 persons viz. B,D,K,F,H,J,L and N are standing in a linear row facing towards the north. What is the position of H from the right end, if number of persons between H and E are 2?

Statement I : F is second to the left of G, who is on the immediate right of H. No person stands between J and B. B is second to the left of E.

Statement II : E is third to the right of B. J is not an immediate neighbor of L. F and L are not adjacent. H is on the immediate right of F.

- A. If the data in statement I alone is sufficient to answer the question
- B. If the data in statement II alone is sufficient to answer the question
- C. If the data in statements I and II is necessary to answer the question
- D. If the data in statements I and II is not sufficient to answer the question
- E. None of the above

26. Find the missing Numbers

11	24	13	?
8	12	10	10
16	9	?	13

- A. 11,13
- B. 12,20
- C. 22,12
- D. 9,13
- E. None of the above

27. Find the missing items

3	P	7
V	36	R
15	T	11

4	D	8
J	?	F
16	H	12

2	L	6
R	32	?
14	P	10

- A. 40, M
- B. 32, M
- C. 40, N
- D. 32, N
- E. None of the above

28. Direction: In each of the following question, there is a certain relationship between two given pair on both side of '::'. One word is given on another side of '::' while another word is to be found from the given options, having the same relation with this word as the words of the given pair. Choose the correct word from the following options.

Hour : Second :: Tertiary : ?

- A. Intermediary
- B. Primary
- C. Ordinary
- D. Secondary
- E. None of the above

29. Directions: Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given beside.

Eight persons are sitting around a circular table such that some of them are facing towards the centre while some are facing away from centre. M is third to the right of S, who sits second to the left of Y. P sits on the immediate right of X, who faces the same direction as faced by M. Neither X nor P is adjacent to M. C is third to the left of Y. Not more than 4 persons face outside. B and S face same direction. C is third to the right of B. J is second to the left of M. C and J face opposite direction to that of B. Immediate neighbors of C face opposite directions.

How many persons face towards the centre?

- A. 2
 - B. 3
 - C. 4
 - D. 5
 - E. None of the above
30. How many such pair(s) of letters are there in the word 'ABHINANDAN' which have as many letters between them as in the alphabetical series as we move only from left to right?
- A. One
 - B. Two
 - C. Three
 - D. Four
 - E. None of the above

31. **How many such pairs of letters are there in the 'NEWSPAPER' each of which has as many letters between them in the word as in the English Alphabet while counting only from left to right?**
- A. None
 - B. One
 - C. Two
 - D. Three
 - E. None of the above

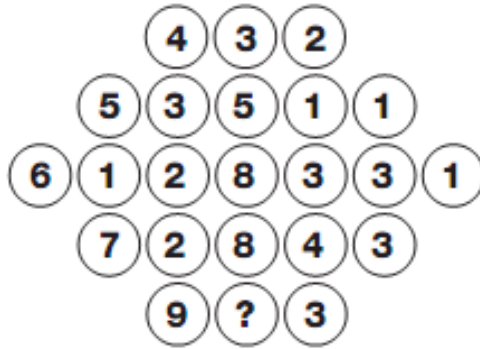
32. **Which of the following is the third letter of the meaningful English word which can be formed using (each letter once) first, third, fourth, sixth, eighth and ninth letters of "ASTRONAUT"?**
- A. T
 - B. U
 - C. R
 - D. N
 - E. None of the above

33. Pointing to a boy, Saras said, "His father's wife's brother is the only brother of my sister's father." How is the boy related to Saras?
- A. Son
B. Nephew
C. Cousin Brother
D. Uncle
E. None of the above
34. **Directions: Read the given information carefully and answer the questions given beside:**
- In a family of some persons Bhanu says that Rani is the daughter of my sister Banti, who is the only daughter of Tamanna. Rahul is the child of Tamanna and Rohan, who is the grandmother of Harish. Krishna is the mother of Mohan, who is the only sister of Harish. Rahul is unmarried.
How is Harish related to Tamanna?
- A. Daughter-in-law
B. Grand Daughter
C. Grand Son
D. Either option B or C
E. None of the above
35. **Choose the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.**
- 6, 13, 28, 59, ?
- A. 108
B. 159
C. 122
D. 118
E. None of the above
36. Find out the wrong number in the given sequence of numbers.
- 582, 605, 588, 611, 634, 617, 600
- A. 634
B. 611
C. 605
D. 600
E. None of the above
37. Find out the wrong number in the given sequence of numbers.
- 46080, 3840, 384, 48, 24, 2, 1
- A. 1
B. 2
C. 24
D. 384
E. None of the above

38. A train 800 metres long is running at a speed of 78 km/hr. If it crosses a tunnel in 1 minute, then the length of the tunnel (in meters) is:
- A. 130
 B. 360
 C. 500
 D. 540
 E. None of the above
39. January 1, 2007 was Monday. What day of the week lies on Jan. 1, 2008?
- A. Monday
 B. Tuesday
 C. Wednesday
 D. Sunday
 E. None of the above
40. A alone can do a piece of work in 6 days and B alone in 8 days. A and B undertook to do it for Rs. 3200. With the help of C, they completed the work in 3 days. How much is to be paid to C?
- A. Rs. 375
 B. Rs. 400
 C. Rs. 600
 D. Rs. 800
 E. None of the above
41. Each of the questions given below consists of a question followed by three statements. You have to study the question and the statements and decide which of the statement(s) is/are necessary to answer the question. In how many days can 10 women finish a work?
- I. 10 men can complete the work in 6 days.
 II. 10 men and 10 women together can complete the work in $3\frac{3}{7}$ days
 III. If 10 men work for 3 days and thereafter 10 women replace them, the remaining work is completed in 4 days.
- A. Any two of the three
 B. I and II only
 C. II and III only
 D. I and III only
 E. None of the above
42. Odd man out
- 396, 462, 572, 427, 671, 264
- A. 396
 B. 427
 C. 671
 D. 264
 E. None of the above

43. Odd man out
835, 734, 642, 751, 853, 981, 532
- A. 751
B. 853
C. 981
D. 532
E. None of the above
44. **The difference between a two-digit number and the number obtained by interchanging the digits is 36. What is the difference between the sum and the difference of the digits of the number if the ratio between the digits of the number is 1 : 2 ?**
- A. 4
B. 8
C. 16
D. 32
E. None of the above
45. Each of the following questions contains a small paragraph followed by a question on it. Read each paragraph carefully and answer the question given below it.
- The attainment of individual and organisational goals is mutually interdependent and linked by a common denominator - employee work motivation. Organisational members are motivated to satisfy their personal goals, and they contribute their efforts to the attainment of organisational objectives as means of achieving these personal goals. The passage best supports the statement that motivation –
- A. encourages an individual to give priority to personal goals over organisational goals.
B. is crucial for the survival of an individual and organisation.
C. is the product of an individual's physical and mental energy.
D. is the external force which induces an individual to contribute his efforts.
E. None of the above
46. Each of the following questions contains a small paragraph followed by a question on it. Read each paragraph carefully and answer the question given below it.
- One of the important humanitarian by-products of technology is the greater dignity and value that it imparts to human labour. In a highly industrialized society, there is no essential difference between Brahmin and Dalit, Muslim and Hindu; they are equally useful and hence equally valuable for in the industrial society individual productivity fixes the size of the pay cheque and this fixes social status.
- The passage best supports the statement that:
- A. technology decides individual's social status.
B. castes and religions are man-made.
C. human labour has dignity and value.
D. all individuals, irrespective of caste and creed, are born equal.
E. None of the above

47. Find missing number?



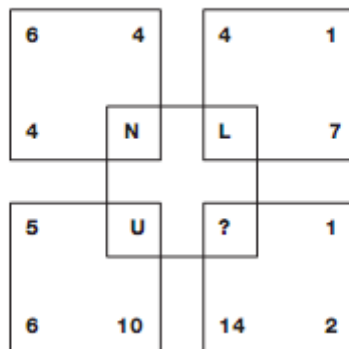
- A. 3
- B. 6
- C. 5
- D. 4
- E. None of the above

48. What time should the last watch show?



- A. 5:32
- B. 5:56
- C. 5:38
- D. 5:19
- E. None of the above

49. Which letter replaces the question mark?



- A. J
- B. O
- C. Q
- D. T
- E. None of the above

50. Each question presents a situation and asks you to make a judgment regarding that particular circumstance. Choose an answer based on given information.

Rita, an accomplished pastry chef who is well known for her artistic and exquisite wedding cakes, opened a bakery one year ago and is surprised that business has been so slow. A consultant she hired to conduct market research has reported that the local population doesn't think of her shop as one they would visit on a daily basis but rather a place they'd visit if they were celebrating a special occasion. Which of the following strategies should Rita employ to increase her daily business?

- A. making coupons available that entitle the coupon holder to receive a 25% discount on wedding, anniversary, or birthday cakes
- B. exhibiting at the next Bridal Expo and having pieces of one of her wedding cakes available for tasting
- C. placing a series of ads in the local newspaper that advertise the wide array of breads
- D. moving the bakery to the other side of town
- E. None of the above

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Part - B

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2. **Do not write** your name and Seat No. on any other page of the question answer booklet.
3. **Part - B** consists of **40** objective questions carrying **1** mark **each** and subjective questions of 35 marks(3 questions of 10 marks each and 1 question of 5 marks each).
4. Answer to these objective questions should be written in the box provided on **the right-hand side**, mentioning the correct alternative **A** or **B** or **C** or **D**
5. Computing or communicating devices such as mobile phones, calculators, etc. are not allowed in the exam hall.
6. The question answer booklet of **Part - B** consists of **25** pages
7. Write your answer using **Blue or Black** ink. Markings in pencil are not allowed and shall not be assessed.
8. Questions answered in any other method shall **not** be considered.
9. No **overwriting** is permitted.
10. Write answer for subjective type questions in the space provided below the question.

1. Consider the following statements:

- i) The Constitution (55th Amendment) Act, 1986 added the Tenth Schedule to the Indian Constitution, which provides for Anti - Defection law
- ii) If the Speaker, after elected to his office, voluntarily gives up the membership of the political party to which he/she belongs, shall not be disqualified under the tenth schedule
- iii) In the cases of anti-defection, the decision of the speaker of the Lok Sabha and the chairman of the Rajya Sabha shall not be judicially reviewed, whereas the decision of the speaker of the legislative assembly can be judicially reviewed.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. ii only
- B. i and iii only
- C. iii only
- D. none of the above

2. In which respect have the Centre –State relations been specifically termed as municipal relations?

- A. Centre's control of the State in legislative sphere
- B. Centre's control of the State in financial matters
- C. Centre's control of the State in the administrative sector
- D. Centre's control of the State in the planning process

3. Which of the following is true about electoral rolls in India

- i) The Printed electoral rolls as well as CDs containing these rolls are available for sale to general public
- ii) National and State parties are provided these free of cost after every revision of electoral rolls

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. i only
- B. ii only
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Neither i nor ii

4. Which one of the following best defines the term "State"?
- A. A politically organized people of a definite territory and possessing an authority to govern them, maintain law and order, protect their natural rights and safeguard their means of sustenance
 - B. A community of persons permanently occupying a definite territory independent of external control and possessing an organized government
 - C. A number of persons who have been living in a definite territory for a very long time with their own culture, tradition and government
 - D. A society permanently living in a definite territory with a central authority, an executive responsible to the central authority and an independent judiciary
5. The preamble to the RTI Act states that informed citizenry and transparency of information is vital to ----
- A. Eradicate corruption
 - B. Promote corruption
 - C. Measure corruption
 - D. Contain corruption
6. Consider the following statements
- i) The Parliament (prevention of disqualification) Act 1959 exempts several posts from disqualification on the grounds of 'office of profit'
 - ii) The above –mentioned Act was amended five times
 - iii) The term office of profit is well defined in the constitution of India
- Which of these statements given above is/are correct?
- A. i, ii, and iii
 - B. i only
 - C. i and ii
 - D. ii and iii
7. Which one of the following Articles of the Directive Principles of State Policy deals with the promotion of international peace and security?
- A. Art. 48 A
 - B. Art.51
 - C. Art.43 A
 - D. Art.41
8. The Contingency Fund of India is held by
- A. The Principal Secretary Prime Minister's office
 - B. The President of India
 - C. The Finance Secretary to the Government of India
 - D. The Secretary General of Lok Sabha

9. Consider the following statements :

The functions of the Financial Commission is/ are

- i) To allow the withdrawal of money out of the Consolidated Fund of India
- ii) To allocate between the States the shares of proceeds of taxes
- iii) To consider applications for grants in aid from States
- iv) To supervise and report on whether the Union and State governments are levying taxes in accordance with the budgetary provisions

Which of these statements is/are correct?

- A. Only i
- B. iii and iv
- C. ii and iii
- D. i, ii, and iv

10. Consider the following statements

- i) While members of the Rajya Sabha are associated with Committees on Public Accounts and Public Undertakings, members of Committee on Estimates are drawn entirely from Lok Sabha
- ii) Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs works under the overall direction of Cabinet Committee on Parliamentary Affairs.
- iii) The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs nominates Members of Parliament on Committees, Councils, Boards and Commissions etc., set up by the Government of India in the various ministries

Which of these statements are correct?

- A. i and ii
- B. ii and iii
- C. i and iii
- D. i, ii and iii

11. The number of seats reserved for Scheduled Caste in the Lok Sabha

- A. 59
- B. 69
- C. 79
- D. 89

12. Consider the following statements:

- i. Free and compulsory education to the children of 6-14 years age group by the State was made a Fundamental Right by the 76th Amendment to the Constitution of India.
- ii. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan seeks to provide computer education even in rural areas.
- iii. Education was included in the Concurrent list by the 42nd Amendment 1976 to the Constitution of India.

Which of the statements give above are correct?

- A. i,ii and iii
- B. i and ii only
- C. ii and iii only
- D. i and iii only

13. With reference to the National Rehabilitation and Resettlement Policy 2007 ,
consider the following statements

- i. This policy is applicable only to the persons affected by the acquisition of land for projects and not to the involuntary displacement due to any other reason
- ii. This policy has been formulated by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. i only
- B. ii only
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Neither i nor ii

14. With reference to the Departmental Standing Committees of Indian Parliament,
consider the following statements

- i) They consider the demands for grants of concerned ministries and can suggest cuts in the budget
- ii) The recommendations made by these committees are advisory in nature and hence not binding on Parliament

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. i only
- B. ii only
- C. both i and ii
- D. neither i nor ii

15. With reference to union government, consider the following statements

- i) The department of revenue is responsible for the preparation of Union Budget that is presented to the parliament
- ii) No amount can be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund of India without the authorization from the Parliament of India
- iii) All the disbursements made from Public Account also need the authorization from the Parliament of India

Which of the statements above is/ are correct?

- A. i and ii only
- B. ii and iii only
- C. ii only
- D. i, ii and iii

16. Consider the following statements regarding the Representation of Peoples Act

- i) It was enacted to provide for the allocation of seats in the house of the people and in the legislative assemblies of the States
- ii) It contains the provisions for the actual conduct like the qualifications and disqualifications of the membership of the Parliament
- iii) 48 hours before the polling ends or concludes displaying any election matter by television or similar apparatus in a constituency is prohibited under this Act
- iv) Sec.126A prohibits the conduct of exit poll and dissemination of its results during the period mentioned.

Which of the statements above is/ are correct?

- A. i, ii and iv only
- B. ii, iii and iv only
- C. ii and iv only
- D. i, ii, iii and iv

17. In which of the following stated years, the Lokpal Bill was not introduced in the Parliament?

- A. 1968
- B. 1971
- C. 1978
- D. 1985

18. The conditions of service of members of All India Services are determined by

- A. President of India
- B. Parliament of India
- C. Union Public Service Commission
- D. Vice President of India

19. With reference to the Central Administrative Tribunal, consider the following statements:

- i) The members of CAT enjoy a similar status that of the status of judges of High Courts.
- ii) Some of the members of CAT can be entirely from the administrative streams.

Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?

- A. i only
- B. ii only
- C. Both i and ii
- D. Neither i nor ii

20. Consider the following statements regarding Closure Motion in Parliament:

- i) It can be moved by a minister only
- ii) It is a motion moved by a member to close the debate on a matter
- iii) Under Guillotine Closure motion, only important clauses are taken up for debate and the inventing clauses are skipped.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. i and ii only
- B. ii only
- C. ii and iii only
- D. i, ii and iii

21. Which of the following enjoys the constitutional status?
- i) Finance Commission
 - ii) NITI Aayog
 - iii) Zonal councils
 - iv) National Development Council
 - v) Election Commission
 - vi) University Grants Commission
- A. i, iii, v
- B. i and v
- C. i, ii, v and vi
- D. i, iii, v and vi
22. Which of the following are correct about Vice Chairperson of NITI Aayog?
- i) He is appointed by the President
 - ii) He enjoys the status of a Cabinet –rank minister
 - iii) He is a member of union cabinet
 - iv) He attends cabinet meetings as a special invitee
 - v) He is the de facto executive head of the Aayog
- A. i, ii, iv and v
- B. ii, iii, iv and v
- C. ii, iv, and v
- D. i, ii, iii and v
23. No government servant shall give, take or abet dowry in accordance with the rule of CCS conduct rules 1964
- A. Rule 3 A
- B. Rule 8
- C. Rule 9
- D. Rule 13 A

24. Consider the following statements with regard to All-India Services :
- i) Article 312 of the Constitution specifies the procedure for their creation
 - ii) The All-India Services Act was enacted in 1950
 - iii) Indian Forest Services is managed by the ministry of Forest and Environment
 - iv) A new all India services can be created by the Rajya Sabha

Of the above, the incorrect statements are

- A. ii and iv
 - B. i and iv
 - C. i, iii and iv
 - D. ii and iii
25. Which of the following will be the consequences of the proclamation of Financial Emergency by the President?
- i) The President can give directions to the states to observe the principles of financial propriety
 - ii) The President can reduce the salaries and allowances of government employees excluding the judges of Supreme Court and High Courts.
 - iii) All money bills and other financial bills passed by a state legislature can be reserved for the consideration of the President
 - iv) The Parliament can authorize the President to sanction expenditure from the consolidated fund of the state.
- A. i, ii and iii
 - B. i, ii, iii and iv
 - C. i and iii
 - D. i, iii and iv

26. Consider the following statements
- i) According to Indian Parliamentary System, the Lok Sabha provides, not less than fifteen days' notice for a question to be given by a member, unless the speaker otherwise directs
 - ii) The notice of a question has to be given in writing to the Secretary – General along with a mention of the Minister to whom the question is addressed
 - iii) In case of a starred question, the member concerned is entitled to ask only two supplementary questions
- Which of the statement/s above is/are correct?
- A. i, ii, iii
 - B. only i and ii
 - C. only ii and iii
 - D. only i and iii

27. Which of the following is/are the function/s of a Constitution?

- i) Generate a degree of trust and co ordination
- ii) Limit the powers of the government
- iii) Expresses the aspirations of the people

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- A. i only
- B. i and ii only
- C. ii and iii only
- D. i, ii and iii

28. Alleged violation of rule 6 of the CCS(conduct) Rules 1964 can be taken by a disciplinary authority only when an authority not below the level of ----- has decided that the objects or activities of the association concerned are such as would attract rule.

- A. Head of office
- B. Secretary of the department
- C. Head of the department
- D. All the above

29. Which of the following are listed as Directive Principles in our Constitution?

- i) Complete freedom in economic field for the interest of consumers and producers
- ii) Securing of an economic system of the country so as to prevent concentration of wealth and means of production
- iii) To ensure decent standard of living and facilities of leisure for all workers.
- iv) To protect and improve the environment and to safeguard forests and wildlife

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- A. ii and iii
- B. ii, iii and iv
- C. ii and iv
- D. iii and iv

30. Members of the state legislature can focus the attention of the government on matters of public importance through

- A. No-confidence motion
- B. Censure motion
- C. Cut motion
- D. Adjournment motion

31. Which of the following statements are correct?
- i) Parliament can increase a tax
 - ii) Parliament cannot reduce tax
 - iii) Parliament can abolish tax
 - iv) Parliament cannot increase a tax
 - v) Parliament can reduce tax

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- A. i, iii and v
- B. iii, iv and v
- C. ii, iii and iv
- D. iii and iv

32. Which of the following is not true about Vote on account?
- A. It is budget presented in parliament to cover the deficit left by the last budget
 - B. It does not allow the government to set for the economic policies of the new plan which starts on first April
 - C. It prevents the government from imposing fresh taxes or withdrawing old one
 - D. This allows the government to withdraw an amount for a period with the consent of parliament.

33. Consider the following statements
- i) Inventories are treated as capital
 - ii) Change in the inventories of a firm is an investment
 - iii) Change in inventories is based on business cycles

Which of the above statements is/are correct

- A. i only
- B. i and ii only
- C. i and iii only
- D. i,ii and iii

34. Consider the following statements regarding the features of Cabinet Committees mentioned in the Indian Constitution

- i. The Cabinet Committees are not mentioned in the Indian Constitution but such committees are extra constitutional in emergence
- ii. The Ad hoc committees are constituted from time to time to deal with special problems. They are disbanded after their task is completed.
- iii. Such committees are set up by the Lok Sabha speaker according to the exigencies of the time and requirements of the situation.

Which of the following statement(s) is/ are correct :

- A. Only i
- B. Only ii and iii
- C. Only i and ii
- D. All of these

35. Examine the following statements regarding the administration of scheduled and tribal in the Constitution

- i) Distinction between scheduled and tribal areas is made on the basis of forest and non-forest tribes
- ii) Any law made by parliament can be excluded from application to a scheduled area by the governor
- iii) Governor is free to increase or decrease the size and change the name of autonomous district councils in tribal areas

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- A. i and ii
- B. i and iii
- C. ii and iii
- D. only i

36. Consider the following statements relating to the contempt powers of the Supreme Court

- i. Supreme Court gets contempt powers by reason of its being a court of record
- ii. Willful disobedience of a Supreme Court judgement is considered as criminal proceedings
- iii. Supreme Court can also take action against contempt of High Court and District Courts

Which of the given statements is/are correct?

- A. i and ii
- B. i and iii
- C. Only iii
- D. All of these

37. Additional duties can be assigned to a State Public Service Commission on the recommendation of the
- A. President
 - B. Governor
 - C. Parliament
 - D. State Legislature
38. In the context of governance, consider the following:
- i) Encouraging Foreign Direct Investment inflows
 - ii) Privatization of higher educational institutions
 - iii) Down-sizing of bureaucracy
 - iv) Selling/offloading the shares of Public Sector Undertakings
- Which of the above can be used as measures to control the fiscal deficit in India?
- A. i, ii and iii
 - B. ii, iii and iv
 - C. i, ii and iv
 - D. i, iii and iv
39. Which of the following statements is not correct with respect to provisions related to the removal and suspension of Chairperson and Members of Lokpal?
- A. The Lokpal shall not inquire into any complaint made against the Chairperson or any Member
 - B. If a member is to be removed on the grounds of misbehavior, the President must make reference to the Supreme Court
 - C. The Parliament does not play any role in the removal of Lokpal members
 - D. The Jurisdiction of Lokpal includes the Prime Minister.
40. Which of the following is/are extra constitutional and extra -legal device(s) for securing co- operation and co- ordination between the states in India?
- i) The National Development Council
 - ii) The Governor's conference
 - iii) Zonal Councils
 - iv) The Inter-state Council
- A. i and ii
 - B. i, iii and iv
 - C. iii and iv
 - D. iv only

Answer any one of the following question from 1 to 3 in the space provided below (1 to 75 words only)

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1.What role can the union government play in settling inter –state water disputes

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10. Write answer for subjective type questions in the Space provided below the questions.

1. Who among the following is said to have hatched the Delhi Conspiracy 1912?
- A. Rasbehari Bose
 - B. Bhai Paramanand
 - C. Sachindranath Sanyal
 - D. Sohan Lal Pathak
2. Who among the following led the agitation against the partition of Bengal (1905)?
- A. Ravindra Nath Tagore
 - B. C.R. Das
 - C. Ashutosh Mukherjee
 - D. Surendra Nath Banerjee
3. Who wrote the book entitled "Ghulamgir"?
- A. Jyotiba Phule
 - B. B.R. Ambedkar
 - C. Narayan Guru
 - D. M.P. Pillai
4. The First Indian Factory Act was passed by
- A. Lord Wellesley
 - B. Lord Ripon
 - C. Lord Cornwallis
 - D. Lord Curzon
5. Who among the following was not associated with the Home Rule Movement?
- A. Annie Besant
 - B. C.R. Das
 - C. S. Subramaniam Iyer
 - D. Bal Gangadhar Tilak
6. J.E.D Bethune was closely associated with
- A. Widow remarriage
 - B. Abolition of Pardah system
 - C. Female education
 - D. Abolition of Slavery
7. Who among the following had started 'Mitra Mela' Association?
- A. Lala Hardayal
 - B. Shyamji Krishna Verma
 - C. Vinayak Damodar Savarkar
 - D. Sohan Singh Bakna

8. Who is rightly called the 'Father of Local Self Government' in India?
- A. Lord Lytton
 - B. Lord Curzon
 - C. Lord Hardinge
 - D. Lord Ripon
9. Who represented the National Congress Goa at the Casablanca conference of nationalist organisations of the Portuguese colonies in 1961?
- A. Dr. P. D. Gaitonde
 - B. Laxmikant Bhembre
 - C. Purshottam Kakodkar
 - D. Ram Hegde
10. Who represented Portuguese India at the Second Overseas Colonial Congress at Lisbon in 1924?
- A. Luis de Menezes Braganca
 - B. Tristao de Braganca Cunha
 - C. Jose Inacio Loyola
 - D. Guilherme D'Souza Ticio
11. Chandella Kings are related to which of following temples?
- A. Khajuraho
 - B. Tirupati
 - C. Rameshwaram
 - D. Badrinath
12. 'Avesta', also called 'Zend-Avesta', Is the sacred book of:
- A. Zoroastrianism
 - B. Buddhism
 - C. Jainism
 - D. Judaism
13. The Mahabodhi temple Complex, which is one of the four holy sites related to the life of the Lord Buddha, is located in
- A. Bihar
 - B. Tamil Nadu
 - C. Karnataka
 - D. Delhi

14. In which State is the Madhavpur Mela held annually
- A. Rajasthan
 - B. Haryana
 - C. Gujarat
 - D. Chhattisgarh
15. Which city is famous for Bali Jatra festival?
- A. Cuttack
 - B. Ranchi
 - C. Raipur
 - D. Patna
16. Which city hosts the Kala Ghoda Art Festival in February every year?
- A. Mumbai
 - B. Jaipur
 - C. Kolkata
 - D. Bengaluru
17. Sarhul is a festival celebrated in
- A. Rajasthan
 - B. Maharashtra
 - C. Uttarakhand
 - D. Jharkhand
18. Atla Taddi is a festival of which state?
- A. Karnataka
 - B. Maharashtra
 - C. Jharkhand
 - D. Andhra Pradesh
19. Which of the following is monsoon festival in India?
- A. Sakranti
 - B. Teej
 - C. Basant Panchami
 - D. Baisak
20. Chapchar Kut is a Festival of which state?
- A. Manipur
 - B. Nagaland
 - C. Mizoram
 - D. Meghalaya

21. Red Data Book is produced by:
- A. IUCN
 - B. WWF
 - C. IBWL
 - D. None of these
22. First national park developed in India is :
- A. Gir
 - B. Kaziranga
 - C. Jim Corbett
 - D. None of these
23. Western ghats have a greater number of amphibian species than the Eastern ghats. What kind of diversity does it represent?
- A. Species diversity
 - B. Genetic diversity
 - C. Ecological diversity
 - D. None of these
24. Which one of the following is not a feature of biodiversity hotspots?
- A. Large number of species
 - B. Abundance of endemic species
 - C. Mostly located in the polar regions
 - D. Mostly located in the tropics
25. Which of the following forests is known as the "lungs of the planet earth"
- A. Taiga forest
 - B. Tundra forest
 - C. Amazon rainforest
 - D. Rainforests of North East india
26. Consider the following international agreements/ conventions related to climate change:
1. Montreal Protocol regulates the production and consumption of man-made chemicals referred to as ozone depleting substances(ODS).
 2. Stockholm Convention Commits state parties to reduce greenhouse gas emissions
 3. Kyoto Protocol aims to eliminate or restrict the production and use of persistent organic pollutants(POPs).
- Select the correct option from the given codes below.
- A. 1,2 and 3
 - B. 1 and 2 only
 - C. 2 and 3 only
 - D. Only 1

27. Nepal is a land locked country hence it has to depend on Kolkata port for its international trade. The Kolkata plays which of the following type of port for Nepal?
- A. Sea port,
 - B. River port,
 - C. Contributory port
 - D. Entrepot port
28. The River Narmada is having its sources at;
- A. Amarnath ranges
 - B. Amarkantak ranges
 - C. Brahmagiri Parvat
 - D. None of the above
29. Which one of the following reasons is correct to call the Ahmedabad as the Manchester of the east?
- A. The Ahmedabad is having maximum number of Industrial regions.
 - B. The Ahmedabad is known for production of cotton textiles
 - C. The Ahmedabad is known for production and distribution of varieties of goods.
 - D. The Ahmedabad is having a huge dry port.
30. The burn and slash; a kind tribal cultivation practice in North-Eastern states is also known as;
- A. Kumeri cultivation
 - B. Jhum cultivation
 - C. Zaid cultivation
 - D. Non-shifting cultivation
31. Anti –corruption movement in India mainly concerned with the introduction of
- A. India against corruption Bill
 - B. Jan Lokpal Bill
 - C. Right to Information Act
 - D. None of the above
32. The Chipko Movement is originated in the
- A. Anaimalai Mountain
 - B. Nilgiri Mountain
 - C. Kanchenjunga
 - D. Garhwal Himalayan Mountain

33. The Me Too Movement was founded in 2006 by Activist
- A. Tarana Burke
B. Tanushree Datta
C. Saloni Chopra
D. Alyssa Milano
34. Which country has named the cyclonic storm 'Mandous' in the bay of Bengal?
- A. Armenia
B. United Arab Emirates
C. United Kingdom
D. Uganda
35. India's first gold ATM launched in which city?
- A. Hyderabad
B. Pune
C. Kolkata
D. Lucknow
36. Who is India's 77th chess Grandmaster?
- A. Aditya Mittal
B. Pranav Anand
C. Rahul Srivatshav
D. Rahul Srivatshav
37. Who has been appointed batting coach of the Indian women's cricket team by BCCI?
- A. Hrishikesh Kanitkar
B. Hemu Adhikari
C. Man Singh
D. Lal Chand Rajput
38. Which day is observed as World Food Day?
- A. September 10
B. August 16
C. November 4
D. October 16

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10. Write answer for subjective type questions in the space provided below the question.

I. From the options provided, choose the word which is most opposite to the word provided. -5 marks

1) SECURITY

- (A) indifference
- (B) helplessness
- (C) vulnerability
- (D) precarious

2) STIMULANT

- (A) drowsy
- (B) sedative
- (C) sleepy
- (D) arousal

3) DISARRAY

- (A) modesty
- (B) disfigurement
- (C) harmony
- (D) tidiness

4) ATTRACTION

- (A) ugliness
- (B) abhorrence
- (C) repulsion
- (D) dislike

5) COMPETENT

- (A) inept
- (B) unvirtuous
- (C) motley
- (D) intent

II. Choose the word that is closest to the meaning of the word provided -5 marks

1) LISTLESS

- (A) lethargic
- (B) lacklustre
- (C) disorganized
- (D) listed

2) APPARAL

- (A) bare
- (B) clothing
- (C) frock
- (D) visible

3) DEVASTATED

- (A) distressful
- (B) wrought
- (C) shocking
- (D) ravaged

4) LEISURE

- (A) innovation
- (B) pleasure
- (C) distraction
- (D) recreation

5) ASTOUNDING

- (A) dumbheaded
- (B) stunning
- (C) stupendous
- (D) astonished

III. Select the word/words from the choices provided to replace the highlighted phrase but ensure that the sentence remains grammatically correct and meaningful. -5 marks

1) Finally, she was able to “see the sunny side” of things and gave up constant cribbing.

(A) make the best of the worst

(B) notice the positive aspect

(C) fall mutually in love

(D) face the brighter days

2) He “put the cart before the horse”, by sending out invitations without finalising the venue..

(A) placed himself in difficult situation

(B) became lethargic to follow procedure

(C) did not know the sequence

(D) did things in the wrong order

3) It was hard to find a soulmate, casual buddies were “a dime a dozen”.

(A) easily and cheaply available

(B) a lowly paid lot

(C) willing to work for a petty salary

(D) waiting to be hired in large numbers

4) After the flood, they rebuilt their home “in bits and pieces”.

(A) in a hurry and in confusion

(B) with miscellaneous or fragmented things

(C) in fragmented manner

(D) by pulling down in Pieces.

5) Her wild allegations placed him directly “under a cloud”.

(A) in the harsh circumstances

(B) in an untrustworthy position

(C) hit by the bad situation

(D) suspicious of the social glare

IV. Fill in the blanks by selecting the appropriate option from those provided.

5 marks

1) The manager saw his casual manner in that emergency situation and was -----

- (A) nonchalant
- (B) livid
- (C) bemused
- (D) distracted

2) Chess is more of a game of----- than brawn.

- (A) grit
- (B) brain
- (C) heart
- (D) guts

3) She calmly walked onto the ground ----- the jeering spectators around.

- (A) undeterred by
- (B) unflustered by
- (C) on behalf of
- (D) in fear of

4) The aroma rose up ----- the atmosphere as his nostrils twitched.

- (A) onto
- (B) into
- (C) beyond
- (D) upon

5) The Artist received much applause ----- the connoisseurs at the exhibition.

- (A) with
- (B) by
- (C) from
- (D) near

2) Adultry

3) Marginal

4) Intervention

5) Hustings

6) Genre

7) Indulgence

8) Disparity

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