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## Section : English Language

Q. 1 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

To add insult to injury
Ans

1. to make fun of someone
2. to work hard on making up
3. to make something worse
4. to wound physically
Q. 2 Given below are four sentences in jumbled order. Select the option that gives their correct order.
A. Then he started on his eighteen kilometer expedition back to his village.
B. Mohan first equipped himself with a long, sturdy stick.
C. At several points, he lost the road and had to swim his way ahead.
D. It was a journey he would never forget where he had to use his stick constantly to locate the road.

Ans
Х 1 . DCAB
X 2 . ACBD
Х ${ }^{\text {. CDBA }}$

- 4. BADC
Q. 3 Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

He is very impulsive and does things without rhyme or reason.
Ans
1 1. without proper planning

- 2. without a reasonable explanation

3. without any resources
4. without anyone's help
Q. 4 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

LAVISH
Ans
(1. excessive
(2. luxurious

X 3. tiny
4. frugal
Q. 5 Examine the four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options, pick the one that gives their correct order.
A. Next, keep tapping the pot on all sides and at the bottom until the plant loosens.
B. Finally, slide the plant gently and remove the old potting mix on a newspaper.
C. The first thing to do when repotting is to remove the plant from the current pot.
D. Begin by holding the plant gently, and turning the pot sideways.

Ans

- 1. CDAB
> 2. DBCA
* 3 . BDAC
<4. ACDB
Q. 6 Fill in the blank with most appropriate word.

This part of the sea $\qquad$ with sharks.
Ans
(1. expands2. crowds
3. suffices
4. teems
Q. 7 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

AFFINITY
Ans

- 1. aversion

2. weakness
(3. inclination
< 4. attraction

## Q. 8 Select the misspelt word.

Ans
Х 1. applause
< 2. modern3. arrivel
<4. serious

## Q. 9 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

LIVID
Ans

- 1. furious
(2. timid

X3.mild
4. lively
Q. 10 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

He drove the car very carefully on the hilly terrain.
Ans

- 1. The car was driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.

2. The car is being driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
3. The car has been driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
4. The car is driven very carefully on the hilly terrain.
Q. 11 In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

If you rent a house near your office, it will save you time as well as also money.
Ans

1. If you rent a house

- 2. as well as also money

3. near your office
4. it will save you time
Q. 12 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

Small desert animals burrow underground across the days and come out only at night.
Ans

1. within the days
v 2. during the day
X 3. No substitution
2. between days
Q. 13 Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.
"I love Bollywood music," Deepu said to Reena.
Ans
3. Deepu told Reena that he loved Bollywood music.
4. Deepu will say to Reena that he loved Bollywood music.
5. Deepu says to Reena that he loves Bollywood music.

X 4. Deepu had told Reena that he loved Bollywood music.
Q. 14 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

Killing of one's mother
Ans
Х 1. infanticide
X 2. patricide
X 3. regicide

- 4. matricide
Q. 15 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

Notwithstanding we were / all busy that weekend / we had to / cancel the outing.
Ans

1. cancel the outing2. we had to

- 3

3. Notwithstanding we were
4. all busy that weekend
Q. 16 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
Х 1. aggravate
$\checkmark 2$
2. titilate

Х 3. mediate
(4. initiate
Q. 17 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

CALLOUS
Ans

1. inaccurate
2. insensitive

X 3 incredible
Х 4. inexperienced
Q. 18 Select the most appropriate one-word substitution for the given words.
a period of two weeks
Ans
<1. month
2. century
3. decade
4. fortnight
Q. 19 Select the option that will improve the underlined segment in the given sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select 'No improvement'

I must have dropped one of my gloves in the car.
Ans
X 1 . any

- 2. No improvement

X 3 .an
(4.the
Q. 20 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

It is $\qquad$ to see so many of our fellow Indians help the migrants in their struggle to go
home.
Ans

1. savouring
v 2. heartening
2. reuniting
<4. relishing

## Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

In the 'Kingdom of Fools', both the king and the ministers were complete fools. They didn't want to do things (1) $\qquad$ other kingdoms, so they decided to (2) $\qquad$ night into day and day into night. They (3)
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ that everyone should be awake at night, (4) $\qquad$ their lands and run their (5)___ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No: 21
Q. 21 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 1.

Ans

- 1 . like
\$ 2. than
Х 3 so as
X4.same


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SubQuestion No : 22
Q. 22 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 2.

Ans
X 1. adjust2. develop3. change4. agree

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SubQuestion No : 23
Q. 23 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 3.

Ans

- 1 . ordered

2. presented

X 3. ruled
X 4. believed

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$\qquad$ that everyone should be awake at night, (4) $\qquad$ their lands and run their (5)__ only after dark and should go to bed as soon as the sun came up.

SubQuestion No : 24
Q. 24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 4.

Ans $\square$ 1. till
2. cut

X
3. dig
4.sow

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SubQuestion No : 25
Q. 25 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 5.

Ans
< 1.employment
Х 2. livelihood
X 3. career

- 4. business


## Section : General Intelligence

Q. 1 In the given diagram, the circle stands for 'graduates', the rectangle stands for 'school teachers', and the triangle stands for 'married persons'. The numbers given in the different segments represent the number of persons in that category.

How many school teachers are either graduates or married persons but NOT both?


Ans
$\times 1.15$
$\times 2.29$

- 3.22
$\times 4.25$
Q. 2 Four letter-clusters have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the letter-cluster that is different.

Ans

- 1. MIGF

X 2. BDMS
Х3. HKPT
X4. KMPV
Q. 3 ₹ 481 is distributed among $A, B$ and $C$ in such a way that $B$ gets two-thirds of what $A$ gets and $C$ gets three-fourths of what $B$ gets. How much does $B$ get?
Ans

- 1. ₹ 148
< 2. ₹111
< 3. ₹168
人4. ₹222
Q. 4 Two statements are given, followed by three conclusions numbered I, II and III. Assuming the statements to be true, even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.


## Statements:

All statements are answers.
Some statements are questions.
Conclusions:
I. No question is a statement.
II. Some answers are statements.
III. Some questions are statements.

Ans
X 1. Only conclusions I and III follow
2. Either conclusion I or III follows

X 3. Only conclusions I and II follow

- 4. Only conclusions II and III follow
Q. 5 Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when a mirror is placed on its right side.


## 46 H S P Y

Ans

$x^{2}$ 人 9 С H 9 -
$x^{3}$ Y d $2 \mathrm{H} \boldsymbol{\partial 1}$
X ${ }^{4}$ Y Ч Z H $\boldsymbol{\partial} \boldsymbol{\text { t }}$
Q. 6 If ' $A$ + $B$ ' means ' $A$ is the mother of $B$ ', ' $A \times B$ ' means ' $A$ is the sister of $B$ ', and ' $A$ * $B$ ' means ' $A$ is the daughter of $B$ ', then how is $R$ related to $P$ in the following expression?
' $\mathrm{R}+\mathrm{V} \times \mathbf{Q} \times \mathrm{M}$ * $\mathbf{P}^{\prime}$
Ans
(1. Mother

- 2. Wife

X 3. Daughter
<4. Sister
Q. 7 Two different positions of the same dice are shown. Select the number that will be at the top if ' 6 ' is at the bottom.


Ans
X1. 4
<2. 5
>3. 2
-4. 3
Q. 8 Select the figure that will come next in the following series.


Ans
*i.
K2.
$\checkmark 3$.

*4. $\overbrace{0}^{Q}$
Q. 9 Select the number that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.
$35,35,33,99,95,475, ?$
Ans $\begin{array}{r}1.481 \\ 2.501 \\ 3.476 \\ 4.469\end{array}$
Q. 10 Select the option in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following set.
$\{2,2,9\}$
Ans
人 $1 .\{8,36,81\}$
\2. $\{6,18,46\}$

- 3. $\{4,8,25\}$

X 4. $\{12,60,98\}$
Q. 11 How many triangles are there in the following figure?


Ans $\times 1.24$
X2. 19
-3. 26
X4. 22
Q. 12 In a certain code language, BANKER is coded as 57 and SPAN is coded as 54 . How will PRANK be coded in that language?
Ans
Х 1.58
Х 2.61

- 3.65

Х 4.69
Q. 13 Four numbers have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the number that is different.

Ans2. 49133. 2379
<4. 1331
Q. 14 Select the option in which the numbers in the set share the same relationship as the numbers in the given set.
$(14,22,77)$
Ans
> $1 .(20,16,105)$
(2. $(17,15,76)$

* 3. $(18,32,144)$
(4. $(22,11,86)$
Q. 15 Select the option in which the numbers share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of numbers.

28: 70
Ans

- $1.18: 45$
< 2. 12:32
< $3.30: 84$
<4.34:86
Q. 16 'Bracelet' is related to 'Ornaments' in the same way as 'Clove' is related to ' $\qquad$ '.

Ans

- 1. Spices

K 2. Kitchen
X 3. Taste
(4. Cooking
Q. 17 Select the option figure which contains figure X embedded in it as its part (rotation is NOT allowed).


Figure X
Ans

Q. 18 A piece of paper is folded and cut as shown below in the question figures. Select from the given answer figures, how it will appear when unfolded.


Ans

Q. 19 Select the correct option that indicates the arrangement of the given words in a logical and meaningful order.

1. Class
2. Admission
3. Certificate
4. Application
5. Assessment

Ans

- $1.4,2,1,5,3$
< 2. 4, 2, 5, 1, 3
< $3.3,5,2,3,1$
(4.2,4,3,1,5
Q. 20 Which two signs should be interchanged to make the given equation correct?
$39 \div 3 \times 13+26-13=2$
Ans
(1. $\times$ and -
- 2. $\div$ and -
( $3 . \div$ and $x$
<4. + and -
Q. 21 Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Select the odd one.
Ans

1. Contentment
(2. Jealousy
(3. Sadness
< 4. Disgust
Q. 22 Select the option that is related to the third letter-cluster in the same way as the second letter-cluster is related to the first letter-cluster.

NEED : OGHH : : FAST : ?
Ans
<1.ECVZ
(2. GCWY

- 3. GCVX

Х 4. GDUX
Q. 23 In a code language, SAUCE is written as ASVEC. How will MEANT be written as in that language?

Ans
>1. EMANT
< 2. MEBTN

- 3. EMBTN
<4. EMCTN
Q. 24 Select the option that represents the letters that, when placed from left to right in the blanks below, will complete the letter sequence correctly.
$K_{-} P \_C_{-} R_{-} C P_{-} N_{-} P R$
Ans
(1.ERPRRC

X2.CPPMRR
Х 3.MRPMRR

- 4.CRPMRC
Q. 25 Select the option in which the words share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of words.

Necklace : Gold
Ans

1. Ocean: River

- 2. Paper : Wood pulp

3. Potter: Clay
(4.Grass:Lawn

## Section : Quantitative Aptitude

Q. 1 A sum of money lent at simple interest amounts to $₹ 9,920$ after 2 years and to $₹ 12,800$ after 5 years. Find the rate of interest per annum.

Ans
X 1. 6.57\%

- 2. $12 \%$

X 3. $18 \%$
X 4. 9.68\%
Q. 2 If $a+b-c=0$, then what is the value of $\frac{(b-c)^{2}}{4 b c} \frac{(c-a)^{2}}{4 c a} \frac{(a+b)^{2}}{4 a b}$ ?

Ans
X $1 . \frac{1}{2}$
2. $-\frac{3}{4}$

X 3. $-\frac{1}{2}$
$\times 4 . \frac{3}{4}$
Q. 3 Study the given bar graph and answer the question that follows.

A tea plantation company produces three varieties of tea-black tea, green tea and herbal tea. The production of three varieties (in million tonnes) over a period of six years from 2014 to 2019, has been shown in the bar graph here. The X -axis represents the years and the Y -axis displays the production of the three varieties in million tonnes.


The total production of green tea in 2016 and 2018 is what per cent of the total production of herbal tea in 2015 and 2017?

Ans
X 1.83 .4
$\times 2.85 .6$
Х 3.79 .7

- 4.81 .8
Q. 4 A reduction of $20 \%$ in the rate of sugar enables Sudhir to get 6 kg more sugar for ₹ 960 . What is the reduced rate of sugar per kg ?

Ans
X 1 . ₹ 35
X 2. ₹ 36

- 3. ₹ 32

X 4 . ₹ 40
Q. $5 \mathrm{D}, \mathrm{E}$ and F are the feet of the perpendiculars from the vertices $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$ and C , respectively, of a triangle ABC . If angle BED and angle BFE (in degrees) are 24 and 110 , respectively, what is the measure (in degrees) of angle EBF?
Ans
$\times 1.55$
$\times 2.67$
$\times 3.86$
4. 46
Q. 6 In $\triangle P Q R$, points $T$ and $S$ are on $P Q$ and $P R$, respectively, such that $T S$ is parallel to $Q R$. If $T Q=7.2 \mathrm{~cm}, P S=1.8 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{SR}=5.4 \mathrm{~cm}$, then find the length of PT .
Ans
X1. 2 cm
2. 2.4 cm
$X 3.1 .35 \mathrm{~cm}$
$\times 4.3 .6 \mathrm{~cm}$
Q. 7 A pair of jeans marked at $₹ 960$ is offered in a departmental store for $₹ 816$. What is the percentage of discount given by the shopkeeper?
Ans
X1. 17.64
$\times 2.17$

- 3. 15
$\times 4.16$
Q. 8 If $a: b=5: 7, b: c=8: 15$, then find the value of $8 c: 5 a$.

Ans
X1. $24: 5$

- 2. $21: 5$

X 3. 176:65
X4.8:21
Q. 9 The line graph shows the production (in tonnes) and the sales (in tonnes) of a company.


What is the percentage of maximum increase or reduction in the production of the company in comparison to the previous year?
Ans
$X 1.46 .67 \%$ reduction

- 2. $33.33 \%$ reduction

X 3. $50 \%$ increase
X4. $29 \%$ increase
Q. 10 Ravi can row a boat in still water at the speed of $14 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$. If a river is flowing at the speed of $2 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ and Ravi takes 3 hours to cover a certain distance upstream, then how much time will he take to cover the same distance downstream?
Ans
X 1. 2 h 20 m
$\times 2.2 \mathrm{~h}$
3. 2 h 15 m

X4. 2 h 30 m
Q. 11 Simplify the following expression.
$\frac{3}{5}+2 \frac{2}{5} \div\left[\left(\frac{7}{8}-\frac{3}{4}\right) \times 4-6 \frac{2}{3} \div \frac{4}{3}\right] \times \frac{1}{3}$
Ans

1. $\frac{19}{45}$

人2. $-\frac{2}{9}$
(3. $-\frac{13}{5}$

X4. $\frac{17}{15}$
Q. 12 PA and PB are tangents drawn to a circle with centre O from an external point P . If A and B are points on the circle and $\angle O B A=42^{\circ}$, then $\angle A P B$ is:

Ans $\quad$ 1. $78^{\circ}$

- 2. $84^{\circ}$
$\times 3.76^{\circ}$
$\times 4.86^{\circ}$
Q. 13 Simplify the following expression.
$(2 a-b-3 c)\left(4 a^{2}+b^{2}+9 c^{2}+2 a b+6 a c-3 b c\right)$
Ans
X $1 .-8 a^{3}+b^{3}+27 c^{3}$
X2. $8 a^{3}+b^{3}+27 c^{3}$

3. $8 a^{3}-b^{3}-27 c^{3}-18 a b c$

X4. $8 a^{3}-b^{3}-27 c^{3}+18 a b c$
Q. 14 A soft drink company prepares drinks of three different flavours - A, B and C. The production of the three flavours over a period of five years from 2010 to 2014 has been expressed in the given bar graph. Study the graph and answer the question that follows.

Production of three different flavours A, B and C (in lakh bottles) by a company over five years.


The difference between the average production of flavour A in 2012, 2013 and 2014 and the average production of flavour C in 2012, 2013 and 2014 is:

Ans
X 1. 10 lakh bottles
X 2. 12 lakh bottles
X 3. 18 lakh bottles

- 4. 15 lakh bottles
Q. 15 If $x-y=4$ and $x y=3$, then what is the value of $x^{3}-y^{3}$ ?

Ans $\times 1.88$
$\times 2.28$

- 3. 100
$\times 4.64$
Q. 16 In a rectangular park having dimensions $60 \mathrm{~m} \times 40 \mathrm{~m}$, two circular flower beds with radius 7 m are developed. What is the area of the remaining portion of the park? (Use $\pi=\frac{22}{7}$ )

Ans
X ${ }^{1 .} 1196 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
X $2.1749 m^{2}$

- $3.2092 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
$\times 4.2246 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
Q. 17 Joseph bought two woollen jackets for $₹ 2,100$ and $₹ 3,150$, respectively. By selling the first at a gain of $k \%$ and the second at a loss of $\mathrm{k} \%$, he found that the selling price of both is the same. What is the value of k ?

Ans

1. 20

X2. 22.64
$\times 3.15$
$\times 4.25$
Q. 18 If the number 34 k 56 k is divisible by 6 , then what will be the largest value of k ?

Ans
-1. 6
$\times 2.8$
$\times 3.9$
$\times 4.4$
Q. 19 Evaluate the following expression.
$\tan ^{2} 60^{\circ}+\operatorname{cosec} 30^{\circ} \sin 90^{\circ}+3 \sec ^{2} 30^{\circ}$
$\overline{4 \sin ^{2} 45^{\circ}+\sec ^{2} 60^{\circ}-\cot ^{2} 30^{\circ}-5 \cos ^{2} 90^{\circ}}$
Ans
$\times 1 . \frac{7}{3}$

- 2. 3
$\times$ 3. $\frac{19}{17}$
X4. -12
Q. 20 Two chords PQ and RS of a circle meet at A when produced. AT is a tangent to the circle meeting it at T. The ratio PA : SA is equal to which of the following?
Ans
X 1.RQ:QT
X 2. AQ:AT
$X$ 3. $\mathrm{AQ}: \mathrm{QR}$

4. RA: AQ
Q. 21 The average weight of 3 persons $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$ and C is 60 kg . When D joins the group, the average weight becomes 65 kg .

When another person $E$ whose weight is 3 kg less than that of $D$ replaces $A$, the average weight of $B, C, D$ and $E$
becomes 67 kg . What is the weight of A?
Ans
X 1.60 kg

- 2. 69 kg
$\times 3.72 \mathrm{~kg}$
$\times 4.65 \mathrm{~kg}$
Q. 22 In a triangle $A B C$, right-angled at $C$, if $\sec A=\frac{13}{5}$, then find the value of $\frac{1+\sin A}{\cos B}$.

Ans
-1. $\frac{25}{12}$
<2. $\frac{3}{2}$
>3. $\frac{18}{5}$
<4.
Q. 23 Geeta can assemble a toy in 10 minutes, whereas Sudha can assemble the same toy in 15 minutes. If they work together, how much time will they take to assemble 60 toys?

Ans

1. 6 hours
$X 2.5$ hours
$X$ 3. 7 hours
X 4. 7 hours 30 minutes
Q. 24 The given line graph shows the production (in tonnes) and the sales (in tonnes) of a company.

How much more is the production in 2015 and 2017 taken together than the sales in 2016 and 2018 taken together (in tonnes)?


Ans
-1. 425
$\times 2.328$
$\times 3.434$
$\times 4.178$
Q. 25 If $\operatorname{cosec}^{2} \theta(\cos \theta-1)(1+\cos \theta)=\mathrm{k}$, then what is the value of k ?

Ans
X1.1

- 2. -1
>3. $\frac{1}{2}$
$\times 4.0$

Section : General Awareness
Q. 1 Whose autobiography is titled 'The Substance and the Shadow'?

Ans
X 1. Kishore Kumar
X 2. Rajesh Khanna
X ${ }^{2}$ Raj Kapoor

- 4. Dilip Kumar
Q. 2 Which of the following file formats does MS Paint use to open and save files in Windows?

Ans
<1. DOC
<2..XIS

- 3. .JPEG
<4..PPT


## Q. 3 Which of the following nations ranked first in the World Press Freedom index 2020?

Ans $\times 1$ India
(2. France
3. Norway

X 4 . The US
Q. 4 The musical instrument 'Kartal' from the state of Rajasthan comes under the category of

Ans
Х 1 . electrophones
Х 2 . membranophones
X 3.chordophones
4. idiophones
Q. 5 Who among the following is India's highest wicket taker in test cricket as of December 2020?
Ans

1. Kapil Dev

- 2. Anil Kumble

X 3. Narendra Hirwani
X 4. Bishan Singh Bedi
Q. 6 What is India's rank on the World Economic Forum's Global Competitiveness Index of 141 countries for the year 2019?
Ans
$\pi 1$

1. 48 th
$>2$
2. 45 th3. 68th4. 65 th
Q. 7 The deficiency of which of the following vitamins causes night blindness?

Ans
X 1. Vitamin B2

- 2. Vitamin $A$

X 3. Vitamin E
入4. Vitamin D
Q. 8 Which of the following is a computer application software?

Ans 1. Word processor
> 2. RAM
X 3. Visual Basic
Х4. Java
Q. 9 How many states does the 'STARS' project launched by the Government of India and World Bank in 2020 seek to cover?
Ans
Х1.8
X2.4
X 3.10

- 4.6
Q. 10 In the Battle of Swally (1612) the British fought against the $\qquad$ _.

Ans
>1. Danish2. Portuguese
<3. French
(4. Dutch
Q. 11 Where is Harmandir Sahib (Golden Temple) situated?

Ans

- 1. Amritsar

K 2. Patiala
3. Ludhiana
\$4. Jalandhar
Q. 12 Which Indian state was the highest contributor to Food Corporation of India (FCI)'s total paddy procurement across the country till May 2020 ?
Ans

- 1. Telangana
< 2. Uttar Pradesh
( 3. Andhra Pradesh
<4. Punjab
Q. 13 Heat, in $\qquad$ is a type of energy transfer from a warmer substance to a colder one.
Ans
(1. gravity
< 2. friction
- 3. thermodynamics

4. magnet
Q. 14 LAC (Line of Actual Control) is an effective border between India and $\qquad$ _.
Ans $\times 1$. Bhutan
X 2. Pakistan
X 3 . Sri Lanka

- 4. China
Q. 15 In which of the following categories does Indian boxer Lovlina Borgohain play?

Ans

- 1.69 kg

Х 2.91 kg
Х 3.81 kg
X 4.75 kg
Q. 16 Dr. Tsering Landol, who was one of the recipients of the Padma Bhushan 2020 award, hails from:
Ans
X1. Nagaland
X 2. Mizoram

- 3. Ladakh4. Arunachal Pradesh
Q. 17 The National Education Policy (NEP), 2020 commits to raising the total expenditure by states and centre on education to $\qquad$ of GDP.
Ans
Х $1.4 \%$
- $2.6 \%$

X $3.2 \%$
X4.8\%
Q. 18 Which sport has been approved to be played at the 2024 Summer Olympics in Paris for the first time?

Ans
<2. Darts
3. Breakdancing
< 4. Cricket
Q. 19 What was the total number of gold medals won by India at Commonwealth Games 2018?

Ans
< 2.33
$\checkmark$
3. 26
$\times 4$.
4. 18
Q. 20 As of January 2021, more than $93 \%$ of India's chromite resources were located in:

Ans

- 1. Odisha

2. Jharkhand
3. Madhya Pradesh

Х4. Karnataka
Q. 21 Who among the following presided over the special session of Congress in September 1923 and at the age of 35 became the youngest man to be elected as the President of the Congress?

Ans

1. Mahadev Govind Ranade
\$ 2. Ram Manohar Lohia
(3. Bal Gangadhar Tilak
2. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
Q. $22 \ldots$ holds office from the date of his/her election till immediately before the first meeting of the Lok Sabha after the dissolution of the one to which he/she was elected.
Ans
3. Minister of Parliamentary Affairs
4. Minister of Information and Broadcasting
5. Vice President
Q. 23 One-third of the members of the Vidhan Parishad retire every $\qquad$ year/s.
Ans
$\chi$
6. one

X
3. three
4. two
Q. 24 Which among the following is used as the fining agent in wine?

Ans

2. Chlorine

X 3. Sodium
(4.Baking Soda
Q. 25 'Per Drop More Crop' is the goal for which Government of India scheme?

Ans

1. Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY)

X 2. Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana Gramin (PMAY-G)
X 3. Pradhan Mantri Jan-Dhan Yojana (PMJDY)
X 4. Pradhan Mantri MUDRA Yojana (PMMY)

## Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2020 (Tier-I)

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## Section : English Language

Q. 1 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Hard nut to crack
Ans

- 1. a difficult person or problem

2. someone who solves puzzles easily
3. someone who needs guidance
4. a person who likes to joke around
Q. 2 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

The miscreants were shifted to another building that same evening and was keeping in custody by the police.
Ans
< 1. No substitution
$\checkmark$
2. were kept
< 3. keeps4. was kept
Q. 3 Select the correct indirect form of the given sentence.
"Madam, please watch this program on our folk songs," says Sitab.
Ans

1. Sitab says Madam is watching the program on our folk songs.

- 2. Sitab requests Madam to watch that program on their folk songs.

3. Sitab asks Madam have you watched the program on their folk songs.
4. Sitab said to Madam to watch the program on our folk songs.
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Q. 4 In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

When I was at school I found my class teacher to be the best mentor as she always have time to listen and guide.
Ans

1. to be the best mentor

- 2. as she always have time to listen and guide

3. When I was at school
4. I found my class teacher
Q. 5 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

BONHOMIE
Ans
Х 1. deceit

- 2. companionship
> 3. irritation
(4.fickleness


## Q. 6 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

## BEWILDER

Ans
$X$ 1. weaken

- 2. enlighten
$X$ 3. terrify
>4. confuse
Q. 7 In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

The teacher and her student was engaged in a discussion on the current political crisis.
Ans

1. was engaged

Х 2. on the current
3. political crisis
4. in a discussion
Q. 8 Select the option that will improve the underlined segment in the given sentence. In case no improvement is needed, select 'No improvement'

The advertising industry wants us to believe that buy more stuff will make us happier.
Ans

1. that bought more
2. that buys more

- 3. that buying more

X 4. No improvement
Q. 9 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

Something which cannot be taken by force
Ans

1. Impregnable
2. Irresistible
3. Imperative

X4. Impromptu
Q. 10 Select the option which means the same as the group of words given.

Not active or growing
Ans

1. dormant

X 2. duplicate
X 3. invisible
4. inanimate
Q. 11 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom:
know inside out
Ans

1. To know a little about something
2. To know everything by rote memory

- 3. To know something thoroughly

4. To always know a lot about every topic
Q. 12 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

Radha plays the sitar very well.
Ans

1. The sitar is being played by Radha very well.

X 2. Radha has been playing the sitar very well.
3. Radha is playing the sitar very well.
4. The sitar is played very well by Radha.
Q. 13 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

Savita was crying $\qquad$ as she felt that her world had fallen apart due to the accident.

Ans
1 1 . hardly
2. definitely

X 3. mildly

- 4. bitterly
Q. 14 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.


## FASCINATION

Ans
X1. dislike
그․ happiness
> 3. agreement
4. appeal
Q. 15 Examine the four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options, pick the one that gives their correct order.
A. Yet few people know the long history of making soap.
B. As a prevention, they recommend the frequent washing of hands for 20 seconds.
C. Scientists have declared that COVID-19 is here to stay.
D. This advice is practical and easy to follow as soap is a common and inexpensive consumer product.
Ans
X1. CABD
X 2 . BDAC

- 3. CBDA

X4. ABDC
Q. 16 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The migrant crisis led several states to $\qquad$ existing labour laws in order to improve
their condition.
Ans
X1. introduce

- 2. amend
(3. initiate

X4.abandon
Q. 17 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

EQUILIBRIUM
Ans
Х 1 . stability
2. imbalance
3.adherence

X4.coolness

## Q. 18 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
X 1. flapped
2. noncomita
$\times 3$
3. referred4. accommodate
Q. 19 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options, select the one that gives their correct order.
A. How will we ever reach our goal if we don't follow our ideals and principles and follow the path we say we believe in?
B. Many of us believe in God, do our daily prayers and vow to be good.
C. But unfortunately, when it comes to putting our ideas into practice, we procrastinate.
D. There may be variations in our chosen ideals of Him, but each of us believes in Him nevertheless.
Ans
X1. BADC
Х ${ }^{2}$. $A B C D$
X 3 . ACDB

- 4 . BDCA
Q. 20 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
X 1. promotion
Х 2. tradition

- 3. applicasion

4. completion

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

An appetising and nutritious meal is always recommended because what we eat (1) $\qquad$ our senses. The effect of food on our mind, body and spirit had been the centre (2) $\qquad$ discussion even in ancient Greece, when Pythagoras argued in favour of a healthy, vegetarian (3) $\qquad$ Though at the time when the philosopher lived, in around 500 BC , the term 'vegetarianism' was (4) $\qquad$ , his diet came to be known as 'the Pythagorean diet'. He is known for his theory on geometry, but few are aware of his profound (5) $\qquad$ on food habits!

SubQuestion No : 21
Q. 21 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 1.

Ans

1. enables

X 2. hurts3. creates
4. affects

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SubQuestion No : 22
Q. 22 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 2.

Ans
<1. on

- 2. of
(3. with
<4. to


## Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 23
Q. 23 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 3.

Ans
\$ 1. bread
\$2. nourishment

- 3. diet
\$4. nutrition


## Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 24
Q. 24 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 4.

Ans

- 1. unknown
(2. knowledgeable

X 3. knowing
<4. known

## Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 25
Q. 25 Select the most appropriate option for blank No. 5.

Ans
< 1. creation
2 2. greatness
3 3. development

- 4. wisdom
Q. 1 In a code language, CIRCUS is written as DKUGZY. How will JOKER be written in the same language?
Ans
X1.KQUIV
入2. KRNJW
Х 3.KQMJW
- 4. KQNIW
Q. 2 Select the option in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following set.
$\{46,53,64\}$
Ans
X $1 .\{68,73,85\}$
- $2 .\{34,41,43\}$

X $3 .\{23,30,34\}$
Х $4 .\{56,64,66\}$
Q. 3 Select the option that is related to the third letter-cluster in the same way as the second letter-cluster is related to the first letter-cluster.

REST : SCTR : : BEST : ?
Ans
X 1. SBTR
X 2. CCRT

- 3. CCTR
>4.CDTR
Q. 4 Select the correct option that indicates the arrangement of the given words in a logical and meaningful order.

1. Income
2. Employment
3. Superannuation
4. Interview
5. Education
6. Promotion

Ans
(1.3,4, 2, 1, 6, 5

X 2. 5, 1, 4, 2, 6, 3
人 $3,3,6,1,4,2,5$

- $4.5,4,2,1,6,3$
Q. 5 Select the combination of letters that when sequentially placed in the blanks of the given series will complete the series.
$b a_{-} d a_{-} b b_{-} d_{-} a c b+a d d_{-} c b$
Ans
<1.caddba
(2.dcdabd

Х3.bcacba

- 4.dcadba
Q. 6 'Second' is related to 'Minute' in the same way as 'Day' is related to ' $\qquad$ '.
Ans
<1. Dusk
<2. Dawn
- 3. Week
<4. Night

Q． 7 Select the correct mirror image of the given figure when the mirror is placed to the right side of the figure．
TER\＄MI5NATE
Ans

$x$－IEGटेWILUVIE
$x^{3}$ IEbぞWIVU2IE
$\checkmark$ ・ヨТАИटIМટेЯヨТ

Q． 8 If＇$\times$＇means ‘ - ’，‘‘’ means＇+ ＇，‘＋’ means＇$x$＇and＇- ＇means ‘ $\div$ ’，then what will be the value of the following expression？
$16 \div 32-4 \times 2+1=$ ？
Ans
X1．7．5
$\times 2.32$
－ 3.22
Х 4.10
Q. 9 Select the figure that will come next in the following series.


Ans

Q. 10 In which of the following options is the given figure embedded? (rotation is NOT allowed)


Ans

Q. 11 In a certain code language, MAKER is coded as 90 . How will BROTHER be coded in that language?
Ans
Х 1.95
2. 100

X 3.119
X4.112
Q. 12 Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following set.
$(2,6,9)$
Ans

- $1 .(4,12,18)$

人2. $(8,12,17)$
Х $3 .(5,15,30)$
人4.(7,22,17)
Q. 13 Sunita appeared for a test consisting of 260 questions and answered $40 \%$ of the first 130 questions correctly. What percentage of the rest 130 questions must she answer correctly so as to score $60 \%$ in the entire test?
Ans

1. $70 \%$

X
2. $84 \%$

X $3.75 \%$

- $4.80 \%$
Q. 14 ' $U+W$ ' means ' $U$ is the father of $W$ ';
' U - W' means ' U is the wife of W ';
' $U \times W$ ' means ' $U$ is the brother of $W$ '; and
' $U \div W$ ' means ' $U$ is the daughter of $W$ '.
If ' $\mathrm{K} \div \mathrm{L}+\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{N}$ ', then how is K related to N ?
Ans
<1. Daughter
(2. Mother
- 3. Aunt
>4. Sister
Q. 15 Four numbers have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the number that is different.
Ans
- 1.115
>2.73
X 3.127
Х4.89
Q. 16 In the given diagram, the shapes indicate the categories of persons. The numbers given in the different segments represent the number of persons in that category.
How many females are either graduates or employed but NOT both?


Ans
-1. 39
$\times 2.40$
$\times 3.35$
$\times 4.41$
Q. 17 How many triangles are there in the following figure?


Ans
Х1. 14
X2. 16
<3. 19
4. 17
Q. 18 Four letter-clusters have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the letter-cluster that is different.
Ans
X 1. HKMR
< 2 . FMNQ
X 3.BJPV

- 4. DLRT
Q. 19 Three statements are given, followed by four conclusions numbered I, II, III and IV. Assuming the statements to be true, even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the conclusions logically follows from the statements.

Statements:
All cats are birds.
Some tigers are cats.
All bees are tigers.
Conclusions:
I. All bees are birds.
II. Some bees are birds.
III. Some birds are tigers.
IV. All tigers are birds.

Ans

1. Only conclusion IV follows
2. Only conclusion II follows

- 3. Only conclusion III follows

4. Only conclusion I follows

Q. 21 Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Select the odd one.
Ans $\quad X_{1}$. Cat
$X$ 2. Lion

- 3. Dog

X 4. Tiger
Q. 22 Select the option in which the words share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of words.

Purification : Filter
Ans

1. Digging : Spade

X 2. Selling: Car
3. Coloring : House
4. Walking : Exercise
Q. 23 Two different positions of the same dice are shown. Select the number that will be at the top if ' 1 ' is at the bottom.


Ans
>1. 6
$\times 2.4$
Х3.5

- 4.2
Q. 24 Select the option in which the numbers share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of numbers.

24:37
Ans
Х1.8:9
(2.17:28

X 3.78:87

- $4.63: 82$
Q. 25 Select the number that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

63, 63, 56, 56, 49, 49, 42, ?
Ans

- 1.42

Х 2.35
Х 3.30
入 4.27

## Section : Quantitative Aptitude

Q. 1 A train is running at a speed of $99 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$. If the train is 565 m long, then what will be the time (in seconds) taken by it to cross a 975 m long tunnel?
Ans
X1. 54
2. 56
$\times 3.40$
$\times 4.42$
Q. 2 Study the following graph and answer the question that follows.

Marks scored by five students in three subjects (Maths, English and Physics). Total marks for each subject are 100.


What is the difference between the total marks obtained by B and the total marks obtained by C?
Ans
X 1.35
X2. 25
X 3.20

- 4.30
Q. 3 What is the area (in $\mathrm{cm}^{2}$, correct to one decimal place) of a triangle whose base is 21.4 cm and height is 15.5 cm ?

Ans
-1. 165.9
X2. 156.6
X 3.165 .6
X4. 156.9
Q. 4 A ladder 10 m long rests against a vertical wall making an angle of $30^{\circ}$ with the wall. How high up (in m ) does it reach
the wall from the ground? (Take $\sqrt{3}=1.73$.)
Ans
-1. 8.65
$\times 2.5 .88$
$\times 3.5$
X4.8.56
Q. 5 Two numbers are in the ratio of $9: 7$. If the larger number is 56 more than one-seventh of the smaller, then what is the sum of the two numbers?
Ans
$\times 1.72$
$\times 2.130$

- 3.112
$\times 4.96$
Q. 6 What is the value of $x$ if it is given that
$4\left\{2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right.\right.$ of $\left.\left.24-1\right)+3(7 \div x)-5 \times 8+1\right\}=20^{2} ?$
Ans
X 1. 0.625
- 2. 0.2
$\times 3.0 .75$
$\times 4.0 .4$
Q. 7 The histogram given below presents the frequency distribution of average runs scored by 50 selected players from a district in local cricket tournament.

Study the histogram and answer the question that follows.


How many players scored 30.5 runs or less?
Ans
X1. 28
Х2. 34
×3. 12

- 4.16
Q. 8 If the nine-digit number $87605 \times 31 \mathrm{y}$ is divisible by 72 , then the value of $2 \mathrm{x}-3 \mathrm{y}$ is:

Ans
-1. 2
$\times 2.1$
>3.0
>4. -1
Q. 9 One side of a rectangular field is 39 m and its diagonal is 89 m . What is the area of the field?

Ans
X1. $2160 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$

- 2. $3120 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
$\times$ 3. $3140 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
X4. $2100 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
Q. 10 The following histogram represents the distribution of total household expenditure (in ₹) of 200 manual workers in a city.


The number of workers whose total expenditure is $₹ 350$ and above is what percentage less than the number of workers whose total expenditure is less than ₹ 250 ?

Ans
X $1.15 \%$

- 2. $12 \%$

X 3.14\%
X $4.10 \%$
Q. 11 The base of a triangle is equal to the perimeter of a square whose diagonal is $7 \sqrt{2} \mathrm{~cm}$ and its height is equal to the side of a square whose area is $169 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$. The area (in $\mathrm{cm}^{2}$ ) of the triangle is:
Ans
-1. 182
$\times 2.175$
X 3.156
X 4.130
Q. 12 A can do a piece of work in 12 days. He worked for 6 days and left, and then B finished it in 10 days. If both work together, then in how many days will they finish the same work?

Ans
$\times 1.9 .5$
$\times 2.9$

- 3. 7.5
$\times 4.7$
Q. 13 The $12 \%$ interest earned on a sum of money of $₹ 2,60,000$ is to be used for awarding 24 scholarships of equal value every year in a school. What is the value (in ₹) of each scholarship?

Ans

- 1. 1,300

X2. 1,150
X 3. 1,200
X4. 1,250
Q. 14 Two numbers are less than a third number by $37 \%$ and $30 \%$, respectively. By what percentage is the second number more than the first?

Ans

- $1 . \frac{100}{9}$
(2. $\frac{10}{9}$
>3. 10
>4. $\frac{100}{3}$
Q. 15 If a person sells a ceiling fan for $₹ 557.75$, then he gets a $15 \%$ profit. To get a $20 \%$ profit, at what amount should he sell the fan?

Ans
X 1. ₹572
X 2. ₹589
X 3. ₹596

- $4 . ₹ 582$
Q. 16 If $\left(x^{2}+\frac{1}{49 x^{2}}\right)=15 \frac{5}{7}$, then what is the value of $\left(x+\frac{1}{7 x}\right)$ ?

Ans
<1. 7
X $2 . \pm 7$

- $3 . \pm 4$

X4.4
Q. 17 If $\sin \theta+\operatorname{cosec} \theta=7$, then what is the value of $\sin ^{3} \theta+\operatorname{cosec}^{3} \theta$ ?

Ans
$\times 1.350$
$\times 2.382$

- 3. 322
$\times 4.367$
Q. 18 If $a+b+c=2$ and $a b+b c+c a=-1$, then the value of $a^{3}+b^{3}+c^{3}-3 a b c$ is:

Ans
X2. 2
X 3.5
X4. 10
Q. 19 By selling a pen for ₹ 26 , a man loses one-fourteenth of what it costs him. The cost price of the pen is:

Ans $\times 1$. ₹ 27
X2. ₹ 39
X 3 . ₹ 38
-4. ₹ 28
Q. 20 Study the line graph and answer the question that follows.

The line graph represents the number of vehicles (in thousands) manufactured by two automobile companies A and B over the years from 2010 to 2015. The X-axis represents the years and the Y -axis represents number of vehicles in thousands.
(The data shown here is only for mathematical exercise. They do not represent the actual figures of the country.)
Number of Vehicles Manufactured by Two
Automobile Companies over the Years from 2010 to 2015 (Number in Thousands)


$$
\rightarrow A=B
$$

Company B is projecting an increase in the number of vehicles to be manufactured in 2016 by $70 \%$ with respect to its average number of vehicles from 2010 to 2015. What should be the approximate percentage increase in the number of vehicles (in thousands) to be manufactured by Company A in 2016 with respect to the number of vehicles in 2015, so that it is at par with Company B?

Ans
X 1.57
X2. 42

- 3. 50
$\times 4.45$
Q. 21 Points $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}, \mathrm{C}$ and D are concyclic points of a circle with centre O , such that $\angle \mathrm{DOC}=73^{\circ}$. The measure of $\angle \mathrm{ABC}$ is $215^{\circ}$. What is the measure of $\angle \mathrm{AOD}$ ?
Ans
$\times 1.145^{\circ}$
$\times 2.273^{\circ}$
$\times 3.87^{\circ}$
- $4.72^{\circ}$
Q. 22 There are 90 students in a hostel. Due to new admissions, 30 new students join the mess and the daily expenses of the mess increases by $₹ 560$, while the average expenditure per head diminishes by $₹ 10$. What was the original daily expenditure (in ₹) of the mess?
Ans
X1. 4,280
- 2. 5,280

X 3. 3,680
X4.4,980
Q. 23 The angle of elevation of a ladder against a wall is $45^{\circ}$. The length of the ladder is 12 m . What is the distance between the wall and the foot of the ladder?
Ans
⒈ $4 \sqrt{3} \mathrm{~m}$
2. $6 \sqrt{2} \mathrm{~m}$
⒊ $3 \sqrt{2} \mathrm{~m}$
X4. $5 \sqrt{3} \mathrm{~m}$
Q. 24 In a circle with center $O, A P B$ is a tangent at $P$. If $M N$ is a diameter such that $\angle B P N=52^{\circ}$, then what is the measure of $\angle P N M$ ?
Ans
-1. $38^{\circ}$
$\times 2.48^{\circ}$
>3. $52^{\circ}$
$\times 4.90^{\circ}$
Q. 25 If $(2 a+3 b)(2 c-3 d)=(2 a-3 b)(2 c+3 d)$, then:

Ans $X 1 \cdot \frac{a}{b}=\frac{d}{c}$ - 2. $\frac{\mathrm{a}}{\mathrm{b}}=\frac{\mathrm{c}}{\mathrm{d}}$
$\times 3 . \frac{\mathrm{a}}{\mathrm{d}}=\frac{\mathrm{c}}{\mathrm{b}}$
X4. $\frac{\mathrm{b}}{\mathrm{a}}=\frac{\mathrm{c}}{\mathrm{d}}$

## Section : General Awareness

Q. 1 In which of the following states is the Loktak Lake located?

Ans $\times 1$ 1. Rajasthan
X 2. Sikkim

- 3. Manipur

X4. Haryana

## Q. 2 Which of the following mountain ranges is home to the second-highest peak of the world, K2?

Ans
X 1. Ladakh Range

- 2. East Karakoram Range

X 3. Zanskar Range
X 4. Pir Panjal Range
Q. 3 What was the theme of the World Sustainable Development Summit 2021?

Ans 1. Partnerships for a Resilient Planet
X 2. Towards 2030 Goals: Making the Decade Count
X 3. Attaining the 2030 Agenda: Delivering on our Promise

- 4. Redefining Our Common Future: Safe and Secure Environment For All
Q. 4 Hamideh Banu Maryam Makani was the wife of Mughal emperor $\qquad$ -
Ans
- 1. Humayun

X 2. Babur
X 3. Jahangir
X4. Shah Jahan

## Q. 5 In which of the following states is the Sirki Waterfall located?

Ans

- 1. Arunachal Pradesh

X 2. Andhra Pradesh

- 3. Himachal Pradesh

X4. Madhya Pradesh

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Q. 6 Which of the following international awards did Indian drama series 'Delhi Crime' win in 2020?
Ans
X 1. Golden Globe Award for Best Television Series - Drama
X 2. British Academy Television Award for Best Drama Series

- 3. International Emmy Award for Best Drama Series

Х 4. Cannes Corporate Media \& TV Awards - Best Drama
Q. 7 Who among the following won the Golden Globe 2020 award for 'Best Performance by an Actress in a Motion Picture - Drama'?

Ans

- 1. Renée Zellweger

X 2. Charlize Theron
Х 3. Cynthia Erivo
Х 4. Beanie Feldstein
Q. 8 Since 2000, Euro norms are followed in India under the name $\qquad$ Stage Emission Standards for four wheeled vehicles.
Ans $\qquad$
(2. Jagat

Х 3 . India
(4. Hindustan

## Q. 9 The innermost part of a flower is called the:

Ans

< 2. petal

- 3. pistil
<4. sepal
Q. 10 Which of the following indigenous games is included in the Khelo India Youth Games 2021?
Ans

1. Pallankuzhi

- 2. Gatka
<3. Nondi
(4. Chaupar
Q. 11 Who among the following was one of the winners of Nobel Prize in Physics 2020 ?

Ans
(1. Michel Mayor
(2. Kip Thorne
3. Arthur Ashkin

- 4. Roger Penrose
Q. 12 In which of the following mountain ranges will you find the Guru Shikhar peak?

Ans
(1. Karakoram
(2. Vindhya

X 3. Satpura

- 4. Aravalli
Q. 13 Which keyboard shortcut in Microsoft Excel 2016 should you use to insert a new worksheet for Windows 10 operating system?
Ans


X 2 . Shift + F7
> 3. Shift + F5
4. Shift + F11
Q. 14 Which of the following companies in India has tied up with Facebook to train offline retailers to go digital on social media platforms?

Ans
Х1. Nokia

- 2. Samsung India

X 3. Vivo
4. Reliance
Q. 15 According to Article 24 of the Constitution of India, a person below $\qquad$ years of age shall not be employed to work in any factory.
Ans

X 2.25
< 3.19
<4. 21
Q. 16 With which of the following musical instruments is the musician Zakir Hussain associated?

Ans

- 1. Tabla

2. Tanpura

X 3. Vichitra veena
(4. Dhol
Q. 17 Who among the following film makers was conferred with the 'Padma Shri', the fourth highest civilian honour of the country, in 2020?
Ans

1. Tanuja Chandra
2. Ekta Kapoor

X 3. Deepa Mehta
Х 4 . Zoya Akhtar
Q. 18 With which of the following sports is Indian sportsperson Bhavani Devi associated?

Ans

1. Wrestling
(2. Boxing

- 3. Fencing
(4.Rowing
Q. 19 Litmus paper changes to $\qquad$ colour when put in soap water.
Ans
⒉ red
X 3. yellow4. orange
Q. 20 Who among the following is the only Indian to have won an individual gold medal at the Olympics?
Ans

1. Vijender Singh

- 2. Abhinav Bindra

X 3. P. V. Sindhu
4. Karnam Malleswari
Q. 21 What was India's per capita net national income (estimated) during 2019-20?

Ans
> 1 . ₹ $1,15,050$
Х 2. ₹1,85,050
> 3 . ₹1,55,050

- $4 . ₹ 1,35,050$
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Chosen Option : $\mathbf{2}$
Q. 22 Who among the following was the President of the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) as of December 2020?
Ans
X 1. Sanjay Manjrekar
Х 2. Ravi Shastri
- 3. Sourav Ganguly

X4. Kapil Dev
Q. 23 The normal term of every Lok Sabha is $\qquad$ years.
Ans
X 1.12
v 2.5
X 3.10
X4.7
Q. 24 'Memoirs of Babur' or 'Baburnama', also known as 'Tuzk-e Babri', was written by:

Ans
>1. Faizi
X 2. Abdul Rahim Khan-i-Khanan

- 3. Babur

4. Talib Amah
Q. 25 'Ranapa', a folk dance form of Odisha, consists of enacting chapters from the life of Lord
Ans
X1. Indra
< 2 . Ram
5. Krishna
(4. Hanuman

## Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2020 (Tier-I)

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## Section : English Language

Q. 1 Select the misspelt word.

Ans
人 1. already
2. library
3. instalment
4. boundry
Q. 2 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

My brother lost / his job during the lockdown, / but he had got / a new job now.
Ans

1. his job during the lockdown
v 2. but he had got
X 3. a new job now
2. My brother lost
Q. 3 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution required'.

A school teacher earns fewer salary from a college lecturer.
Ans

- 1. a lower salary than

2. No substitution required
3. fewer salary than4. less salary from
Q. 4 Given below are four sentences in jumbled order. Select the option that gives their correct order.
A. Once, on an airplane, I leaned over to tie my shoelace.
B. I found myself pinned helplessly in the crash position, unable to move.
C. I always have catastrophes when I travel.
D. Just at that moment, the person in the seat ahead threw his seat back into full recline.

Ans
<1. ABDC

- 2. CADB
< 3. DBAC
<4. BDAC
Q. 5 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A strong interest in something or someone
Ans

1. Fixation
2. Empathy
3. Apathy
4. Attachment
Q. 6 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in direct speech.

She told the car mechanic that her car was giving very low mileage.
Ans
(1. The car mechanic said to her, "Your car is giving very low mileage."
(2. She said to the car mechanic, "Her car has been giving very low mileage."
3. She said to the car mechanic, "My car is giving very low mileage."

Х 4. She asked the car mechanic, "Why is my car giving very low mileage?"
Q. 7 Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word.

SAVAGE
Ans
< 1. violent

- 2. cultured
<3. vicious
<4. brutal
Q. 8 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

The workers' union has threatened for going to an indefinite strike.
Ans

1. to be going for

X 2 . No substitution
3. for going to

- 4 . to go on
Q. 9 Select the most appropriate one-word substitution for the given words.

To come to an end
Ans
> 1 . initiate
X 2 . exhale
(3.inspire

- 4. expire
Q. 10 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

COMMENCE
Ans
Х 1. complete
X 2. resume
X 3. conclude

- 4 . launch
Q. 11 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Friendly
Ans

1. Amiable

Х 2. Zealous

- 3. Hostile
(4.Upright
Q. 12 Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

Organic food seems to be in vogue these days.
Ans

1. readily available

Х 2. out of stock3. in fashion
4. very expensive
Q. 13 Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the right order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Oprah Winfrey is one of the richest and most powerful American women, loved and admired by everyone.
B. When she was only 19 , she became the first black female assistant to Nashville's evening news anchor.
C. But Oprah had a very difficult and traumatic childhood.
D. In 1986, Oprah became the television presenter of her own talk show called 'The Oprah Winfrey Show'.
Ans
Х1.CBDA
X 2 . DACB
3. ABDC
>4. BCAD
Q. 14 Fill in the blank with most appropriate word.

I am $\qquad$ of joining the armed forces.

Ans
Х 1. interested
Х 2 . keen

- 3. desirous

X4. eager
Q. 15 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
-1. Benifitiary
2. Territory

X 3. Strategy
(4. Tractor
Q. 16 In the given sentence, identify the segment which contains a grammatical error.

Every participant gave so outstanding performance that it became difficult to choose the winner.
Ans
Х 1. Every participant gave

- 2. so outstanding performance

3 3. to choose the winner
4. that it became difficult
Q. 17 Select the correct passive form of the given sentence.

She has put fresh flowers in the flower vase.
Ans

1. Fresh flowers are put in the flower vase.

X 2. Fresh flowers are being put in the flower vase.
3. Fresh flowers has been put in the flower vase.

- 4. Fresh flowers have been put in the flower vase.
Q. 18 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

To play with fire
Ans

1. To act in a dangerous and risky way
2. To hold a revenge against someone
3. To fight fires like a fireman
4. To pour oil on a burning fire
Q. 19 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Imitate
Ans

- 1. Mimic

X 2. Effect
< 3. Disregard
(4. Enlighten
Q. 20 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

You don't usually discuss money with friends, because it may $\qquad$ the relationship negatively.
Ans

1. affect

Х 2.improve
3. strengthen

Х4. effect

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

The little princess said, "I shut you in a golden cage because I wanted to have you all to (1)
$\qquad$ . I never knew it would make you so unhappy. I love you (2) $\qquad$ to grant you freedom and let you be happy in your (3) $\qquad$ ." Then she opened the cage and let out the (4) $\qquad$ little bird. The bird said, "I will come back to sing you the (5) $\qquad$ songs I know," and flew away into the blue.

SubQuestion No : 21
Q. 21 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 1.

Ans

1. himself
2. herself
$\checkmark$
3. myself4. itself

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

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SubQuestion No: 22
Q. 22 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 2.

Ans
1 1. so much
2. enough
>3.more4. so

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

The little princess said, "I shut you in a golden cage because I wanted to have you all to (1)
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SubQuestion No: 23
Q. 23 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 3.

Ans
2. turn
3. cage
4. path

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

The little princess said, "I shut you in a golden cage because I wanted to have you all to (1)
$\qquad$ I I never knew it would make you so unhappy. I love you (2) $\qquad$ to grant you freedom and let you be happy in your (3) $\qquad$ ." Then she opened the cage and let out the (4) $\qquad$ little bird. The bird said, "I will come back to sing you the (5) $\qquad$ songs I know," and flew away into the blue.

SubQuestion No : 24
Q. 24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 4.

Ans
Х 1. terrorizing
2. terrifying

- 3. terrified

4. terrible

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each number.

The little princess said, "I shut you in a golden cage because I wanted to have you all to (1)
__. I never knew it would make you so unhappy. I love you (2) $\qquad$ to grant you freedom and let you be happy in your (3) $\qquad$ ." Then she opened the cage and let out the (4) $\qquad$ little bird. The bird said, "I will come back to sing you the (5) $\qquad$ songs I know," and flew away into the blue.

SubQuestion No : 25
Q. 25 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank no. 5.

Ans
X 1. much lovely
X 2. more lovely
X 3. most lovelier

- 4 . loveliest
Q. 1 Select the option figure which contains figure X embedded in it as its part (rotation is NOT allowed).


Figure $\mathbf{X}$

Q. 2 Two statements are given, followed by three conclusions numbered I, II and III. Assuming the statements to be true, even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements:
All bottles are utensils.
All kitchens are utensils.
Conclusions:
I. No bottle is a kitchen.
II. Some bottles are kitchens.
III. No utensil is a bottle.

Ans

1. Either conclusion I or II follows

X 2. Only conclusions I and II follow
3. All the conclusions follow
4. Only conclusions II and III follow
Q. 3 Mahendra is the son of Naman, who is the brother of Reema's mother. How is Mahendra related to Reema?
Ans

Q. 4 Select the option in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following set.
$(15,7,252)$
Ans

- $1 .(12,16,372)$

X 2. $(23,9,510)$
X 3 . $(27,10,520)$
X4. $(16,14,451)$
Q. 5 Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Select the odd one.
Ans

1. Dry Fruits
< 2. Almond
3 3. Cashew
2. Walnuts
Q. 6 Select the option that is related to the third letter-cluster in the same way as the second letter-cluster is related to the first letter-cluster.

FOR: MVY: : DEX : ?
Ans
1.KLE
<2. LLF
(3. KME
<4. KLF
Q. 7 Select the combination of letters that when sequentially placed in the blanks of the given letter series will complete the series.
$p_{-} q q_{-} p p_{-} r r_{-} p q_{-} r$
Ans

- 1.prqpqr

K2rpqrpq
<3.qqpprr
<4.qprqrq
Q. 8 Select the option in which the words share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of words.

Axe: Chop
Ans
Х 1. Scalpel : Stitching

- 2. Chisel : Carve
< 3. Scissor: Design
< 4. Compass : Architecture
Q. 9 Four letter-clusters have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the letter-cluster that is different.
Ans
Х1. XZCG
Х 2 .BDGK3. VYAE4. MORV
Q. 10 In a code language, MAGIC is written as NZTRX. How will LAYER be written in that language?

Ans
X 1. OZBVH
(2.NZBVQ

- $3.0 Z B V I$

X4. PZPVI
Q. 11 In a certain code language, 'FOSTER' is coded as ' 61219202218 ' and 'CARGO' is coded as '32618712'. How will 'MARRIAGE' be coded in that language?
Ans
Х1.132618180926705

- 2.132618181826722

Х3.140118181801722
Х4.132609091826705
Q. 12 How many triangles are there in the given figure?


Ans
X1. 16

- 2.15

Х3.17
<4.14
Q. 13 Four number-pairs have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the number-pair that is different.
Ans
Х1.4:70
Х2.7:349
-3.3:30
(4.8:518
Q. 14 A piece of paper is folded and cut as shown below in the question figures. Select from the given answer figures, how it will appear when unfolded.


Ans

Q. 15 Ankit is 30 years younger than his father. After 4 years Ankit's sister will be half the age of her father. The total of the present ages of Ankit and his sister is 67 years. What is the present age of Ankit's father?

Ans

- 1.66 years

2. 28 years

X 3.60 years
X 4.52 years
Q. 16 Select the correct option that indicates the arrangement of the given words in the order in which they appear in an English dictionary.

1. Mosaic
2. Mosquito
3. Mortgage
4. Moratorium
5. Morphed

Ans

- $1.4,5,3,1,2$
< $2.1,4,3,2,5$
<3.4,3,1,2,5
<4.4,1,3,5,2
Q. 17 Select the option that is related to the fourth number in the same way as the first number is related to the second number and the fifth number is related to the sixth number.

26:182::?:203::38:266
Ans


- 2.29
> 3.33
X 4.27
Q. 18 Which two signs and two numbers should be interchanged to make the given equation correct?
$\mathbf{1 2 \times 5 + 7 \div 4 - 6 = 2 5}$
Ans
X $1 . \times$ and $\div, 7$ and 6

2. $\times$ and,- 6 and 5

- $3 . \div$ and,- 4 and 12

Х $4 . \times$ and,+ 12 and 4
Q. 19 Select the cubes that can be formed by folding the given sheet along the lines.


Ans

- 1. Only A and D

X 2. Only B, C and D
X 3. Only A, C and D
X 4. Only B and C
Q. 20 Select the correct mirror image of the given letter cluster when a mirror is placed on the right side of the cluster.

## DNKTRA

Ans
$x$ А多 $1 \boldsymbol{x}$ и
$\times \forall$ ЯT~NO
$\checkmark^{*}$ АЯТ КИロ

Q. 21 Select the option in which the numbers share the same relationship as that shared by the numbers in the given set.
$(6,8,192)$
Ans

1. $(11,9,396)$
人 2. $(7,5,78)$
X 3. $(12,13,263)$
Х4. $(8,11,180)$
Q. 22 Select the figure from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.


Ans

Q. 23 Select the number that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.
$14,29,60,123, ?, 505$
Ans
X 1.3052. 250

X 3.280
$X$
4. 150
Q. 24 'Soldier' is related to 'Security' in the same way as 'Farmer' is related to ' $\qquad$ '.
Ans
Х1.Army2. Agriculture

X 3. Poverty
(4. Rain
Q. 25 In the following Venn diagram, the pentagon stands for 'Librarians', the rectangle stands for 'Income Tax Payers', and the circle stands for 'Post-graduates'. The given numbers represent the number of persons in that particular category.


How many librarians are there who are also post-graduates?
Ans
×1.14

- 2. 55

Х3.30
X4. 25
Q. 1 If the simple interest on a certain sum of money borrowed for 4 years at $9.5 \%$ per annum exceeds the simple interest on the same sum for 3 years at $12.5 \%$ per annum by $₹ 225$, then the sum borrowed is:

Ans
X 1. ₹ 35,000

- 2. ₹ 45,000

X 3. ₹ 48,000
X4. ₹ 42,000
Q. 2 Suman and Lata working together can complete a task in 8 days. If Lata can complete the same task in 12 days, then how many days will Suman take to complete the same task?
Ans
X1. 18
>2. 15
<3. 10

- 4. 24
Q. 3 The following pie chart represents the percentage-wise distribution of 300 students of class X in a school in six different sections A, B, C, D, E and F.


The given table shows the number of boys of class X in six different sections $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}, \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{D}, \mathrm{E}$ and F .

| Section | A | B | C | D | E | F |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| No. of <br> boys | 36 | 26 | 34 | 28 | $\cdots---$ | 20 |

The total number of boys in sections A, B and D together is what percentage more than the total number of girls in sections A, B and D together?

Ans
X 1.18\%
X 2. $30 \%$
$\times 3.15 \%$

- 4. $20 \%$
Q. 4 If the adjacent sides of a rectangle whose perimeter is 60 cm are in the ratio $3: 2$, then what will be the area of the rectangle?
Ans
X $1.300 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
- $216 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$

X 3. $60 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
X $4.864 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
Q. 5 The circumference of a circle is ' $a \pi^{\prime}$ units and the area of the circle is ' $\mathrm{b} \pi$ ' square units. If $\mathrm{a}: \mathrm{b}$ is equal to $4: 5$, then the radius of the circle is:
Ans
$X 1.3 \mathrm{~cm}$
2. 2.5 cm

X3. 5 cm
X4. 2 cm
Q. 6 If $x+\frac{81}{x}=18$ where $x>0$, then the value of $x^{2}+\frac{162}{x^{2}}$ is:

Ans
X1. 78

- 2. 83

X 3.85
$\times 4.81$
Q. 7 Study the given pie chart and answer the question that follows.

The pie chart shows the distribution (degree wise) of the number of computers sold by a shopkeeper during five months.

Total Number of Computers Sold $=\mathbf{5 4 0 0}$


- January
- February
- March
- April
- May

।
By what percentage is the total number of computers sold in February and March more than the number of computers sold in April and May (correct to one decimal place)?
Ans
X $1.11 .5 \%$

- 2. $9.9 \%$
$\times 3.10 .6 \%$

4. 8.8\%
Q. 8 Mohan takes 2 hours more than Kishore to walk 63 km . If Mohan increases his speed by $50 \%$, then he can make it in 1 hour less than Kishore. How much time does Kishore take to walk 63 km ?
Ans
5. 7 hours
$\times 2.9$ hours
$X$ 3. 6 hours
X4. 5 hours
Q. 9 Points $\mathrm{D}, \mathrm{E}$ and F are on the sides $\mathrm{AB}, \mathrm{BC}$ and AC , respectively, of triangle ABC such that $\mathrm{AE}, \mathrm{BF}$ and CD bisect $\angle \mathrm{A}$, $\angle B$ and $\angle C$, respectively. If $A B=6 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=7 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=8 \mathrm{~cm}$, then what will be the length of $B E$ ?
Ans
X1. 4 cm

- 2. 3 cm
$X 3.3 .6 \mathrm{~cm}$
X 4.3 .5 cm
Q. 10 If the angle between the internal bisectors of two angles $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ of a triangle $A B C$ is $125^{\circ}$, then the value of $\angle A$
is:
Ans
$\times 1.65^{\circ}$
- 2. $70^{\circ}$
$\times 3.72^{\circ}$
$\times 4.62^{\circ}$
Q. 11 If $3 \cot A=4 \tan A$ and $A$ is an acute angle, then what will be the value of $\sec A$ ?

Ans

- $1 . \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$

X2. $\frac{\sqrt{21}}{3}$
X $3 . \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
$\times 4 . \frac{1}{2}$
Q. 12 The present population of a village (males and females) is 7640 . If the number of males increases by $25 \%$ and the number of females increases by $15 \%$, then the population will become 9214 . The difference between the present population of males and females in the village is:

Ans
X 1.820
X 2.960
$\times 3.940$

- 4.920
Q. 13

What is the value of $\frac{\cos ^{2} 20^{\circ}+\cos ^{2} 70^{\circ}}{\sin ^{2} 90^{\circ}}-\tan ^{2} 45^{\circ}$ ?
Ans
-1. 0
$\times 2.1$
X 3. -2
X4. -1
Q. 14 Two positive numbers are in the ratio $8: 13$. If the sum of their squares is 2097 , then the sum of the two numbers is:

Ans
X 1.65

- 2. 63
$\times 3.64$
$\times 4.60$
Q. 15 When a positive integer ' $n$ ' is divided by 12 , the remainder is 5 . What will be the remainder if $8 n^{2}+7$ is divided by 12 ?
Ans
X1. 2
Х2. 5
-3. 3
>4. 4
Q. 16 Simplify the following expression.

$$
\frac{3 \frac{2}{3}-5 \frac{7}{9} \div \frac{1}{3} \times 1 \frac{2}{13}}{\frac{2}{3} \text { of } 1 \frac{1}{3} \div \frac{1}{3}}
$$

Ans
X $1 .-2 \frac{77}{104}$
X2. $-29 \frac{2}{5}$
จ 3. $-6 \frac{1}{8}$
$\times 4 .-14 \frac{1}{4}$
Q. 17 A customer availed a $10 \%$ discount on the purchase of a table and paid $₹ 4,950$ for it. How much money would he have saved if he had bargained to get $12 \%$ discount?
Ans
X 1. ₹ 660
X 2. ₹99
X 3. ₹ 108.90

- 4 . ₹ 110
Q. 18 If $x-\frac{1}{x}=2 \sqrt{2}$, then what will be the value of $x^{3}-\frac{1}{x^{2}}$ ?

Ans

- $1.22 \sqrt{2}$
$\times 2.12 \sqrt{2}$
$X^{3} .10 \sqrt{2}$
$\times 4.20 \sqrt{2}$
Q. 19 Study the given pie chart and answer the question that follows.

Total number of students admitted in a college $=700$.
Distribution of the percentage of students in various courses.


Percentage-wise distribution of the number of boys.

| Course | Number of boys |
| :--- | :--- |
| B.Sc. Maths | $40 \%$ |
| B.Sc. Physics | $68 \%$ |
| B.Sc. Chemistry | $58 \%$ |
| B.Sc. Computer <br> Science | $80 \%$ |
| B.Com. | $75 \%$ |
| BBA | $65 \%$ |

The difference between the number of boys and the number of girls admitted in B.Com. is:

Ans
X 1.65

- 2. 70
$\times 3.75$
$\times 4.60$
${ }^{\text {Q. } 20}$ If $x^{4}-12 x^{2}+1=0$, then what will be the value of $x^{4}+\frac{1}{x^{4}}$ ?
Ans

1. 142
$\times 2.146$
$\times 3.10$
$\times 4.144$
Q. 21 The histogram shows the marks scored by 40 students in a test with maximum 30 marks. How many students scored 10 or more marks?


Ans
X1. 10

- 2. 30

X 3.38
X4. 23
Q. 22 Amit purchased stationery marked for $₹ 8,000$ at $12 \%$ discount and spent $₹ 160$ on transportation. He sold the stationery at the marked price. Find his profit percentage.

Ans
X 1.10
$\times 2.12$
X 3. $12 \frac{1}{2}$

- $4.11 \frac{1}{9}$
Q. 23 Chord $A B$ of a circle with radius 5 cm is at a distance of 4 cm from the centre $O$. If tangents drawn at $A$ and $B$ intersect at $P$, then find the length of the tangent $A P$.
Ans
$X 1.7 .5 \mathrm{~cm}$
- 2. 3.75 cm

X 3.3 cm
X 4. 2.4 cm
Q. 24

If $\frac{\sin ^{2} \theta}{\tan ^{2} \theta-\sin ^{2} \theta}=5$, then the value of $\frac{24 \cos ^{2} \theta-15 \sec ^{2} \theta}{6 \operatorname{cosec}^{2} \theta-7 \cot ^{2} \theta}$ is:

Ans
X1. 6

- 2. 2

X3. 4
>4.1
Q. 25 The average of the squares of four consecutive odd natural numbers is 201 . The average of 7 times of the largest number and 3 times of the smallest number is:
Ans
X 1.72
$\times 2.78$

- 3. 76
$\times 4.66$

Section : General Awareness
Q. 1 Who among the following represented India at the international level in shooting?

Ans
X 1. Aditi Chauhan

- 2. Anjum Moudgil
3.Amit Panghal

Х 4. Ashalata Devi
Q. 2 Ujjain is on the banks of river $\qquad$
Ans

1. Kshipra
< 2 . Dibang
X 3. Sarayu
X4. Saraswati

## Q. 3 Which of the following is NOT a correct match of Dargah and its respective location?

Ans 1. Shaikh Nizamuddin Auliya Dargah - Agra
Х 2. Khwaja Qutbuddin Bakhtiyar Kaki Dargah - Delhi
3. Haji Ali Dargah - Mumbai
4. Shaikh Muinuddin Sijzi (chishti) Dargah - Ajmer
Q. 4 Which of the following was the first operating system written in 'C' language?

Ans 1.UNIX
2 2. Windows 95
Х 3. Xenix
X4. LINUX

## Q. 5 Which of the following is the correct full form of JPEG?

Ans 1. Joint Pixel Experts Group

- 2. Joint Photographic Experts Group

Х 3. Joint Pixel Exports Group
4. Joint Photography Exports Group
Q. 6 Who among the following was the captain of women's hockey team of India as of December 2020?
Ans
1 1. Rajani Etimarpu

- 2. Rani Rampal

3. Reena Khokhar

Х 4. Grace Ekka
Q. 7 Who won the Chess.com's 2020 Junior Speed Online Chess Championship after beating Russia's Alexey Sarana?
Ans
Х 1. Magnus Carlsen
X 2. D Gukesh
X 3. Raunak Sadhwani

- 4. Nihal Sarin
Q. 8 Which Indian actor received the 'Crystal Award' at the World Economic Forum 2020?

Ans 1. Deepika Padukone
(2. Alia Bhatt

X 3. Kareena Kapoor
(4. Katrina Kaif
Q. 9 Ministry of Finance introduced a new form called Form 26AS for:

Ans
Х 1. school admission application
2. tax payers

X 3. e-Visa application
(4. job application
Q. 10 Which of the following national parks is situated in Kerala?

Ans
X 1. Tadoba National Park
X 2. Kaziranga National Park
X 3. Sanjay Gandhi National Park

- 4. Eravikulam National Park
Q. 11 Which of the following statements about blood pressure is correct?

Ans 1. The normal systolic pressure is about 80 mm of Hg and diastolic pressure is 120 mm of Hg .
2. The normal systolic pressure is about 72 mm of Hg and diastolic pressure is 35 mm
of Hg .
3. The normal systolic pressure is about 160 mm of Hg and diastolic pressure is 80 mm of Hg .
4. The normal systolic pressure is about 120 mm of Hg and diastolic pressure is 80 mm of Hg .
Q. 12 How many recognised essential vitamins are there as on March 2021?

Ans
X 1.15
X 2.11

- 3.13
>4.9
Q. 13 For which of the following categories were Paul R Milgrom and Robert B Wilson awarded the Nobel Prize in 2020?
Ans
X 1. Chemistry

2. Physiology or Medicine

X 3. Literature

- 4. Economic Sciences
Q. 14 Which of the following states had the highest per capita income for the year 2019-2020?

Ans
X 1 . Gujarat

- 2. Goa

X 3. Kerala
(4. Sikkim
Q. 15 Which country apart from India was declared a winner at the 2020 Online FIDE Chess

Olympiad?
Ans
Х 1. Sweden

- 2. Russia

X 3 . Brazil
4. Finland
Q. 16 Good Governance Day is observed annually on 25 December on the birth anniversary of

Ans 1. Atal Bihari Vajpayee
Х 2. Rajiv Gandhi
X 3. Jawaharlal Nehru
X 4. P. V. Narasimha Rao
Q. 17 IC 1101 is a $\qquad$ _.
Ans $\times 1$. asteroid

- 2. galaxy

3. supernova
(4. satellite
Q. 18 Which of the following was the first High Court established in India?

Ans
X 1 . Bombay

- 2. Calcutta

X 3 . Delhi
(4.Madras
Q. 19 Who among the following is NOT a part of the committee, which is constructed to provide suggestions to the Prime Minister regarding the appointment of a chief commissioner of Central Information Commission?

Ans

- 1. Speaker of the Lok Sabha

Х 2. A Union Cabinet Minister appointed by Prime Minister
X 3. Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha
X 4. Prime Minister
Q. 20 Which of the following rivers is a tributary of Krishna River?

Ans
Х1. Bhavani
v 2
2. Tungabhadra

X 3. Hemavati
(4. Amravati
Q. 21 To which of the following states does the dance drama 'Khyal' belong?

Ans

- 1. Rajasthan

X 2. Gujarat
3. Madhya Pradesh

X4. Punjab
Q. 22 In Indian history who were referred to as the 'atavika rajya'?

Ans

1. South Indian kingdom
2. Republican state3. Forest kingdom
3. Mughal empire

## Q. 23 Which of the following ministries launched the e-Sampada mobile app in December 2020?

Ans

- 1. Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs

Х 2. Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare
3. Ministry of Ayurveda, Yoga \& Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy
4. Ministry of Home Affairs

## Q. 24 Where in India will you find India's largest tulip garden?

Ans

- 1. Munsiyari

X 2. Srinagar
X 3. Lansdowne
X 4. Dehradun
Q. 25 Which of the following festivals is celebrated for fertility and better fortune in Jharkhand?

Ans
X 1. Karam
X 2. Sarhul
X3. Sohrai

- 4. Jawa

