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PRACTICE QUESTION SET FOR BANK CLERK  
RECRUITMENT EXAM 2012: CLERICAL  
APTITUDE

**Directions-(Q.1 - 5) In each of these questions a group of numbers are given which are to be coded as per the scheme given below. You have to find out which of the answers (A), (B), (C) or (D) has the correct coded form of the given numbers and indicate it on your answer sheet. If none of the coded forms are correct mark (E) i.e. 'None of these' as the answer.**

**Numbers : 6 8 3 4 0 1 2 5 7 9**

**Codes : S L V K M R Y D B Z**

**(Letters)**

**1. 824301**

- (A) YLKVMR
- (B) LVKYMR
- (C) L YKVMR
- (D) L YKVRM
- (E) None of these

**2. 734025**

- (A) VBKMYD
- (B) BVKMYD
- (C) BVMKYD
- (D) BVKMDY
- (E) None of these

**3. 432908**

- (A) KVYZML
- (B) KYVZML
- (C) VKYZML
- (D) KVYZLM
- (E) None of these

**4. 578914**

- (A) DBLZRK

- (B) BDLZRK
- (C) DBLRZK
- (D) DBLZKR
- (E) None of these

**5. 215963**

- (A) YRDSZV
- (B) RYDZSV
- (C) YRDZVS
- (D) YRDZSV
- (E) None of these

**Directions-(Q.6 - 10) In each question five words are given. Which of them will come at the third place if arranged alphabetically?**

**6.**

- (A) Jovial
- (B) Journey
- (C) Jumble
- (D) Juggle
- (E) Judicial

**7.**

- (A) Magus
- (B) Magneto
- (C) Magnolia
- (D) Magnum
- (E) Magnify

**8.**

- (A) Concoct

- (B) Concourse
- (C) Concierge
- (D) Condense
- (E) Concise

**9.**

- (A) Thistle
- (B) Thorough
- (C) Thirsty
- (D) Thole
- (E) Thorium

**10.**

- (A) Resemble
- (B) Rescind
- (C) Reside
- (D) Residue
- (E) Reserve

**Directions-(Q.11 - 15) The news item in each question below is to be classified into one of the following five areas-**

- (A) Sports**
- (B) Health**
- (C) Environment**
- (D) Economics**
- (E) Entertainment**

**The letter of the area (A) or (B) or (C) or (D) or (E), as the case may be is your answer.**

**11. Famous actress offered a three film deal by a leading production house.**

- (A) Sports

- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**12. Scientists discover 4 new Alzheimer genes.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**13. 1500 students were vaccinated against Hepatitis B last week .**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**14. Only 1164 tigers left in India.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**15. Majority Asian stocks hit a 3 year high this week.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment

(D) Economics

(E) Entertainment

**Directions-(Q.16 - 20) In each of these questions a group of numbers are given which are to be coded as per the scheme given below. You have to find out which of the answers (A), (B), (C) or (D) has the correct coded form of the given numbers and indicate it on your answer sheet. If none of the coded forms are correct mark (E) i.e. 'None of these' as the answer.**

**Numbers : 3 4 5 2 1 8 9 7 6 0**

**Codes : U H L D J Y R M S A**

**(Letters)**

**16. 786301**

(A) MYSAUJ

(B) YMSUAJ

(C) MYSUAJ

(D) MYSUJA

(E) None of these

**17. 596142**

(A) LRSJOH

(B) RLSJHO

(C) LRSJHO

(D) LRJSHO

(E) None of these

**18. 057218**

(A) LAMOJY

(B) ALDMJY

(C) ALMOY J

(D) ALMOJY

(E) None of these

**19. 634159**

- (A) SUHJLR
- (B) SUJHLR
- (C) SUHJRL
- (D) USHJLR
- (E) None of these

**20. 841035**

- (A) HY JAUL
- (B) YHJAUL
- (C) YHAJUL
- (D) YHJALU
- (E) None of these

**Directions-(Q.21 - 25) In each question five words are given. Which of them will come at the third place if arranged alphabetically?**

**21.**

- (A) Nitrate
- (B) Nimbus
- (C) Niobium
- (D) Nirvana
- (E) Nineteen

**22.**

- (A) Gazebo
- (B) Gauze
- (C) Gazette
- (D) Gavotte
- (E) Gazump

**23.**

- (A) Coffee
- (B) Coffin
- (C) Cogent
- (D) Coeval
- (E) Cogitate

**24.**

- (A) Alliance
- (B) Alley
- (C) Allotrope
- (D) Allowance
- (E) Alligator

**25.**

- (A) Dimple
- (B) Dinar
- (C) Dinner
- (D) Dinette
- (E) Dingle

**Directions-(Q.26 – 30) The news item in each question below is to be classified into one of the following five areas-**

- (A) Sports**
- (B) Health**
- (C) Environment**
- (D) Economics**
- (E) Entertainment**

**The letter of the area (A) or (B) or (C) or (D) or (E), as the case may be is your answer.**



**26. Vitamin consumption was found to be lower in the girls from the rural areas as compared to the males.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**27. Four new talent shows to be launched on television in the coming weeks.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**28. 7% hike in stock prices of a leading car manufacturing company.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**29. Team's victory in the world championship series has done the nation proud.**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**30. Famous choreographer has turned director for a leading production company**

- (A) Sports
- (B) Health
- (C) Environment
- (D) Economics
- (E) Entertainment

**Directions-(Q.31 - 35) The letter group in each question below is to be codified in the following number codes-**

**Letters : M T V B S A Z R P C**

**Number 7 4 1 9 6 8 2 5 0 3**

**Codes :**

**You have to find out which of the answers (A) or (B) or (C) or (D) has the correct coded form of the given letters and indicate it on the answersheet. If none of the coded form is correct mark (E) as the answer.**

**31. TACZMBP**

- (A) 4832790
- (B) 4328790
- (C) 4823970
- (D) 4823790
- (E) None of these

**32. SRMVPBA**

- (A) 6751098
- (B) 6571089
- (C) 6571098
- (D) 6750198
- (E) None of these

**33. VZBMPRC**

- (A) 1927053

- (B) 1279503
- (C) 1297503
- (D) 1297053
- (E) None of these

**34. ZTCAVSP**

- (A) 2483160
- (B) 2438160
- (C) 2348160
- (D) 2431860
- (E) None of these

**35. SMAVPTC**

- (A) 6871043
- (B) 6780134
- (C) 6781034
- (D) 6870143
- (E) None of these

**Directions-(Q.36 - 40) Below in each of the question, five words are given. Which of them will come at the third position if all of them are arranged alphabetically as in the dictionary.**

**36.**

- (A) Lamp
- (B) Little
- (C) Low
- (D) Lick
- (E) Late

**37.**

- (A) Sack

(B) Shame

(C) Sick

(D) Shy

(E) Show

**38.**

(A) Dog

(B) Dig

(C) Dress

(D) Dull

(E) Doll

**39.**

(A) Bill

(B) Book

(C) Bake

(D) Bind

(E) Bank

**40.**

(A) Negotiate

(B) Natural

(C) Neglect

(D) Name

(E) Note

**Directions-(Q.41 – 45) The news items in each question below is to be classified into one of the following five areas-**

(A) Politics

(B) Social Issues

- (C) Science and Health
- (D) Sports
- (E) Miscellaneous

**41. Meditation is the best cure for Stress Disorders.**

- (A) Politics
- (B) Social Issues
- (C) Science and Health
- (D) Sports
- (E) Miscellaneous

**42. Fashion Designer seen as a Fashion Disaster in a party.**

- (A) Politics
- (B) Social Issues
- (C) Science and Health
- (D) Sports
- (E) Miscellaneous

**43. Pregnancy amongst the teenagers is on a rise.**

- (A) Politics
- (B) Social Issues
- (C) Science and Health
- (D) Sports
- (E) Miscellaneous

**44. Car Racing is the latest fad amongst the youngsters.**

- (A) Politics
- (B) Social Issues
- (C) Science and Health
- (D) Sports

(E) Miscellaneous

**45. With election campaign at its peak, the politicians come up with new promises.**

(A) Politics

(B) Social Issues

(C) Science and Health

(D) Sports

(E) Miscellaneous

**Directions-(Q.46 - 50) The news item in each question below is to be classified into one of the following five areas-**

**(A) Science and Technology**

**(B) Politics**

**(C) Sports**

**(D) Social issues**

**(E) Environment**

**The letter of the area (A) or (B) or (C) or (D) or (E) as the case may be is the answer.**

**46. Scientists have discovered a new gene responsible for causing diabetes.**

(A) Science and Technology

(B) Politics

(C) Sports

(D) Social issues

(E) Environment

**47. Indian duo beat their Russian counterparts to reach the semi finals of the Australian open.**

(A) Science and Technology

(B) Politics

(C) Sports

(D) Social issues

(E) Environment

**48. An NGO has been making best efforts to provide shelter to the thousands of homeless people in the country.**

(A) Science and Technology

(B) Politics

(C) Sports

(D) Social issues

(E) Environment

**49. In the recent assembly elections, less than 50% citizens cast their vote.**

(A) Science and Technology

(B) Politics

(C) Sports

(D) Social issues

(E) Environment

**50. An alarming rise in the cases of Asthma was reported in the city due to increased levels of pollutants from the nearby factories.**

(A) Science and Technology

(B) Politics

(C) Sports

(D) Social issues

(E) Environment

**Directions-(Q.51 - 55) Following table shows the number of students from colleges A, B, C, D, E, F and G participating in an annual inter-college festival having the events as mentioned in the table. Study the following table carefully and answer the questions which follow-**

Fields	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Elocution	14	7	10	5	8	11	9
Quiz	19	15	14	20	11	15	19
Dancing	12	20	15	18	21	16	19
Painting	23	16	17	10	15	9	17
Sports	32	29	41	30	19	26	21
Singing	26	17	14	14	21	24	19
Extempore	8	12	3	9	10	6	11

**51. In College D, maximum number of participants is from which of the following fields?**

- (A) Quiz
- (B) Sports
- (C) Elocution
- (D) Painting
- (E) None of these

**52. Which college has the highest number of participants in Dancing?**

- (A) B
- (B) D
- (C) E
- (D) G
- (E) None of these

**53. Which two colleges have the same number of participants in Dancing?**

- (A) None
- (B) A and D
- (C) C and G
- (D) B and E
- (E) C and F

**54. Which is true in the following about the college F?**



- (A) Minimum participants in the Painting
- (B) The number of participants of Quiz are more in the college F with the comparison of college B
- (C) The number of participants in Elocution and Dancing are same
- (D) Maximum students participating in the Sports
- (E) None of these

**55. Which college has maximum students participate in the Extempore competition?**

- (A) E
- (B) G
- (C) C
- (D) A
- (E) None of these

**Directions-(Q. 56 - 60) The letter group in each question below is to be codified in the following number codes-**

**Letters # D J M E N H L B K G**

**Codes # 3 9 5 0 7 1 6 4 2 8**

**56. KJBGLM**

- (A) 298465
- (B) 294865
- (C) 294685
- (D) 249865
- (E) None of these

**57. HLBJND**

- (A) 169473
- (B) 164793
- (C) 146973
- (D) 164973

(E) None of these

**58. MGJHBL**

(A) 589146

(B) 581946

(C) 598146

(D) 589416

(E) None of these

**59. NJBMEG**

(A) 794580

(B) 749508

(C) 794058

(D) 754908

(E) None of these

**60. NBDKHE**

(A) 723410

(B) 742310

(C) 743210

(D) 743120

(E) None of these

**Directions-(Q.61 - 65) In each of these questions a group of numbers and symbols are given which are to be coded as per the scheme given below. You have to find out which of the answers (A), (B), (C) or (D) has the correct coded form of the given numbers and symbols and indicate it on your answer sheet. If none of the coded forms are correct mark (E) i.e. 'None of these' as the answer.**

**Numbers and**

**Symbols : 4 & 6 \$ ? 3 + @ 9 2 # 7 5 8**

**Codes (Letters) : A T Y O L R K Z X E W J B H**

**61. 753+\$?:**

- (A) JBRKLO
- (B) BJRKOL
- (C) JBKROL
- (D) JBRKOL
- (E) None of these

**62. #73&+4:**

- (A) WJTRKA
- (B) WJRTAK
- (C) JWRTKA
- (D) WJRTKA
- (E) None of these

**63. 65&?+4:**

- (A) YBTLKA
- (B) YBLTKA
- (C) BYTLKA
- (D) YBTLAK
- (E) None of these

**64. 9263?+:**

- (A) XERYLK
- (B) EXYRLK
- (C) XEYRLK
- (D) XEYRKL
- (E) None of these

**65. @?7943:**

- (A) LZJXAR
- (B) ZLJXAR

- (C) ZLXJAR
- (D) ZLJXRA
- (E) None of these

**Directions-(Q.66 - 70) In each question five words are given. Which of them will come at the third place if arranged alphabetically?**

**66.**

- (A) Hostage
- (B) Hospital
- (C) Hospice
- (D) Hostile
- (E) Hostel

**67.**

- (A) Psalm
- (B) Psychic
- (C) Psephology
- (D) Psyche
- (E) Pseudo

**68.**

- (A) Ligament
- (B) Ligneous
- (C) Lignite
- (D) Ligature
- (E) Lighting

**69.**

- (A) Requisite
- (B) Request

(C) Requiem

(D) Reputable

(E) Repulsion

**70.**

(A) Glycerin

(B) Gluten

(C) Glucose

(D) Glycogen

(E) Glowing

**Answers:**

1	(C)
2	(B)
3	(A)
4	(A)
5	(D)
6	(E)
7	(C)
8	(A)
9	(D)
10	(E)
11	(E)
12	(B)
13	(B)
14	(C)
15	(D)
16	(C)
17	(C)
18	(D)
19	(A)
20	(B)
21	(C)
22	(A)
23	(B)
24	(E)
25	(D)

26	(B)
27	(E)
28	(D)
29	(A)
30	(E)
31	(A)
32	(C)
33	(D)
34	(B)
35	(E)
36	(D)
37	(E)
38	(E)
39	(A)
40	(C)
41	(C)
42	(E)
43	(B)
44	(D)
45	(A)
46	(A)
47	(C)
48	(D)
49	(B)
50	(E)

51	(B)
52	(C)
53	(A)
54	(D)
55	(E)
56	(B)
57	(D)
58	(A)
59	(E)
60	(C)
61	(D)
62	(D)
63	(A)
64	(C)
65	(B)
66	(A)
67	(E)
68	(E)
69	(B)
70	(B)