

GNOU B.Ed. Entrance Exam Previous Year Question Paper 2018 With Answer Key

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Directions (Q. Nos. 1-10): Read the following passage carefully and choose the best answer out of the four choices given after each question that follows. Among the most important themes in the Disney movie 'The Little Mermaid' are those of questioning conventional thinking and pursuing a dream. Not only is Ariel the little mermaid, demonstrating original thought (something that many seem to think she is lacking) but she is rebelling against her speciesist father. When Ariel expresses her love for the human prince, King Trident is furious. When Ariel points out angrily that he does not understand her, or even know the man whom she loves, Trident retorts "know him? I don't need to know him! He's a human!" In a very real way, Disney is encouraging children to question preconceived ideas that we may have against a certain group. Disney also teaches children to pursue what they love. We see that Ariel's love for Prince Eric is more important than all else. In turning to the sea witch, Ursula, for help, Ariel makes a mistake but no true hero or heroine is flawless. Ariel puts herself, her family and all merfolk in danger, but we see that with the help of her prince, she is able to put everything to right. At the end of the film, when Ursula has forced King Trident to sacrifice his kingdom for his daughter's soul, the sea witch uses out of the water, gigantic and terrifying, wearing the king's crown and holding his magic trident. She laughs evilly and declares that she is the ruler of all mermen and women. "So much for true love!" She screams victoriously. Eric, however, succeeds in piloting the prow of his ship straight through her Belly, vanquishing her. The moral here is that while we all make mistakes, what is truly important is how we right the wrongs we may do to others.

1. Why does the author use parentheses around the comment "Something that many seem to think she is lacking"?

(A) to indicate a side comment to the reader

(B) to indicate that it is unimportant

(C) to indicate a humorous tone

(D) to indicate a shift in meaning

▼ Show Answer

2. Ariel's father is called a 'speciesist' because he:

- 1) does not understand Eric
- 2) opposes Ariel's love based only on Eric being human
- 3) is furious
- 4) is rebelling against preconceived notions

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3. Which of the following fictional plot line would best illustrate the assertion "Disney is encouraging children to question preconceived ideas that we may have against a certain group"?

- (A) A movie about the development of the television
- (B) A movie that details the honours of war
- (C) A movie about a girl who overcomes her fear of snakes
- (D) A movie that documents the travels of a rock band

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4. When Ursula says "So much for true love", what does it imply?

- (A) She is specialist
- (B) She was hurt in a previous love affair
- (C) Marriage was unacceptable to her
- (D) She is mocking true love

▼ Show Answer

5. In the sentence "Eric, however, succeeds in piloting the prow of his ship straight through her Belly, vanquishing her", what does 'vanquishing' mean?

(A) Killing

(B) Loving

(C) Vanishing

(D) Squashing

▼ **Show Answer**

6. The author's attitude towards 'The Little Mermaid' is primarily one of:

(A) frustration

(B) stoicism

(C) respect

(D) wonder

▼ **Show Answer**

7. The author's main point in the passage is:

(A) Ariel should not have been allowed to marry Eric

(B) 'The Little Mermaid' (film) teaches children to follow their hearts

(C) Disney movies teach that love is stronger than hate

(D) Only Prince Eric truly understood Ariel

▼ **Show Answer**

8. 'Prow' of a ship is at the:

(A) back

(B) middle

(C) front

(D) top

▼ Show Answer

. What was the mistake committed by Ariel?

- 1) Loving Eric
- 2) Rebellious against her father
- 3) Taking Ursula's help
- 4) Killing Ursula with the help of Eric

▼ Show Answer

10. In the sentence “..... the sea witch rises out of the water, gigantic and terrifying,”, ‘terrifying’ is:

- (A) a gerund
- (B) a participle
- (C) an adjective
- (D) an adverb

▼ Show Answer

Section-II : Logical and Analytical Reasoning

Directions (Q. Nos. 11-14): Study the following information carefully and answer the questions that follow.

There are six members in a family—A, B, C, D, E and F. There are two married couples in the family. B is a businessman and father of E. F is the grandfather of C and is a property dealer. D is grandmother of E and is a housewife. C is the daughter of A. There are one businessman, one property dealer, one lady lecturer, one housewife and two students in the family.

11. What is the profession of A?

- (A) Housewife

(B) Lecturer

(C) Student

(D) Business

▼ **Show Answer**

2. Who is sister of E?

A) C

B) D

(C) A

(D) B

▼ **Show Answer**

13. Which of the following are two married couples?

(A) AC and DF

(B) AB and EF

(C) AB and AC

(D) AB and DF

▼ **Show Answer**

14. Which of the following is definitely a group of male members?

(A) BF

(B) AB

(C) CD

(D) EF

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Directions (Qs. No. 15-18) : *In the following questions a series is being given. Select from the alternatives the correct term of fill in the missing term.*

5. 10, 40, ____?____, 1920, 19200

1) 80

2) 160

3) 200

(D) 240

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16. 0, 7, 26, 63, ____?____, 215

(A) 116

(B) 128

(C) 124

(D) 130

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17. 13, 21, 31, 43, 57, 73, ____?____.

(A) 87

(B) 89

(C) 91

(D) 94

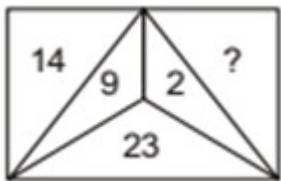
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18. 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 27, 16, 17, 64, 25, 26, ___?___

- (A) 78
- (B) 94
- (C) 112
- (D) 125

▼ Show Answer

9. Find the missing number.



- (A) 25
- (B) 21
- (C) 19
- (D) 7

▼ Show Answer

20. If EDUCATION is coded as DCTBZSHNM, how will PROMOTION be coded?

- (A) OQNNLSHNM
- (B) NOQLNSHNM
- (C) NNOQLSHNM
- (D) OQNLNSHNM

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21. If REGISTRATION is coded as 723489719465, then GENERATOR will be coded is:

(A) 325721967

(B) 352721967

(C) 325271967

(D) 325917267

▼ Show Answer

2. Which one is different from the other three in some respect?

(A) August

(B) October

(C) March

(D) December

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Directions (Q. Nos. 23-26) : Read the paragraph and answer the questions that follow:

Ira, Vara, Shweta, Pushpa, and Saroj are five friends, Each one of them has six balls. Vara gives 3 balls to Pushpa who gives four balls to Saroj. Saroj gives five balls to Shweta who in turn gives four balls to Vara. Vara gives three balls each to Ira and Pushpa.

23. How many balls does Vara have?

(A) 2

(B) 1

(C) 5

(D) 6

▼ Show Answer

24. How many balls does Saroj have?

(A) 2

(B) 4

(C) 5

(D) 6

▼ Show Answer

5. Who has the minimum number of balls?

(A) Ira

(B) Pushpa

(C) Saroj

(D) Vara

▼ Show Answer

26. Who has the maximum number of balls?

(A) Ira

(B) Shweta

(C) Saroj

(D) Vara

▼ Show Answer

Directions (Q. Nos. 27-30) : Read the paragraph and answer the questions that follow.

A and B play Volleyball and Football. B and D play Tennis, A and C play Hockey and Tennis. C, D and E play Cricket.

27. Who plays Volleyball, Football, Tennis and Hockey?

(A) D

(B) C

(C) B

(D) A

▼ **Show Answer**

8. Who plays only Cricket?

(A) A

(B) E

(C) C

(D) D

▼ **Show Answer**

29. Who plays Hockey and Cricket?

(A) A

(B) B

(C) C

(D) D

▼ **Show Answer**

30. Who plays Tennis and Cricket?

(A) A

(B) B

(C) C

(D) D

▼ Show Answer

Section-III : Educational and General Awareness

1. The recommendations of Shanta Kumar Committee are related to:

- 1) Restructuring of Food Corporation of India (FCI)
- 2) Restructuring of Security Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
- 3) Restructuring of Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC)
- 4) None of the above

▼ Show Answer

32. The book 'at the Close of the Play' is an autobiography of:

- (A) Gary Kirsten
- (B) Yuvraj Singh
- (C) Rahul Dravid
- (D) Ricky Ponting

▼ Show Answer

33. Which of the following is the largest gulf in the world?

- (A) Gulf of Aden
- (B) Gulf of Guinea
- (C) Persian Gulf
- (D) Gulf of Mexico

▼ Show Answer

34. Who was the author of the Book "The Indian War of Independence, 1857"?

(A) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan

(B) V.D. Savarkar

(C) S.R. Sharma

(D) R.C. Majumdar

▼ **Show Answer**

5. World Yoga Day is celebrated every year on:

(A) 20th June

(B) 21st June

(C) 22nd June

(D) 23rd June

▼ **Show Answer**

36. Who abolished the use of Persian as court language and ordered the use of vernacular language?

(A) William Bentinck

(B) Cornwallis

(C) Warren Hastings

(D) John Shore

▼ **Show Answer**

37. Abdul Kalam Island is located in:

(A) Tamil Nadu

(B) Andhra Pradesh

(C) West Bengal

(D) Odisha

▼ Show Answer

8. In the context of Indian history, the principle of 'Dyarchy' refers to:

- 1) Division of the Central legislature into two houses.
- 2) Introduction of double Government i.e., Central and State Government
- 3) Having two sets of rulers; one in London other in Delhi
- 4) Division of the subjects delegated to the provinces into two categories

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39. Which one of the following countries topped the World Happiness Report, 2017 published by United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network?

- (A) India
- (B) Denmark
- (C) Norway
- (D) USA

▼ Show Answer

40. According to Swachh Survekshan 2017, which city is declared as Cleanest City in India?

- (A) Vishakhapatnam
- (B) Bhopal
- (C) Idukki
- (D) Indore

▼ Show Answer

41. Which of the following universities celebrated its Centenary Year in 2017?

- (A) Allahabad University
- (B) Patna University
- (C) Banaras Hindu University
- (D) Aligarh Muslim University

▼ Show Answer

2. Vidhyanjali Scheme was an initiative of:

- (A) Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
- (B) Ministry of Science and Technology
- (C) Ministry of Labour and Employment
- (D) Ministry of Human Resource Development

▼ Show Answer

43. The first country to implement G.S.T. was:

- (A) France
- (B) USA
- (C) Britain
- (D) Japan

▼ Show Answer

44. The objective of Butler Committee of 1927 was to:

- (A) Defend the Jurisdiction of the Central and Provincial Governments
- (B) Define the powers of the secretary of State for India

(C) Impose censorship on national press

(D) Investigate and clarify the relationship between the paramount power and the princess of princely states

▼ Show Answer

5. Right to Education Act was enacted in the year:

1) 2007

3) 2008

(C) 2009

(D) 2010

▼ Show Answer

46. The statement “Tamsoma Jyotigamya” was originally mentioned in:

(A) Upanishad

(B) Mahakavya

(C) Purana

(D) Shaddarshan

▼ Show Answer

47. Who built the Khajuraho Temples?

(A) Vijayanagar Kings

(B) Bahmani Kings

(C) Chandel Kings

(D) Gupta Kings

▼ Show Answer

48. Hockey India League started in the year:

1) 2010

3) 2011

2) 2013

4) 2012

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49. With reference to the economic history of Medieval India, the term 'Arghatta' refers to:

(A) Bonded labour

(B) Land grants made to military officers

(C) Waterwheel used in the irrigation of land

(D) Waterland converted to cultivated land

▼ Show Answer

50. The Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) Scheme was launched in the year:

(A) 2007

(B) 2008

(C) 2009

(D) 2010

▼ Show Answer

51. Mahila Samakhya is a programme which focuses on:

(A) Women education

(B) Issues of adolescent girls

(C) Women empowerment

(D) Health issues of rural women

▼ **Show Answer**

2. Who originally commissioned Sanchi Stupa?

1) Emperor Ashoka

2) Chandragupta Maurya

(C) Harshvardhan

(D) Kanishka

▼ **Show Answer**

53. SWAYAM PRABHA channel was launched by MHRD during:

(A) 2014

(B) 2015

(C) 2016

(D) 2017

▼ **Show Answer**

54. The norms and regulations of NCTE for two year B.Ed. programme were notified in the year:

(A) 2013

(B) 2014

(C) 2015

(D) 2016

▼ Show Answer

55. Who is awarded Sahitya Academy Prize in Hindi for the year 2016?

- 1) Prabha Verma
- 2) Geeta Upadhyay
- 3) Nasira Sharma
- 4) Swaraj Bir

▼ Show Answer

Section-IV : Teaching-Learning and The School

56. The purpose of formative assessment is to:

- (A) check learner's performance graph
- (B) grade student's learning outcome
- (C) accelerate student's learning performance
- (D) provide feedback to teacher effectiveness

▼ Show Answer

57. Why is teacher training necessary?

- (A) Helps in acquiring teaching skills
- (B) In understanding methods of school organization
- (C) Upgrading knowledge of content
- (D) All the above

▼ Show Answer

58. Drama is suitable for teaching:

(A) History

(B) Science

(C) Language

(D) All the above

▼ **Show Answer**

9. The greatest satisfaction in teaching is:

(A) Feeling of love for children

(B) A sense of service to mankind

(C) A secured monetary gain

(D) A sense of contribution to learner's all-round development

▼ **Show Answer**

60. Human personality is the result of:

(A) Upbringing at home

(B) Interaction between heredity and environment

(C) Only environment

(D) Only heredity

▼ **Show Answer**

61. Which of the following is an objective type question?

(A) Short answer question

(B) Open ended question

(C) True and False

(D) Essay type question

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2. Who is regarded as a first teacher of a child?

- 1) Headmaster
- 2) Class teacher
- 3) Mother
- 4) Tutor

▼ Show Answer

63. A teacher who is not able to draw the attention of her students should:

- (A) resign from the post
- (B) find fault in her learners
- (C) start dictating
- (D) evaluate her teaching method and improve it

▼ Show Answer

64. Blackboard can be included in which group/category of teaching aid?

- (A) Audio aid
- (B) Visual aid
- (C) Audio-Visual aid
- (D) None of these

▼ Show Answer

65. 10+2+3 system of education was recommended by:

(A) Mudaliar Commission

(B) National Policy of Education (1986)

(C) Kothari Commission

(D) Radhakrishnan Commission

▼ **Show Answer**

6. For maintaining an effective discipline in the class, the teacher should:

(A) allow students to do what they like

(B) deal with the students strictly

(C) involve the students in interesting activities

(D) deal with them politely and firmly

▼ **Show Answer**

67. Informal education is:

(A) Just schooling

(B) Lifelong

(C) Time bound

(D) Pre-planned

▼ **Show Answer**

68. Mental Health is:

(A) Symptoms of maladjustment

(B) Harmonious functioning of the total personality

(C) Terrible excitement

(D) Throwing up temper tantrums

▼ Show Answer

9. Which of the following is mainly concerned with the software aspect of technology?

1) Computer

3) TV set

2) Floppy

4) Scripts

▼ Show Answer

70. The psychological barrier in communication is:

(A) noise

(B) wrong perception

(C) ambiguous words

(D) previous knowledge

▼ Show Answer

71. Full form of C.A.B.E. is:

(A) Central Administration Board of Education

(B) Central Allied Board of Education

(C) Central Advisory Board of Education

(D) Central Administrative Board of Education

▼ Show Answer

72. Which of the following is **not** a co-curricular activity?

- (A) organizing a quiz
- (B) participating in a cultural programme organized in the school
- (C) reading a Journal in the school library
- (D) deputing a student for drama competition

▼ **Show Answer**

3. Evaluation ascertains:

- (A) how far the learning objectives have been achieved
- (B) the weakness of instructional procedures
- (C) reinforcement and feedback
- (D) all of the above

▼ **Show Answer**

74. Work experience in education means:

- (A) to inculcate in students right attitude towards work
- (B) to participate in productive work for living
- (C) to bridge the gap between school life and
- (D) all of the above

▼ **Show Answer**

75. If a child is not taking interest in the classroom, the teacher must:

- (A) give more home assignment
- (B) report to parents
- (C) use teaching aids

(D) involve students in teaching-learning through interactive activities

▼ Show Answer

6. Maximum participation of students is possible in teaching through:

1) Lecture method

3) Textbook method

2) Discussion method

4) Audio-Video aids

▼ Show Answer

77. A good textbook does **not** have the criteria of:

(A) learner friendly

(B) logical sequencing of content

(C) high cost

(D) interactive language

▼ Show Answer

78. Slow learners in the class should be:

(A) motivated

(B) neglected

(C) treated sympathetically

(D) given easy assignment

▼ Show Answer

79. The worst type of classroom management style is:

(A) autocratic

(B) democratic

(C) co-operative

(D) participatory

▼ Show Answer

80. What is best suited source to acquire knowledge systematically?

(A) from authority

(B) by personal experiences

(C) through scientific method

(D) by expert opinion

▼ Show Answer

PART-B

Section-V: (i) Science

81. Positive ions are formed from neutral atoms by the loss of:

(A) neutrons

(B) nuclear charge

(C) protons

(D) electrons

▼ Show Answer

82. Which of the following statements is TRUE? Elements in the first column of the Periodic Table

(A) are called alkali metals

- (B) are inert gases
- (C) have metallic lusture
- (D) are radioactive in nature

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3. Which one of the following properties would a solution have if it is an acid?

- 1) Solution turns litmus blue.
- 2) Solution feels slippery.
- (C) Solution has a hydrogen ion concentration of 10^{-13} M.
- (D) Solution is a very good conductor of electricity.

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84. Which of the electronic configurations given below would you expect for a noble gas?

- (A) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2$
- (B) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^1$
- (C) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$
- (D) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^5$

▼ Show Answer

85. How many atoms are contained in a mole of sulphuric acid, H_2SO_4 ?

- (A) $7 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mole
- (B) $5 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mole
- (C) $3 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mole
- (D) $8 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$ atoms/mole

▼ Show Answer

86. What is the power of a convex lens whose focal length is 50 cm?

1) -2 D

3) -0.5 D

2) +2 D

4) +0.5 D

▼ Show Answer

87. Which of the colours of visible light has minimum wave length?

(A) Violet

(B) Red

(C) Yellow

(D) Green

▼ Show Answer

88. In a metallic conductor, electric current is due to the movement of:

(A) ions

(B) amperes

(C) electrons

(D) protons

▼ Show Answer

89. An electric charge in uniform motion produces:

(A) an electric field only

(B) a magnetic field only

(C) both electric and magnetic fields

(D) no such field at all

▼ **Show Answer**

90. The radiations emitted by a hot furnace are:

(A) ultra-violet

(B) infra-red

(C) X-rays

(D) microwaves

▼ **Show Answer**

91. Normal blood pressure range (mm Hg) is:

(A) 120/80

(B) 100/60

(C) 140/90

(D) 90/50

▼ **Show Answer**

92. Gastric digestion takes place efficiently in:

(A) acidic medium

(B) alkaline medium

(C) neutral medium

(D) highly alkaline medium

▼ Show Answer

93. A doctor advised a person to take an injection of insulin because:

- 1) his blood pressure was low
- 2) his heart was beating slowly
- 3) he was suffering from goitre
- 4) his sugar level in blood was high

▼ Show Answer

94. Which of the following is a plant hormone?

- (A) Insulin
- (B) Thyroxine
- (C) Oestrogen
- (D) Cytokinin

▼ Show Answer

95. If a tall plant is crossed with a dwarf plant, what is this type of cross called?

- (A) dihybrid
- (B) monohybrid
- (C) reciprocal
- (D) trihybrid

▼ Show Answer

96. What is the name of the discipline dealing with the study of inheritance?

- (A) Cytology

(B) Evolution

(C) Genetics

(D) Morphology

▼ **Show Answer**

7. Which of the following constitutes a food chain?

(A) Grass, wheat and mango

(B) Grass, goat and human

(C) Goat, cow and elephant

(D) Grass, fish and goat

▼ **Show Answer**

98. The depletion of ozone shield is due to:

(A) Chlorofluorocarbons

(B) Oxides of nitrogen

(C) Methane

(D) All of these

▼ **Show Answer**

99. Which of the following fuel is a fossil fuel?

(A) Biogas

(B) Biodiesel

(C) Coal and Petroleum

(D) Nuclear fuel

▼ Show Answer

100. The main aim of conservation and preservation of the environment is to:

- 1) Preserve the plants
- 2) Preserve the animals
- 3) Preserve the fuels
- 4) Preserve the biodiversity

▼ Show Answer

Section-V : (ii) Mathematics

101. The mean of first n natural numbers is:

- (A) $n/2$
- (B) $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$
- (C) $\frac{n+2}{2}$
- (D) $\frac{n+1}{2}$

▼ Show Answer

102. The fifth decile is the same as:

- (A) Mean
- (B) Median
- (C) Mode
- (D) Geometric Mean

▼ Show Answer

103. For a positively skewed curve, which of the following is true?

(A) Mean > Median

(B) Median > Mean

(C) Mean = Median

(D) Mode > Mean

▼ Show Answer

104. The 25th percentile coincides with:

(A) Mean

(B) First Quartile

(C) Median

(D) Third Quartile

▼ Show Answer

105. If each side of a rectangle is increased by 20%, its area would increase by:

(A) 20%

(B) 40%

(C) 44%

(D) 56%

▼ Show Answer

106. If the radius of circle is increased by 50%, the area of the circle would increase by:

(A) 25%

(B) 125%

(C) 50%

(D) 75%

▼ Show Answer

07. Anil and Ankur can do a piece of work in 12j days, Ankur and Harish in 15 days. Harish and Anil in 0 days. How much time will Anil alone take to finish the work?

1) 25 days

3) 35 days

(C) 30 days

(D) 40 days

▼ Show Answer

108. Which fraction is the largest?

(A) $\frac{3}{7}$

(B) $\frac{5}{9}$

(C) $\frac{5}{11}$

(D) $\frac{7}{13}$

▼ Show Answer

109. Which fraction is the smallest?

(A) $\frac{5}{6}$

(B) $\frac{6}{7}$

(C) $\frac{7}{8}$

(D) $\frac{8}{9}$

▼ Show Answer

110. What is 5 per cent of 10 per cent of 5?

- 1) 0.25
- 2) 0.0125
- 3) 0.0625
- 4) 0.025

▼ Show Answer

111. A train moves at the speed of 180 km per hour. The speed of the train per second is:

- (A) 180 m
- (B) 120 m
- (C) 90 m
- (D) 50 m

▼ Show Answer

112. A man sells an article for Rs 20 and earns a profit of 20%. What is the cost price?

- (A) Rs 16
- (B) Rs 16.66
- (C) Rs 15
- (D) Rs 15.87

▼ Show Answer

113. A student's score was wrongly entered as 83 instead of 63 which led to increase in average by $\frac{1}{2}$. The number of students in the class is:

(A) 35

(B) 40

(C) 45

(D) 50

▼ Show Answer

14. A fruit vender buys oranges at 4 oranges for Rs 3 for sells them at 3 oranges for Rs 4. The profit er cent is about:

(A) 66

(B) 77

(C) 88

(D) 55

▼ Show Answer

115. A man's speed along the current is 15 km/hr and the speed of the current is 1.5 km/hr. Man's speed against the current is:

(A) 12.0 km/hr

(B) 16.5 km/hr

(C) 13.5 km/hr

(D) 15.5 km/hr

▼ Show Answer

116. Two numbers are in the ratio 2 : 3. If their LCM is 48, then the sum of numbers is:

(A) 28

(B) 36

(C) 40

(D) 42

▼ Show Answer

17. What is the greatest possible length which can be used to measure exactly the rods of 8 m, 4 m 20 cm and 12 m 20 cm length?

1) 10 cm

2) 15 cm

(C) 20 cm

(D) 25 cm

▼ Show Answer

118. What per cent of a day is the time of 4 hours?

(A) 6%

(B) 33%

(C) 16.66%

(D) 18.87%

▼ Show Answer

119. A student obtained 125 marks but failed by 40 marks. If minimum pass marks are 33%, then the maximum marks for the exam is:

(A) 240

(B) 360

(C) 420

(D) 500

▼ Show Answer

120. A man's salary was decreased by 50% and then increased by 50%. The net change is:

- 1) 25% increase
- 2) 33% increase
- 3) 25% decrease
- 4) 33% decrease

▼ Show Answer

Section-V : (iii) Social Science

121. The Sikh Khalsa was founded by:

- (A) Guru Teg Bahadur
- (B) Guru Nanak
- (C) Guru Gobind Singh
- (D) Guru Hargobind

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122. Relics of Buddha are preserved in a:

- (A) Vihara
- (B) Chaitya
- (C) Stupa
- (D) Monastery

▼ Show Answer

123. Which was the first metal used by man?

(A) Copper

(B) Silver

(C) Bronze

(D) Brass

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24. Who among the following attended all the three Round Table Conferences?

(A) Madan Mohan Malviya

(B) Annie Besant

(C) Mahatma Gandhi

(D) B. R. Ambedkar

▼ **Show Answer**

125. Tulsidas was a contemporary of:

(A) Babar

(B) Akbar

(C) Jahangir

(D) Shahjahan

▼ **Show Answer**

126. The study of heavenly bodies is known as:

(A) Astrology

(B) Astronautics

(C) Astronomy

(D) Astrophysics

▼ Show Answer

27. A star which appears blue is:

1) Cooler than the moon

2) Hotter than the sun

3) As hot as the sun

4) Cooler than the sun

▼ Show Answer

128. A sudden fall in the barometric reading indicates:

(A) Rain

(B) Storm

(C) Fine weather

(D) Extreme cold

▼ Show Answer

129. Lunar eclipse is caused when the:

(A) Moon comes between the Sun and the Earth

(B) Earth comes between the Sun and the Moon

(C) Sun comes between the Earth and Moon

(D) None of the above

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130. Which of the following is the largest river in the world?

(A) Nile

(B) Congo

(C) Ganga

(D) Amazon

▼ **Show Answer**

31. Who among the following was the constitutional adviser to the Constituent Assembly of India?

(A) Dr. B. N. Rau

(B) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar

(C) K. M. Munshi

(D) M. C. Setalvad

▼ **Show Answer**

132. The Annual Financial Statement is caused to be laid before both Houses of Parliament by the:

(A) President

(B) Speaker

(C) Vice-President

(D) Finance Minister

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133. Which is the highest and final judicial tribunal in respect of the Constitution of India?

(A) Parliament

(B) President

(C) Supreme Court

(D) Union Cabinet

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34. Which of the following rights was described by Dr. B. R. Ambedkar as The Heart and Soul of the constitution?

1) Right of Freedom of Religion

2) Right to Property

3) Right to Equality

(D) Right to Constitutional Remedies

▼ Show Answer

135. Which of the following is **not** a source of revenue to the village panchayats?

(A) Property Tax

(B) House Tax

(C) Land Tax

(D) Vehicles Tax

▼ Show Answer

136. Who is called the Father of Economics?

(A) Max Muller

(B) Karl Marx

(C) Adam Smith

(D) None of these

▼ Show Answer

137. Green Revolution is associated with _____.

- (A) Agriculture
- (B) Science & Technology
- (C) Milk Production
- (D) Industry

▼ Show Answer

38. GDR means:

- (A) Gross Domestic Ratio
- (B) Global Depository Receipt
- (C) Global Development Range
- (D) Geographically Developed Regions

▼ Show Answer

139. What is Laissez-faire?

- (A) Mixed Economy
- (B) Controlled Economy
- (C) Non-interference of Government in economic affairs
- (D) None of the above

▼ Show Answer

140. The Right to Information Act was enacted in the year:

- (A) 2005
- (B) 2006

(C) 2007

(D) 2008

▼ Show Answer

Section-V : (iv) English

Directions (Q. Nos. 141-145): Choose the word that is nearest in meaning to the underlined word.

41. The annual meeting of Philosophy Professors was a gathering of the most erudite.

(A) experienced

(B) senior

(C) learned

(D) famous

▼ Show Answer

142. Sarika was so ingenuous that her parents feared that she would be exploited.

(A) genius

(B) clever

(C) intelligent

(D) simple

▼ Show Answer

143. Most of the Snakes are

(A) harmless

(B) fast

(C) poisonous

(D) scary

▼ Show Answer

44. The burglar tried to placate the barking dog.

1) hit

3) pacify

2) shun

4) harm

▼ Show Answer

145. In traditional families, the young venerate their elders.

(A) copy

(B) follow

(C) revere

(D) fear

▼ Show Answer

Directions (Q. Nos. 146-150): In each of the following group of words, only one of them is correctly spelt. Select the one with the correct spelling.

146.

(A) vasillate

(B) vacilate

(C) vasilate

(D) vacillate

▼ Show Answer

147.

1) fluorescence

3) flourescence

2) fluroscence

0) florscence

▼ Show Answer

148.

(A) Rapudiate

(B) Repudiate

(C) Repudete

(D) Repudate

▼ Show Answer

149.

(A) Pristin

(B) Prestine

(C) Pristine

(D) Prestin

▼ Show Answer

150.

(A) Maleable

(B) Meleable

(C) Melleable

(D) Malleable

▼ Show Answer

Directions (Q. Nos. 151-154) : Choose the word that is opposite in meaning to the underlined word.

51. Particle physics is an esoteric field of knowledge.

(A) Popular

(B) Abstruse

(C) Obscure

(D) Difficult

▼ Show Answer

152. The life of mayflies seems

(A) Mysterious

(B) Evanescent

(C) Eternal

(D) Transient

▼ Show Answer

153. The principal was uncompromising on the issue of discipline.

(A) Inflexible

(B) flexible

(C) tenacious

(D) intransigent

▼ Show Answer

54. The store cashier was so lethargic that he always had a long queue in front of him.

1) Apathetic

3) Listless

2) Energetic

4) Languid

▼ Show Answer

Directions (Q. Nos. 155 and 156) : *Select the word in each group that does not belong to it.*

155.

(A) Loquacious

(B) Gossipy

(C) Verbose

(D) Amicable

▼ Show Answer

156.

(A) Unscrupulous

(B) Meticulous

(C) Conscientious

(D) Precise

▼ Show Answer

Directions (Q. Nos. 157-160) : *Pick out the most appropriate word from the given alternatives to fill in the blank to complete the sentence.*

157. After Amar betrayed his teammates by giving away their plan to the opposition, they called him_____.

- 1) a sycophant
- 2) a traitor
- 3) an imbecile
- 4) an expert

▼ Show Answer

158. Although Mary receives _____from critics for her unconventional acting style, she never considers changing to please them.

- (A) kudos
- (B) appreciation
- (C) tirades
- (D) empathy

▼ Show Answer

159. Friends often seek Deepika's _____ as she is known for her ability to listen carefully and offer unbiased advice.

- (A) concern
- (B) empathy
- (C) attention
- (D) counsel

▼ Show Answer

160. Behavioural theory is _____ in nature as it focuses on observation and direct study of actions.

(A) empirical

(B) diadactic

(C) theoretical

(D) obutse

▼ Show Answer

Section-V : (v) Hindi

निर्देश (प्रश्न संख्या 161 से 165): निम्नलिखित गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़कर उसके आधार पर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

“एक ही काम अब शेष था। पर्ण कुटी कैसी बनी है, देर से जानने की इच्छा मुझे हो रही थी। सो बट-दादा के केश पकड़कर फिर नीचे उतरा और पास की एक शिला पर बैठकर निश्चित हृदय से अपनी इच्छा तृप्त करने लगा। अपनी वस्तु चाहे कितनी ही साधारण क्यों न हो, पर हमारी आँखें उसे बहुत सुंदर रूप में देखती हैं। यही हाल मेरा था। वास्तव में पर्ण-कुटी चाहे कैसी ही रही हो, मुझे वह सुंदर जान पड़ रही थी। इस पर भी कुशा घास एवं बट वृक्ष के सहयोग से वह

पर्णशाला मुझे किसी योगाश्रम की पवित्र कुटी-सी मालूम पड़ी। भयंकर जंगल के बीच सिंह-व्याघ्र आदि से रक्षा करने वाली धरती से पंद्रह फीट की ऊँचाई पर बनी पर्ण-कुटी को देखकर मेरा हृदय पुलकित हो उठा। बट-दादा की अनेक भुजाओं ने उसे चारों तरफ से घेरकर अपनी गोद में सुरक्षित बैठाया हुआ था।

161. पर्ण-कुटी किससे बनी थी?

- A. बट-दादा के केश से
- B. कुशा घास से
- C. पत्ते से
- D. बट-दादा की भुजाओं से

▼ Show Answer

162. पर्ण-कुटी कहाँ पर बनाई गई थी?

- A. आंगन में
- B. बाग में
- C. घर में
- D. जंगल में

▼ Show Answer

63. लेखक को पर्ण-कुटी सुरक्षित क्यों लगी?

- A. क्योंकि यह जंगल में थी।
- B. क्योंकि इसे वट वृक्ष की भुजाओं ने चारों ओर से घेर रखा था।
- C. क्योंकि यह धरती से पन्द्रह फीट ऊँचाई पर थी।
- D. क्योंकि यह कुटी पवित्र-सी मालूम होती थी।

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164. लेखक अपनी इच्छा कैसे तृप्त करने लगा?

- A. जंगल में घूमकर
- B. वट वृक्ष पर बैठकर
- C. शिला पर बैठकर पर्णकुटी देखकर
- D. झूला-झूल कर

▼ Show Answer

165. “एक ही काम अब शेष था” से लेखक का क्या तात्पर्य है?

- A. यह जानना कि पर्णकुटी कैसी बनी थी।
- B. यह जानना कि पर्णकुटी किससे बनी थी।
- C. यह जानना कि पर्णकुटी कैसे बनी थी।
- D. यह जानना कि पर्णकुटी कहाँ बनी है।

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निर्देश (प्रश्न संख्या 166 से 180): निम्नलिखित प्रत्येक प्रश्न के चार-चार विकल्प दिए गए हैं। उनमें से सही विकल्प चुनिए।

66. जिसमें स्वरों का परिवर्तन य, र, व में होता है :

- A. वृद्धि सन्धि B. यण सन्धि
C. गुण सन्धि D. अयादि सन्धि

▼ Show Answer

67. त्रिफला में कौन-सा समास है?

- A. द्वन्द्व B. द्विगु
C. अव्ययीभाव D. बहुव्रीहि

▼ Show Answer

168. हंस का पर्यायवाची है :

- A. पुष्कर B. मराल
C. महाग्रीव D. मर्कट

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169. 'गूलर का फूल होना' मुहावरे का अर्थ है :

- A. बहुत प्रिय होना
B. अवसरवादी होना
C. सदा कुटिल होना
D. दुर्लभ होना

▼ Show Answer

170. 'सहन' में कौन-सा प्रत्यय है?

- A. अ B. अन
C. सह D. हन

176. 'पूत कपूत तो का धन संचय ।
पूत सूपत तो का धन संचय' ॥

में अलंकार है :

- | | |
|----------------|-------------|
| A. उपमा | B. रूपक |
| C. भ्रान्तिमान | D. अनुप्रास |

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177. लिपि का विशेषण है :

- | | |
|----------------|----------|
| A. लिपिवद्ध | B. लिपिक |
| C. लिपिक कार्य | D. लेखक |

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178. पुष्पित में प्रत्यय है :

- | | |
|--------|-------|
| A. इ | B. आइ |
| C. इत् | D. अ |

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179. तत्सम शब्द का चयन कीजिए :

- | | |
|----------|------------|
| A. कोसा | B. कुपात्र |
| C. काहिल | D. किसान |

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180. शुद्ध वर्तनी का चयन कीजिए :

- | | |
|-----------|-----------|
| A. परिणति | B. परणति |
| C. परणिति | D. परीणीत |

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