

## Multi Tasking Non Technical Staff and Havaladar CBIC and CBN Examination 2024

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### Section : Numerical and Mathematical Ability

Q.1 If  $\sqrt{5} : \sqrt{42} :: \sqrt{7} : x$ , then what is the value of x?

- Ans
- 1.  $\frac{7}{5}\sqrt{42}$
  - 2.  $\frac{6}{5}\sqrt{42}$
  - 3.  $\frac{6}{5}\sqrt{30}$
  - 4.  $\frac{7}{5}\sqrt{30}$

Q.2 A 296-m long train is running at a speed of 72 km/h. In how much time will it pass a 144-m long bridge?

- Ans
- 1. 30 seconds
  - 2. 25 seconds
  - 3. 22 seconds
  - 4. 27.5 seconds

Q.3 Find the average of the first 10 natural numbers.

- Ans
- 1. 50
  - 2. 5.5
  - 3. 55.5
  - 4. 50.5

Q.4 A library has an average number of 768 visitors on Monday, and 258 visitors on others day. Find the average number of visitors per day in a month of 30 days, beginning with Tuesday.

- Ans
- 1. 362
  - 2. 263
  - 3. 236
  - 4. 326

Q.5 At what rate of simple interest will a sum of money double itself in 12 years?

- Ans
- 1.  $16\frac{2}{3}\%$
  - 2.  $8\frac{1}{3}\%$
  - 3. 12%
  - 4. 18%

Q.6 Find the simple interest (in ₹) on ₹3500 as a sum borrowed at 4% per year rate of interest for 5 years.

- Ans
- 1. 640
  - 2. 740
  - 3. 660
  - 4. 700

Q.7 Find the simple interest (in ₹) on ₹2500 as a sum borrowed at 9% per year rate of interest for 5 years.

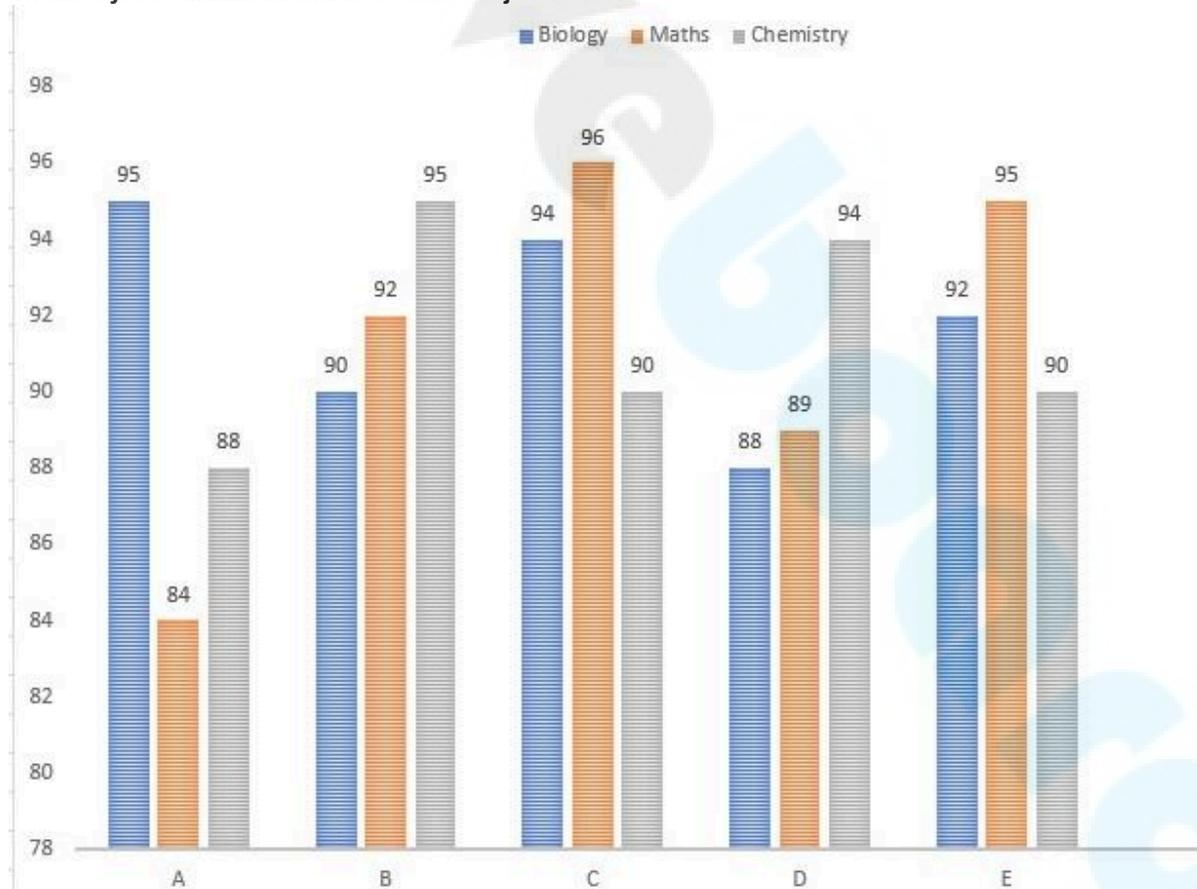
- Ans
- 1. 1085
  - 2. 1165
  - 3. 1065
  - 4. 1125

Q.8 A supermarket gives two successive discounts on a mobile phone marked ₹19,000. The first discount given is 14%. If the customer pays ₹15,048 for the phone, then what was the second discount (rounded up to two decimal points)?

- Ans
- 1. 9.26%
  - 2. 8.00%
  - 3. 7.91%
  - 4. 7.51%

Q.9 Study the given bar graph and answer the question that follows.

The given bar graph shows the annual exam average marks for five sections of class XI in Biology, Mathematics and Chemistry. The maximum marks of each subject is 100.



Find the ratio between the average marks of five sections scored in Biology to the average marks scored in Chemistry.

- Ans
- 1. 2 : 5
  - 2. 459 : 457
  - 3. 59 : 37
  - 4. 1 : 3

Q.10 The ratio of two numbers is 3:4 and their HCF is 4. Then, their LCM is:

- Ans
- 1. 24
  - 2. 28
  - 3. 38
  - 4. 48

Q.11

Refer to the given table and answer the question that follows.

Items	Monthly expenses (in thousands)
Labour	30
Raw materials	60
Interest	50
Rent	40

Raw materials and labour are how much present percent of the total expenses?

- Ans
- 1. 55%
  - 2. 40%
  - 3. 45%
  - 4. 50%

Q.12 The average of a non-zero number and its square is 7 times the number. The number is:

- Ans
- 1. 14
  - 2. 91
  - 3. 7
  - 4. 13

Q.13 The length of a rectangle is four-fifths of the side of the square, whose area is 1225 units<sup>2</sup>. What is the area (in units<sup>2</sup>) of the rectangle if the breadth is 12 units?

- Ans
- 1. 336
  - 2. 225
  - 3. 300
  - 4. 425

Q.14 In a factory, the average monthly salary of 25 unskilled workers is ₹11,950, that of 20 mechanics is ₹24,000 and that of 5 supervisors is ₹35,000. The average monthly salary of all the employees is:

- Ans
- 1. ₹19,180
  - 2. ₹19,225
  - 3. ₹19,055
  - 4. ₹19,075

Q.15 तेल के एक अर्ध-गोलाकार पात्र के किनारे की गोलाई 396 cm है। पात्र का  $\frac{1}{3}$  आयतन खाली है। इस तेल को 2.1 cm त्रिज्या वाले छोटे अर्ध-गोलाकार कटोरे में स्थानांतरित करना है। कितने कटोरों की आवश्यकता होगी?  
( $\pi = 22/7$  लीजिए)

- Ans
- 1. 27000
  - 2. 18000
  - 3. 9000
  - 4. 900

Q.16 A trapezium has parallel sides 6 units and 10 units. Other two opposite sides are of same length 8 units and two diagonals are of equal length. What is the area of the trapezium (in square units)?

- Ans
- 1.  $32\sqrt{5}$
  - 2.  $16\sqrt{3}$
  - 3.  $32\sqrt{3}$
  - 4.  $16\sqrt{15}$

Q.17 A shopkeeper sells an article for ₹450.30 with a loss of 21%. What is the cost price (in ₹) of the article?

- Ans
- 1. 429
  - 2. 570
  - 3. 521
  - 4. 485

Q.18 A person divided a certain sum among his three sons in the ratio 3 : 4 : 5. Had he divided the sum in the ratio  $\frac{1}{3} : \frac{1}{4} : \frac{1}{5}$ , the son, who got the least share earlier, would have got ₹1,188 more. The sum (in ₹) was:

- Ans
- 1. 6768
  - 2. 6876
  - 3. 6678
  - 4. 6687

Q.19 A dealer made some profit by selling a laptop for ₹88,000, which is equal to the amount of loss incurred on selling the same laptop for ₹72,000. If he had sold the laptop for ₹96,000, then his profit percentage would have been:

- Ans
- 1. 31.7%
  - 2. 25%
  - 3. 20%
  - 4. 37.5%

Q.20 A thief is 150 metres away from a policeman. If the speed of the thief is 93 km/h and the speed of the policeman is 108 km/h, then the time taken by the policeman to catch the thief is:

- Ans
- 1. 32 seconds
  - 2. 40 seconds
  - 3. 38 seconds
  - 4. 36 seconds

Q.1 In a certain code language, 'CLOSE' is coded as '48793' and 'LOSER' is coded as '89243'. What is the code for 'R' in the given code language?

- Ans
- 1. 4
  - 2. 2
  - 3. 7
  - 4. 8

Q.2 HN74 is related to TZ55 in a certain way . In the same way, XD60 is related to JP41. To which of the following is ZF55 related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. LR36
  - 2. RL46
  - 3. RL36
  - 4. LR46

Q.3 Read the given statement(s) and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statement(s).

Statements: Some papers are pens. All the pencils are pens.

Conclusions (I): Some pens are pencils.

Conclusions (II): Some pens are papers.

- Ans
- 1. Only conclusion (I) follows.
  - 2. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows.
  - 3. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow.
  - 4. Only conclusion (II) follows.

Q.4 Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following sets.

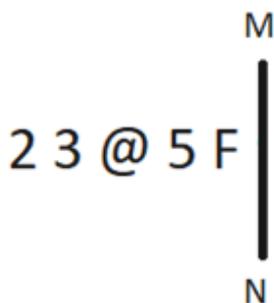
(10, 360, 3)

(12, 720, 5)

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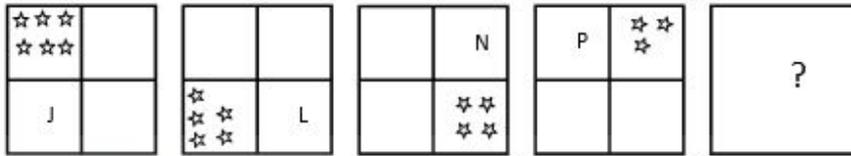
- Ans
- 1. (11, 956, 8)
  - 2. (13, 1009, 7)
  - 3. (8, 576, 6)
  - 4. (17, 816, 3)

Q.5 Select the correct mirror image of the given figure when the mirror is placed at MN as shown below.



- Ans
- 1. 5 F @ 3 2
  - 2. F 5 @ 3 2
  - 3. F 2 @ 3 2
  - 4. F 2 @ 3 2

Q.6 Identify the figure given in the options which when put in place of ? will logically complete the series.



Ans

- ✓ 1.
- ✗ 2.
- ✗ 3.
- ✗ 4.

Q.7 In a certain code language, 'get a driver' is written as 'ki jo hu' and 'better get out' is written as 'ji hy ki'. How is 'get' written in the given language?

- ✓ 1. ki
- ✗ 2. jo
- ✗ 3. ji
- ✗ 4. hy

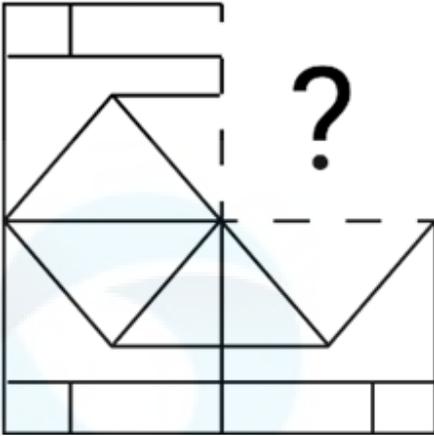
Q.8 Select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series. 12, 16, 22, 32, ?

- ✗ 1. 45
- ✗ 2. 44
- ✓ 3. 46
- ✗ 4. 47

Q.9 In a certain code language, 'will you go' is coded as 'rp zs tu' and 'you come here' is written as 'ar cm tu'. How is 'you' coded in that code language?

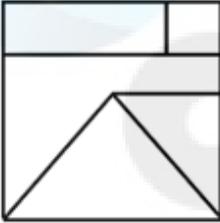
- ✗ 1. rp
- ✗ 2. zs
- ✓ 3. tu
- ✗ 4. ar

Q.10 Select the option figure that will replace the question mark (?) in the figure given below to complete the pattern.

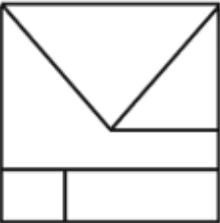


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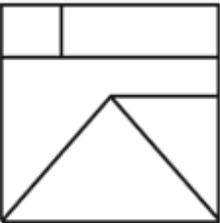
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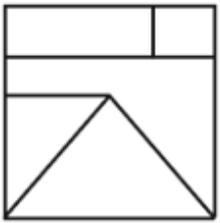
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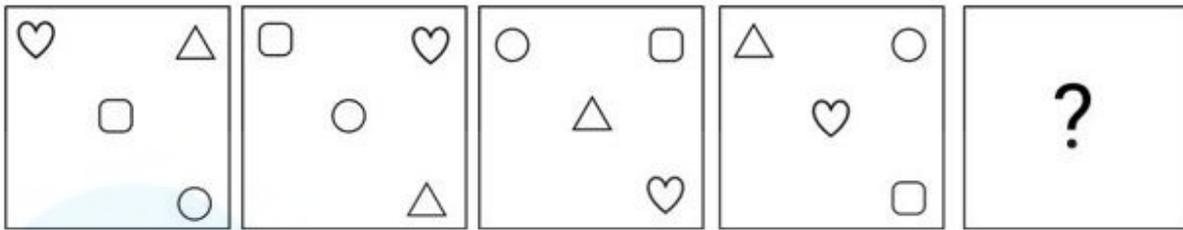
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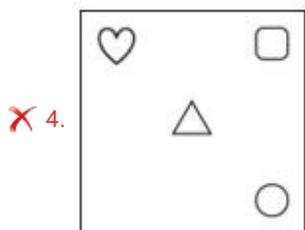
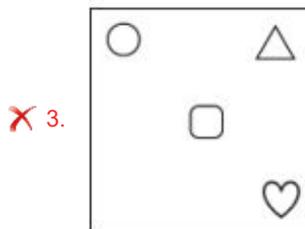
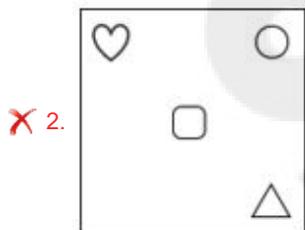
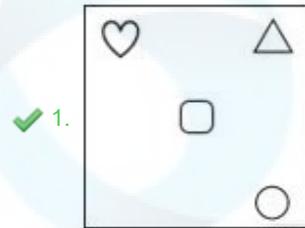
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Q.11 Identify the figure given in the options that when put in place of the question mark (?) will logically complete the series.



Ans



Q.12 What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the following series based on the English alphabetical order? SWS, TUQ, USO, VQM, ?

- Ans
- ✗ 1. WOL
  - ✓ 2. WOK
  - ✗ 3. VOK
  - ✗ 4. VOL

Q.13 In a certain code language, 'GIRL' is coded as '3571' and 'TAGS' is coded as '4685'. What is the code for 'G' in that language?

- Ans
- ✗ 1. 8
  - ✗ 2. 3
  - ✗ 3. 4
  - ✓ 4. 5

Q.14 CHUM is related to DJVO in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, NOPA is related to OQQC. To which of the following is DYIE related, following the same logic?

- Ans
- 1. EAJG
  - 2. CCHI
  - 3. DBHG
  - 4. CBGI

Q.15 A, B, C, D, E, F and G are sitting around a circular table facing the centre (but not necessarily in the same order). B is sitting second to the right of A and to the immediate left of C. C is sitting second to the left of D. F is sitting to the immediate right of A. E is not an immediate neighbour of A. How many people are sitting between D and A when counted from the left of A?

- Ans
- 1. One
  - 2. Three
  - 3. Two
  - 4. None

Q.16 What will come in the place of the question mark (?) in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$$22 \times 484 \div 44 - 93 + 12 = ?$$

- Ans
- 1. 68
  - 2. 38
  - 3. 83
  - 4. 86

Q.17 What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

$$41 \div 6 + 99 \times 3 - 9 = ?$$

- Ans
- 1. 220
  - 2. 224
  - 3. 222
  - 4. 226

Q.18 Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements:

All books are racks.  
All tables are books.

Conclusions:

(I) At least some racks are tables.  
(II) All racks are books.

- Ans
- 1. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows
  - 2. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow
  - 3. Only conclusion (II) follows
  - 4. Only conclusion (I) follows

Q.19 Six persons P1, P2, P3, P4, P5 and P6 sit around a circular table facing towards the centre (not necessarily in the same order). P2 sits second to the left of P5. One person sits between P2 and P6 when counted from the left of P2. P3 and P2 are not neighbours of P5 and P4, respectively. Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?

I. One person sits between P1 and P6 when counted from the right of P1.  
II. P3 is an immediate neighbour of P2.

- Ans
- 1. Both I and II
  - 2. Neither I nor II
  - 3. Only II
  - 4. Only I

**Q.20** 11 is related to 65 following a certain logic. Following the same logic, 16 is related to 90. To which of the following is 21 related following the same logic?

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- Ans**
- 1. 114
  - 2. 112
  - 3. 115
  - 4. 113

Section : **General Awareness**

**Q.1** Which dynasty defeated the Kanva dynasty?

- Ans**
- 1. Sunga Dynasty
  - 2. Kushan Dynasty
  - 3. Sakas Dynasty
  - 4. Satavahana Dynasty

**Q.2** Which of the following best represents the Revenue Deficit?

- Ans**
- 1. Primary Deficit + Fiscal Deficit
  - 2. Revenue Expenditure + Revenue Receipts
  - 3. Primary Deficit – Fiscal Deficit
  - 4. Revenue Expenditure – Revenue Receipts

**Q.3** The non-metallic mineral mica is used in which of the following industries?

- Ans**
- 1. Cement industry
  - 2. Steel industry
  - 3. Glass industry
  - 4. Electrical industry

**Q.4** Which virus is responsible for causing AIDS?

- Ans**
- 1. Herpes simplex virus (HSV)
  - 2. Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)
  - 3. Human papillomavirus (HPV)
  - 4. Influenza virus

**Q.5** Which of the following Articles of the Constitution of India emphasises the participation of workers in the management of industries?

- Ans**
- 1. Article 42B
  - 2. Article 44C
  - 3. Article 46D
  - 4. Article 43A

**Q.6** Which of the following two properties of metals are exploited to prepare very thin sheets of silver to decorate sweets?

- Ans**
- 1. Ductility and lustre
  - 2. Malleability and sonorous
  - 3. Lustre and sonorous
  - 4. Malleability and lustre

**Q.7** What is the quorum of the Lok Sabha at the time of the Presidential address, which is held at the opening of each session of the Lok Sabha?

- Ans**
- 1. One-third
  - 2. One-tenth
  - 3. One-twelfth
  - 4. One-fourth

**Q.8** As of July 2023, who was the Member of Parliament from the parliamentary constituency of Varanasi?

- Ans**
- 1. Narendra Modi
  - 2. Rajnath Singh
  - 3. Smriti Irani
  - 4. Yogi Adityanath

**Q.9** The Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College in Aligarh was founded by \_\_\_\_\_.

- Ans**
- 1. Mohammad Ali Jinnah
  - 2. Muzaffar Ahmed
  - 3. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
  - 4. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad

**Q.10** Panch Mahal, a palace in Fatehpur Sikri, was built by the Mughal Emperor \_\_\_\_\_.

- Ans**
- 1. Jahangir
  - 2. Babar
  - 3. Akbar
  - 4. Shah Jahan

**Q.11** The Jhaveri Sisters are known for keeping alive the temple tradition of which of the following classical dances of India?

- Ans**
- 1. Sattriya
  - 2. Kathakali
  - 3. Manipuri
  - 4. Kathak

**Q.12** The historical novel, 'Train to Pakistan' was written by:

- Ans**
- 1. Shashi Tharoor
  - 2. Arundhati Roy
  - 3. Khushwant Singh
  - 4. Jawaharlal Nehru

**Q.13** The Indravati National Park is located in which state?

- Ans**
- 1. Tamil Nadu
  - 2. Tripura
  - 3. Chhattisgarh
  - 4. Rajasthan

**Q.14** Emani Sankara Sastry and Doraiswamy Iyengar are both associated with which musical instrument?

- Ans**
- 1. Flute
  - 2. Veena
  - 3. Ghatam
  - 4. Violin

Q.15 According to the census of India 2011, which of the following states is least urbanised?

- Ans
- 1. Chhattisgarh
  - 2. Bihar
  - 3. Uttar Pradesh
  - 4. Himachal Pradesh

Q.16 Consider the following pairs:

	Work	Writer
1	Rajtaringini	Kalhan
2	Gita Govinda	Chandbardai
3	Vikramarjuna - Vijaya	Pampa

Which of the above pairs is/are correctly matched?

- Ans
- 1. Both 1 and 2
  - 2. Both 1 and 3
  - 3. Only 2
  - 4. Only 3

Q.17 The navigable portion of Barak River in India is the 121 km stretch between Lakhipur and Bhanga, which was declared as \_\_\_\_\_ in the year 2016.

- Ans
- 1. NW-5
  - 2. NW-8
  - 3. NW-16
  - 4. NW-10

Q.18 Against which of the following were 'Swadeshi' and 'Boycott' used as the means of protest and struggle, for the first time in India?

- Ans
- 1. Rowlatt Act
  - 2. Partition of Bengal
  - 3. Simon Commission
  - 4. Jallianwala Bagh massacre

Q.19 A hockey ground is rectangular in shape, measuring 91.4 m in length and \_\_\_\_\_ in width.

- Ans
- 1. 50 m
  - 2. 55 m
  - 3. 60 m
  - 4. 70 m

Q.20 The National Population Register was created under the provisions of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. the Citizenship Act, 1965
- b. the Citizenship Rules, 2004
- c. the Citizenship Act, 1955
- d. the Citizenship Rules, 2003

- Ans
- 1. a; c
  - 2. a; b
  - 3. b; d
  - 4. c; d

**Q.21** In May 2023, the Supreme Court interpreted which article related to the governance structure of Delhi, which outlines the principles of federalism, participatory democracy and collective responsibility?

- Ans**
- 1. Article 226
  - 2. Article 323A
  - 3. Article 243B
  - 4. Article 239AA

**Q.22** Nishagandhi festival is celebrated in which of the following states?

- Ans**
- 1. Uttarakhand
  - 2. Jharkhand
  - 3. Maharashtra
  - 4. Kerala

**Q.23** Which Bharatanatyam dancer is the recipient of one of India's top civilian award, the Padma Vibhushan 1977?

- Ans**
- 1. Yamini Krishnamurthy
  - 2. Kelucharan Mohapatra
  - 3. T. Balasaraswati
  - 4. Mallika Sarabhai

**Q.24** Where was the inaugural season of Ultimate Kho-Kho League held in 2022?

- Ans**
- 1. Bhusawal
  - 2. Thane
  - 3. Pune
  - 4. Amravati

**Q.25** Which of the following options correctly matches Column-A with Column-B?

**Column-A (Cell organelles)**

- i. Cell membrane
- ii. Smooth Endoplasmic Reticulum
- iii. Golgi apparatus
- iv. Ribosomes

**Column-B (Function)**

- a. Protein synthesis
- b. Important site of formation of glycoproteins and glycolipids
- c. Synthesis of lipid
- d. Transport of the molecules

- Ans**
- 1. i-d, ii-c, iii-b, iv-a
  - 2. i-c, ii-d, iii-b, iv-a
  - 3. i-c, ii-a, iii-d, iv-b
  - 4. i-c, ii-d, iii-a, iv-b

Section : English Language and Comprehension

**Q.1** Select the most appropriate idiom that can substitute the underlined segment.  
Despite the difficulties, Sarah started her business with great energy and hard work, and performed remarkably well in the industry.

- Ans**
- 1. hit the ground running
  - 2. hit the hay
  - 3. spilled the beans
  - 4. let sleeping dogs lie

**Q.2** Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.

The mother told the child to erase the extra dots from the given graph.

- Ans
- 1. Create
  - 2. Shatter
  - 3. Delete
  - 4. Efface

**Q.3** The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.  
She oftenly goes / shopping with / her friends / on Saturdays.

- Ans
- 1. her friends
  - 2. on Saturdays
  - 3. She oftenly goes
  - 4. shopping with

**Q.4** Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution'.

No sooner had she enter her apartment than she found a bouquet of flowers on her table.

- Ans
- 1. No substitution
  - 2. No sooner did she entered her apartment than
  - 3. No sooner did she enter her apartment than
  - 4. No sooner has she enter her apartment than

**Q.5** Select the option that expresses the given sentence in future continuous tense form.  
Shall I meet you soon?

- Ans
- 1. Shall I have met you soon?
  - 2. Shall I be meeting you soon?
  - 3. Will we be meeting soon?
  - 4. Will I be meeting you soon?

**Q.6** Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.  
The rules of behaviour which guide one in a formal situation

- Ans
- 1. Affidavit
  - 2. Protocol
  - 3. Bargain
  - 4. Impropriety

**Q.7** Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- Ans
- 1. Cautios
  - 2. Anxious
  - 3. Curious
  - 4. Bashful

**Q.8** Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

The company ran about of stock due to unexpectedly high demand for the product.

- Ans
- 1. ran out of stock due to
  - 2. ran around of stock due to
  - 3. ran across of stock due to
  - 4. ran on of stock due to

**Q.9** Identify the INCORRECTLY spelt word from the given sentence.

Enthusiasm is one of those vital elements that transforms an individual and his failures into victories and success.

- Ans
- 1. Success
  - 2. Individual
  - 3. Victories
  - 4. Failures

**Q.10** Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined word in the given sentence.

Disclaimer on products in the markets saves manufacturer from unusual results on usage.

- Ans
- 1. Guarantee
  - 2. Approval
  - 3. Clause
  - 4. Acceptance

**Q.11** Select the most appropriate degree to fill in the blank.

Doctors should never be \_\_\_\_\_ than others when patients come for their treatment.

- Ans
- 1. least caring
  - 2. more caring
  - 3. most caring
  - 4. less caring

**Q.12** Select the option that rectifies the underlined spelling error.

The panel submitted the findings to the ministry.

- Ans
- 1. submittad
  - 2. submittd
  - 3. sumitted
  - 4. submitted

**Q.13** Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Clear the decks

- Ans
- 1. To draw something down
  - 2. To take something away
  - 3. To remove unnecessary things for further work
  - 4. Prepare for an event or course of action by dealing with anything that might hinder progress

**Q.14** Identify the error in the following sentence.

The zoo is under the street from the temple.

- Ans
- 1. zoo
  - 2. temple
  - 3. from
  - 4. under

**Q.15** Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.

The order will be operational from 1<sup>st</sup> of November.

- Ans
- 1. considered
  - 2. provoked
  - 3. scrapped
  - 4. effective

**Q.16** The following sentence has been split into four parts. Identify the part that contains a grammatical error.

A student becomes / dearer to the teachers / via participating and actively working / towards the glory of the school.

- Ans**
- 1. A student becomes
  - 2. dearer to the teachers
  - 3. via participating and actively working
  - 4. towards the glory of the school.

**Q.17** Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word in the given sentence.  
He was appointed as the Manager.

- Ans**
- 1. Dismissed
  - 2. Disordered
  - 3. Assigned
  - 4. Disappointed

**Q.18** Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution required'.

Her team played exceptionally more well in the competition.

- Ans**
- 1. No substitution required
  - 2. well
  - 3. most well
  - 4. more well

**Q.19** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.  
I have never \_\_\_\_\_ this kind of pain before surgery.

- Ans**
- 1. experienced
  - 2. practised
  - 3. trained
  - 4. dedicated

**Q.20** Select the word that has the same meaning (SYNONYM) as the underlined word in the given sentence.

The doctor made a tentative diagnosis as he did not have the reports of her blood tests.

- Ans**
- 1. provisional
  - 2. tedious
  - 3. hazardous
  - 4. obsolete

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

Indian villages showcase the country's rich culture and customs. Most Indians live in villages, (1) \_\_\_\_\_ agriculture, modest living and close-knit communities are the norms. Villagers wake up to roosters crowing and farm (2) \_\_\_\_\_ day. Farming is the main employment, and generations labour (3) \_\_\_\_\_ the same land. Traditions, communal events and a slower pace (4) \_\_\_\_\_ village life from metropolitan life. Villagers' togetherness and shared duty make it part of India's identity, (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the lack of contemporary conveniences.

**SubQuestion No : 21**

**Q.21** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

- Ans**
- 1. where
  - 2. what
  - 3. which
  - 4. when

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**SubQuestion No : 22**

**Q.22** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

- Ans**
- 1. all
  - 2. towards
  - 3. before
  - 4. after

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 23**

**Q.23** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

- Ans**
- 1. on
  - 2. with
  - 3. at
  - 4. in

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 24**

**Q.24** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

- Ans**
- 1. compare
  - 2. balance
  - 3. distinguish
  - 4. equate

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 25**

**Q.25** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

- Ans**
- 1. in spite
  - 2. beside
  - 3. instead of
  - 4. despite