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General Ability1

1. A series is given with one term missing. Select the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.
12FK, 36IN, 108LQ, 324OT, ?

(a) 972SX
(b) 972TY
(c) 972UZ
(d) 972RW

Answer: (d)

2. Arrange the given words in the sequence in which they occur in the dictionary.
1. BRANCE
2. BRANDS
3. BRAS
4. BRACELET
5. BRAINS

(a) 41532
(b) 41523
(c) 45132
(d) 45123

Answer: (d)

3. A series is given with one term wrong. Select that wrong term from the given alternatives.
NTFQ, QXKW, TBPC, WFUH, ZJZO

(a) ZJZO
(b) TBPC
(c) QXKW
(d) WFUH

Answer: (d)

4. In the following question, select the odd word pair from the given alternatives.

(a) Surgeon – Scalpel
(b) Labourer – Spade
(c) Axe – Woodcutter
(d) Doctor – Stethoscope

Answer: (c)

5. In the following question, select the odd letter/letters from the given alternatives.

(a) ABCDE
(b) IJKLM
(c) PQRST
(d) KLMNP

Answer: (d)

6. In the following question, four pairs are given. The letters on left side of (–) is related to the letters on the right side of (–) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.

(a) ZGT – DNZ
(b) NQT – RYZ
(c) UMR – YTX
(d) BTA – FAG

Answer: (b)

7. In the following question, select the related letters from the given alternatives.
RM : YT :: AJ : ?

(a) HR
(b) HQ
(c) NQ
(d) IR

Answer: (b)

8. In the following question, select the related letter pair from the given alternatives.
PAN : QDS :: ?

(a) AJT : BMX
(b) KBC : LYH
(c) DGL : EJQ
(d) LNT : MRY

Answer: (c)

9. In the following question, select the related letter pair from the given alternatives.
RUBS : HYYV :: ?

(a) DONG : VLRH

(b) LABT : GYEP

(c) CRMS : XJQG

(d) HUND : WMYM

Answer: (b)

10. In a certain code language, 'ZONES' is written as 'DSRIW'. What is the code for 'SPECIAL' in that code language?

(a) WITGMEP

(b) WTIGMEP

(c) WTIMGEP

(d) WTIGMPE

Answer: (b)

11. In a certain code language, 'TRAP' is written as '10', 'ROM' is written as '10'. What is the code for 'LAB' in that code language?

(a) 6

(b) 8

(c) 9

(d) 7

Answer: (a)

12. In a certain code language, 'He has a te erat is written as 'or sf lp ue', 'A body have soul' is written as 'lp dz sq lt', 'Soul is at peace' is wri 'lt sl to ae'. What is the code for 'soul a' in that code language?

(a) sf dz

(b) ue ae

(c) lt lp

(d) sf ae

Answer: (c)

13. In a certain code language, 'She is your wife' is written as 'qs bt on fj', 'Your game is wild' is written as 'on eq bt dl', 'Is he aware' is written as 'bt ef rm'. What is the code for 'Is your' in that code language?

(a) bt on

(b) fj dl

(c) qs rm

(d) bt dl

Answer: (a)

14. Six girls A, B, C, D, E and F are sitting in a row facing towards north (not necessarily in the same order). D is second to the right of E. B is second to the left of E. C is to the immediate left of B. F is second to the right of C. Who is sitting to the immediate right of E?

(a) A

(b) D

(c) F

(d) B

Answer: (a)

15. Ages of six boys A, B, C, D, E and F are compared. Age of only four boys is more than the age of B. Age of A is more than D but less than E.
Number of boys having age less than B are same as the number of boys having age less than F.
Age of C is more than F but less than D.
Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?
I. Age of B is same as the age of F
II. Age of E is the maximum

(a) Only I

(b) Only II

(c) Both I and II

(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

16. Eight women P, Q, R, S, T, U, V and W are sitting a[illegible]nd a circular table facing towards the centre (not necessarily in the same order). T is seco[illegible]o the left of P. V is third to the left of T. W is to the immediate left of T. S is second to the right o[illegible]. Q is third to the right of U.
Which of the following statement(s) is/are [illegible]ct?
I. R is third to the right of S.
II. T is to the immediate right of S.

(a) Only I

(b) Only II

(c) Both I and II

(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (a)

17. Nine boys L, M, N, P, Q, R, S, T and V are sitting around a circular table facing towards the centre (not necessarily in the same order). R is fourth to the right of L. L is third to the right of M. V is fourth to the left of M. P is to the immediate left of L. N is third to the right of T. Q is second to the left of S.
Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?
I. N is second to the left of P.
II. M is to the immediate right of T.
III. V is fourth to the right of T.
IV. S and R are not immediate neighbours.

(a) I and III

(b) Only II

(c) Only III

(d) II and IV

Answer: (c)

18. 9 girls G1, G2, G3, G4,G5, G6, G7, G8 and G9 likes one purse from P1, P2, P3, P4, P5, P6, P7, P8 and P9 (not necessarily in the same order).
No two girls like same purse. G2 and G7 likes a odd numbered purse. G6 doesn't like P4 or P2 or P6. G9 likes P3. G4 likes either P2 or P4. G1 likes P8. G3 and G8 don't like odd numbered purse.
Which of the following statement(s) can be correct?
I. G5 don't like P5.
II. G6 likes P3.
III. G8 don't like a even numbered purse.

(a) Only III

(b) II and III

(c) I and III

(d) Only I

Answer: (d)

19. In the following question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions based on those statements. Taking the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusion logically follows the given statements.
Statements:
I. Some wood are table.
II. No chair is table.
Conclusions:
I. All chair are wood.
II. Some table are wood.

(a) Only conclusion I follows

(b) Only conclusion II follows

(c) Both conclusions I and II follows

(d) Neither conclusion follows

Answer: (b)

20. In the following question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions based on those statements. Taking the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusion logically follows the given statements.
Statements:
I. No H is L.
II. Some K are L.
Conclusions:
I. Some L are K.
II. Some L are H.

(a) Only conclusion I follows

(b) Only conclusion II follows

(c) Both conclusions I and II follows

(d) Neither conclusion follows

Answer: (a)

General Ability2

21. In the following question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions based on those statements. Taking the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusion logically follows the given statements.
Statements:
I. All A are W.
II. No W is N.
Conclusions:
I. No N is A.
II. Some W are not N.
III. Some A are N.

(a) Both conclusions I and III follows

(b) Only conclusion III follows

(c) Both conclusions I and II follows

(d) Neither conclusion follows

Answer: (c)

22. In the following question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions based on those statements. Taking the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusion logically follows the given statements.
Statements:
I. Some J are T.
II. No T is X.
III. Some X are C.
Conclusions:
I. Some T are J.
II. Some J are not X.
III. Some C are X.

(a) Both conclusions II and III follows

(b) Neither conclusion follows

(c) Only conclusion III follows

(d) All conclusion follows

Answer: (d)

23. In the following question below are given some statements followed by some conclusions based on those statements. Taking the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusion logically follows the given statements.
Statements:
I. No B is A.
II. No R is J.
III. Some J are B.
Conclusions:
I. Some A are not B.
II. Some R are A.
III. No J is R.

(a) Both conclusions I and II follows

(b) Both conclusions I and III follows

(c) All conclusion follows

(d) Neither conclusion follows

Answer: (b)

24. In the following question, select the missing number from the given series.
30, 21, 12, 3, ?

(a) 1

(b) – 6

(c) – 4

(d) 2

Answer: (b)

25. In the following question, select the odd group of numbers from the given alternatives.

(a) (7, 49, 343)

(b) (4, 16, 64)

(c) (8, 64, 576)

(d) (5, 25, 125)

Answer: (c)

27. By Interchanging the given two numbers which of the following equation will not be correct?
8 and 4

(a) 8 – 4 + 6 × 5 ÷ 3 = 12

(b) 4 – 8 + 6 × 5 ÷ 2 = 19

(c) 6 – 5 + 4 × 3 ÷ 8 = 7

(d) 5 – 3 + 4 × 9 ÷ 8 = 20

Answer: (a)

38. A big cube is painted with red, green and blue colours on pairs of opposite faces. 5 equal cuts are made on each axis of this big cube. Now some small cubes are obtained. How many small cubes will have 3 faces painted with different colours?

(a) 24

(b) 16

(c) 0

(d) 8

Answer: (d)

General Awareness1

41. Rahim-Khane-Khanam Tomb is located in _____.

(a) Delhi

(b) Ranchi

(c) Punjab

(d) Agartala

Answer: (a)

42. Sattriya dance originated in which state?

(a) Tamil Nadu

(b) Bihar

(c) Goa

(d) Assam

Answer: (d)

43. Which of the following monument(s) is/are located in Uttar Pradesh?
I. Tomb of Janab-e-Aliya
II. Lord Cornwallis Tomb

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

44. Which of the following festival belongs to Assam?
I. Me-Dum-Me-Phi
II. Baishagu

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

45. What is the special case of oligopoly where there are exactly two sellers is called?

(a) Duopoly
(b) Monopolistic Competition
(c) Monopoly
(d) Perfect Competition

Answer: (a)

46. Goods that are of durable character which are used in the production process are called_____.
I. Consumption goods
II. Capital goods

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (b)

47. Gross National Product (GNP) can be defined as_____.

(a) Gross Domestic Product – Net factor income from abroad
(b) Gross Domestic Product + Net factor income from abroad
(c) Net National Product – Net factor income from abroad
(d) Net National Product + Net factor income from abroad

Answer: (b)

48. Which of the following statement(s) is/are true regarding Marginal Standing Facility (MSF)?
I. Bank rate has been aligned to the MSF rate and changes automatically.
II. Repo rate changes when MSF rate changes.

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

49. Which of the following is/are the correct measurement of Assets, with respect to money creation by banking system?
I. Reserves + Loans
II. Reserves

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (a)

50. Which of the following is used by dentist?

(a) Convex mirror
(b) Concave mirror
(c) Convex lens
(d) Concave lens

Answer: (b)

51. On an average, an adult human being at rest breathes in and out _____ times in a minute.

(a) 10 – 12
(b) 15 – 18
(c) 20 – 22
(d) 12 – 14

Answer: (b)

52. Which of the following pair is/are correct?
I. Isotopes – different mass numbers II. Isobars – different atomic numbers

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

53. Which of the following pair is/are correct?
I. Myopia – corrected by concave lens II. Hypermetropia – corrected by convex lens

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

54. From Gujarat to Arunachal Pradesh, there is a time lag of _____ hours.

(a) 1.5
(b) 2
(c) 0.5
(d) 1

Answer: (b)

55. Nomadic farming is practiced in some parts of India like _____.
I. Rajasthan
II. Jammu and Kashmir

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

56. Which of the following is/are a type of [illegible]?
I. Neap
II. Spring

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

57. The length of Ganga is over _____ km.

(a) 2800
(b) 2500
(c) 3100
(d) 3300

Answer: (b)

58. Which of the following tree(s) is/are found in tropical evergreen forests?
I. Ebony
II. Mahogany
III. Rosewood

(a) I and II
(b) II and III
(c) I and III
(d) I, II and III

Answer: (d)

59. Surdas was the ardent devotee of _____.

(a) Ram
(b) Shiv
(c) Krishna
(d) Hanuman

Answer: (c)

60. In _____, All India Muslim Leage was established.

(a) 1905
(b) 1910
(c) 1906
(d) 1908

Answer: (c)

General Awareness2

61. For which of the following prayer are mentioned in Rigveda?
I. Dog, cattle and fish
II. Cattle, children and horses

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (b)

62. Which of the following statement(s) regarding Jute mill is/are correct?
I. Jute mill first came up at Bengal.
II. It came up in 1885.

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

63. Which of the following statement(s) regarding "Kitab-Ul-Hind" is/are correct?
I. It was written by Al biruni.
II. It was written in Arabic language.

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

64. Where is the head office of National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) located?

(a) Kolkata
(b) Mumbai
(c) New Delhi
(d) Bangalore

Answer: (b)

65. Which Indian organisation has won the 2021 Right Livelihood Award?

(a) BAN
(b) LIFE
(c) CURE
(d) HEAT

Answer: (b)

66. The book titled 'Vijyant at Kargil: The L[illegible]f a [illegible]gil Hero' is written by _____.

(a) B.B. Lal
(b) V.N. Thapar and Neha Dwivedi
(c) Harsh Vardhan
(d) R.N. Thapar and Mridula Banerjee

Answer: (b)

67. Who has become the first Indian to receive the Richard Dawkins Award for 2020?

(a) A.R Rehman
(b) Jaya Bachchan
(c) Javed Akhtar
(d) Deepika Padukone

Answer: (c)

68. India celebrated its _____ Republic day on 26 January, 2021.

(a) 72nd
(b) 70th
(c) 74th
(d) 71st

Answer: (a)

69. Who has been named as the Entertainer of the year 2020 by the Times Magazine?

(a) Nick Jones

(b) Lady Gaga

(c) BTS

(d) Taylor Swift

Answer: (c)

70. What is India's rank in United Nations' Human Development Index 2020?

(a) 117

(b) 124

(c) 120

(d) 131

Answer: (d)

71. Sadat Rahman Sakhib who won International Children's Peace Prize 2020, belongs to which country?

(a) Qatar

(b) Uzbekistan

(c) Bangladesh

(d) India

Answer: (c)

72. Which article of the Indian Constitution deals wit e Attorney General of India?

(a) 76

(b) 75

(c) 74

(d) 73

Answer: (a)

73. Which article of the Indian Constitution deals with courts not to inquire into proceedings of parliament?

(a) 121

(b) 117

(c) 122

(d) 119

Answer: (c)

74. Which of the following article(s) is/are mentioned in sixth schedule of the Indian constitution?
I. 244(2)
II. 275(1)

(a) Only I

(b) Only II

(c) Both I and II

(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

75. In which year did the third amendement of the Indian constitution take place?

(a) 1951
(b) 1954
(c) 1953
(d) 1952

Answer: (b)

76. ICC World Test Championship final in 2021 was played in which country?

(a) South Africa
(b) England
(c) Australia
(d) New Zealand

Answer: (b)

77. There are _____ players on court in a basketball team.

(a) 4
(b) 7
(c) 6
(d) 5

Answer: (d)

78. Which of the following is NOT one of the semi-fin[illegible] team in 2018 Men's Hockey World Cup?

(a) Germany
(b) Belgium
(c) Netherlands
(d) Australia

Answer: (a)

79. Which of the following sports was played at 2020 Tokyo Olympics (played in 2021)?
I. Tennis
II. Wrestling

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

80. Which of the following is a domestic cricket tournament organised by BCCI?
I. Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy
II. Vijay Hazare Trophy

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

Arithmetic Ability1

84. M is the largest three digit number which is exactly divisible by both 12 and 7. N is the smallest three digit number which is exactly divisible by both 12 and 7. What is the value of (M + N)/2?

(a) 546
(b) 637
(c) 728
(d) 819

Answer: (a)

86. A dealer sells a machine having marked price as Rs. 2400 at a discount of 28 percent. What is the selling price of the machine?

(a) Rs. 1728
(b) Rs. 1808
(c) Rs. 1845
(d) Rs. 1782

Answer: (a)

87. The average age of 32 students is 16 years. It was observed that while calculating the average age, the age of a student was taken as 24 years instead of 12 years. What will be the correct average age (correct upto two decimal)?

(a) 18.37 years
(b) 19.22 years
(c) 15.42 years
(d) 15.62 years

Answer: (d)

88. Average age of 14 daughters of a family is 24 years. The average age of daughters and their father and mother is 34 years. If the mother is 12 years older than the father, then what is the age of the father?

(a) 102 years
(b) 101 years
(c) 99 years
(d) 98 years

Answer: (d)

89. What is the value of 15 percent of 110 + 50 percent of 125?

(a) 75
(b) 76
(c) 78
(d) 79

Answer: (d)

90. If the side of a square increases by p percent, then area of the square increases by 125 percent. What is the value of p?

(a) 25 percent

(b) 75 percent

(c) 50 percent

(d) 100 percent

Answer: (c)

91. The income of a person is Rs. 105000 and his expenditure is Rs. 85000. If his income is increased by 28 percent and expenditure is increased by 20 percent, then what will be the percentage increase in his savings?

(a) 66 percent

(b) 64 percent

(c) 63 percent

(d) 62 percent

Answer: (d)

92. Mohan gives 35 percent of a amount to his wife, 15 percent to his daughter and 60 percent of the remaining part to his son. If Mohan is left with Rs. 2500, then how much amount did Mohan have in the beginning?

(a) Rs. 15000

(b) Rs. 5000

(c) Rs. 10000

(d) Rs. 12500

Answer: (d)

93. Selling price of a chair is Rs. 5896. If loss percentage is 33 percent, then what is the cost price of chair?

(a) Rs. 7500

(b) Rs. 8000

(c) Rs. 8800

(d) Rs. 9000

Answer: (c)

94. A table is purchased for Rs. 8500 and sold for Rs. 8000. What is the loss percentage?

(a) 7.5 percent

(b) 5.88 percent

(c) 5 percent

(d) 10 percent

Answer: (b)

95. Pawan sells a bat at a profit of 12 percent. If he sells the bat for Rs. 32 more, then he earns a profit of 20 percent. What is the cost price of the bat?

(a) Rs. 450
(b) Rs. 400
(c) Rs. 300
(d) Rs. 320

Answer: (b)

96. A person bought 50 ball pens at the rate of Rs. 54 per ball pen. He sells 20 ball pens at a loss of 10 percent. If profit of 30 percent is earned on the all ball pens together, then what will be the profit percentage on the remaining 30 ball pens?

(a) 66.66 percent
(b) 52.5 percent
(c) 47.5 percent
(d) 56.66 percent

Answer: (d)

97. Two numbers are in the ratio of 3 : 5. If the sum of the two numbers is 96, then what is the difference between the two numbers?

(a) 36
(b) 24
(c) 48
(d) 96

Answer: (b)

98. If (x/2) : (y/4) : (z/3) = 2 : 3 : 4, then what is the value of x : y : z?

(a) 2 : 5 : 5
(b) 1 : 1 : 1
(c) 3 : 4 : 4
(d) 1 : 3 : 3

Answer: (d)

99. The ratio of two liquids B1 and B2 in a container is 4 : 3. When 7 litres of mixture is removed from the container and is replaced with B2, the ratio of B1 and B2 becomes 18 : 17. How many litres of B1 was in the container initially?

(a) 30 litres
(b) 20 litres
(c) 40 litres
(d) 10 litres

Answer: (c)

100. A sum of Rs. 6200 is invested in a scheme of simple interest. It becomes Rs. 7100 in 2 years. How much this sum will become in 6 years?

(a) Rs. 8500
(b) Rs. 8700
(c) Rs. 9800
(d) Rs. 8900

Answer: (d)

Arithmetic Ability2

101. What will be the compound interest (compounding annually) on a sum of Rs. 15000 at the rate of 20 percent per annum for 2 years?

(a) Rs. 7000
(b) Rs. 6700
(c) Rs. 6600
(d) Rs. 6800

Answer: (c)

102. Rs. 4420 is divided between P and Q at the rate of 10 percent per annum on compound interest (compounding annually). If P's share at the end of 8 years is equal to Q's share at the end of 10 years, then which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?
I. P's share is Rs. 2420
II. Q's share is Rs. 2000

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (c)

103. The speed of a train is 50 km/hr and its length is 375 meters. What is the time taken by the train to cross a pole?

(a) 35 seconds
(b) 21 seconds
(c) 32 seconds
(d) 27 seconds

Answer: (d)

104. A taxi travels a distance of 90 km at uniform speed. If the speed of taxi is increased by 12 km/hr, then it takes 2 hours less to cover the same distance. What is the original speed of the taxi?

(a) 30 km/hr
(b) 12 km/hr
(c) 24 km/hr
(d) 18 km/hr

Answer: (d)

105. Vivek starts moving at the speed of 60 km/hr at 6:00 am. Neeraj starts moving after 2 hours of Vivek at the speed of 90 km/hr. Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?
I. Neeraj and Vivek meet each other at 12 am.
II. Total distance covered by both Neeraj and Vivek till 3 pm is 1000 km.

(a) Only I
(b) Only II
(c) Both I and II
(d) Neither I nor II

Answer: (d)

106. If B can complete 4/5 of a work in 16 days, then B will complete 1/5 of the same work in how many days?

(a) 4 days
(b) 7 days
(c) 6 days
(d) 8 days

Answer: (a)

107. A and B together can do a work in 10 days. B and C together can do the same work in 12 days. C and A together can do the same work in 15 days. In how many days can C alone do the same work?

(a) 50 days
(b) 40 days
(c) 30 days
(d) 35 days

Answer: (b)

General English1

121. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'. Some cooks chill onions (1)/ for 30 minutes (2)/ before they cut it. (3)/ No error (4)

(a) Some cooks chill onions
(b) for 30 minutes
(c) before they cut it.
(d) No Error

Answer: (c)

122. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'. Humpbacks are one of the (1)/ most commercially important (2)/ marine species at Iceland. (3)/ No error (4)

(a) Humpbacks are one of the
(b) most commercially important
(c) marine species at Iceland.
(d) No Error

Answer: (c)

123. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.
She is best than (1)/ her brother in all (2)/ the spheres of life. (3)/ No error (4)

(a) She is best than

(b) her brother in all

(c) the spheres of life.

(d) No Error

Answer: (a)

124. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.
Cities should celebrate human (1)/ freedom, and cast aside as (2)/ many restraints which possible. (3)/ No error (4)

(a) Cities should celebrate human

(b) freedom, and cast aside as

(c) many restraints which possible.

(d) No Error

Answer: (c)

125. Find the part of the given sentence that has an error in it. If there is no error, choose 'No error'.
Germany today is a story of remarkable achievement (1)/ build on a foundation of quiet (2)/ cooperation and painstaking teamwork. (3)/ No error (4)

(a) Germany today is a story of remarkable achievement

(b) build on a foundation of quiet

(c) cooperation and painstaking teamwork.

(d) No Error

Answer: (b)

131. A sentence has been given with a blank to be filled with an appropriate word. Choose the correct alternative.
Though she _____ for a pink dress, yet her mother couldn't find one.

(a) invited

(b) required

(c) requested

(d) classified

Answer: (c)

132. A sentence has been given with a blank to be filled with an appropriate word. Choose the correct alternative.
Samy warned the man to not _____ in his family matters.

(a) adjoin

(b) intrude

(c) placate

(d) sanguine

Answer: (b)

133. A sentence has been given with a blank to be filled with an appropriate word. Choose the correct alternative.
We don't talk about the game when we're by _____.

(a) ours

(b) ourselves

(c) themselves

(d) itself

Answer: (b)

134. A sentence has been given with a blank to be filled with an appropriate word. Choose the correct alternative.
Her _____ shadowed face now gleamed like a glossy evergreen leaf.

(a) foremost

(b) presently

(c) formerly

(d) present

Answer: (c)

135. A sentence has been given with a blank to be filled with an appropriate word. Choose the correct alternative.
I have called her a thousand times, _____ I?

(a) haven't

(b) don't

(c) hadn't

(d) didn't

Answer: (a)

136. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.
The term human rights
P: also replaced the older phrase Q: include the rights of women R: universally understood to
S: the rights of Man, which was not

(a) PSRQ

(b) SPRQ

(c) QRSP

(d) SRQP

Answer: (a)

137. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in the correct order.
P: a mass medium, printed
Q: in a magazine, a newspaper,
R: or a book
S: the comic strip is essentially

(a) PQSR
(b) SRQP
(c) SPQR
(d) PRSQ

Answer: (c)

138. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in the correct order.
According to one major insurance P: to cars and trucks and about 200 death Q: provider, hundreds of thousands of deer-vehicle R: accidents happen in the United States each year, S: resulting in millions of dollars of damage

(a) PSRQ
(b) QRSP
(c) SRQP
(d) SPRQ

Answer: (b)

139. Choose the word that means the same as the given word.
Swell

(a) Nonplus
(b) Pulse
(c) Emancipate
(d) Enlarge

Answer: (d)

140. Choose the word that means the same as the given word.
Establish

(a) Maintain
(b) Abhor
(c) Create
(d) Adore

Answer: (c)

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141. Choose the word that means the same as the given word.
Labour

(a) Unwind
(b) Drudge
(c) Fluency
(d) Indolence

Answer: (b)

142. Choose the word that is opposite in meaning to the given word.
Antecedent

(a) Maiden
(b) Result
(c) Instigate
(d) Stimulus

Answer: (b)

143. Choose the word that is opposite in meaning to the given word.
Apathy

(a) Obnoxious
(b) Paradigm
(c) Sensibility
(d) Obduracy

Answer: (c)

144. Choose the word that is opposite in meaning to the given word.
Apex

(a) Independent
(b) Apogee
(c) Crescendo
(d) Abyss

Answer: (d)

145. In the given question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) Principal
(b) Principel
(c) Principale
(d) Princpal

Answer: (a)

146. In the given question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) Achive
(b) Acheive
(c) Achieve
(d) Acheieve

Answer: (c)

147. In the given question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) Concsious
(b) Concious
(c) Conscius
(d) Conscious

Answer: (d)

148. In the given question, four words are given out of which one word is correctly spelt. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) Embarrasement
(b) Embarrassment
(c) Embarasement
(d) Embaressmnet

Answer: (b)

149. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Add fuel to the fire

(a) Worsen an already bad situation
(b) Perform wrong calculation
(c) Stuck between two very bad options
(d) To make a guest list

Answer: (a)

150. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Under the weather

(a) Under suspicion
(b) To tolerate bad weather
(c) To feel sick or ill
(d) Under the guidance

Answer: (c)

151. In the following question, out of the given four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.
Know the ropes

(a) To share a secret that was not supposed to be shared
(b) To keep wrong people out of one’s life
(c) To do something that has not been done before
(d) To know how to do a job or task properly

Answer: (d)

152. Choose the word that can substitute the given sentence.
Doing something out of free will

(a) Obligatory
(b) Duty
(c) Voluntarily
(d) Incidental

Answer: (c)

153. Choose the word that can substitute the given sentence.
A speech given without prior preparation

(a) Rhetoric
(b) Protagonist
(c) Implore
(d) Extempore

Answer: (d)

154. Choose the word that can substitute the given sentence.
A hatred for marriage

(a) Misogyny
(b) Misogamy
(c) Misandry
(d) Polygamy

Answer: (b)

155. Choose the word that can substitute th[illegible]iver[illegible]ntence.
The act of talking to one self

(a) Debate
(b) Soliloquy
(c) Conversation
(d) Insight

Answer: (b)

159. Which of the following words best expresses the true meaning of 'integral'?

(a) Marginal
(b) Subsidiary
(c) Incidental
(d) Structural

Answer: (d)

160. What happens during the polymerization reaction?

(a) A molecule of water is lost in the formation of a polysaccharide sugar from two monomers.
(b) A molecule of water is lost in the formation of a peptide from three amino acids
(c) A molecule of water is lost in the formation of a peptide from two amino acids.
(d) A molecule of water is lost in the formation of a disaccharide sugar from one amino acid.

Answer: (c)

Answer key

Answer key from the Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board's official answer key for this sitting. "—" means the key gave none.

General Ability1

1	**(d)**	2	**(d)**	3	**(d)**	4	**(c)**	5	**(d)**	6	**(b)**
7	**(b)**	8	**(c)**	9	**(b)**	10	**(b)**	11	**(a)**	12	**(c)**
13	**(a)**	14	**(a)**	15	**(c)**	16	**(a)**	17	**(c)**	18	**(d)**
19	**(b)**	20	**(a)**								

General Ability2

21	**(c)**	22	**(d)**	23	**(b)**	24	**(b)**	25	**(c)**
27	**(a)**	38	**(d)**						

General Awareness1

41	**(a)**	42	**(d)**	43	**(c)**	44	**(c)**	45	**(a)**	46	**(b)**
47	**(b)**	48	**(c)**	49	**(a)**	50	**(b)**	51	**(b)**	52	**(c)**
53	**(c)**	54	**(b)**	55	**(c)**	56	**(c)**	57	**(b)**	58	**(d)**
59	**(c)**	60	**(c)**								

General Awareness2

61	**(b)**	62	**(c)**	63	**(c)**	64	**(b)**	65	**(b)**	66	**(b)**
67	**(c)**	68	**(a)**	69	**(c)**	70	**(d)**	71	**(c)**	72	**(a)**
73	**(c)**	74	**(c)**	75	**(b)**	76	**(b)**	77	**(d)**	78	**(a)**
79	**(c)**	80	**(c)**								

Arithmetic Ability1

84	**(a)**	86	**(a)**	87	**(d)**	88	[illegible]	9	**(d)**	90	**(c)**
91	**(d)**	92	**(d)**	93	**(c)**	94	**(b)**	95	**(b)**	96	**(d)**
97	**(b)**	98	**(d)**	99	**(c)**	100	**(d)**				

Arithmetic Ability2

101	**(c)**	102	**(c)**	103	**(d)**	104	**(d)**	105	**(d)**
106	**(a)**	107	**(b)**						

General English1

121	**(c)**	122	**(c)**	123	**(a)**	124	**(c)**	125	**(b)**	131	**(c)**
132	**(b)**	133	**(b)**	134	**(c)**	135	**(a)**	136	**(a)**	137	**(c)**
138	**(b)**	139	**(d)**	140	**(c)**						

General English2

141	**(b)**	142	**(b)**	143	**(c)**	144	**(d)**	145	**(a)**	146	**(c)**
147	**(d)**	148	**(b)**	149	**(a)**	150	**(c)**	151	**(d)**	152	**(c)**
153	**(d)**	154	**(b)**	155	**(b)**	159	**(d)**	160	**(c)**		