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Questions from the Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board's paper of 28 November 2022, Shift 3. Each question is followed by its answer, and the answer key is repeated on the last page.

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English Language and Comprehension1

151. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
This island is _____ heaven for tourists.

(a) A
(b) An
(c) The
(d) Any

Answer: (a)

152. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
_____ enormous cloud of dust was seen in the sky

(a) A
(b) An
(c) The
(d) No word

Answer: (b)

153. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
My friend’s house is _____ from school than mine.

(a) far
(b) more farther
(c) farther
(d) farthest

Answer: (c)

154. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
She found a _____ clue which we had missed out.

(a) crucial
(b) more crucial
(c) most crucial
(d) much crucial

Answer: (a)

155. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
This mystery novel is _____ I have read so far.

(a) good
(b) better
(c) best
(d) the best

Answer: (d)

156. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
She is looking _____ weaker than before.

(a) more
(b) too
(c) much
(d) very

Answer: (c)

157. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
_____ physical development _____ intellectual maturity are equally important.

(a) Although, yet
(b) Both, and
(c) Whether, or
(d) Such, as

Answer: (b)

158. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
The children _____ laughter at the sight of the clown.

(a) broke off
(b) broke up
(c) broke out
(d) broke into

Answer: (d)

159. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
A crisis often _____ the best in people.

(a) brings round
(b) brings down
(c) brings out
(d) brings in

Answer: (c)

160. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
The audience was _____ by the singer's melodious voice.

(a) carried out
(b) carried off
(c) carried away
(d) carried on

Answer: (c)

161. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
They aren't moving into their new house today, _____?

(a) are they
(b) aren't they
(c) is it
(d) isn't it

Answer: (a)

162. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
She will take care of all arrangements, _____.

(a) isn't she
(b) hasn't she
(c) can't she
(d) won't she

Answer: (d)

163. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
I am ready to assume higher responsibilities, _____?

(a) am I
(b) aren't I
(c) can't I
(d) shall I

Answer: (b)

164. Select the option that correctly expresses the given sentence in direct speech.
"Pay the rent by tomorrow," he reminded the tenant.

(a) He reminded the tenant pay the rent by tomorrow.

(b) He reminded the tenant to pay the rent by tomorrow.

(c) He reminded the tenant to pay the rent by the following day.

(d) He reminded the tenant pay the rent by the following day.

Answer: (c)

165. Select the option that correctly expresses the given sentence in direct speech.
Mother told him that she couldn't live without him.

(a) Mother said to him, "I can't live without you."

(b) Mother said him, "I can't live without him."

(c) Mother said to him, "You can't live without me."

(d) Mother told to him, "She can't live without you."

Answer: (a)

166. Select the option that correctly expresses the given sentence in indirect speech.
He said to me, "Why should I help you?"

(a) He asked me why should he help me.

(b) He asked me why he should help me.

(c) He asked me why I should help you.

(d) He asked me why should I help you.

Answer: (b)

167. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
I hope I will get the leave for my brother's wedding when I _____ for it.

(a) will apply

(b) apply

(c) will have applied

(d) will be applying

Answer: (b)

168. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
You may come in now. I am sorry _____ you waiting.

(a) to keep

(b) to be keeping

(c) to have kept

(d) to have been kept

Answer: (c)

169. Select the option that correctly expresses the given sentence in active voice.
We were taught Physics by Mr Narayanan.

(a) Mr Narayanan teaches us Physics.

(b) Mr Narayanan had taught us Physics.

(c) Mr Narayanan has taught us Physics.

(d) Mr Narayanan taught us Physics.

Answer: (d)

170. Select the option that correctly expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
Color this picture with crayons.

(a) Let this picture have been colored with crayons.

(b) This picture has been coloured with crayons.

(c) This picture is coloured with crayons.

(d) Let this picture be coloured with crayons.

Answer: (d)

English Language and Comprehension2

171. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Supporting sentences explain the main topic using examples, facts, quotes, etc.
B. A topic sentence is a precise statement that reflects the main idea of the paragraph.
C. Finally, a good concluding sentence brings a paragraph to a polished end.
D. Words chosen for this should not be cluttered and ambiguous as readers will decide to read further based on this.

(a) BADC

(b) BCAD

(c) BDAC

(d) BACD

Answer: (c)

172. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Studies have shown that a recess of 45 minutes improves the score of students in tests following the recess period.
B. Clearly, physical exercise is just one of the necessary ingredients for improving student scores on standardized tests.
C. The clinical analysis further suggests that physical activity done during recess stimulates the mind.
D. Students require more recreational time to improve their focus.

(a) DACB

(b) DCBA

(c) DBCA

(d) DCAB

Answer: (a)

173. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. I refused to let go of my grandmother, to accept a death I had not seen coming.
B. It was my turn to take the shovel, but I felt too ashamed to dutifully send her off.
C. So, I refused to throw dirt on her.
D. They covered grandmother's precious mahogany coffin with a brown amalgam of rocks, decomposed organisms, and weeds.

(a) BADC
(b) DBCA
(c) DCAB
(d) ADCB

Answer: (b)

174. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words. one who makes an official examination of accounts

(a) colleague
(b) autocrat
(c) auditor
(d) delegate

Answer: (c)

175. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words. not supporting any side in an argument

(a) impartial
(b) biased
(c) invisible
(d) alien

Answer: (a)

176. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words. one who collects postage stamps

(a) philanthropist
(b) philatelist
(c) plagiarist
(d) philistine

Answer: (b)

177. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. to look back

(a) to overlook something which is unimportant.
(b) to turn back from a journey
(c) to think about something that happened in the past
(d) to go back on a decision

Answer: (c)

178. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. fight tooth and nail

(a) make no efforts

(b) try very hard to get something

(c) fight unfairly in a battle

(d) fight with the aid of allies

Answer: (b)

179. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. to take the bull by the horns

(a) to inflict a crushing defeat on someone

(b) to check rumours from spreading

(c) to face danger boldly

(d) to restrain anger

Answer: (c)

180. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom. a man of parts

(a) a frivolous person

(b) a worthless man

(c) a man of ability

(d) a guilty man

Answer: (c)

181. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the bl .
I think you will realise your mistake _____ soon.

(a) jolly

(b) pretty

(c) much

(d) too

Answer: (b)

182. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Why do you want to _____ a fuss about everything?

(a) do

(b) make

(c) have

(d) take

Answer: (b)

183. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word. malign

(a) smear

(b) taint

(c) clean

(d) sully

Answer: (c)

184. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word. indiscreet

(a) reckless
(b) heedless
(c) considerate
(d) imprudent

Answer: (c)

185. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word. despondent

(a) melancholy
(b) spirited
(c) dejected
(d) sorrowful

Answer: (b)

186. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blanks.
She asked me _____ I had learnt to _____ a saree.

(a) wear, wear
(b) wear, where
(c) where, wear
(d) where, where

Answer: (c)

187. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the b ks.
She got _____ of playing _____ games with her littl other.

(a) board, bored
(b) bored, board
(c) bored, bored
(d) board. board

Answer: (b)

188. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word. affluent

(a) primary
(b) homely
(c) friendly
(d) wealthy

Answer: (d)

189. Select the misspelt word.

(a) immoral
(b) immature
(c) immediate
(d) imminant

Answer: (d)

190. Select the misspelt word.

(a) humilate
(b) glorious
(c) elusive
(d) jubilant.

Answer: (a)

English Language and Comprehension3

191. People preferred to go to the west for medical treatment because of

(a) economical treatment
(b) advanced facilities
(c) experienced doctors
(d) medical policies

Answer: (b)

193. Select the correct option.
A. World class facilities and infrastructure is available in India.
B. Foreign patients can derive dual benefit of treatment with tourism.

(a) Statement A is the cause of statement B
(b) Statement B is the cause of statement A
(c) Statement A is the result of statement B.
(d) Statements A and B are not related.

Answer: (a)

196. To suppress the rebellion, Darius sent his [illegible]to

(a) Persia
(b) Delos
(c) Eritrea
(d) Athens

Answer: (d)

197. The Persians manged to capture the people of

(a) Athens
(b) Eritrea
(c) Delos
(d) Plataea

Answer: (b)

198. The main reason for the success of the Athenians was their

(a) huge stock of arms and ammunitions
(b) help from the soldiers of Plataea
(c) love and devotion towards their city state
(d) staunch belief in Gods

Answer: (c)

199. Which of the following is NOT true?

(a) The Persian empire suffered defeat at Marathon.

(b) Herodotus was the general of the Persian army.

(c) The citizens of Delos fled from their city in fear.

(d) The Persians were no match for the Athenians in archery.

Answer: (b)

Answer key

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

English Language and Comprehension1

151 **(a)**	152 **(b)**	153 **(c)**	154 **(a)**	155 **(d)**	156 **(c)**	157 **(b)**	158 **(d)**		
159 **(c)**	160 **(c)**	161 **(a)**	162 **(d)**	163 **(b)**	164 **(c)**	165 **(a)**	166 **(b)**		
167 **(b)**	168 **(c)**	169 **(d)**	170 **(d)**						

English Language and Comprehension2

171 **(c)**	172 **(a)**	173 **(b)**	174 **(c)**	175 **(a)**	176 **(b)**	177 **(c)**	178 **(b)**		
179 **(c)**	180 **(c)**	181 **(b)**	182 **(b)**	183 **(c)**	184 **(c)**	185 **(b)**	186 **(c)**		
187 **(b)**	188 **(d)**	189 **(d)**	190 **(a)**						

English Language and Comprehension3

191 **(b)**	193 **(a)**	196 **(d)**	197 **(b)**	198 **(c)**	199 **(b)**		