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Section : Mental Ability 1

Q.1 Select the alphanumeric-cluster from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.  
AC4, FH8, KM16, ?

Ans  A. OQ31  
 B. NP21  
 C. QS22  
 D. PR32

Question ID : 63068048836

Q.2 In a certain code language, VARANASI is written as EZIZMZHR. How will BANGLORE be written in that language?

Ans  A. VIOTMZYL  
 B. YMZVIOTL  
 C. YZMTOLIV  
 D. YMZLVIOT

Question ID : 63068050932

Q.3 Select the term that will come next in the following series.  
Z243, W81, T27, Q9, N3, \_\_\_\_\_

Ans  A. K3  
 B. L2  
 C. L1  
 D. K1

Question ID : 63068048560

Q.4 Select the term that will come next in the following series.  
A1, Z4, B9, Y16, C25, \_\_\_\_\_

Ans  A. Y49  
 B. X49  
 C. D36  
 D. X36

Question ID : 63068048553

Q.5 The position of how many letters will remain unchanged, if each of the letters in the word CARDBOARD is arranged in alphabetical order?

Ans  A. 1  
 B. 3  
 C. 4  
 D. 2

Question ID : 63068058125

Q.6 Nine friends P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W and X are sitting in a straight line, facing East, but not necessarily in the same order. U is fourth to the left of T and second to the right of Q who is fourth to the left of W. X is fifth to the right of P who is third to the left of T. Who is sitting at the extreme left end?

Ans  A. X  
 B. Q  
 C. U  
 D. W

Question ID : 63068048914

Q.7 In a certain code language,

'M + N' means 'M is the brother of B',  
'M - N' means 'M is the sister of N',  
'M × N' means 'M is the mother of N',  
'M ÷ N' means 'M is the daughter of N'.

Based on the above, how is A related to D if 'A × B - C + E ÷ D' ?

Ans  A. Daughter  
 B. Mother  
 C. Sister  
 D. Wife

Question ID : 63068056526

Q.8 Select the combination of letters that when sequentially placed in the blanks of the given series will complete the series.  
pk\_p\_k\_p\_kkp

Ans  A. kppk

B. ppkp

C. pkpk

D. kpkp

Question ID : 63068048735

Q.9 The position of how many letters will remain unchanged, if each of the letters in the word BOUNCED is arranged in alphabetical order?

Ans  A. 3

B. 4

C. 2

D. 1

Question ID : 63068058119

Q.10 In the following triad, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the triad which follows the same logic.  
RX – IM – BG

Ans  A. DJ – OR – UX

B. MS – EI – TX

C. FL – KO – GL

D. TZ – UY – LM

Question ID : 63068049449

Q.11 How many such pairs of letters are there in the word VIOLENT (both in the forward and backward directions) which have as many letters between them as there are in the English alphabetical order?

Ans  A. Two

B. Three

C. Four

D. One

Question ID : 63068053329

Q.12 HUSBAND is related to WFHZMS in a certain way based on the English alphabetical order. In the same way, FORTUNE is related to VLIGFMU. To which of the following is INTERIM related, following the same logic?

Ans  A. NIRRMGV

B. NVMGIRR

C. NMGVIRR

D. NRRIVGM

Question ID : 63068056948

Q.13 Each consonant in the word SYMPHONY is changed to the letter immediately following it in the English alphabetical order. How many letters will appear twice in the new group of letters thus formed?

Ans  A. None

B. Two

C. One

D. Three

Question ID : 63068051754

Q.14 Seven persons C, D, E, F, G, H and I are sitting in a row facing East. There are only three persons between D and H. G is sitting to the immediate left of H who is third to the left of C. E and F are not sitting at any of the ends. G is sitting to the immediate right of I who is sitting at the extreme left. Who is sitting at the extreme right end?

Ans  A. D

B. H

C. G

D. C

Question ID : 63068048911

Q.15 Which is the 4th letter to the left of the 10th letter, from the right, when you write the English alphabetical series?

Ans  A. I

B. M

C. R

D. P

Question ID : 63068058116

Q.16 Read the given statement 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 is true based on the given statement.

Statement:  $P < Q > R = S < M > N$

Conclusions:

I.  $P > S$

II.  $R < N$

Ans  A. Only I is true

B. Both I and II are true

C. Only II is true

D. Neither I nor II is true

Question ID : 63068057398

Q.17 Four word-pairs have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and one is different. Select the word-pair that is different.

Ans  A. Cock-Chick  
 B. Horse-Mare  
 C. Bull-Cow  
 D. Dog-Bitch

Question ID : 63068051877

Q.18 Select the letter-cluster from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

WD, UF, SH, ?

Ans  A. JQ  
 B. QJ  
 C. PK  
 D. PI

Question ID : 63068048727

Q.19 A statement is followed by two conclusions, numbered I and II. Identify which of the conclusions is/are true based on the given statements

Statement:

$N > A \leq C < T = B \geq V$

Conclusions:

I.  $B > A$   
II.  $C < V$

Ans  A. Only I is true  
 B. Neither I nor II is true  
 C. Both I and II are true  
 D. Only II is true

Question ID : 63068059426

Q.20 Select the term that will come next in the following series.

ZA2, YB4, XC6, WD8, VE10, \_\_\_\_\_

Ans  A. UG12  
 B. UF12  
 C. VH14  
 D. VG11

Question ID : 63068048554

Section : Mental Ability 2

Q.1 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:

Few oils are pots.  
All pots are cups.  
All cups are horses.

Conclusions:

- (I) Some horses are pots.
- (II) Some cups are pots.
- (III) All pots are horses.

Ans  A. Either conclusion I or conclusion III follows

B. Only conclusion I follows

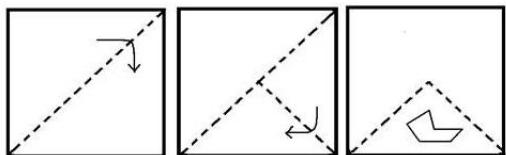
C. All the conclusions I, II and III follow

D. Only conclusion II follows

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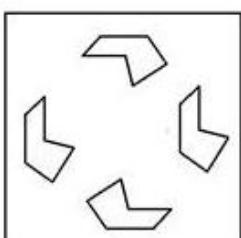


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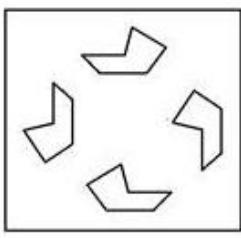


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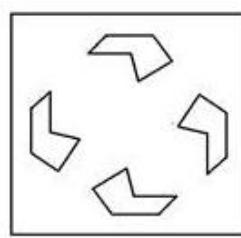
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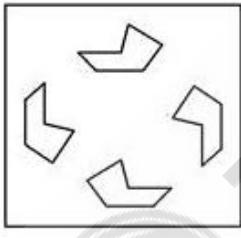
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C.



D.



Question ID : 63068058618

**Q.3** Swetha and Rinky are twins. Swetha's brother is Raghav. Ananya is the wife of Raghav. Rinky's mother is Mrudula. Swetha's husband is Arnav. How is Ananya related to Mrudula's husband?

Ans  A. Sister

B. Cousin

C. Daughter

D. Daughter-in-law

Question ID : 63068056933

Q.4 If – means  $\div$ ,  $\times$  means  $-$ ,  $\div$  means  $+$ ,  $+$  means  $\times$ , then what will be the value of the following expression?

$$26 + 64 - 4 \times 10 \div 2 = ?$$

Ans  A. 410

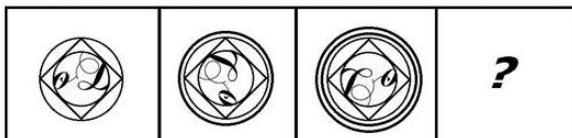
B. 408

C. 412

D. 400

Question ID : 63068050683

Q.5 Select the figure from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.



Ans

A.



B.



C.



D.



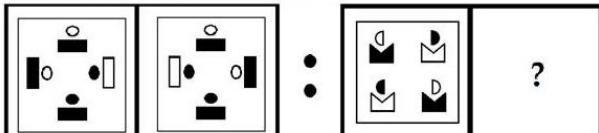
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Q.6 Find the approximate value of the given expression  
 $93.57 \times 4 + 20 - 56$

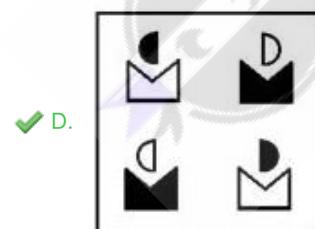
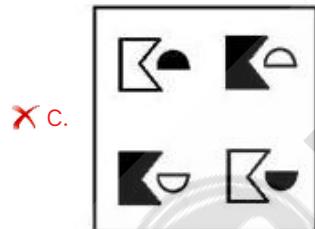
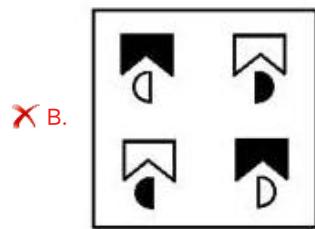
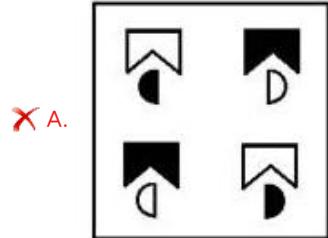
Ans  A. -340  
 B. 340  
 C. -300  
 D. 300

Question ID : 63068051681

Q.7 Select the option that is related to the third figure in the same way as the second figure is related to the first figure.

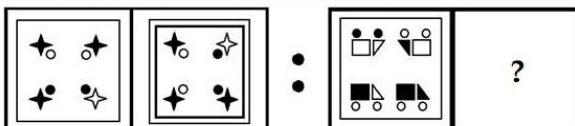


Ans



Question ID : 63068058597

Q.8 Select the option that is related to the third figure in the same way as the second figure is related to the first figure.



Ans

A.

B.

C.

D.

Question ID : 63068058598

Q.9 Select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

525, 470, 426, 393, 371, ?

Ans  A. 360  
 B. 342  
 C. 353  
 D. 328

Question ID : 63068057894

Q.10 Seven friends J, K, L, M, N, O and P are standing in a row facing towards the East. Only two friends are standing between M and P and only three friends are standing between L and J. L is standing at the extreme left end and J is standing second to the left of P. O is the immediate neighbour of L and K. Who is standing between K and J?

Ans  A. M  
 B. P  
 C. O  
 D. L

Question ID : 63068048917

Q.11 A statement is followed by two conclusions, numbered I and II. Identify which of the conclusions is/are true based on the given statements.

Statement:

$$A \leq M \leq J = P > F > W$$

Conclusions:

- I.  $P \geq A$
- II.  $J > W$

Ans  A. Only I is true

B. Both I and II are true

C. Neither I nor II is true

D. Only II is true

Question ID : 63068059427

Q.12 If '+' means '−', '−' means '+', '×' means '÷', '÷' means '×', what will come in place of the '?' in the given equation?  
 $62 \div 2 \times 3 + 12 - 50 = ?$

Ans  A. -32

B. 1

C. 0.44

D. 62

Question ID : 63068053372

Q.13 Select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

1, 4, 9, ?, 25, 36

Ans  A. 13

B. 15

C. 14

D. 16

Question ID : 63068058189

Q.14 Select the number from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.

5760, 960, 192, 48, ?

Ans  A. 16

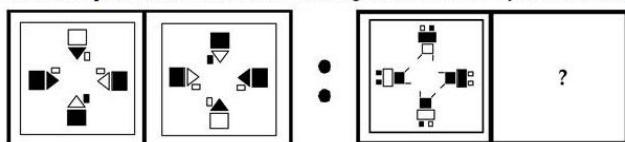
B. 14

C. 15

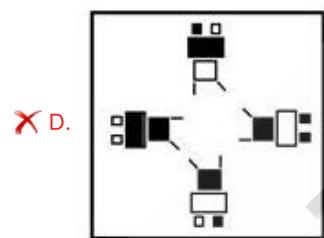
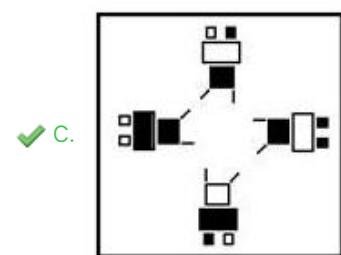
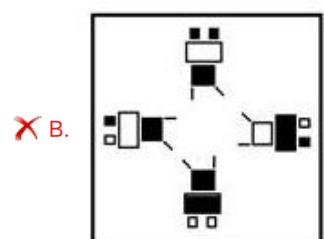
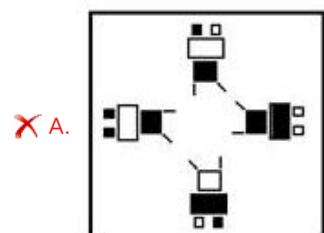
D. 18

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Q.15 Select the option that is related to the third figure in the same way as the second figure is related to the first figure.



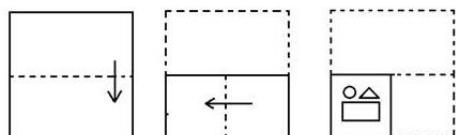
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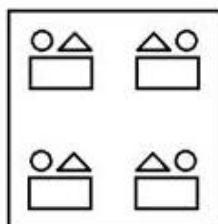


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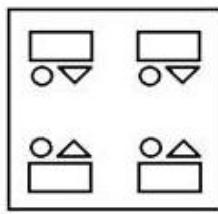


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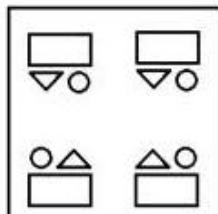
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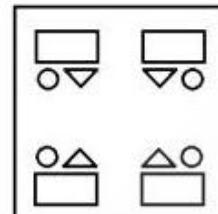
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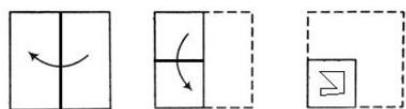
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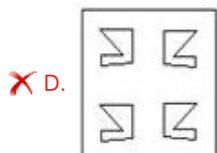
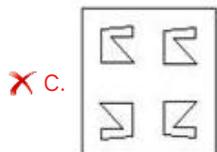
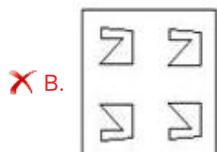
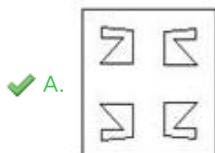
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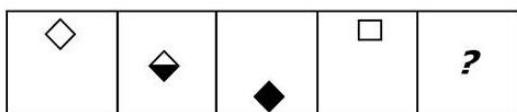
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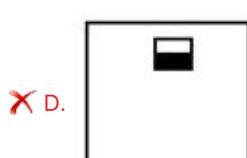
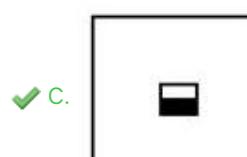
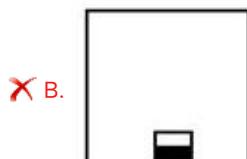
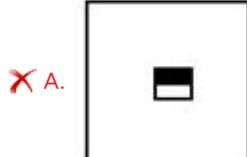
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**Q.18** Select the figure from among the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.



Ans



Question ID : 63068056559

**Comprehension:**

Read the below information and answer the given questions.

Krishna, Ram, Swati, Karan, Shrishti and Shlok live on six different floors of the same building. The lowermost floor is numbered 1, the floor above it is numbered 2, and so on till the topmost floor which is numbered 6.

Karan lives immediately above Swati, who lives on floor number 2. Ram lives on an odd numbered floor. There are three people living between Ram and Krishna. Shrishti does not live on any floor above Krishna.

**SubQuestion No : 19**

**Q.19** Who lives on the topmost floor?

Ans  A. Shlok  
 B. Karan  
 C. Krishna  
 D. Shrishti

Question ID : 63068053314

**Comprehension:**

Read the below information and answer the given questions.

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**SubQuestion No : 20**

**Q.20** On which floor does Ram live?

Ans  A. 5

B. 4

C. 2

D. 1

Question ID : 63068053313

**Section : General Awareness 1**

**Q.1** The two most abundant elements in the Earth's crust are:

Ans  A. aluminium and silicon

B. oxygen and silicon

C. iron and copper

D. aluminium and oxygen

Question ID : 63068054306

**Q.2** 'Kathakali' is a dance form of which of the following states?

Ans  A. Kerala

B. Karnataka

C. Assam

D. Andhra Pradesh

Question ID : 63068053208

**Q.3** Who among of the following has won the NSG counter IED and Counter Terrorism Innovator Award 2021, for designing a blast resistance helmet?

Ans  A. Dr. Amit Singh

B. Prof. Shailesh Ganpule

C. Prof. Anil Kumar Mishra

D. Dr. Kanak Saha

Question ID : 63068056342

Q.4 \_\_\_\_\_ became the first Indian and the fifth batsman in the world to complete 10,000 runs in T20 cricket in September 2021.

Ans  A. Ravindra Jadeja  
 B. Virat Kohli  
 C. Rohit Sharma  
 D. Shikhar Dhawan

Question ID : 63068052591

Q.5 Who among the following is the author of the short stories 'Kabuliwala' and 'The Post Office'?

Ans  A. Bankim Chandra Chatterjee  
 B. Raja Rao  
 C. Mulk Raj Anand  
 D. Rabindranath Tagore

Question ID : 63068052277

Q.6 What is the thickness of thermocline which lies between the warm surface water and the cold deep water?

Ans  A. 300 to 1000 m  
 B. 100 to 400 m  
 C. 800 to 1200 m  
 D. 900 to 1500 m

Question ID : 63068051587

Q.7 Which is the brightest star visible from both hemispheres?

Ans  A. Arcturus  
 B. Procyon  
 C. Canopus  
 D. Sirius

Question ID : 63068050961

Q.8 In 2021, researchers from which of the following institutions have found a way to make a substitute for single-use plastic that can, in principle, help mitigate the problem of accumulating plastic waste in the environment?

Ans  A. National Institute of Technology, Warangal  
 B. Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee  
 C. Indian Institute of Technology, Mandi  
 D. Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Question ID : 63068052503

Q.9 In the context of water bodies, tide means:

Ans  A. the smaller, temporary loops of swirling water that can travel long distances before dissipating  
 B. the alternate rising and falling of the ocean water caused by the gravitational pull of the sun and moon  
 C. the streams of water flowing constantly on the ocean surface in definite directions  
 D. the blowing of wind over the surface of the ocean

Question ID : 63068054706

Q.10 Brihaspati is the Hindi name of which planet?

Ans  A. Mars  
 B. Earth  
 C. Pluto  
 D. Jupiter

Question ID : 63068062044

Q.11 Cinder cones are made of \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans  A. dust  
 B. lava  
 C. caldera  
 D. ash

Question ID : 63068054902

Q.12 The movements of water caused by meteorological effects (winds and atmospheric pressure changes) are called:

Ans  A. tides  
 B. surges  
 C. percolation  
 D. tsunamis

Question ID : 63068051583

Q.13 If the momentum of an object is increased by 10%, the kinetic energy of that object will be increased by:

Ans  A. 30%  
 B. 21%  
 C. 20%  
 D. 10%

Question ID : 63068056730

Q.14 Which of the following religious organisations/institutes is best known for the internationalisation of Hinduism and particularly devoted to Lord Shri Krishna having the motto – “The Hare Krishna Movement” ?

Ans  A. Ramakrishna Mission (Belur Math)

B. Vedanta Society

C. ISKCON

D. The Divine Life Society

Question ID : 63068052255

Q.15 The feast of Saint Francis Xavier is majorly celebrated in which state of India?

Ans  A. Tamil Nadu

B. Kerala

C. Goa

D. Telangana

Question ID : 63068061632

Q.16 Avani Lekhara won India’s first gold medal at the 2020 Tokyo Paralympics. Which sport does she play?

Ans  A. Badminton

B. Shooting

C. Table Tennis

D. Swimming

Question ID : 63068052581

Q.17 How many languages are included in the 8th Schedule of the Constitution of India?

Ans  A. 26

B. 24

C. 28

D. 22

Question ID : 63068048277

Q.18 Who among the following has been awarded Oxford Instruments Young Nano Scientist India Award 2021?

Ans  A. Dr. Anindya Das

B. Dr. Poonam Yadav

C. Dr. Namrata Pathak

D. Dr. Nagaboopathy Mohan

Question ID : 63068054439

Q.19 The outermost range of the Himalayas is named as:

Ans  A. Himadri  
 B. Shiwalik  
 C. Himachal  
 D. Dhauladhar

Question ID : 63068059335

Q.20 Guru Vempati Chinna Satyam is famous for which of following dance forms?

Ans  A. Mohiniyattam  
 B. Odissi  
 C. Kuchipudi  
 D. Manipuri

Question ID : 63068052903

Section : General Awareness 2

Q.1 Which is the longest National Highway in India?

Ans  A. NH57  
 B. NH10  
 C. NH04  
 D. NH44

Question ID : 63068049570

Q.2 Which of the following is the least reactive gas?

Ans  A. Chlorine  
 B. Helium  
 C. Hydrogen  
 D. Nitrogen

Question ID : 63068054348

Q.3 Nominal and real executives, collective responsibility, majority party rule, dissolution of lower house are features of which of the following?

Ans  A. Dictatorship  
 B. Presidential system  
 C. Parliamentary system  
 D. Monarchy

Question ID : 63068053797

Q.4 \_\_\_\_\_ composed the prashasti of the Chalukya King Pulakeshin II who checked the advance of Harshavardhana.

Ans  A. Yaska  
 B. Shudraka  
 C. Badarayana  
 D. Ravikirti

Question ID : 63068053000

Q.5 Which of the following types of energy does a moving football possess?

Ans  A. Kinetic energy  
 B. Light energy  
 C. Heat energy  
 D. Potential energy

Question ID : 63068052327

Q.6 The price of inputs is also known as \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans  A. profit  
 B. revenue  
 C. cost of production  
 D. output

Question ID : 63068054252

Q.7 In which of the following is fucoxanthin pigment found?

Ans  A. Pteridophytes  
 B. Phaeophyceae  
 C. Rhodophyceae  
 D. Chlorophyceae

Question ID : 63068052827

Q.8 Which of the following states had the least population as per Census 2011?

Ans  A. Nagaland  
 B. Meghalaya  
 C. Sikkim  
 D. Tripura

Question ID : 63068059339

Q.9 The forward rotation and movement of a mass of rock, earth or debris out of a slope are called:

Ans  A. flows  
 B. falls  
 C. lateral spreads  
 D. Topple failures

Question ID : 63068061716

Q.10 The river Bhagirathi meets the Alaknanda at:

Ans  A. Rudraprayag  
 B. Vishnuprayag  
 C. Karnaprayag  
 D. Devprayag

Question ID : 63068052870

Q.11 According to Megasthenes, which of the following sub-councils or committees kept accounts of the registration of births and deaths in Pataliputra?

Ans  A. Third committee  
 B. Fourth committee  
 C. Second committee  
 D. Fifth committee

Question ID : 63068053058

Q.12 Which is the following is the least literate state, as per the 2011 Census?

Ans  A. Uttarakhand  
 B. Manipur  
 C. Bihar  
 D. Himachal Pradesh

Question ID : 63068053202

Q.13 M R Jayakar was associated with the \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans  A. Hindu Mahasabha  
 B. Independent Labour Party  
 C. Vishwa Hindu Parishad  
 D. Muslim League

Question ID : 63068053029

Q.14 Who among the following personalities laid the foundation of the Vishwa Bharati University?

Ans  A. Dayanand Saraswati  
 B. Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar  
 C. Rabindranath Tagore  
 D. Raja Ram Mohan Roy

Question ID : 63068070588

Q.15 Who can abolish a legislative council of a state or create it where it does not exist?

Ans  A. President  
 B. Lok Sabha  
 C. Prime Minister  
 D. Parliament

Question ID : 63068053811

Q.16 As per the global monitoring report released by UNESCO in 2014, the total illiterate adults in India is \_\_\_\_\_ million people

Ans  A. 297  
 B. 287  
 C. 397  
 D. 387

Question ID : 63068059751

Q.17 Who is attributed with the pioneering of the concept of microfinance?

Ans  A. Muhammad Yunus  
 B. Ela Bhatt  
 C. M Narasimham  
 D. Samit Ghosh

Question ID : 63068059158

Q.18 If a person is demanding money to invest in property, what will be the motive for his demand for money?

Ans  A. The speculative motive  
 B. The transaction motive  
 C. The wealth creation motive  
 D. The precautionary motive

Question ID : 63068054247

Q.19 The branch of astronomy that deals with the moon is called:

Ans  A. archaeology  
 B. selenology  
 C. anthropology  
 D. pedology

Question ID : 63068062019

Q.20 British officials arrested Birsa Munda in 1895, convicted him on the charges of rioting and jailed him for \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans  A. six months  
 B. three years  
 C. two years  
 D. one year

Question ID : 63068053026

Section : Arithmetic Ability 1

Q.1 A cylindrical tub of radius 14 cm contains water to a depth of 20 cm. A spherical ironball is dropped into the tub, which raises the level of the water by 6 cm. What is the radius of the ball?

Ans  A. 8.4 cm  
 B. 9.6 cm  
 C. 7.4 cm  
 D. 6.3 cm

Question ID : 63068068431

Q.2 If the radius of a sphere is increased by 4.5 percent, then what per cent increase takes place in surface area of the sphere?

Ans  A. 13.5 percent  
 B. 20.25 percent  
 C. 9.2025 percent  
 D. 9 percent

Question ID : 63068058507

Q.3 A, B and C can do a piece of work in 5 days, 10 days and 20 days, respectively, working alone. How much time (in days) will be taken to complete the work if A is assisted by B and C on alternate days?

Ans  A.  $5\frac{8}{11}$

B.  $6\frac{1}{2}$

C.  $4\frac{1}{2}$

D.  $3\frac{7}{11}$

Question ID : 63068061282

Q.4 In an election between two candidates, the candidate who gets 30% of the total votes polled is defeated by 16,000 votes. What is the total number of votes polled?

Ans  A. 30,000

B. 20,000

C. 40,000

D. 16,000

Question ID : 63068055121

Q.5 A worker saves 20% of his monthly wages. Find his monthly savings if his monthly expenditure is ₹6,200.

Ans  A. ₹1,500

B. ₹1,550

C. ₹1,250

D. ₹7,750

Question ID : 63068067717

Q.6 The radius and slant height of a cone are in the ratio 5 : 7. If its curved surface area is  $990 \text{ cm}^2$ , find its radius.

Ans  A. 9 cm

B. 17 cm

C. 15 cm

D. 3 cm

Question ID : 63068068057

Q.7 A shopkeeper paid ₹400 for a shirt and sold it for ₹500. What is his profit percentage?

Ans  A. 25%

B. 30%

C. 20%

D. 15%

Question ID : 63068064839

Q.8 The perimeter of a rectangle having area equal to  $324 \text{ cm}^2$  and sides in the ratio  $1:1$  is:

Ans  A. 72  
 B. 96  
 C. 24  
 D. 108

Question ID : 63068058505

Q.9 60% of the group likes coffee as a beverage. What is the ratio of people liking coffee as a beverage in the group?

Ans  A.  $\frac{5}{6}$   
 B.  $\frac{5}{3}$   
 C.  $\frac{6}{5}$   
 D.  $\frac{3}{5}$

Question ID : 63068066154

Q.10 If a person walks at a speed of 15 km/h instead of 10 km/h, he would have walked 25 km more. The actual distance travelled by him is:

Ans  A. 40 km  
 B. 50 km  
 C. 55 km  
 D. 45 km

Question ID : 63068067984

Q.11 A cuboidal water tank is 6 m long, 5 m wide and 4.5 m deep. How many litres of water can it hold?

Ans  A. 1,42,000  
 B. 1,47,000  
 C. 1,35,000  
 D. 1,31,000

Question ID : 63068064881

Q.12 Three labourers can complete a work in 11, 20 and 55 days. In how many days can the work be completed, if the first labourer is assisted by the second and the third labourer on alternate days?

Ans  A. 11 days  
 B. 8 days  
 C. 4 days  
 D. 7 days

Question ID : 63068059968

Q.13 Express 68% as a ratio.

Ans  A. 3 : 4  
 B. 25 : 17  
 C. 17 : 25  
 D. 4 : 3

Question ID : 63068058321

Q.14 If the observations are 75, 60, 58, 43, 28, 19, 15, 6, then their average is:

Ans  A. 44  
 B. 38  
 C. 24  
 D. 56

Question ID : 63068058227

Q.15 A boat can move at a speed of 5 km/h in still water. The sailor reaches a place by sailing at a speed of 1 km/h downstream and comes back in 1 hour. The place is at a distance of:

Ans  A. 2.5 km  
 B. 2.0 km  
 C. 3.2 km  
 D. 2.4 km

Question ID : 63068059952

Q.16 The variable a is in joint variation with b and c. When the values of b and c are 6 and 4, respectively, a = 16. What is the value of a when b = 12 and c = 8?

Ans  A. 46  
 B. 26  
 C. 58  
 D. 64

Question ID : 63068068422

Q.17 A single discount of 56.8% is the same as the discount series of:

Ans  A. 30%, 20% and 6.8%  
 B. 40%, 10% and 6.8%  
 C. 10%, 20% and 40%  
 D. 30%, 20% and 10%

Question ID : 63068059922

Q.18 Ajit does half as much work as Bharat in three-fourth of the time. If together they take 15 days to complete the work, how much time will Bharat take to complete the work alone?

Ans  A. 25 days  
 B. 30 days  
 C. 28 days  
 D. 32 days

Question ID : 63068064226

Q.19 Rukma bought a watch for ₹9,000 and sold it to Archismita. Archismita in turn sold it to Bhumika, each earning a profit of 15%. Which of the following is true?

Ans  A. Rukma earns more profit than Archismita.  
 B. Archismita earns more profit than Rukma.  
 C. Cannot be decided.  
 D. Rukma and Archismita earn the same profit.

Question ID : 63068065171

Q.20 Robin is travelling on his cycle and has calculated to reach point A at 1 p.m. if he travels at 12 km/h. He will reach there at 11 a.m. if he travels at 16 km/h. At what speed must he travel to reach A at 12 noon?

Ans  A. 15.71 km/h  
 B. 13.71 km/h  
 C. 14.75 km/h  
 D. 11.74 km/h

Question ID : 63068067641

#### Section : Arithmetic Ability 2

Q.1 What is the average of the following numbers?  
12, 17, 31, 38, 77

Ans  A. 175  
 B. 35  
 C. 31  
 D. 20

Question ID : 63068064833

Q.2 A person can walk at a speed of 1.8 metres/second. How far will he walk in 5 minutes?

Ans  A. 450 m  
 B. 540 m  
 C. 480 m  
 D. 510 m

Question ID : 63068060075

Q.3 The average of ten numbers is 49. The average of the last four numbers is 45 and that of the first three numbers is 52. The fourth number is 4 less than the fifth and 9 more than the sixth number. The average of the fourth and sixth numbers is:

Ans  A. 48.5

B. 50.5

C. 45.5

D. 54.5

Question ID : 63068058293

Q.4 If  $a = 999$ , then the value of  $\sqrt[3]{a(a^2 + 3a + 3) + 1}$  is:

Ans  A. 1002

B. 1000

C. 998

D. 999

Question ID : 63068059997

Q.5 A alone can complete a piece of work in 18 days and B alone in 24 days. Starting with A, they work on alternate days. In how much time (in days) will the work be completed?

Ans  A.  $20\frac{1}{2}$

B.  $21\frac{3}{4}$

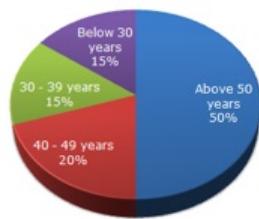
C.  $19\frac{1}{4}$

D.  $22\frac{1}{4}$

Question ID : 63068061281



Q.6 The following pie charts exhibit the distribution of the overseas tourist traffic from India. The two charts show the tourist distribution by country and the age profiles of the tourists, respectively.



The ratio of the number of Indian tourists that went to USA to the number of Indian tourists who were below 30 years of age is:

Ans  A. 8 : 3  
 B. 3 : 8  
 C. 2 : 7  
 D. 7 : 2

Question ID : 63068064867

Q.7 In X class board examination, 40 percent of the total number of students failed in Mathematics, 35 percent failed in Science and 25 percent failed in both. What is the percentage of those who passed in both subjects?

Ans  A. 10 percent  
 B. 25 percent  
 C. 50 percent  
 D. 35 percent

Question ID : 63068067264

Q.8 A shopkeeper offers the following schemes:  
1. A successive discount of 10% and 18% on any number of items purchased.  
2. 11% for the first 3 items and 25% on each item thereon.  
3. Buy 6 get 8.  
A customer can use only one scheme and no other interpretations are possible.  
If the customer wants to have 8 items in all, which of the following is true?

Ans  A. Scheme 3 is better than scheme 1  
 B. Scheme 2 is the best of all  
 C. Scheme 2 is better than scheme 3  
 D. Scheme 1 is the best of all

Question ID : 63068060126

Q.9 Calculate the average time spent exercising 4 days a week over the following period of 4 weeks: 7 days you exercised for 30 minutes, 3 days you exercised for 45 minutes, 4 days you exercised for 20 minutes, and 2 days you were supposed to exercise and did not.

Ans  A. 28.56 minutes  
 B. 30.56 minutes  
 C. 26.56 minutes  
 D. 24.56 minutes

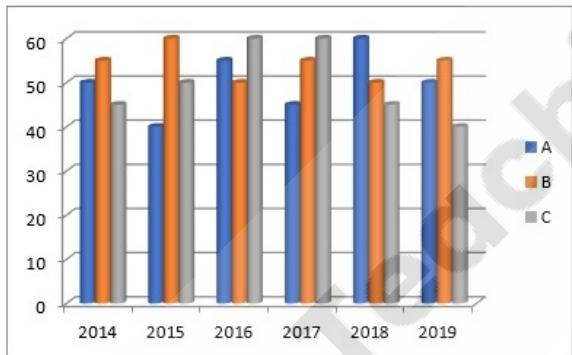
Question ID : 63068065100

Q.10 At a clearance sale all goods are on 45% discount. If I buy a skirt marked Rs.600, how much would I need to pay?

Ans  A. ₹770  
 B. ₹330  
 C. ₹440  
 D. ₹990

Question ID : 63068061232

Q.11 A car company produces three different categories of cars – A, B, C. The production of these cars (in thousands) of six years has been expressed in the following bar graph.



For which car was the average annual production maximum in the given period?

Ans  A. Only A  
 B. Only C  
 C. Both A and C  
 D. Only B

Question ID : 63068064869

Q.12 In an election, a candidate secured 68% of the votes polled and won the election by 22,248 votes. What is the number of votes secured by the candidate who lost the election?

Ans  A. 42,024

B. 36,624

C. 61,800

D. 19,776

Question ID : 63068058309

Q.13 Pooja is twice as efficient as Aarti and takes 57 days less than Aarti to complete a job. Find the number of days in which they can finish the job together.

Ans  A. 190 days

B. 57 days

C. 38 days

D. 60 days

Question ID : 63068065324

Q.14 The pressure (P) of a gas varies jointly with its density (d) and its absolute temperature (t). If dry air has a density of  $0.95 \text{ kg/m}^3$  and an absolute temperature of 293.15 Kelvin, what is its pressure given that k or the gas constant is equal to 287 J/kg/K?

Ans  A. 50000 Pa

B. 70000 Pa

C. 80000 Pa

D. 60000 Pa

Question ID : 63068065179

Q.15 Ravina took a loan of ₹1,800 with simple interest for as many years as the rate of interest. If she paid ₹882 as interest at the end of the loan period, what was the rate of interest per annum?

Ans  A. 6%

B. 7%

C. 8%

D. 7.5%

Question ID : 63068066319

**Q.16** The distance between two stations A and B is 925 km. A train covers the journey from A to B at 76 km/h and returns at a uniform speed of 60 km/h. What is the average speed of the train during the whole journey?

Ans

A.  $68\frac{2}{17}$  km/h

B.  $67\frac{2}{17}$  km/h

C.  $68\frac{1}{17}$  km/h

D.  $67\frac{1}{17}$  km/h

Question ID : 63068066150

**Q.17** The following table shows the percentage of marks obtained by 5 students in different subjects.

Subjects →	Hindi	Music	Maths	Physics	Botany
Students ↓	100	100	200	300	300
Anil	50	70	90	90	85
Mohan	30	60	80	70	90
Geeta	60	85	85	80	65
Reena	70	60	70	85	70
Manish	80	50	50	75	75

The marks obtained by Geeta in Hindi and Maths subjects taken together are:

Ans

A. 230

B. 225

C. 240

D. 235

Question ID : 63068064885

**Q.18** The value of the following expression is:  
 $(108 \div 12) + 13 \times (12 + 8) \div 4$

Ans

A. 120

B. 70

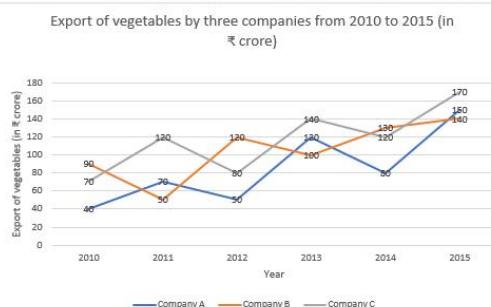
C. 44

D. 74

Question ID : 63068064820

### Comprehension:

The following line graph represents the export of vegetables by three companies from 2010 to 2015 (in Rs. crore).



### SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 The average annual exports of vegetables during the given period for Company A is approximately what percent (to the nearest integer) of the average annual exports for Company B?

Ans  A. 81%  
 B. 85%  
 C. 93%  
 D. 90%

Question ID : 63068061294

### Comprehension:

The following line graph represents the export of vegetables by three companies from 2010 to 2015 (in Rs. crore).



### SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 In how many year(s), were the exports of Company C more than its average annual exports from 2010 to 2015?

Ans  A. 2  
 B. 4  
 C. 1  
 D. 3

Question ID : 63068061295

Section : General English 1

Q.1 Select the grammatically correct sentence from the given options.

His faith in God is carries him through all the difficulties of life.

Ans  A. His faith in God has carries him through all the difficulties of life.  
 B. His faith in God is carried him through all the difficulties of life.  
 C. His faith in God carries him through all the difficulties of life.  
 D. His faith in God carry him through all the difficulties of life.

Question ID : 63068060250

Q.2 Select the option that correctly rectifies the error in the given sentence.

The girl smiled when the man gave a compliment.

Ans  A. The girl smiled when the man achieved a compliment.  
 B. The girl smiled when the man applauded a compliment.  
 C. The girl smiled when the man spent a compliment.  
 D. The girl smiled when the man paid a compliment.

Question ID : 63068050296

Q.3 What does the underlined word in the given sentence denote?

He is a good player.

Ans  A. The one who cheats people  
 B. The one who uses people for his own benefit  
 C. The one who pretends to be good to others  
 D. The one who plays

Question ID : 63068067581

Q.4 Select the most appropriate idiom to fill in the blank.

Rahul, now \_\_\_\_\_. You can take a decision.

Ans  A. burn the midnight oil  
 B. beat around the bush  
 C. the ball is in your court  
 D. bark up the wrong tree

Question ID : 63068066317

Q.5 One of the parts of the given sentence contains a punctuation error. Identify the erroneous part and select the option that rectifies this error.

The dialogue in the novel was!  
George- You have to pay the penalty, or you will suffer!

Ans  A. George:  
 B. You" ve  
 C. suffer?  
 D. penalty:

Question ID : 63068059303

Q.6 Select the most appropriate pronoun to fill in the blank.

An emoji is a digital sign \_\_\_\_\_ is used instead of an expression.

Ans  A. who

B. itself

C. it

D. which

Question ID : 63068073735

Q.7 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Only later did the people realise that what the beggar had said was \_\_\_\_\_ true.

Ans  A. quiet

B. quate

C. quit

D. quite

Question ID : 63068060881

Q.8 Select the correctly spelt word.

Ans  A. Comettee

B. Committee

C. Committee

D. Comitee

Question ID : 63068067071

Q.9 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

I think \_\_\_\_\_ gentleman over there is unwell.

Ans  A. a

B. No article required

C. the

D. an

Question ID : 63068059239

Q.10 Select the grammatically correct sentence from the given options.

Ragu will not turned down the proposal as it is reasonable.

Ans  A. Ragu would not turn down the proposal as it is reasonable.

B. Ragu was not turn down the proposal as it is reasonable.

C. Ragu is not turning down the proposal as it is reasonable.

D. Ragu will not turn down the proposal as it is reasonable.

Question ID : 63068060252

Q.11 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

One of the most important ingredients in bakery items is \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans  A. flour

B. fluor

C. floor

D. flower

Question ID : 63068060871

Q.12 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

The poor people of the country are suffering due to the escalating prices in the market

Ans  A. Declining

B. Mounting

C. Increasing

D. Soaring

Question ID : 63068067215

Q.13 Identify the grammatical error in the following sentence.

She may be able to finish the homework on tomorrow.

Ans  A. may

B. on

C. to

D. able

Question ID : 63068057644

Q.14 Select the grammatically correct sentence from the given options.

He gave me copy of the Bible.

Ans  A. He gave me a copy of the Bible.

B. He gave me copy of a Bible.

C. He gave me the copy of the Bible.

D. He gave me an copy of the Bible.

Question ID : 63068060272

Q.15 Select the grammatically correct form of the given sentence from the following options.

The police who traced the woman's location to Ajith Singh Nagar alert the police personnel on patrol in the area.

Ans  A. The police who traced the woman's location to Ajith Singh Nagar alerted the police personnel on patrol in the area.

B. The police who traced the woman's location to Ajith Singh Nagar was alerted the police personnel on patrol in the area.

C. The police who traced the woman's location to Ajith Singh Nagar alerting the police personnel on patrol in the area.

D. The police who traced the woman's location to Ajith Singh Nagar being alerting the police personnel on patrol in the area.

Question ID : 63068049375

Q.16 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

He first sang an old song and followed it up with \_\_\_\_\_ trendy number.

Ans  A. the

B. an

C. No article required

D. a

Question ID : 63068059259

Q.17 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Even children know that raw meat tastes \_\_\_\_\_ than cooked meat.

Ans  A. worse

B. bad

C. worst

D. worsen

Question ID : 63068066490

Q.18 Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.

It would have been more apt if the play had been performed by students.

Ans  A. Appropriate

B. Apparent

C. Contradictory

D. Harmful

Question ID : 63068067187

Q.19 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

My maternal uncle is \_\_\_\_ lecturer in English and as well as a writer .

Ans  A. and

B. a

C. an

D. the

Question ID : 63068060279

Q.20 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in present perfect tense form.

The sugar mills welcome the decision as quite reasonable.

Ans  A. The sugar mills have welcomed the decision as quite reasonable.

B. The sugar mills has been welcomes the decision as quite reasonable.

C. The sugar mills was welcomed the decision as quite reasonable.

D. The sugar mills has welcomed the decision as quite reasonable.

Question ID : 63068049387

Q.1 Parts of a sentence are given below in jumbled order. Identify the option that arranges the parts in the correct order to form a meaningful sentence.

- (a) We are sure
- (b) will reach great heights
- (c) that our startup
- (d) easy to use
- (e) of success by providing
- (f) banking solutions

Ans  A. acbedf

B. aebcdf

C. acdebf

D. abcedf

Question ID : 63068053933

Q.2 Select the most appropriate synonym of the underlined word.

Objections from the students led the university to expunge its rigorous rules.

Ans  A. Remove

B. Imitate

C. Praise

D. Glorify

Question ID : 63068067208

Q.3 Select the one which is markedly different from the other options.

Ans  A. USB converter

B. Surgical blade

C. Hard disk

D. Pen drive

Question ID : 63068064244

Q.4 Six parts of a sentence are given below. While the first and last part of the sentence (S1 and S6) are in correct order, parts in between are jumbled. Select the option which gives the correct arrangement of the parts to for a meaningful and coherent sentence.

S1: However, some of them are continuously  
P) programme and as such in the middle ground  
Q) part of the scholarly discourse and the teaching  
R) and the archive, or the active and passive  
S) between what have been defined as the canon  
S6: cultural memories.

Ans  A. QPSR

B. RSPQ

C. QRSP

D. QPRS

Question ID : 63068067085

Q.5 Fragments of a sentence are given here. While the first and the last fragment (1 and 6) are in the correct order, the fragments in between are jumbled up. Arrange the fragments in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent sentence.

1. China
- M. has been making
- N. to increase its
- O. concerted efforts
- P. presence in the
6. region

Ans  A. MOPN  
 B. MONP  
 C. MPON  
 D. MNOP

Question ID : 63068067486

Q.6 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The new prison opened by the government has hundreds of \_\_\_\_\_ with large space.

Ans  A. sails  
 B. cells  
 C. sells  
 D. ciels

Question ID : 63068060879

Q.7 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the underlined word.

The company decided to donate the annual profit to a hospital that treats cancer patients.

Ans  A. Excess  
 B. Dividend  
 C. Gain  
 D. Loss

Question ID : 63068067214

Q.8 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

Walking with \_\_\_\_\_ feet is one of the best practices prescribed nowadays.

Ans  A. bair  
 B. beer  
 C. bear  
 D. bare

Question ID : 63068060872

Q.9 Parts of a sentence are given below in jumbled order. Identify the option that arranges the parts in the correct order to form a meaningful sentence.  
Unethical / people / to / on the basis / discriminate / of / skin tone / their / is

Ans  A. To discriminate people on the basis of their skin tone is unethical.  
 B. To their skin tone on the basis discriminate of people is unethical.  
 C. On the basis of their unethical skin tone is to discriminate people.  
 D. To discriminate skin tone on the basis of unethical people is their.

Question ID : 63068050712

Q.10 Identify the option that rearranges the given jumbled words and correctly fills in the blank.  
Space exploration \_\_\_\_\_ in the future.

to / will / space colonisation / human growth / lead / and

Ans  A. to will lead space colonisation and human growth  
 B. will space colonisation and human growth lead to  
 C. will lead to space colonisation and human growth  
 D. will lead space colonisation and human growth to

Question ID : 63068050735

#### Comprehension:

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

The Covid-19 pandemic has knocked many people – literally. At first, many schools switched to online classes. When some of these schools resumed in-person classes, they cut down on students moving from place to place. Likewise, many companies let people work from home. This means fewer people have been walking to bus stops or roaming around schools or workplaces. People now spend extra time sitting. This increasingly couch-potato lifestyle is not good for health. The human body was meant to move. Limiting that movement can lead to a host of problems, from expanding waistlines and higher blood pressure to increasing risks of chronic disease, such as diabetes. Now, a growing body of data shows the brain also suffers when we don't move enough. And this can contribute to mental health problems that may emerge during your teen years. Jacob Barkley is an exercise scientist at Kent State University in Ohio. He was part of a team that asked 398 college students and teachers, last year, about their activities before and after in-person classes stopped in March 2020. Those who had exercised the most now became less physically active, on average. On the flip side, folks who had been less active before now did more physical activity after the class shutdowns. Yet sedentary time went up — a lot — for the whole group. From April to June 2020, the people they surveyed sat almost eight hours more per week, on average, than they had before. Barkley's team shared its findings in the 1 September 2020 International Journal of Exercise Science.

SubQuestion No : 11

Q.11 Which of the following is NOT one of the host of problems associated with a sedentary lifestyle?

Ans  A. Diabetes  
 B. Cancer  
 C. High blood pressure  
 D. Expanding waistlines

Question ID : 63068071225

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 12**

**Q.12** What restrictions were in place after in-person classes began, according to the passage?

Ans  A. Restrictions on food  
 B. Restrictions on drinks  
 C. Restrictions on movement  
 D. No restrictions

Question ID : 63068071223

**Comprehension:**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

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**SubQuestion No : 13**

**Q.13** How do people spend extra time lately?

Ans  A. By exercising  
 B. By sitting  
 C. By meeting old friends  
 D. By travelling

Question ID : 63068071224

**Comprehension:**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

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**SubQuestion No : 14**

**Q.14** What happened to the sedentary time for both groups of people mentioned at the end of the passage?

Ans  A. Sedentary time for both groups went up  
 B. Sedentary time for the active people came down  
 C. Sedentary time for the inactive people went up  
 D. There was hardly any sedentary time for both groups

Question ID : 63068071226



**Comprehension:**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

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**SubQuestion No : 15**

Q.15 How are mental health problems in teens connected to the Covid-19 pandemic, according to the author of the passage?

Ans  A. When teens don't move enough, it could lead to mental health problems.  
 B. Mental health problems don't affect teenagers.  
 C. When teens don't consume enough water, it could lead to mental health problems.  
 D. When teens don't communicate with their peers, it could lead to mental health problems.

Question ID : 63068071227

**Comprehension:**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

“ All my life and all my experience, the events that have befallen me, the people I have known, all my memories, dreams, fantasies, everything I have ever read, all of that has been chucked onto the compost heap, where over time it has rotted down to a dark, rich, organic mulch. The process of cellular breakdown makes it unrecognisable. Other people call it the imagination. I think of it as a compost heap. Every so often I take an idea, plant it in the compost, and wait. It feeds on the black stuff that used to be a life, takes its energy for its own. It germinates, takes root. Produces shoots. And so on and so forth, until one fine day I have a story, or a novel. Readers are fools. They believe all writing is autobiographical. And so it is, but not in the way they think. The writer's life needs time to rot away before it can be used to nourish a work of fiction. It must be allowed to decay. ”

**SubQuestion No : 16**

Q.16 What did the narrator finally get?

Ans  A. A fantasy  
 B. A story  
 C. A dream  
 D. A compost

Question ID : 63068072022

**Comprehension:**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the given questions.

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**SubQuestion No : 17**

**Q.17 What is the heart and soul of this passage?**

Ans  A. All writings are not autobiographical  
 B. Writers need only experiences  
 C. All writing is a result of imagination  
 D. Writers burn the compost for materials

Question ID : 63068072025

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 18**

**Q.18 What is the tone of the speaker?**

Ans  A. Sad  
 B. Pessimistic  
 C. Formal  
 D. Confessional

Question ID : 63068072024

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 19**

**Q.19** Select the suitable word given in the passage which means ‘begin to grow’ .

Ans  A. Rot  
 B. Heap  
 C. Germinate  
 D. Nourish

Question ID : 63068072023

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**SubQuestion No : 20**

**Q.20** What makes the author’s memory unrecognisable?

Ans  A. Compost heap  
 B. Black stuff  
 C. Cellular breakdown  
 D. Organic mulch

Question ID : 63068072021

Section : General Hindi 1

Q.1 रिक्त स्थान में उचित शब्द की पूर्ति कीजिये।

हम समझते \_\_\_\_\_ कुछ हैं।

Ans  A. यहां

B. सब

C. हुआ

D. आप

Question ID : 63068056069

Q.2 राजेश के स्टेशन पहँचने से पहले ही ट्रेन जा चुका थी। वाक्य के रेखांकित अंश के लिए सबसे उचित विकल्प चुनिए-

Ans  A. ट्रेन जा जाने वाली

B. ट्रेन जा चुकी

C. ट्रेन जाएगा

D. कोई सुधार नहीं

Question ID : 63068049771

Q.3 भूतकाल की दृष्टि से दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है-

वह पुलिस के डर से इसी झाड़ी में छिपा रहता है और उसकी छोटी बच्ची उसके लिए भोजन लाती थी।

Ans  A. वह पुलिस के डर से

B. और उसकी छोटी बच्ची

C. इसी झाड़ी में छिपा रहता है

D. उसके लिए भोजन लाती थी।

Question ID : 63068060908

Q.4 'वह सो गया होगा!' वाक्य में भूतकाल का भेद है-

Ans  A. आसन्न भूतकाल

B. अपूर्ण भूतकाल

C. संदिग्ध भूतकाल

D. हेतुहेतुमदूत काल

Question ID : 63068055624

Q.5 प्रश्न के लिए उचित वाक्य का चयन कीजिये।

"कफन" कहानी के \_\_\_\_\_।

Ans  A. प्रेमचंद ने कफन कहानी लिखी।

B. कफन कहानी को प्रेमचंद ने पढ़ा।

C. "कफन" कहानी प्रेमचंद द्वारा लिखी गई।

D. "कफन" कहानी के लेखक प्रेमचंद हैं।

Question ID : 63068064598

Q.6 'पेड़ से पत्ता गिरता है।' वाक्य में कौन सा कारक है ?

Ans  A. अपादान  
 B. करण  
 C. सम्बोधन  
 D. कर्म

Question ID : 63068060660

Q.7 'त्रिनेत्र' शब्द का विग्रह जब 'महादेव' के अर्थ में लिया जाता है तब उसका समास-

Ans  A. बहुब्रीहि होता है  
 B. द्विगु होता है  
 C. तत्पुरुष होता है  
 D. अव्ययीभाव होता है

Question ID : 63068064551

Q.8 स्थित स्थान में उचित शब्द की पूर्ति कीजिये।

\_\_\_\_\_रोज रात में टहलने जाता हूँ।

Ans  A. मैं  
 B. तुम  
 C. वह  
 D. आप

Question ID : 63068056109

Q.9 'मृदु' का विलोम शब्द है-

Ans  A. सहज  
 B. कठोर  
 C. तीव्र  
 D. मीठा

Question ID : 63068052156

Q.10 नाई के लिए तत्सम शब्द होगा ।

Ans  A. नविका  
 B. नापित  
 C. नवीन  
 D. नाऊ

Question ID : 63068055822

Q.11 इनमें से कौन सा शब्द 'मत' का समानार्थी नहीं है -

Ans  A. अभिमान  
 B. राय  
 C. निषेध के अर्थ में  
 D. सम्प्रदाय

Question ID : 63068060799

Q.12 दिए गए प्रश्न में वाक्य के पहले और अंतिम भाग को क्रमशः (1) और (6) की संख्या दी गई है। इनके बीच में आने वाले अंशों को चार भागों में बाँटकर (अ), (ब), (स), (द) की संख्या दी गई है। इन विभाजित भागों को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़कर दिए गए विकल्पों में से उचित क्रम का चुनाव कीजिए।

(1) यह चित्र \_\_\_\_\_  
(अ) लिया गया था  
(ब) श्री शारदाजी नागौर  
(स) उस समय  
(द) जब  
(6) पढ़ारे थे।

Ans  A. (स), (अ), (द), (ब)  
 B. (अ), (ब), (स), (द)  
 C. (द), (अ), (ब), (स)  
 D. (स), (ब), (अ), (द)

Question ID : 63068049789

Q.13 दिए गए विकल्पों में से अशुद्ध वाक्य का चयन कीजिए -

Ans  A. विद्यालय सड़क के बायाँ ओर है।  
 B. वह आदमी कलाकार है।  
 C. अधिकारी ने हस्ताक्षर कर दी है।  
 D. दूध से चमकते ये कपड़े किसके हैं।

Question ID : 63068060657

Q.14 'प्रतिकूल' में कौनसा उपसर्ग है?

Ans  A. प्रति  
 B. नि  
 C. परि  
 D. दुस

Question ID : 63068056115

Q.15 भूतकाल की दृष्टि से दिए गए वाक्य के किस भाग में त्रुटि है-

पहले लोग सोचते हैं कि सूर्य पृथ्वी की परिक्रमा करता है।

Ans  A. परिक्रमा करता है।  
 B. सूर्य पृथ्वी की  
 C. पहले लोग  
 D. सोचते हैं कि

Question ID : 63068060910

Q.16 यह घर \_\_\_\_\_ बना है। रिक्त स्थान के लिए उचित काल संबंधी गुणवाचक विशेषण है-

Ans  A. सुंदर  
 B. ऊपर  
 C. गोल  
 D. नया

Question ID : 63068064488

Q.17 नीचे दिया गया कौन सा शब्द दक्षिण, दाहिना और दक्षिण दिशा शब्दों का उपयुक्त अनेकार्थी शब्द है

Ans  A. संपन्न  
 B. समाधान  
 C. प्रतिकूल  
 D. अनुकूल

Question ID : 63068060795

Q.18 बच्चे कमरे में सो रहे हैं। इस वाक्य में अपूर्ण भूतकाल का प्रयोग कर वाक्य पूर्ण कीजिए।

Ans  A. बच्चे कमरे में सोये थे।  
 B. बच्चे कमरे में सो चुके थे।  
 C. बच्चे कमरे में सोये हुए थे।  
 D. बच्चे कमरे में सोये हुए हैं।

Question ID : 63068056020

Q.19 दिए गए विकल्पों में से शुद्ध वाक्य का चयन कीजिए।

Ans  A. वाल्मीकि ने रामायण की रचना की।  
 B. राम का कूल ऊँचा है।  
 C. ईश्वर बिन-बंधु कहलाते हैं।  
 D. परिश्रमी अपने क्रम में लीन रहते हैं।

Question ID : 63068060659

Q.20 प्रश्न के लिए उचित शब्द का चयन कीजिये।

\_\_\_\_\_ जोर-जोर से गाना गाती है।

Ans  A. बहुत  
 B. थोड़ा  
 C. राधा  
 D. यहां

Question ID : 63068056075

Section : General Hindi 2

Q.1 चारों चोरों को पकड़ लिया। वाक्य का उचित एकवचन रूप चुनिए-

Ans  A. एक चोरियों को पकड़ लिया।  
 B. चार चोरियां पकड़ी लीं।  
 C. एक चोर पकड़ लिया।  
 D. एक चोर पकड़ लिए।

Question ID : 63068055274

Q.2 'बहाना करना' अर्थ को प्रकट करनेवाला मुहावरा कौनसा है ?

Ans  A. आठ-आठ आंसू रोना  
 B. आसन डोलना  
 C. अब-तब होना  
 D. अब-तब करना

Question ID : 63068064555

Q.3 लिंग की दृष्टि से, निम्नलिखित में से किस फल का नाम एक अपवाद है?

Ans  A. अमरुद  
 B. शरीफा  
 C. आम  
 D. लीची

Question ID : 63068062399

Q.4 निम्नलिखित में से किस वाक्य में 'हस्ताक्षर' शब्द एकवचन के रूप में प्रयुक्त है

Ans  A. उसने हस्ताक्षर किया।  
 B. सभी ने हस्ताक्षर किए।  
 C. कुछ ने हस्ताक्षर किए।  
 D. सभी ने हस्ताक्षरों किए।

Question ID : 63068055277

Q.5 प्रश्न के लिए उचित शब्द का चयन कीजिये।

घर के चारों \_\_\_\_\_ अनेक पेड़ हैं।

Ans  A. साथ  
 B. व्या  
 C. के  
 D. और

Question ID : 63068063002

Q.6 प्रश्न के लिए उचित शब्द का चयन कीजिये।

प्रेमचंद का स्वभाव बहुत ही विनम्र था, किंतु उनमें स्वाभिमान \_\_\_\_\_ भरा था।

Ans  A. इतना

B. कूट-कूटकर

C. कम

D. अधिक

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Q.7 आज मैं बाजार गया तो एक पंथ दो काज हो गया। रेखांकित लोकोक्ति का अर्थ है -

Ans  A. एक रास्ते पर चलना

B. हानि हो जाना

C. एक काम से दूसरा काम हो जाना

D. काम बिगड़ जाना

Question ID : 63068060746

Q.8 'किसी भी तरह की जिम्मेदारी का न होना' यह किस लोकोक्ति का अर्थ है ?

Ans  A. तन पर नहीं लत्ता पान खाए अलबत्ता

B. ऊँची दूकान फीका पकवान

C. चिराग तले अंधेरा

D. आगे नाथ न पीछे पगहा

Question ID : 63068064569

Q.9 'महा+उत्सव' की संधि से कौनसा शब्द विकसित हुआ है ?

Ans  A. महोत्सव

B. महाउत्सव

C. महर्षि

D. महोरू

Question ID : 63068064540

Q.10 निम्नलिखित में से 'अयादि सन्धि' के उदाहरण का चयन कीजिए-

Ans  A. रमेश

B. महौज

C. यद्यपि

D. भावुक

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### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी का उत्तरार्द्ध अनेक दृष्टियों से भारतीय इतिहास का अत्यंत उत्तेजनापूर्ण, अशांत और सामाजिक संक्रान्ति का काल था। 1857 के स्वाधीनता युद्ध के बाद, महारानी विक्टोरिया के घोषणा – पत्र के बावजूद सामान्य जनता में ब्रिटिश साम्राज्य की क्रूर एवं दमनकारी नीतियों के फलस्वरूप विरोध और धृणा का भाव गहराया था। अंग्रेज़ अधिकारियों और उनके परिवारों की रक्षा के पुरस्कार स्वरूप जिन ज़मीदारों और सामंतों को पदों, उपाधियों और ज़मीन के पट्टों का अधिकार मिला था, वह अपने ब्रिटिश स्वामियों को खुश करने के लिए भारतीय जनता के उत्तीड़न में उनके सहायक और सहयोगी थे। इस तरह जनता इस उत्तीड़न की दोहरी मार से त्रस्त थी। इन्हीं के साथ कुछ मध्य वर्गीय पट्टे-लिखे लोग भी नौकरियों और अन्य सुविधाओं के लोध में ब्रिटिश शासन के उत्साही समर्थकों के रूप में सामने आ रहे थे। ऐसा लगता था कि समूचा भारतीय समाज जैसे दो भागों में बंट गया था इन्हीं सबकी प्रतिक्रिया में बहुत बड़ी संख्या में वह लोग भी थे जो पश्चिम से इस सांस्कृतिक मुठभेड़ के बाद अपनी सांस्कृतिक जड़ों की तलाश और वापसी की दिशा में सक्रिय थे। 1875 में आर्य समाज की स्थापना ही चुकी थी। उसकी तत्कालीन भूमिका को देखते हुए आर्य समाज एक प्रगतिशील सामाजिक-धार्मिक आंदोलन के रूप में अपनी पहचान बना रहा था। बाल विवाह का विरोध, विधवा विवाह का समर्थन और स्त्री शिक्षा की आवश्यकता आदि उसके कुछ ऐसे ही प्रगतिशील पक्ष थे।

### SubQuestion No : 11

Q.11 उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी के उत्तरार्द्ध के विषय में सत्य नहीं है--

Ans  A. यह सांस्कृतिक पुनर्स्थापना के प्रयास का भी युग था।  
 B. यह भारतीय इतिहास का अत्यंत उत्तेजनापूर्ण और अशांति का काल था।  
 C. 1857 की क्रांति के पश्चात महारानी विक्टोरिया का घोषणापत्र लागू हुआ।  
 D. भारतीय जनता में ब्रिटिश साम्राज्य के प्रति स्वीकार्यता का भाव बढ़ा था।

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### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी का उत्तरार्द्ध अनेक दृष्टियों से भारतीय इतिहास का अत्यंत उत्तेजनापूर्ण, अशांत और सामाजिक संक्रान्ति का काल था। 1857 के स्वाधीनता युद्ध के बाद, महारानी विक्टोरिया के घोषणा – पत्र के बावजूद सामान्य जनता में ब्रिटिश साम्राज्य की क्रूर एवं दमनकारी नीतियों के फलस्वरूप विरोध और धृणा का भाव गहराया था। अंग्रेज़ अधिकारियों और उनके परिवारों की रक्षा के पुरस्कार स्वरूप जिन ज़मीदारों और सामंतों को पदों, उपाधियों और ज़मीन के पट्टों का अधिकार मिला था, वह अपने ब्रिटिश स्वामियों को खुश करने के लिए भारतीय जनता के उत्तीड़न में उनके सहायक और सहयोगी थे। इस तरह जनता इस उत्तीड़न की दोहरी मार से त्रस्त थी। इन्हीं के साथ कुछ मध्य वर्गीय पट्टे-लिखे लोग भी नौकरियों और अन्य सुविधाओं के लोध में ब्रिटिश शासन के उत्साही समर्थकों के रूप में सामने आ रहे थे। ऐसा लगता था कि समूचा भारतीय समाज जैसे दो भागों में बंट गया था इन्हीं सबकी प्रतिक्रिया में बहुत बड़ी संख्या में वह लोग भी थे जो पश्चिम से इस सांस्कृतिक मुठभेड़ के बाद अपनी सांस्कृतिक जड़ों की तलाश और वापसी की दिशा में सक्रिय थे। 1875 में आर्य समाज की स्थापना ही चुकी थी। उसकी तत्कालीन भूमिका को देखते हुए आर्य समाज एक प्रगतिशील सामाजिक-धार्मिक आंदोलन के रूप में अपनी पहचान बना रहा था। बाल विवाह का विरोध, विधवा विवाह का समर्थन और स्त्री शिक्षा की आवश्यकता आदि उसके कुछ ऐसे ही प्रगतिशील पक्ष थे।

### SubQuestion No : 12

Q.12 आर्य समाज के विषय में सत्य नहीं है -

Ans  A. विधवा-विवाह निषेध और स्त्री शिक्षा का समर्थक था।  
 B. यह प्रगतिशील विचारधारा से सम्पृक्त आंदोलन था।  
 C. बाल-विवाह का समर्थन नहीं करता था।  
 D. यह एक सामाजिक-धार्मिक आंदोलन था।

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### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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### SubQuestion No : 13

Q.13 जनता के दोहरे उत्तीड़न से क्या तात्पर्य है?

Ans  A. अंग्रेज अधिकारियों और भारतीय ज़मीदारों एवं सामंतों द्वारा जनता का शोषण

B. मध्य वर्ग का लोभ एवं ज़मीदारों की राजभक्ति का गठजोड़ शोषण का कारण बना

C. अंग्रेजी सरकार एवं भारतीय रजवाड़ों द्वारा जनता का शोषण

D. प्राकृतिक आपदाओं एवं सरकारी करों का बोझ

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### Comprehension:

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### SubQuestion No : 14

Q.14 भारतीय इतिहास में संक्रान्ति का काल किसे माना गया है?

Ans  A. उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी के उत्तरार्द्ध को

B. बीसवीं शताब्दी के पूर्वार्द्ध को

C. उन्नीसवीं शताब्दी के पूर्वार्द्ध को

D. बीसवीं शताब्दी के उत्तरार्द्ध को

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### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

उत्तीर्णी शताब्दी का उत्तरार्द्ध अनेक दृष्टियों से भारतीय इतिहास का अत्यंत उत्तेजनापूर्ण, अशांत और सामाजिक संक्रान्ति का काल था। 1857 के स्वाधीनता युद्ध के बाद, महारानी विक्टोरिया के घोषणा – पत्र के बावजूद सामान्य जनता में ब्रिटिश साम्राज्य की क्रूर एवं दमनकारी नीतियों के फलस्वरूप विरोध और धृणा का भाव गहराया था। अंग्रेज अधिकारियों और उनके परिवारों की रक्षा के पुरस्कार स्वरूप जिन ज़मीदारों और सामंतों को पदों, उपाधियों और ज़मीन के पट्टों का अधिकार मिला था, वह अपने ब्रिटिश स्वामियों की खुश करने के लिए भारतीय जनता के उत्तीर्णन में उनके सहायक और सहयोगी थे। इस तरह जनता इस उत्तीर्णन की दोहरी मार से त्रस्त थी। इन्हीं के साथ कुछ मध्य वर्गीय पट्टे-लिखे लोग भी नौकरियों और अन्य सुविधाओं के लोध में ब्रिटिश शासन के उत्साही समर्थकों के रूप में सामने आ रहे थे। ऐसा लगता था कि समूचा भारतीय समाज जैसे दो भागों में बंट गया था इन्हीं सबकी प्रतिक्रिया में बहुत बड़ी संख्या में वह लोग भी थे जो पश्चिम से इस सांस्कृतिक मूठभेड़ के बाद अपनी सांस्कृतिक जड़ों की तलाश और वापसी की दिशा में सक्रिय थे। 1875 में आर्य समाज की स्थापना हो चुकी थी। उसकी तत्कालीन भूमिका को देखते हुए आर्य समाज एक प्रगतिशील सामाजिक-धार्मिक आंदोलन के रूप में अपनी पहचान बना रहा था। बाल विवाह का विरोध, विधवा विवाह का समर्थन और स्त्री शिक्षा की आवश्यकता आदि उसके कुछ ऐसे ही प्रगतिशील पक्ष थे।

### SubQuestion No : 15

Q.15 आर्य समाज की स्थापना कब हुई?

Ans  A. 1874  
 B. 1875  
 C. 1857  
 D. 1867

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### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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### SubQuestion No : 16

Q.16 गङ्गरियों के बच्चों के पास किनके झुंड थे?

Ans  A. कुत्तों के  
 B. गायों के  
 C. जानवरों के  
 D. भेड़-बकरियों के

Question ID : 63068064453

### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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### SubQuestion No : 17

Q.17 'निठल्ला' शब्द का पर्यायवाची है-

Ans  A. निकम्मा  
 B. डरपोक  
 C. कर्जदार  
 D. वजनदार

Question ID : 63068064455

### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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### SubQuestion No : 18

Q.18 इष्ट-मित्रों से मिलने तथा उत्सवों में सम्मिलित होने के लिए लोग किस समय को चुनते हैं?

Ans  A. शाम के समय को  
 B. त्योहारों के समय को  
 C. सुबह के समय को  
 D. अवकाश के समय को

Question ID : 63068064452

### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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SubQuestion No : 19

Q.19 किसके प्रति लेखिका का अकारण आकर्षण रहा है?

Ans  A. द्यूँसी के बच्चों के

B. अपने गाँव के

C. द्यूँसी के लोगों के

D. द्यूँसी के खंडहर और उसके आस-पास के गाँवों के

Question ID : 63068064451

### Comprehension:

निम्नलिखित अवतरण को पढ़कर पूछे गए प्रश्नों के उत्तर दीजिए।

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SubQuestion No : 20

Q.20 लेखिका के विद्यार्थी कहाँ एकत्र हो गए?

Ans  A. तालाब के किनारे

B. किले की दीवार की छाया में

C. पीपल के पेड़ की घनी छाया में

D. पेड़ों के बीच में

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