

MISCELLANEOUS TEST
ENGLISH

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ANSWERS WITH EXPLANATION

01- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

Courteousness and refinement of manner.

- 1) plaudit
- 2) adulation
- 3) urbanity
- 4) profanity

Answer: urbanity

02- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

to have an axe to grind

- 1) sharpening your skills in anticipation of future challenges
- 2) to have a private reason for doing something
- 3) preparing for a fight
- 4) getting ready for work or a new project

Answer: to have a private reason for doing something

03- Select the synonym of precedent

- 1) contingent
- 2) criterion
- 3) arbitrary
- 4) fortuitous

Answer: criterion

04- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

Jayesh has sent the email.

- 1) The email has had been sent by Jayesh.
- 2) The email has been sent by Jayesh.
- 3) The email was sent by Jayesh.
- 4) The email was send by Jayesh.

Answer: The email has been sent by Jayesh.

05- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best express the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

Anil says, "I am glad to be here this morning"

- 1) Anil says he is glad to be there that morning.
- 2) Anil says that he is glad to be there that morning.
- 3) Anil was saying that he was glad to be there this morning.
- 4) Anil says that he was glad to be here this morning.

Answer: Anil says that he is glad to be there that morning.

06- In the following question, sentence given with blank is to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Either you're a mind reader or it's a _____ that you called me just as I was keying your phone number.

- 1) coincidence
- 2) correlation
- 3) union
- 4) happening

Answer: coincidence

07- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

great minds think alike

- 1) it is said when two people have the same opinion
- 2) it is said when clever people think rationally

- 3) since there is only one truth , the great philosophers have reached on similar conclusions
4) scientists and philosophers easily become friends

Answer: it is said when two people have the same opinion

08- Select the antonym of

to rake

- 1) to harrow
2) to scatter
3) to scour
4) to enfilade

Answer: to scatter

09- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

When I (go) to Paris, I shall visit the Eiffel Tower.

- 1) shall go
2) will be going
3) have to go
4) no improvement

Answer: no improvement

10- Select the synonym of

Digression

- 1) meandering
2) candid
3) categorical
4) unequivocal

Answer: meandering

11- In the following question, sentence given with blank is to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Excusing yourself before standing to leave is part of proper table _____.

- 1) usage
2) etiquette
3) dignity

4) habit

Answer: etiquette

12- Select the word with the correct spelling.

- 1) deriesion
- 2) apalled
- 3) civilian
- 4) sacluded

Answer: civilian

13- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

Please pass me that (scissors) .

- 1) scissor
- 2) pair of scissor
- 3) pair of scissors
- 4) no improvement

Answer: pair of scissors

14- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

Do people take

P-rejection of every candidate?

Q-the trouble to go and

R-vote only to register their

- 1) RQP
- 2) RPQ
- 3) PRQ
- 4) QRP

Answer: QRP

15- Select the word with the correct spelling.

- 1) alackrity
- 2) refileing
- 3) bufoons
- 4) condense

Answer: condense

16- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

Involving immoral or dishonourable actions and motives

- 1) redoubt
- 2) scrupulous
- 3) immaculate
- 4) sordid

Answer: sordid

17- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

The reference

P-is simultaneously a matter

Q-to the size of a vulnerable community

R-of legal as well as political and ethical perspective

- 1) RPQ
- 2) QRP
- 3) QPR
- 4) PRQ

Answer: QPR

18- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

To the whale, its(A) /tail is the sole(B) /mean of propulsion.(C) /No error(D)

Options:

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Answer: C

19- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

There was a fine line(A) /between being frugal(B) /and being a miser.(C) /No error(D)

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Answer: D

20- Select the antonym of

to contend

- 1) to comply
- 2) to oppugn
- 3) to grapple
- 4) to vie

Answer: to comply

Direction 96 to 100: In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

Fraternity, then, was meant to complement civil rights, _____ to destroy them. The _____ framers did not use this symbolic term for a court to come along 66 years _____, and _____ it for the purposes of subordinating individual rights to some mythic notion of community harmony, entirely submerging the individual _____ the society.

21- _____ to destroy them.

- 1) neither
- 2) nor
- 3) no
- 4) not

Answer: not

22- The _____ framers did not use this symbolic term

Options:

- 1) Constitutions'
- 2) Constitution's
- 3) Constitutions
- 4) Constitution

Answer: Constitution's

23- a court to come along 66 years _____,

Options:

- 1) late
- 2) lately
- 3) later
- 4) latest

Answer: later

24- and _____ it for the purposes of subordinating individual rights

- 1) appropriate
- 2) appropriately
- 3) appropriating
- 4) appropriated

Answer: appropriate

25- entirely submerging the individual _____ the society.

- 1) on
- 2) onto
- 3) upon
- 4) within

Answer: within

26. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

This may be essential at

P-where the market fails to deliver

Q-swath of an economy

R-times, but there is a wide

- 1) QRP
- 2) QPR
- 3) PRQ
- 4) RQP

Answer: RQP

27 - Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

As management we are accountable (to) the Board of Directors.

- 1) towards
- 2) with
- 3) against
- 4) no improvement

Answer: no improvement

28 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

A political leader who seeks support by appealing to popular desires and prejudices rather than by using rational argument. Options:

- 1) rebel
- 2) radical
- 3) demagogue
- 4) anarchistic

Answer: demagogue

29 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

to go for broke

- 1) to risk everything in an all-out effort
- 2) failure in relationship or partnership
- 3) losing all money in an effort to revive a failing business
- 4) to start again after failing in a business

Answer: to risk everything in an all-out effort

30 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best express the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

Kunal said, "Tanu is coming this week." Options:

- 1) Kunal says that Tanu was coming that week.

- 2) Kunal says that Tanu was coming this week.
- 3) Kunal said that Tanu was going to be come this week.
- 4) Kunal said that Tanu was coming that week.

Answer: Kunal said that Tanu was coming that week.

31- Select the word with the correct spelling.

- 1) patterns
- 2) smudeging
- 3) dissuade
- 4) fripery

Answer: dissuade

32 - Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

Usually the climate in the Northern parts of India is cooler (from) the Southern parts.

- 1) as
- 2) to
- 3) than
- 4) no improvement

Answer: than

33 - In the following question, sentence given with blank is to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Jasbir has the of a movie star. Options:

- 1) jinx
- 2) charisma
- 3) flash
- 4) mysticism

Answer: charisma

34 - Select the antonym of

apocalypse

- 1) catastrophe
- 2) miracle
- 3) decimation
- 4) holocaust

Answer: miracle

35 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

The substitution of cream(A)/ instead of milk in the recipe (B)/makes for a rich dessert.(C)/No error(D) Options:

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) D

Answer: C

36 - Select the antonym of

to actuate

- 1) to retard
- 2) to spur
- 3) to impel
- 4) to propel

Answer: to retard

37 - Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

We must urgently

P-ethics that respects, and responds

Q-humanely to, the strangers in our cities

R-and consciously develop a new

- 1) RQP
- 2) PQR
- 3) RPQ
- 4) QRP

Answer: RPQ

38 - In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

I took the grinder yesterday. Options:

- 1) The grinder was took by me yesterday.
- 2) The grinder was took by me the day before.
- 3) The grinder had been took by me the day before.
- 4) The grinder was taken by me yesterday.

Answer: The grinder was taken by me yesterday.

39 - Choose the correct meaning of the idiom/phrase: In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

to go the extra mile

- 1) to get an unexpected bonus
- 2) to make a special effort to achieve something
- 3) to lose one's way and walk aimlessly
- 4) a vehicle which is very fuel efficient

Answer: to make a special effort to achieve something

40 - In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

The prince and princess(A)/made their way(B)/through the cheering crowd.(C)/No error(D) Options:

1) A

2) B

3) C

4) D

Answer: D

41- Select the synonym of

shimmering

1) stolid

2) glinting

3) daft

4) daffy

Answer: glinting

42 - In the following question, sentence given with blank is to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The enzyme was the that triggered the chemical reaction.

1) catalyst

2) support

3) encouragement

4) incitation

Answer: catalyst

43 - Select the word with the correct spelling.

1) adendum

2) atlantise

3) inovate

4) abseiled

Answer: abseiled

44 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

The action of repeating something aloud from memory. Options:

- 1) paraphrase
- 2) rendition
- 3) erudition
- 4) recitation

Answer: recitation

45 - Select the synonym of

bounder

- 1) lout
- 2) mediocre
- 3) done
- 4) decorous

Answer: lout

In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

The many existing cyber warfare scenarios ____, not excluding a coordinated cyber attack that sabotage multiple infrastructure assets ____, erecting proper defences is ____. Anonymity and low cost have meant that small disaffected groups ____ apart from hostile states and official agencies ____ could to cyber techniques.

46 - the many existing cyber warfare scenarios

- 1) Give
- 2) Given
- 3) Giving
- 4) To give

Answer: Given

47 - coordinated cyber attack that sabotage multiple infrastructure assets

- 1) would
- 2) should
- 3) could
- 4) will

Answer: could

48 - erecting proper defences is .

- 1) vital
- 2) vitality
- 3) to vital
- 4) vitalness

Answer: vital

49 - Anonymity and low cost have meant that small disaffected groups

- 1) too
- 2) not only
- 3) even
- 4) both

Answer: even

50 - hostile states and official agencies — could to cyber techniques.

- 1) camp
- 2) lodge
- 3) park
- 4) resort

Answer: resort