SSC CGL 12 June 2019 Shift-3

## Reasoning

## Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

## Question 1

Select the figure in which the given figure is embedded. (Rotation is not allowed).


A


B


C


D


Answer: A

## Question 2

In the given Venn diagram, the rectangle represents 'women', the pentagon represents 'entrepreneurs' and the triangle represents 'mothers'. The numbers given in the diagram represent the number of persons in that particular category.


How many women are entrepreneurs but NOT mothers?

A 21
B 74
C 50

D 46
Answer: B

## Question 3

Select the option that depicts how the given transparent sheet of paper would appear if it is folded at the dotted line.


A


B


C


D


Answer: D

## Question 4

Two statements are given, followed by three conclusions numbered I, II and III. Assuming the statements to be true, even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.
Statements:
All owls are parrots.
Some parrots are crows.
Conclusions:
I. No owl is a crow.
II. All parrots are owls.
III. Some owls are crows.

A All the conclusions, I, II and III, follow

B Only conclusions II and III follow.
C Either conclusion I or III follows

D Either conclusion I or II follows
Answer: C

## Question 5

Select the option that is related to the third number in the same way as the second number is related to the first number.
3: 30:: 4: ?

A 64

B 70

C 68

D 66
Answer: C

## Question 6

Which two signs should be interchanged to make the following equation correct?
$18+24-6 \times 6 \div 3=39$
$\mathbf{A} \div a n d+$

B + and -

C $\times$ and +

D $\div a n d-$
Answer: D

## Question 7

Three of the following four words are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd word out.

A Frustration
B Anaemia

C Diabetes
D Hypertension
Answer: A

## Question 8

'Similarity' is related to 'Difference' in the same way as 'Transparent' is related to " $\qquad$ ,

A Water
B Clear
C Turbid
D Lake
Answer: C

## Question 9

Whichletter-cluster will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?
SWA, OAW, KES, ?, CMK

A GHO
B FIP
C GIO
D FIO
Answer: C

## Question 10

Arrange the following words in a logical and meaningful order.

1. Ploughing up the field
2. Bread making
3. Production of wheat
4. Wheat grinding
5. Sowing the seeds
6. Dough making

A $2,5,2,4,1,6$
B $4,5,2,6,1,3$

C $1,5,3,6,4,2$
D $1,5,3,4,6,2$
Answer: D

Question 11
Which letter will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?
D, J, ?, S, V, X

A P

B Q
C M

D 0
Answer: D

Question 12
Three different positions of the same dice are shown. Which symbol will be on the face opposite to the one having '*' ?


A @

B !

C $\$$

D +
Answer: D

## Question 13

How many triangles are there in the following figure.


A 19
B 21

C 23
D 20
Answer: B

Question 14
Which number will replace the question mark (?) in the following series?
102, 110, 126, 150, 182, ?

A 220

B 246
C 222

D 214
Answer: C

Question 15
Three of the following four letter-clusters are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the odd one out.

A ZXUQL

B NLHDC
C PNKGB

D SQNIE
Answer: B

Question 16
' $A+B$ ' means ' $A$ is the wife of $B$ '.
' $A$ - $B$ ' means ' $A$ is the husband of $B$ '.
' $A \times B$ ' means ' $A$ is the son of $B$ '.
' $A \div B$ ' means ' $A$ is the mother of $B$ '.
If $\mathbf{T}+\mathbf{Q} \times \mathbf{P}-\mathbf{U} \div \mathbf{R} \div \mathbf{S}+\mathbf{V}$, then how is $\mathbf{R}$ related to $\mathbf{Q}$ ?

A Mother

B Daughter
C Maternal grandmother
D Sister
Answer: D

## Question 17

Three of the following four number-pairs are alike in a certain way and one is different. Pick the numberpair that is different from the rest.

A 3:27

B 4:65

C $2: 9$

D 1:2
Answer: A

Question 18
Select the missing number from the given options.
4
31

5
4
2

89
43
?

A 36
B 5

C 8

D 27
Answer: B

## Question 19

Ina code language, DISTRIBUTION is written as SIDIRTTUBNOI. How will ABBREVIATING be written as in that language?

A BBAVERTAIGNI
B VERBBAGNITAI
C BABRVEAITTGN
D BBAVERIATGNI
Answer: A

Question 20
Select the figure that will come next in the following figure series.


A


B


C


Answer: D

## Question 21

The sum of the current ages of Vinayak and his father is 50 years. 5 years from now, Vinayak's age will be one-fifth of his father's age. Whatis Vinayak's current age?

A 5 years
B 8 years
C 15 years
D 10 years
Answer: A

## Question 22

Select the missing number from the given options.

| 35 | 32 | 51 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 28 | 18 | 37 |
| $?$ | 14 | 47 |

A 43
B 41

C 40

D
Answer: C

## Question 23

Select the correct mirror image of the given figure when a vertical mirror is placed on the right of the figure.


A


B


C


D


Answer: B

## Question 24

Select the word-pair in which the two wordsare related in the same way as the two words in the following word-pair.
Accident : Injury

A Farmer: Hard-work
B Infection: Disease
C Income: Corruption

D Police: Fine
Answer: B

## Question 25

In a code language, CLIMAX is written as 312913124 . How will RESIGN be written as in that language?

A 185199714

B 185199713
C 195209714

D 185198614
Answer: A

## General knowledge

## Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

## Question 26

British East India Company defeated the Portuguese in the $\qquad$ .

A Battle of Buxar

B Battle of Plassey
C Battle of Suvali
D Battle of Chamkaur
Answer: C

## Question 27

In China, 2019 (which starts on 5 February and ends on 24 January) is the year of the $\qquad$ .

A Rat
B Dog
C Pig
D Ox
Answer: C

Question 28
Which team won the Indian Premier League 2018?

A Royal Challengers Bangalore

B Delhi Daredevils
C Rajasthan Royals
D Chennai Super Kings
Answer: D

## Question 29

In March 2019, the Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) of India grounded which aircraft due to technical fault?

A Boeing 787 Max 14
B Boeing 737 Max 8
C Boeing 777 Max 12
D Boing 747 Max 9
Answer: B

## Question 30

$\qquad$ gases trap heat in the atmosphere which makes the Earth warmer, causing global warming.

A Greenhouse
B Nobel
C Elemental
D Compound
Answer: A

Question 31
Both, haemoglobin and myoglobin require $\qquad$ for formation.

A Iron
B Vitamin B12
C Calcium
D Vitamin A
Answer: A

Question 32
Who among the following was the first Chinese to receive the Nobel Prize for literature ?

A Mo Yan

B Liu Cixin
C Gao Xingjian

D Lu Xun
Answer: A

## Question 33

Which of the following is the longest river in Pakistan that originates from Lake Manasarovar?

A Chenab

B Indus

C Sutlej
D Kabul
Answer: B

## Question 34

Which country won the South Asian Football Federation (SAFF) Women's Championship in 2019?

A Bhutan

B India

C Pakistan

D Nepal
Answer: B

Question 35
Opium wars were fought between the British and $\qquad$ .

A Myanmar (Burma)
B China

C Afghanistan
D Bhutan
Answer: B

## Question 36

Which Indian author wrote the book 'Two Lives'?

A Amish Tripathi
B Chetan Bhagat
C Vikram Seth
D Amitava Ghosh

Answer: C

## Question 37

A $\qquad$ is not constrained by prior work.

A strategic alliance
B franchise

C joint venture
D greenfield project
Answer: D

## Question 38

Which human body part can be called the 'chemical factory' of our body?

A Liver

B Stomach
C Kidneys

D Lungs
Answer: A

## Question 39

Identify the national sport of Sri Lanka.

A Cricket

B Volleyball
C Basketball

D Swimming
Answer: B

## Question 40

Rule $\qquad$ (of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha) does NOT involve a formal motion before the Parliament House, hence no voting can take place after discussion on matters under this rule.

A 149

B 186
C 193

D 158
Answer: C

## Question 41

Nitrous Oxide' is the chemical name of $\qquad$ .

A Tear Gas

B Fire Extinguisher
C Laughing Gas
D Mosquito Repellent
Answer: C

## Question 42

Which country hosted the 2019 Sultan Azlan Shah Cup hockey tournament?

A Malaysia
B Singapore
C India

D China
Answer: A

Question 43
A scientific study of rocks that deals with their composition, texture and structure; their occurrence and distribution; and their origin in relation to physicochemical conditions is called $\qquad$ .

A Petrology
B Geomorphology

C Geology
D Lithology
Answer: A

Question 44
A market place in which a final good or service is bought and sold is called $\qquad$ .

A Commodity Market
B Factor Market

C Product Market

D Equity Market
Answer: C

## Question 45

Which one of the following is the deepest gorge in the world?

A Kali Gandaki Gorge
B Garganta del Cares

C Vikos Gorge
D Tiger Leaping Gorge
Answer: A

Question 46
Bihar Diwas is annually celebrated on $\qquad$ to commemorate the day Bihar was carved out from the Bengal Presidency.

A $13^{\text {th }}$ March
B $27^{\text {th }}$ March
C $22^{\text {nd }}$ March
D $17^{\text {th }}$ March
Answer: C

## Question 47

Sir Thomas Roe visited the court of Mughal ruler $\qquad$ as the ambassador of the King of England.

A Shah Jahan
B Humayun

C Akbar

D Jahangir
Answer: D

## Question 48

Tipu Sultan and British East India Company signed the Treaty of Mangalore in the year $\qquad$ .

A 1792

B 1764

C 1799
D 1784
Answer: D

Question 49
How many provinces are there in Sri Lanka?

A 6

B 11

C 9

D 8
Answer: C

Question 50
In India, which of the following articles of the Constitution of India provides for the formation of a new state?

A Article 2
B Article 3
C Article 9

D Article 1
Answer: B

## Quant

## Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

## Question 51

What is the value of $x$ so that the seven digit number $5656 \times 52$ is divisible by $\mathbf{7 2 ?}$

A 8

B 4
C 5

D 7
Answer: D

## Question 52

This table shows the percentage of students passing out of five different colleges over three years.It is given that from each college, 200 students appeared every year.

| Years | Colleges |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A | B | C | D | E |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | 68 | 65 | 80 | 92 | 72 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | 72 | 68 | 88 | 95 | 75 |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | 74 | 77 | 92 | 98 | 73 |

What is the ratio of the number of students passing to those failing from college $E$ in the year 2015?

A 17:7

B 9:5

C 18:7

D 4:3
Answer: C

## Question 53

Two articles are sold for ₹975 each. On one,the seller gains 30\% andon theother, he loses 25\%. Whatis the overall gain or loss percentage, correct to one decimal place?

A $4.9 \%$ loss
B $5.3 \%$ gain

C $4.9 \%$ gain

D $5.1 \%$ loss
Answer: A

## Question 54

An article is sold for ₹ 612 after successive discounts of $25 \%$ and $x \%$. If the marked price of the article is ₹ 960 , what is the value of x ?

A 10

B 15

C 12

D 14
Answer: B

## Question 55

In a circle with centre $\mathbf{O}$, an are ABC subtends an angle of $140^{\circ}$ at the centre of the circle. The chord AB is produced to point $P$. Then $\angle C B P$ is equal to:

A $70^{\circ}$

B $40^{\circ}$

C $50^{\circ}$

D $80^{\circ}$
Answer: A

## Question 56

If $\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c}=\mathbf{7}$ and $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}+\mathbf{b} \mathbf{c}+\mathbf{c} \mathbf{a}=\mathbf{1}$, then $a^{3}+b^{3}+c^{3}-3 a b c$ is equal to:

A 412
B 322
C 325

D 422
Answer: B

## Question 57

Ina circle of radius 13 cm , a chord is at a distance of 12 cm from the centre of the circle. What is the length of the chord?

A 5 cm

B $\quad 10 \mathrm{~cm}$
C 7 cm
D 9 cm
Answer: B

## Question 58

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If the number of passed out students of all five colleges is represented by a pie chart, what is the central angle (to nearest whole number)of the sector representing the passed out students of college $\mathbf{C}$ ?

A $69^{\circ}$

B $77^{\circ}$
C $79^{\circ}$

D $67^{\circ}$
Answer: C

Question 59
In $\triangle A B C, P$ is a point on $B C$ such the $B P: P C=4: 3$ and is the midpoint of $B P$. Then $\operatorname{ar}(\triangle A B Q): \operatorname{ar}(\triangle$ $A C B$ )is equal to:

A 1:5
B $3: 7$
C $4: 7$

D 2:7
Answer: D

## Question 60

The price of sugar is increased by $24 \%$. A person wants to increase his expenditure by $18 \%$ only. By approximately what percent should he decrease his consumption?

A $5.3 \%$

B $5.1 \%$
C $4.6 \%$
D $4.8 \%$
Answer: D

## Question 61

The value of: $108 \div 36 \times 4+2.5 \times 4 \div 0.5-10$

A 20
B 22
C 16
D 18
Answer: B

## Question 62

$\triangle A B C \sim \triangle E D F$ and $\operatorname{ar}(\triangle A B C): \operatorname{ar}(\triangle D E F)=4: 9$. If $A B=6 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=8 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=10 \mathrm{~cm}$,then $D F$ is equal to:

A 9 cm
B $\quad 12 \mathrm{~cm}$
C 15 cm

D 18 cm
Answer: B

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What is the approximate percentage increase in the number of students passing out of college $B$ in the year 2017 as compared to the previous year?

A $13 \%$

B 13.2\%

C 12.8\%

D $13.4 \%$
Answer: B

Question 64
If $12 \sin \theta=5 \cos \theta$, then $\sin \theta+\cos \theta-\cot \theta$ is equal to:

A $\begin{array}{r}71 \\ -65\end{array}$

B $\quad 139$

C $\quad 116$

D $\begin{array}{r}16 \\ -65\end{array}$
Answer: A

## Question 65

A sphere of radius 4 cm is melted and recast into smaller spheres of radii $\mathbf{2 c m}$ each. How many such spheres can be made?

A 8

B 32

C 4

D 16
Answer: A

## Question 66

If $\sqrt{x}-\stackrel{1}{x}=3 \sqrt{2}$, then $x^{2}+\stackrel{1}{x^{2}}$ is equal to:

B 326
C 402

D 398
Answer: D

## Question 67

Walking at ${ }_{5}^{3}$ of his usual speed, a person reaches his office $\mathbf{2 0}$ minutes late than the usual time. His usual time in minutes is:

A 40

B 25

C 30
D 20
Answer: C

## Question 68

In a class of 40 students, $\mathbf{6 0 \%}$ are girls. The average of the girls' marks is $\mathbf{7 2}$ and that of the boys is 54. What are the average marks of the whole class?

A 65

B 64.8

C 65.4
D 65.2
Answer: B

## Question 69

$\sec ^{2} 29^{\circ}-\cot ^{2} 61^{\circ}+\sin ^{2} 60^{\circ}+\operatorname{cosec}^{2} 30^{\circ}$ is equal to:

A $\quad{ }_{4}^{23}$

B $\quad{ }_{4}^{11}$

C $\quad 19$
D $\quad \begin{gathered}15 \\ 4\end{gathered}$
Answer: A

## Question 70

The efficiencies of $A, B$ and $C$ are in the ratio 2:5:3. Working together, they can compete a task in 9 days. In how many days will C alone complete $40 \%$ ofthat task?

A 15

B 14
C 12

D 16
Answer: C

## Question 71

If $a: b=2: 5, a: b=3: 4$, then $a: b: c$ is equal to:

A 2:5:4
B 6:15:20
C 2:5:3
D 8:20:15
Answer: D

Question 72
If $\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{b}=\mathbf{5}$ and $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=\mathbf{2}$, then $a^{3}-b^{3}$ is equal to:

A 155

B 125

C 145

D 95
Answer: A

## Question 73

The difference between the compound interest and simple interest on $₹ x$ at $7 \%$ per annum for 2 years is ₹ $\mathbf{2 4 . 5 0}$. What is the value ofx?

A 5,000
B 4,800

C 6,000
D 5,400
Answer: A

## Question 74

This table shows the percentage of students passing out of five different colleges over three years. It is given that from each college, 200 students appeared every year.

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In which college the average percentage of passing students over the given three years is the least?

A E
B F

C A

D B
Answer: D

## Question 75

If $\operatorname{cosec} 4 \theta=\sec \left(60^{\circ}-2 \theta\right)$, then $\theta$ is equal to:

A $25^{\circ}$

B $20^{\circ}$

C $15^{\circ}$

D $18^{\circ}$
Answer: C

## English

Instructions
For the following questions answer them individually

## Question 76

Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.
Raju was playing with fire when he made speeches aginst the management.

A smoking a cigarette
B taking a grave risk

C provoking the crowd
D lighting candles
Answer: B

## Question 77

Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.
A. The market which has remained clogged with vehicles was all clear for pedestrians.
B. The road has even been marked with stripes demarcating space for hawkers.
C. It is also lined with beautiful potted plants to give it a green look.
D. Visitors to the busy Karol Bagh market in Delhi were in for a surprise.

A DABC

B ADBC

C BDAC
D DCBA
Answer: A

## Question 78

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
ADEPT

A unknown

B kind-hearted

C skilled
D alone
Answer: C

## Question 79

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word. INITIATE

A show

B slow
C sign
D start
Answer: D

## Question 80

Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.
Following detailed deliberations, the meeting has been $\qquad$ till next week

A proposed

B reviewed
C adjourned

D cancelled
Answer: C

## Question 81

## Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word. PROLONG

A allow

B shorten

C increase

D prevent
Answer: B

## Question 82

Select the word which means the same as the group of words given. One who does not tire easily

A indestructible
B inflatable
C indefatigable
D indelible

## Answer: C

## Instructions

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

## Comprehension:

He remembers the first time he saw the elephant. "This was in 2007 at a (1) $\qquad$ called Thanni Paarai. Chinna Thambi was (2) $\qquad$ water on himself at a waterbody. The (3) $\qquad$ was green; not the kind people would drink," says Abraham. "After a nice shower, the elephant walked (4) $\qquad$ to a rock, lifted it, and drank from a (5) $\qquad$ under it."

## Question 83

## Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.(1)

A market
B place

C street
D shop
Answer: B

## Question 84

A sprinkling
B wetting
C raining
D sparkling
Answer: A

## Question 85

Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.(3)

A water

B milk
C flower

D leaf
Answer: A

## Question 86

Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.(4)

A above

B over
C behind
D near
Answer: B

Question 87
Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.(5)

A pond

B tap

C spring
D tank
Answer: C

## Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually
Question 88
In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error. There is many modes of travel to go to Agra but I prefer road travel.

A prefer road travel.
B Agra but I
C There is many modes
D to go to
Answer: C

## Question 89

Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank. Hima Das, the reigning world junior sprinter who $\qquad$ the national record, won the gold in the Federation Cup.

A keeps
B holds

C plays
D gets
Answer: B

## Question 90

In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error. Having just taking a heavy lunch, she was not ready to have any fruit.

A she was not ready
B to have any fruit.
C Having just
D taking a heavy
Answer: D

## Question 91

Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word. SCANTY

A concise

B small

C precise
D profuse
Answer: D

## Question 92

Select the correctly spelt word.

A repitition
B aggrravate

C accomplish
D hieghten
Answer: C

Question 93
Select the correctly spelt word.

A luxry
B luxury

C lugzury
D luxery
Answer: B

## Question 94

Select the correct passive form of the given sentence. They opened a new mall nearby last month.

A A new mall was opened nearby last month.
B A new mall will be opened nearby last month.
C Nearby a new mall is opened last month.
D A new mall can be open nearby last month.
Answer: A

## Question 95

Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select No improvement.
When we went to the cinema yesterday, the film had already start.

A No improvement
B the film had already started.
C the film have already start.
D the film was already start.
Answer: B

## Question 96

Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.
A. When we can't laugh at the same joke again, why should we cry over the same problems?
B. One day he told them a joke and everyone roared with laughter.
C. People came to a wise man to complain about the same problems every time.
D. When he repeated the joke twice, nobody laughed anymore.

A ADBC

B DBCA

C BACD
D CBDA
Answer: D

## Question 97

Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select No improvement.
I am think that tomorrow I will take leave and stay at home.

A I think that tomorrow I will take

B I was thinking that the next day I will be taking
C No improvement
D I have thought that tomorrow I am taking
Answer: A

Question 98
Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence. The authorities have turned a deaf ear to all our requests.

A presented
B accepted
C acknowledged
D neglected
Answer: D

Question 99
Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.
Incapable of being read

A vague

B eligible

C unseen

D illegible
Answer: D

## Question 100

## Select the correct active form of the given sentence. By whom were you taught Mathematics?

A Whom are you teaching Mathematics?
B Who will teach you Mathematics?
C Who teaching you Mathematics?
D Who taught you Mathematics?
Answer: D

