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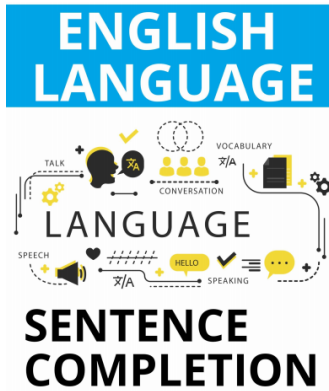


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1. If TAP is coded as SZO, then how is FREEZE coded?

- A. ATSSTS
- B. EQDDYD
- C. ESDDYD
- D. EQDDZD

Answer: B

Explanation:

Clearly,

T -1 = S

A -1 = Z

P -1 = O

So FREEZE will be,

F -1 E

R -1 Q

E -1 D

E -1 D

Z -1 Y

E -1 D



2. In a certain code, SIKKIM is written as THLJL, how is TRAINING written in that code?

- A. SQBHOHOF
- B. UQBHOIOF
- C. UQBHOHOI
- D. UQBHOHOF

Answer: D



**Explanation:**

In given word, word is increasing and decreasing by one alternatively as,

S +1 T

I -1 H

K +1 L

K -1 J

I +1 J

M -1 L

So in the same way TRAINING will be UQBHOHOF

**3. In a certain code, MENTION is written as LNEITNO. How is PATTERN written in that code ?**

- A. ATAETNR
- B. OTAETNR
- C. OTAESNR
- D. STAETNR

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

In the given word, we can analyze that,

M is decreased by 1, M-1 = L, and other words are interchanged,

EN - NE

TI - IT

ON - NO

So PATTERN will be

P -1 O

AT - TA

TE - ET

RN - NR





4. In a certain language, MADRAS is coded as NBESBT, how is BOMBAY coded in that code ?

- A. CPNCBZ
- B. CPNCBX
- C. DPNCBZ
- D. DPNCBX

Answer: A

Explanation:

Clearly every letter is increased by 1 as

M +1 N

A +1 B

D +1 E

R +1 S

A +1 B

S +1 T

So after increasing every character in word BOMBAY by 1, we get

5. CUP:LIP:BIRD:?

- A. BUSH
- B. GRASS
- C. FOREST
- D. BEAK

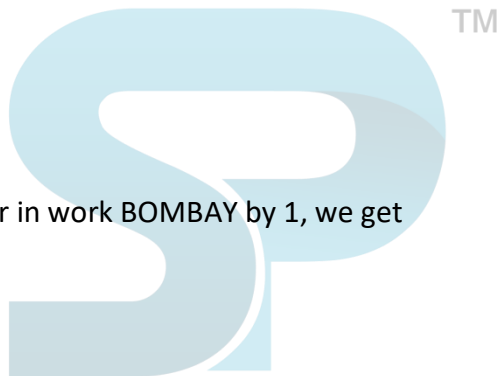
Answer: D

Explanation:

Cup is used to drink something with the help of lips. Similarly, birds collect grass with the help of beak to make her nest.

6. Flow: River: Stagnant:?

- A. Rain
- B. Stream
- C. Pool
- D. Canal





Answer: C

Explanation:

As Water of a River flows similarly water of Pool is Stagnant.

**7. Paw : Cat :: Hoof : ?**

- A. Lamb
- B. Elephant
- C. Lion
- D. Horse

Answer: D

Explanation:

As Water of a River flows similarly water of Pool is Stagnant.

**8. Paw : Cat :: Hoof : ?**

- A. Lamb
- B. Elephant
- C. Lion
- D. Horse



Answer: D

Explanation:

As cat has Paw Similarly Horse has Hoof.

**9. Ornithologist: Bird:: Archaeologist : ?**

- A. Islands
- B. Mediators
- C. Archaeology
- D. Aquatic

Answer: C

Explanation:

As Ornithologist is a specialist of Birds Similarly Archaeologist is a specialist of Archaeology.

**10. Look at this series: 53, 53, 40, 40, 27, 27, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 12
- B. 14



- C. 27
- D. 53

Answer: B

Explanation:

In this series, each number is repeated, then 13 is subtracted to arrive at the next number.

**11. Look at this series: 22, 21, 23, 22, 24, 23, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 22
- B. 24
- C. 25
- D. 26

Answer: C

Explanation:

In this simple alternating subtraction and addition series; 1 is subtracted, then 2 is added, and so on.

**12. Look at this series: 36, 34, 30, 28, 24, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 20
- B. 22
- C. 23
- D. 26

Answer: B

Explanation:

This is an alternating number subtraction series. First, 2 is subtracted, then 4, then 2, and so on.

**13. Look at this series: 21, 9, 21, 11, 21, 13, 21, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 14
- B. 15
- C. 21
- D. 23

Answer: B

Explanation:





In this alternating repetition series, the random number 21 is interpolated every other number into an otherwise simple addition series that increases by 2, beginning with the number 9.

**14. Look at this series: 58, 52, 46, 40, 34, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 26
- B. 28
- C. 30
- D. 32

Answer: B

Explanation:

This is a simple subtraction series. Each number is 6 less than the previous number.

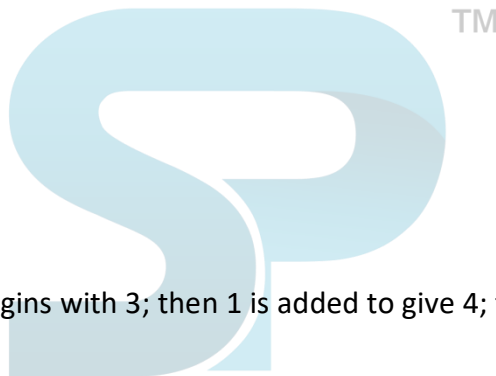
**15. Look at this series: 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 7
- B. 10
- C. 14
- D. 15

Answer: D

Explanation:

This alternating addition series begins with 3; then 1 is added to give 4; then 3 is added to give 7; then 1 is added, and so on.



**16. Look at this series: 8, 22, 8, 28, 8, ... What number should come next?**

- A. 9
- B. 29
- C. 32
- D. 34

Answer: D

Explanation:

This is a simple addition series with a random number, 8, interpolated as every other number. In the series, 6 is added to each number except 8, to arrive at the next number.

**17. A person who is the husband of my son's sister is my**

- A. Nephew
- B. Son-in-law



- C. Son
- D. Brother
- E. Father

Answer: B

Explanation:

My son's sister is my daughter. My daughter's husband is my son-in-law.

**18. Y is the daughter of X's brother's wife's father-in-law. Y is X's \_\_**

- A. Niece
- B. Daughter
- C. Sister
- D. Sister-in-law
- E. Mother

Answer: C

Explanation:

X's brother's wife's father-in-law is X's brother's father i.e. X's father. X's father's daughter is X's Sister.

**19. Showing a photograph P said, " She is my mother's mother's son's daughter ". How is the person in the photograph related to P?**

- A. Sister
- B. Cousin
- C. Niece
- D. Mother
- E. None of these.

Answer: B

Explanation:

P's mother's mother's son is P's uncle. P's uncle's daughter is P's cousin.

**20. How is my father's mother's only daughter-in-law's sister related to me?**

- A. Aunt
- B. Sister
- C. Cousin
- D. Niece
- E. Mother

Answer: A



**Explanation:**

My father's mother's only daughter-in-law is my father's wife i.e. my mother. My mother's sister is my aunt.

**21. How is my grandmother's only child's husband's mother related to me?**

- A. Mother
- B. Grandmother
- C. Aunt
- D. Sister
- E. Cousin

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

My grandmother's only child is my mother. My mother's husband is my father. My father's mother is my grandmother.

**22. How is Ramu's mother-in-law's only daughter's son related to Ramu?**

- A. **Nephew**
- B. **Brother**
- C. **Son**
- D. **Uncle**
- E. **Father**

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Ramu's mother-in-law's only daughter is Ramu's wife. Ramu's wife son is Ramu's son.

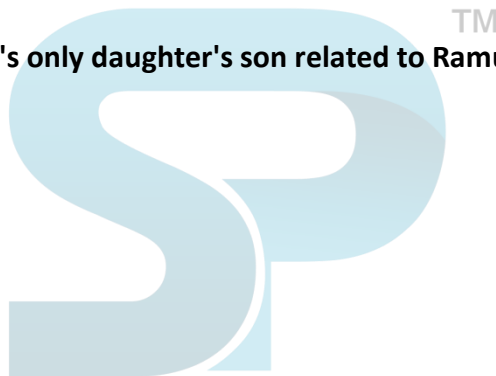
**23. How is my son's son's mother's daughter related to me?**

- A. **Niece**
- B. **Granddaughter**
- C. **Daughter**
- D. **Aunt**
- E. **Mother**

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Ramu's mother-in-law's only daughter is Ramu's wife. Ramu's wife son is Ramu's son.





**24. How is my son's son's mother's daughter related to me?**

- A. Niece
- B. Granddaughter
- C. Daughter
- D. Aunt E. Mother

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

My son's son's mother is my son's wife. My son's wife's daughter is my granddaughter.

**25. How is my father's brother's only sibling's mother related to me?**

- A. Mother
- B. Cousin
- C. Daughter
- D. Aunt
- E. Grandmother

**Answer:** E

**Explanation:**

My father's brother's only sibling is my father. My father's mother is my grandmother.

**26. The 'Dalong Village' covering an area of 11.35 sq. km. has recently (May 2017) been declared as Biodiversity Heritage Site under Section 37(1) of Biological Diversity Act, 2002. The village is situated in the Indian State of -**

- A. Manipur
- B. Madhya Pradesh
- C. Mizoram
- D. Maharashtra

**Answer:** B

**27. .... is the first woman to head a public sector bank.**

- A. Arundhati Bhattacharya
- B. Shikha Sharma
- C. Chanda Kochar
- D. Usha Ananthasubramanyan

**Answer:** A

**28. World Tourism Day is celebrated on-**



- A. September 12
- B. September 25
- C. September 27
- D. September 29

Answer: C

**29. Where is Bose Institute ?**

- A. Dispur
- B. Kolkata
- C. Mumbai
- D. New Delhi

Answer: B

**30. When is the International Yoga Day celebrated?**

- A. June 21
- B. March 21
- C. April 22
- D. May 31

Answer: A

**31. The two-day festival 'North East Calling', is organized by which ministry?**

- A. Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER)
- B. Ministry of External Affairs
- C. Ministry of Home Affairs
- D. Ministry of Defense

Answer: B

**32. When Government of India confers the "Highest Civilian Honor for Women" by presenting "Nari Shakti Puraskars"?**

- A. June 5
- B. 8th March, every year, International Women's Day
- C. June 21
- D. April 7

Answer: B

**33. The motif of 'Hampi with Chariot' is printed on the reverse of which currency note?**

- A. One Rupee Note
- B. Rs. 500 note



- C. Rs. 50 note
- D. Rs. 1000 note

Answer: C

**34. Election Commission of India has decided that the voter's identification shall be mandatory in the elections at the time of poll. Which of the following shall be the main document of identification of a voter ?**

- A. Voter Slip
- B. Electoral Photo Identity Cards (EPIC)
- C. Indelible ink mark
- D. Electoral rolls

Answer: B

**35. 'Line of Blood' is a book written by whom?**

- A. Bairaj Khanna
- B. Ursula Vernon
- C. Amal El-Mohtar
- D. Diksha Basu

Answer: A

**36. Should all train engines operated by coal be converted to electric engines?**

- A. Yes, coal engines pollute the environment more than electric engines
- B. Yes, electric engines are more powerful and efficient
- C. No, we do not have enough electric power to cater to the need of domestic use
- D. No, we have enough coals to run train engines

Answer: A

**37. The order of the tricolor of the Indian Flag from top to bottom is in which of the following sequences?**

- A. Saffron, White with 24-spoke Wheel, Green
- B. Green, White with 24-spoke Wheel, Saffron
- C. Saffron, White with 22-spoke Wheel, Green
- D. Green, White with 22-spoke Wheel, Saffron

Answer: A

**38. The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority (IRDA) is a -**

- A. Statutory Body
- B. Constitutional Body



- C. Non-Governmental Organization
- D. Advisory Body

Answer: A

**39. A major in-stream use of water is for -**

- A. producing hydroelectric power
- B. dissolving industrial wastes
- C. agricultural irrigation
- D. domestic use

Answer: A

**40. Who among the following Scientists got two Nobel prizes of which one was in Peace?**

- A. Albert Einstein
- B. H. G. Khorana
- C. Linus Pauling
- D. Paul Berg<sup>3</sup>

Answer: C

**41. The first Indian State to go wholly organic is -**

- A. Meghalaya
- B. Sikkim
- C. Manipur
- D. Kerala

Answer: B

**42. Which among the following cities in India, is not located in Golden Quadrilateral Road Network?**

- A. Kolkata
- B. Mumbai
- C. New Delhi
- D. Chandigarh

Answer: D

**43. Which one of the following states of India has made unique venture of putting daughter's nameplate on the front of the house?**

- A. Punjab
- B. Haryana
- C. Uttar Pradesh





D. Madhya Pradesh

Answer: B

44. What is the name of Indira Gandhi's Samadhi?

- A. Shanti Ghat
- B. Shakti Sthal
- C. Shanti Van
- D. Shanti Sthal

Answer: B

45. 'SHIKHAR SE PUKAR' is a documentary film related to which topic?

- A. Girl Education
- B. Water Conservation
- C. Women Empowerment
- D. None of the above

Answer: B

46. AIIA will work with which country for integrating Ayurveda principles with modern medicine?

- A. Russia
- B. Japan
- C. Israel
- D. Australia

Answer: D

47. Who became the youngest artist in the history of Grammys to score six Grammy Award nominations?

- A. Lana Del Rey
- B. Swae Lee
- C. Ariana Grande
- D. Billie Eilish

Answer: D

48. Indian Army celebrated the Poonch Link-up Day on which date?

- A. November 25
- B. November 24
- C. November 23
- D. November 21





Answer: C

49. Which city hosted the 5th India – Europe 29 Business Forum?

- A. New Delhi
- B. Bangalore
- C. Gurgram
- D. Deharadun

Answer: A

50. Which defense institution has been recently honored with the President's Color?

- A. National Defense College
- B. Indian Naval Academy
- C. Counter Insurgency and Jungle Warfare School
- D. Officers Training Academy

Answer: B

51. A and B together can do a piece of work in 30 days. A having worked for 16 days, B finishes the remaining work alone in 44 days. In how many days shall B finish the whole work alone?

- A. 30 days
- B. 40 days
- C. 60 days
- D. 70 days

Answer: C

Explanation:

Let A's 1 day's work = x and B's 1 day's work = y.

Then,  $x + y = \frac{1}{30}$  and  $16x + 44y = 1$ .

Solving these two equations, we get:  $x = \frac{1}{60}$  and  $y = \frac{1}{60}$

B's 1 day's work =  $\frac{1}{60}$

52. A works twice as fast as B. If B can complete a work in 12 days independently, the number of days in which A and B can together finish the work is:

- A. 4 days
- B. 6 days
- C. 8 days
- D. 18 days



**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Ratio of rates of working of A and B = 2 : 1.

So, ratio of times taken = 1: 2.

B's 1 day's work =  $\frac{1}{12}$  .

Therefore, A's 1 day's work =  $\frac{1}{6}$  ; (2 times of B's work)

(A + B)'s 1 day's work =  $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12}$

So, A and B together can finish the work in 4 days.

**53. The sum of ages of 5 children born at the intervals of 3 years each is 50 years. What is the age of the youngest child?**

- A. 4 Years
- B. 8 Years
- C. 10 Years
- D. None of these

**Answer:** A

**Explanation:**

Let the ages of children be  $x$ ,  $(x + 3)$ ,  $(x + 6)$ ,  $(x + 9)$  and  $(x + 12)$  years.

Then,  $x + (x + 3) + (x + 6) + (x + 9) + (x + 12) = 50$

$$5x = 20$$

$$x = 4.$$

Age of the youngest child =  $x = 4$  years.

**54. A father said to his son, "I was as old as you are at the present at the time of your birth". If the father's age is 38 years now, the son's age five years back was:**

- A. 14 years
- B. 19 years
- C. 33 years
- D. 38 years



Answer: A

Explanation:

Let the son's present age be  $x$  years. Then,  $(38 - x) = x$

$$2x = 38.$$

$$x = 19.$$

Son's age 5 years back  $(19 - 5) = 14$  years.

**55. A is two years older than B who is twice as old as C. If the total of the ages of A, B and C be 27, then how old is B?**

- A. 7
- B. 8
- C. 9
- D. 10

Answer: D

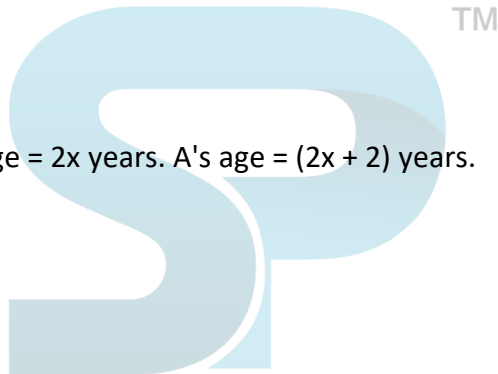
Explanation:

Let C's age be  $x$  years. Then, B's age =  $2x$  years. A's age =  $(2x + 2)$  years.

$$(2x + 2) + 2x + x = 27$$

$$5x = 25$$

$$x = 5.$$



Hence, B's age =  $2x = 10$  years.

**56. A man is 24 years older than his son. In two years, his age will be twice the age of his son. The present age of his son is:**

- A. 14 years
- B. 18 years
- C. 20 years
- D. 22 years

Answer: D

Explanation:

Let the son's present age be  $x$  years. Then, man's present age =  $(x + 24)$  years.



$$(x + 24) + 2 = 2(x + 2)$$

$$x + 26 = 2x + 4$$

$$x = 22.$$

**57. The sum of the present ages of a father and his son is 60 years. Six years ago, father's age was five times the age of the son. After 6 years, son's age will be:**

- A. 12 years
- B. 14 years
- C. 18 years
- D. 20 years

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Let the present ages of son and father be  $x$  and  $(60 - x)$  years respectively.

$$\text{Then, } (60 - x) - 6 = 5(x - 6)$$

$$54 - x = 5x - 30$$

$$6x = 84$$

$$x = 14.$$

$$\text{Son's age after 6 years} = (x + 6) = 20 \text{ years.}$$



**58. At present, the ratio between the ages of Arun and Deepak is 4 : 3. After 6 years, Arun's age will be 26 years. What is the age of Deepak at present?**

- A. 12 years
- B. 15 years
- C. 19 and half
- D. 21 years

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Let the present ages of Arun and Deepak be  $4x$  years and  $3x$  years respectively. Then,

$$4x + 6 = 26 \quad 4x = 20$$



$$x = 5.$$

Deepak's age =  $3x = 15$  years.

**59. The present ages of three persons in proportions 4 : 7 : 9. Eight years ago, the sum of their ages was 56. Find their present ages (in years).**

- A. 8, 20, 28
- B. 16, 28, 36
- C. 20, 35, 45
- D. None of these

**Answer:** B

**Explanation:**

Let their present ages be  $4x$ ,  $7x$  and  $9x$  years respectively.

$$\text{Then, } (4x - 8) + (7x - 8) + (9x - 8) = 56$$

$$20x = 80$$

$$x = 4.$$

Their present ages are  $4x = 16$  years,  $7x = 28$  years and  $9x = 36$  years respectively.

**60. Ayesha's father was 38 years of age when she was born while her mother was 36 years old when her brother four years younger to her was born. What is the difference between the ages of her parents?**

- A. 2 years
- B. 4 years
- C. 6 years
- D. 8 years

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Mother's age when Ayesha's brother was born = 36 years.

Father's age when Ayesha's brother was born =  $(38 + 4)$  years = 42 years.

Required difference =  $(42 - 36)$  years = 6 years.

**61. The age of father 10 years ago was thrice the age of his son. Ten years hence, father's age will be twice that of his son. The ratio of their present ages is:**



- A. 5:2
- B. 7:3
- C. 9:2
- D. 13:4

Answer: B

Explanation:

Let the ages of father and son 10 years ago be  $3x$  and  $x$  years respectively.

Then,  $(3x + 10) + 10 = 2[(x + 10) + 10]$

$$3x + 20 = 2x + 40$$

$$x = 20.$$

$$\text{Required ratio} = (3x + 10) : (x + 10) = 70 : 30 = 7 : 3.$$

**62. Find the average of all numbers between 6 and 34 which are divisible by 5**

- A. 15
- B. 20
- C. 25
- D. 30

Answer: B

Explanation:

$$\text{Average} = \frac{10+15+20+25+30}{5}$$

$$= \frac{100}{5}$$

$$= 20$$

**63. Average of first five multiples of 3 is**

- A. 9
- B. 11
- C. 13
- D. 15

Answer:A

Explanation:





$$\text{Average} = \frac{3(1+2+3+4+5)}{5}$$

$$= \frac{45}{5}$$

$$= 9$$

**64. Average age of boys in a class is 16 years and average age of girls is 15 years, what is the average age of all**

- A. 15.5
- B. 15
- C. 16
- D. Can't be computed

Answer: D

Explanation:

As number of girls and boys is not given so result can't be computed <sup>TM</sup>

**65. A batsman makes a score of 87 runs in the 17th match and thus increases his average by 3. Find his average after 17th match**

- A. 36
- B. 37
- C. 38
- D. 39

Answer: D

Explanation:

Let the average after 17th match is x

then the average before 17th match is x-3

$$\text{so } 16(x-3) + 87 = 17x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 87 - 48 = 39$$

**66. Average weight of 10 people increased by 1.5 kg when one person of 45 kg is replaced by a new man. Then weight of the new man is**

- A. 50
- B. 55
- C. 60
- D. 65



Answer: C

Explanation:

Total weight increased is  $1.5 * 10 = 15$ .

So weight of new person is  $45+15 = 60$

**67. Average of five numbers is 27. If one number is excluded the average becomes 25. The excluded number is**

- A. 35
- B. 45
- C. 55
- D. 65

Answer: A

Explanation:

Number is  $(5*27) - (4*25) = 135-100 = 35$

**68. Average of 10 matches is 32, How many runs one should score to increase his average by 4 runs.**

- A. 70
- B. 76
- C. 78
- D. 80

Answer: B

Explanation:

Average after 11 innings should be 36

So, Required score =  $(11 * 36) - (10 * 32)$

=  $396 - 320 = 76$

**69. The average age of husband, wife and their child 3 years ago was 27 years and that of wife and the child 5 years ago was 20 years. The present age of the husband is**

- A. 40
- B. 35
- C. 45
- D. 55





Answer: A

Explanation:

Sum of the present ages of husband, wife and child =  $(27 * 3 + 3 * 3)$  years = 90 years.

Sum of the present ages of wife and child =  $(20 * 2 + 5 * 2)$  years = 50 years.

Husband's present age =  $(90 - 50)$  years = 40 years

**70. The average of six numbers is X and the average of three of these is Y. If the average of the remaining three is z, then**

- A.  $x = y + z$
- B.  $2x = y + z$
- C.  $x = 2y + z$
- D.  $x = y + 2z$

Answer: B

Explanation:

$$X = \frac{(3y + 3z)}{6}$$

or

$$2X = y + z$$

**71. Three candidates contested an election and received 1136, 7636 and 11628 votes respectively. What percentage of the total votes did the winning candidate get?**

- A. 57%
- B. 60%
- C. 65%
- D. 90%

Answer: A

Explanation:

Total number of votes polled =  $(1136 + 7636 + 11628) = 20400$ .

$$\text{Required percentage} = \left[ \frac{11628}{20400} \times 100 \right] \% = 57\%$$

**72. Two tailor's X and Y are paid a total of Rs. 550 per week by their employer. If X is paid 120 percent of the sum paid to Y, how much is Y paid per week?**

- A. Rs. 200



- B. Rs. 250
- C. Rs. 300
- D. None of these

Answer: D

Explanation:

Let the sum paid to Y per week be Rs. z.

Then,  $z + 120\%$  of  $z = 550$ .

$$z + \frac{120}{100}z = 550$$

$$\frac{11}{5}z = 550$$

$$Z = \frac{550}{11} \times 5 = 250$$

**73. The cost price of 20 articles is the same as the selling price of x articles. If the profit is 25%, then the value of x is:**

- A. 15
- B. 16
- C. 18
- D. 25

Answer: B

Explanation:

Let C.P. of each article be Re. 1 C.P. of x articles = Rs. x.

S.P. of x articles = Rs. 20.

Profit = Rs.  $(20 - x)$ .

$$\frac{20-x}{x} \times 100 = 25$$

$$2000 - 100x = 25x$$

$$125x = 2000$$

$$x = 16.$$

**74. In a certain store, the profit is 320% of the cost. If the cost increases by 25% but the selling price remains constant, approximately what percentage of the selling price is the profit?**





- A. 30%
- B. 70%
- C. 100%
- D. 250%

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:**

Let C.P. = Rs. 100. Then, Profit = Rs. 320, S.P. = Rs. 420.

New C.P. = 125% of Rs. 100 = Rs. 125

New S.P. = Rs. 420.

Profit = Rs. (420 - 125) = Rs. 295.

Required percentage =  $\left[\frac{295}{420} \times 100\right]\% = \frac{1475}{21}\% = 70\%$

**75. On selling 17 balls at Rs. 720, there is a loss equal to the cost price of 5 balls. The cost price of a ball is: #**

- A. Rs. 45
- B. Rs. 50
- C. Rs. 55
- D. Rs. 60

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:**

(C.P. of 17 balls) - (S.P. of 17 balls) = (C.P. of 5 balls)

C.P. of 12 balls = S.P. of 17 balls = Rs.720.

C.P. of 1 ball =  $\text{Rs.} \frac{720}{12} = \text{Rs. } 60.$

**76. Directions: Study the paragraph and answer the questions that follows**

The most important reason for this state of affairs, perhaps, is that India was the only country in the world to truly recognise the achievements of the Soviet Union—rather than merely focus on the debilitating faults that Communism brought to its people. The people of India realised that the achievement of one hundred per cent literacy in a country much, much larger than its own and with similarly complicated ethnic and religious groupings, the rapid industrialization of a nation that was a primarily agrarian society when the Bolshevik revolution took place in 1917, the attendant revolutionary steps in science and technology, the accessibility of health care (primeval according to Western standards, perhaps, but not according to Indian



ones) to the general population, and despite prohibition of the government of the time the vast outpourings in literature, music, art, etc. are momentous and remarkable feats in any country. In contrast, all that the West focused on were the massive human rights violations by the Soviet State on its people, the deliberate uprooting and mass migrations of ethnic peoples from one part of the country to another in the name of industrialization, the end of religion. In short, all the tools of information were employed to condemn the ideology of Communism, so much at variance with capitalist thinking. The difference with the Indian perception, I think here is, that while the Indians reacted as negatively to what the Soviet governments did to its people in the name of good governance (witness the imprisonment of Boris Pasternak and the formation of an international committee to put pressure for his release with Jawaharlal Nehru at its head), they took the pain not to condemn the people of that broad country in black and white terms; they understood that mingled in the shades of grey were grains of uniqueness (The Russians have never failed that characteristic in themselves; they have twice experimented with completely different ideologies, Communism and Capitalism both in the space of a century).

**76. Which of the following statements according to the passage is correct?**

- A. India took heed on the weak faults of Russian policies and system
- B. India seriously commended the achievement of Russia, i.e. cent per cent literacy and rapid industrialization
- C. The process of industrialization had already started when Russian revolution took place in 1917
- D. The literature, art and music received a setback during the communist regime in Russia

Answer: B

**77. The West did not focus on**

- A. Rapid growth of nuclear weapons in Russia
- B. Massive human rights violation by the Soviet state on its people
- C. deliberate uprooting and mass migration of ethnic people in the name of industrialization.
- D. Both B & C

Answer: C

**78. The India perception of the USSR was always**

- A. Negative
- B. Neutral
- C. Counter-reactionary
- D. Applauding
- E. None of these

Answer: D

**79. The passage is**



- A. Descriptive
- B. Paradoxical
- C. Analytical
- D. Thought provoking
- E. None of these

Answer: C

80. I got used ——— on the right when I was in the US for 2 years.

- A. to drive
- B. to driving
- C. in driving
- D. for driving
- E. None of these

Answer: B

81. Its high time you ——— to a decision.

- A. come
- B. came
- C. should have come
- D. should come
- E. None of these



Answer: B

Explanation:

82. ——— you work hard; you won't be able to clear even the preliminaries.

- A. if
- B. until
- C. unless
- D. though
- E. None of these

Answer: C

83. You must remember this lesson word ——— word.

- A. by
- B. for
- C. to
- D. from
- E. None of these



Answer: B

84. I complimented him ——— his success in the examination.

- A. on
- B. for
- C. to
- D. about
- E. None of these

Answer: A

Explanation:

85. Which of the following word is wrongly spelt?

- A. Accountancy
- B. Aesthetics
- C. Commemorate
- D. Austere
- E. None of these

Answer: B

86. Which of the following word is wrongly spelt?

- A. Spontaneous
- B. Anemometar
- C. perspicuous
- D. Affectionate
- E. None of these



Answer: B

87. What is the Synonym of Abandon?

- A. desert
- B. confound
- C. swell
- D. plentiful
- E. None of these

Answer: A

88. What is the Antonym of Accuse?

- A. forgo
- B. defend



- C. obtuse
- D. tender
- E. None of these

Answer: B

**89. A person who has lost the protection of the law**

- A. Outlaw
- B. Immigrant
- C. Outcast
- D. Orphan
- E. None of these

Answer: A

**90. Falsification of documents**

- A. Xeroxing
- B. Forgery
- C. Laminating
- D. Copying

Answer: B

**91. I came across these old photos when I was tidying the closet.**

- A. came towards
- B. came behind
- C. came upfront
- D. came along
- E. No correction

Answer: E

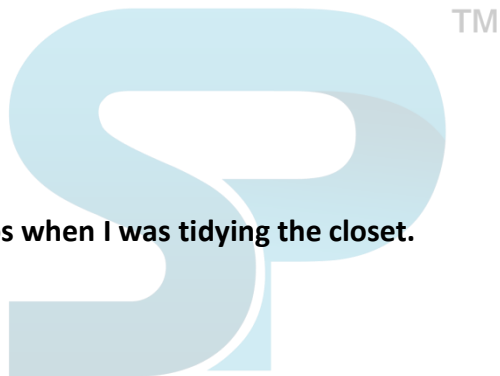
**92. I am counting at you to make dinner while I am out.**

- A. counting in
- B. counting over
- C. counting on
- D. counting out
- E. No correction

Answer: C

**93. My doctor wants me to cut over on sweets and fatty foods.**

- A. cut up





- B. cut back
- C. cut out
- D. cut along
- E. No correction

Answer: B

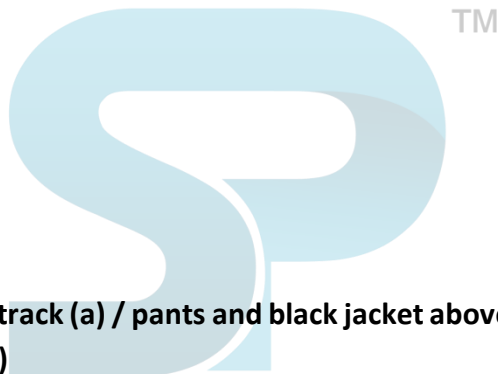
94. A large number of ATM cards have never being used even once by the Jan Dhan account holders.

- A. never being used
- B. never will be used
- C. never been using
- D. never been used
- E. never being using

Answer: D

95. My boyfriend didn't want to go to the ballet, but he finally agreed in.

- A. rested in
- B. drove in
- C. gave in
- D. gave away
- E. No correction



Answer: C

96. The gracefully ageing mom in track (a) / pants and black jacket above (b) / her white tee was thrilled (c) / to know we were Indians. (d)

- A. through
- B. over
- C. of
- D. under
- E. None of these

Answer: A

97. Inside the Kremlin, people mill around like (a) / they do in Disneyland - posing (b) / of selfies against the snaking (c) / red wall and the Lenin-less Mausoleum. (d)

- A. to
- B. at
- C. for
- D. in
- E. None of these





Answer: C

98. We regroup like a flash mob, pirouetting around (a) / the structure, clicking away from various (b) /angles, recording (c) / the relic from the past on a smartphone. (d)

- A. an
- B. of
- C. a
- D. the
- E. None of these

Answer: B

99. They walked (a) / besides each other (b) / in silence. (c) / No error (d)

- A. through
- B. beside
- C. before
- D. behalf
- E. None of these

Answer: B

100.

- A. We always complain that prices
- B. are too high and that we were
- C. not getting our money's worth.
- D. No Error



Answer: C

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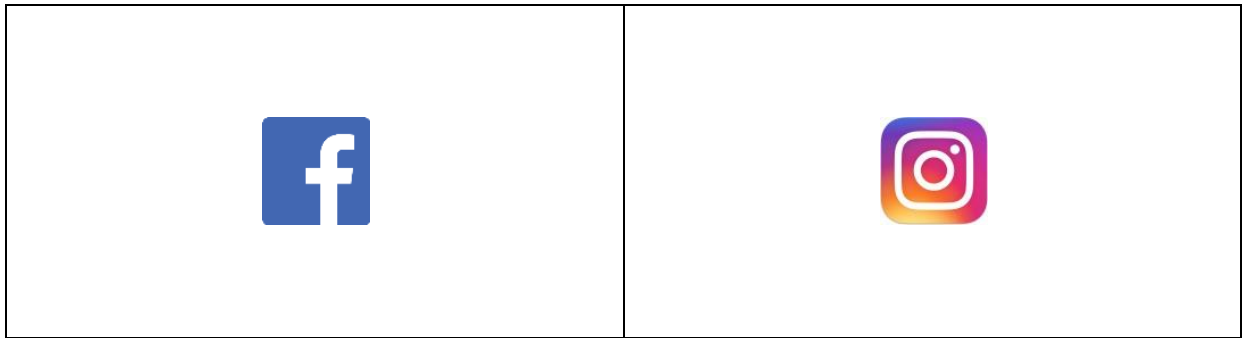
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