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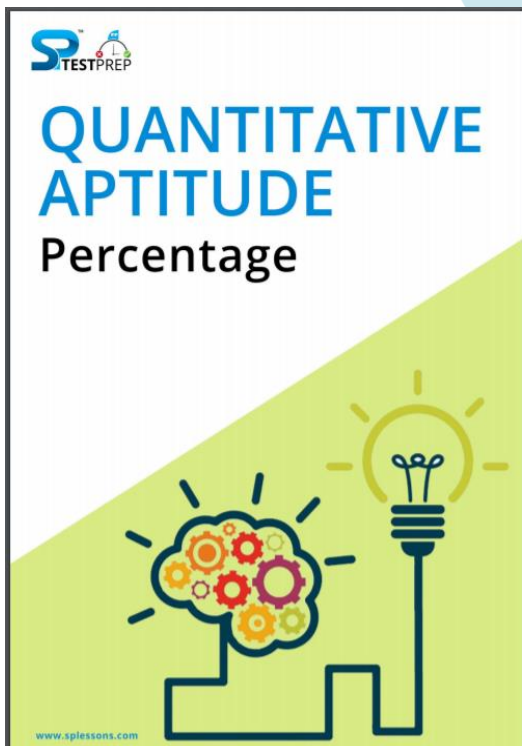
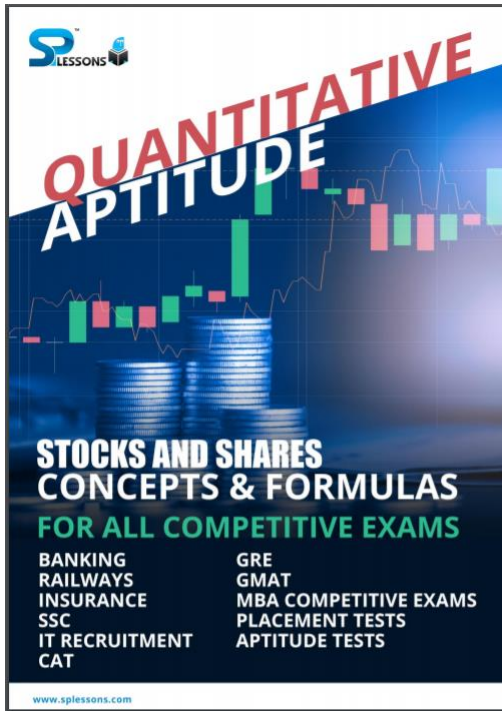
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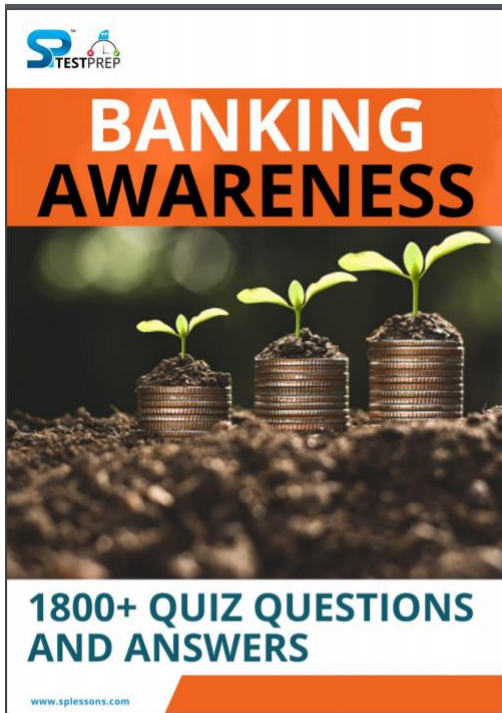
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**1. Journey : Traveller :: Voyage : ?**

- A. Warrior
- B. Sailor
- C. Driver
- D. Pilot
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Explanation:

A Traveller undertakes Journey. Similarly, Sailor undertakes Voyage

**2. Psychology : Mind :: ? : Birds**

- A. Onomatology
- B. Ology
- C. Ornithology
- D. Neuropsychology
- E. None of These

Answer – C

Explanation:

Psychology study of Mind

Ornithology study of Birds

**3. Water : ? :: Space : Radiation**

- A. Convection
- B. Evaporation
- C. Oxidation
- D. Condensation
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Explanation:

Convection is heat transfer from water

Radiation is energy transfer from space

**4. Human : Heart :: Computer : ?**

- A. CPU
- B. ALU
- C. Motherboard





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- D. Memory
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Explanation:

CPU is heart of the Computer

**5. Dog : Kennel :: Rabbit : ?**

- A. Den
- B. Cactus
- C. Forests
- D. Burrow
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Explanation:

Dog lives in Kennel

Rabbit lives in underground burrows

**6. House : Room :: World :**

- A. Land
- B. Sun
- C. Air
- D. Nation
- E. None of these

Answer – D

Explanation:

Room is a part of the house. Similarly, nation is a part of the world.

**7. Good : Bad :: Roof :**

- A. Walls
- B. Pillars
- C. Floor
- D. Window
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Explanation:

The second term is antonym of the first term. Hence, Roof : Floor.



**8. Genuine : Authentic :: Mirage : ?**

- A. Illusion
- B. Image
- C. Hideout
- D. Reaction
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Explanation:

Genuine news real, not artificial, sincere, honest etc.

**9. House : Rent :: Capital :**

- A. Interest
- B. Investment
- C. Country
- D. Money
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Explanation:

House is lent on rent. Similarly, capital is lent on interest.

**10. Physician : Treatment :: Judge : ?**

- A. Punishment
- B. Judgement
- C. Lawyer
- D. Court
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Explanation:

Treatment is done by physician. Judgement is delivered by judge.

**11. Statement:** Mexico's ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI), which has dominated its politics for the better part of a century, seems at risk of a defeat in the July 1 election.

**Conclusions:**

- I. The PRI has won most of the elections held in Mexico in the last 100 years.
- II. The PRI will no longer remain the reigning party in Mexico post July.

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III. The leaders of PRI seemed to have irked the sentiments of the common people in Mexico.

- A. Only I follow
- B. Only II follow
- C. Both I and II follow
- D. Both II and III follow
- E. Both I and III follow

Answer – A

Explanation:

Only conclusion I follows from the given statement. We have been told that the PRI has dominated Mexico's politics for the better part of a century, from which we can easily conclude that they've won most of the elections that have been held in Mexico in the last 100 years. Conclusion II does not follow because we do not know for certain of the PRI is going to lose in the coming elections. The statement tells us that the ruling party seems to be at a risk of defeat. Conclusion II does not follow as we do not know the reasons for assuming that the ruling party might not win the upcoming elections.

**12. Statement:** Overwhelmed with grief and anger, families have been returning to what is left of their homes in the Old City of Mosul, following its liberation from Isis, the terrorist organization.

**Assumptions:**

- I. The terrorist organization, Isis, destroyed the Old City of Mosul before they left.
- II. Most of the residents of Mosul had left/ been driven away when Isis took over their city.
- III. None of the residents of Mosul supported Isis, which is why they left the city.

- 1) If only assumption I is implicit.
- 2) If only assumption II is implicit.
- 3) If only assumption III is implicit.
- 4) If both I and II are implicit.
- 5) If none of the assumption is implicit.

Answer – D

Explanation:

Both assumptions I and II are valid. The statement says that people are returning to "what is left of their homes", from which we can assume that their homes were almost destroyed. Similarly, because the families are returning to the city, we can assume that they were driven away or left when Isis took over their city. However, assumption III is not valid as we cannot assume if all of the residents had left and none of them supported Isis from the given statement.



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**13. Statement:** Digital payment systems have ballooned in popularity in India since the government scrapped large-value banknotes in 2016.

**Assumptions:**

- I. People find it easier to pay via electronic methods instead of by cash these days.
  - II. The common people have realised the convenience of digital payments, which is why it gained popularity.
  - III. Digital payments methods have become popular in India because of good advertising.
- A. Only I follow
  - B. Only II follow
  - C. Both I and II follow
  - D. Both II and III follow
  - E. Both I and III follow

Answer – C

**Explanation:**

Both inferences I and II follow. The given statement says that digital payments have grown in popularity since the government scrapped large value banknotes more than a year ago. We can easily infer that people must have found the new mode of payment easy and convenient, which is why they stuck to this method even after more than a year.

**14. Over 26 crore accounts have been opened under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana across the country now. The Scheme was launched by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi on August, 2014 with the objective of covering all households with at least one bank account.**

**Which of the following will be an effect/advantages of the scheme launched by the central government?**

- A. It is helpful for the rural inhabitants where banking overhauls & further financial establishment are infrequently accessible.
- B. It would decrease the function of money lenders in the lives of deprived, who till now did not contain access to banking overhauls.
- C. It envisions a bank account & an ATM-facilitated RuPay debit card to a predictable 10 crore unbanked domestics in the kingdom.
- D. It is preparation on revolutionizing the customary banking system in India by giving that the banking occasion & insurance treatment to the entire counting the poor.
- E. All of these

Answer – E

**Explanation:**

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**15. PMJDY scheme is a universal assignment for monetary addition to making sure access to economic services, specifically, Banking/ Savings & set down accounts, allowance, recognition, indemnity, retirement fund in an inexpensive manner.**

**India will likely be able to roll out the goods and services tax (GST) from July 1 following a breakthrough on Monday over the seemingly intractable issue of tax administration after the Centre accommodated states' concerns**

**Which of the following will be an impact of the given passage?**

- A. Revenue will get a boost
- B. Logistics, inventory costs will raise
- C. Compliance costs will raise
- D. All 1, 2 and 3
- E. Both 1 and 3

Answer – A

Explanation:

Input tax credit will encourage suppliers to pay taxes – States and Centre will have dual oversight – The number of tax-exempt goods will decline and Logistics, inventory costs & compliance costs will fall

**16. India and the UK have signed three Bilateral Advance Pricing Agreements (APAs) in order to have a smooth tax regime between the two and reduce litigation arising out of transfer pricing issues.**

**Which of the following will be an immediate effect of the Advance Pricing Agreements (APAs) ?**

- A. To have a smooth tax regime between the two countries
- B. To reduce litigation arising out of transfer pricing issues.
- C. Both 1 and 2
- D. Neither 1 or 2
- E. Either 1 or 2

Answer – C

Explanation:

India and the UK have signed three Bilateral Advance Pricing Agreements (APAs) in order to have a smooth tax regime between the two and reduce litigation arising out of transfer pricing issues.

**17. If in a certain code MANAGEMENT is written as NTNAGEMAME. How DISTRIBUTE is written in that code.**

- A. RIBUDITEST
- B. TESTRIBUDI

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- C. TESTRIDIBU
- D. TESTDIRIBU
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Explanation:

MANAGEMENT => MA - 1, NA- 2, GE- 3, ME - 4, NT - 5.

Now the code follows - 52314

So for DISTRIBUTE=> DI-1, ST-2, RI -3, BU -4, TE- 5

So code will be - TESTRIDIBU

**18. In a certain code SCHOOL is written as RMGPNM. How TEACHER is written in that code.**

- A. SFZDGFQ
- B. SFZFQDG
- C. SFZQDGF
- D. DQGFSFZ
- E. None of these

Answer – A

Explanation:

+1, - 1, +1, -1 .....

**19. In a certain code PRINCIPAL is written as MBQJMOJSQ. How will SOCIETY will be written in that code.**

- A. ZUJDPTF
- B. ZUFJDPT
- C. ZUFDJPT
- D. ZUJFDTP
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Explanation:

Write the word in reverse order and then increase by one

**20. In certain code RAILWAY is written as SBJLUZX. How SPARROW is written in that code.**

- A. TQBRQNV
- B. TQRBQNB
- C. TQNVRRB
- D. TQNVBRQ

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E. None of these

Answer – A

Explanation:

First three letters are increased by one, then fourth one is as it is and then last three are decreased by one.

**Direction (21-25): Read the following information carefully to answer the following questions**

- 'P # Q' means 'P is the daughter of Q'
- 'P © Q' means 'Q is the brother of P'
- 'P = Q' means 'Q is the sister of P'
- 'P & Q' means 'P is the son of Q'
- 'P \* Q' means 'P is the father of Q'
- 'P @ Q' means 'P is the mother of Q'

**21. What does the expression 'A @ C = B © D & E'?**

- A. E is the husband of A
- B. C is the son of E
- C. C is the daughter of E
- D. E is the wife of A
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**22. Which of the following indicates that 'W is the paternal uncle of P'?**

- A. W & U # Q @ R © P
- B. W & U & R @ Q © P
- C. P & R & Q @ U © W
- D. P & Q # U @ R © W
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**23. Which of the following can be the correct conclusion drawn from the expression 'O = P # Q © V \* W'?**

- A. W is the grandson of P
- B. O is the uncle of Q
- C. Q is the uncle of W
- D. W is the niece of Q
- E. None of these

Answer - E

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24. Which of the following can be correct conclusion drawn from the expression 'A & C @ D © G = H'?

- A. D is the brother of H
- B. C has two sons and two daughters
- C. D is the sister of H
- D. H is the sister of A
- E. None of these

Answer - A

25. Which of the following indicates 'A is the daughter of E'?

- A.  $Q * P \# C @ N @ V$
- B.  $E * D \# R @ A @ B$
- C.  $F @ E \# R * A$
- D.  $F © A = B \# E$
- E. None of these

Answer - B

26. If Anil finds that he is fourteenth from the left end and 7 from the right end, then how many boys must be added to the line such that there are 30 boys in the line?

- A. 8
- B. 10
- C. 12
- D. 14
- E. None of these

Answer - B

Explanation:

13 boys Anil 6 boys = 20 boys so number of boys to be added = 10

27. In a class of 90 students, numbers of boys are twice the number of girls. Rani is 58th from the left end and there are 20 boys to the right of Rani, then the number of girls to the left of Rani?

- A. 15
- B. 16
- C. 17
- D. 19
- E. None of these

Answer - C

Explanation:

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Number of boys = 60 and girls are = 30

(57 students) Rani (20 boys) (12 girls)

So number of girls to the left of Rani =  $30 - 12 - 1 = 17$

**28. In a row of 50 students, A is fourteenth from the left end and B is tenth from the right end. How many students are there in between A and C if C is eight to the left of B?**

- A. 14
- B. 16
- C. 18
- D. 20
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Explanation:

13 students A (18 Students) C (7 students) B (9 students)

**29. A number of students are standing in a row facing north in such a way that a particular student is nineteenth from both the ends. So find the number of students in the class.**

- A. 36
- B. 37
- C. 38
- D. 39
- E. None of these

Answer – B

Explanation:

(18 students) BOY (18 students) =  $18 + 18 + 1 = 37$

**30. In a row of 25 girls, when Neha was shifted by four places towards the left, she became 10th from the left end. What was her earlier position from the right end of the row?**

- A. 10th
- B. 11th
- C. 12th
- D. 13th
- E. None of these

Answer – C

Explanation:

(9 students) Neha \*\*\* (initial position) (11 students)



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**31. Bheem has scored 92% in the interview and he is fluent in English. He has six years of work experience as an Associate Engineer and knows Hindi. He was born in 30th March 1981.**

- A. if the candidate is to be rejected.
- B. if the candidate may be selected.
- C. if data is inadequate to take any decision.
- D. if the candidate is to be referred to the Manager.
- E. if the candidate is to be referred to the Senior Software Engineer.

Answer - B

**32. Seema was born in 1979 and she knows both Telugu and Hindi. She has three years of work experience as an Associate Engineer. She scored 90% in the interview and speaks English fluently. She also has six years of work experience as a Testing Engineer.**

- A. if the candidate is to be rejected.
- B. if the candidate may be selected.
- C. if data is inadequate to take any decision.
- D. if the candidate is to be referred to the Manager.
- E. if the candidate is to be referred to the Senior Software Engineer.

Answer - E

**33. Charu scored 90% in the interview and is fluent in English. She knows Telugu and is 34 years old. She has ten years of work experience as a Software Engineer and has six years of work experience as a Testing engineer.**

- A. if the candidate is to be rejected.
- B. if the candidate may be selected.
- C. if data is inadequate to take any decision.
- D. if the candidate is to be referred to the Manager.
- E. if the candidate is to be referred to the Senior Software Engineer.

Answer - C

**Direction (34-38): Study the given information to answer the followings questions**

In a certain code,

'today positive decent found' is written as '@6A @6V &7B @5Q'

'people attend daily party' is written as '@6V \*6V #5B @5A'

'regular fitness sound health' is written as '@6A @8P #80 @5E'

'picture perfect quality movie' is written as '#6B #8B #8V @8Q'

**34. What is the code for the word 'picnic time'?**

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- A. @5A @3B
- B. #5A @3B
- C. @7A @3B
- D. #5A #5B
- E. Cannot be determined

Answer – E

Explanation [34-38]:

Symbols are number of vowels in the word

If 1-\*, 2-@, 3-#, 4-&

Letter is the last letter -3

Number is the number of letters in the word

If the number of letters is even, number is decreased by 1

If the number of letters is odd, number is increased by 1

**35. Which of the following word represents the code '@5V'?**

- A. Sunday
- B. Monday
- C. Tuesday
- D. Either Sunday or Monday
- E. None

Answer – D

**36. What is the code for the word 'perfect'?**

- A. #6B
- B. #8B
- C. #8V
- D. @8Q
- E. Cannot be determined

Answer – D

**37. What is the code for the words 'negative world'?**

- A. &8B @5A
- B. &7B \*5A
- C. &7B \*6A
- D. #6B \*6A
- E. None

Answer – C

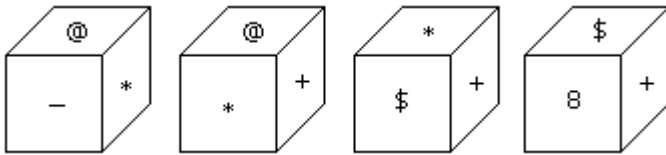
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38. Which of the following word represents the code '#5P'?

- A. Bracket
- B. Torture
- C. Special
- D. Leaves
- E. None

Answer – D

39. Which symbol will be on the face opposite to the face with symbol?



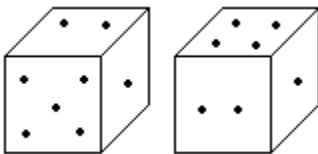
- A. @
- B. \$
- C. 8
- D. +
- E. None of these

Answer - C

Explanation:

The symbols of the adjacent faces to the face with symbol \* are @, -, + and \$. Hence the required symbol is 8.

40. Two positions of dice are shown below. How many points will appear on the opposite to the face containing 5 points?



- A. 3
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 4
- E. 6

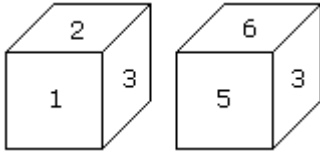
Answer - D

Explanation:

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In these two positions one of the common face having 1 point is in the same position. Therefore according to rule (2). There will be 4 points on the required face.

**41. Which digit will appear on the face opposite to the face with number 4?**



- A. 3
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. 2/3
- E. 8

**Answer - A**

**Explanation:**

Here the common faces with number 3, are in same positions. Hence 6 is opposite to 2 and 5 is opposite to 1. Therefore 4 is opposite to 3.

**Direction [42-46] Look carefully for the pattern, and then choose which pair of numbers comes next.**

**42. 42 40 38 35 33 31 28**

- A. 25 22
- B. 26 23
- C. 26 24
- D. 25 23
- E. 26 22

**Answer - C**

**Explanation:**

This is an alternating subtraction series in which 2 is subtracted twice, then 3 is subtracted once, then 2 is subtracted twice, and so on.

**43. 6 10 14 18 22 26 30**

- A. 36 40
- B. 33 37
- C. 38 42
- D. 34 36
- E. 34 38

**Answer - E**

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### Explanation:

This simple addition series adds 4 to each number to arrive at the next.

**44. 8 12 9 13 10 14 11**

- A. 14 11
- B. 15 12
- C. 8 15
- D. 15 19
- E. 8 5

Answer - B

### Explanation:

This is an alternating addition and subtraction series, in which the addition of 4 is alternated with the subtraction of 3.

**45. 36 31 29 24 22 17 15**

- A. 13 11
- B. 10 5
- C. 13 8
- D. 12 7
- E. 10 8

Answer - E

### Explanation:

This is an alternating subtraction series, which subtracts 5, then 2, then 5, and so on.

**46. 3 5 35 10 12 35 17**

- A. 22 35
- B. 35 19
- C. 19 35
- D. 19 24
- E. 22 24

Answer - C

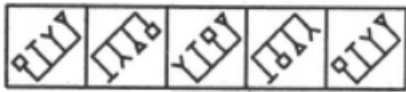


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**Direction [47-50]:** Each of the following questions consists of five figures marked A, B, C, D and E called the Problem Figures followed by five other figures marked 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 called the Answer Figures. Select a figure from amongst the Answer Figures which will continue the same series as established by the five Problem Figures.

**47. Select a figure from amongst the Answer Figures which will continue the same series as established by the five Problem Figures.**

Problem Figures:



(A) (B) (C) (D) (E)

Answer Figures:



(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

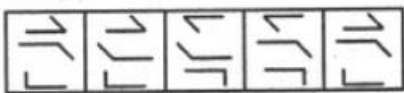
- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5

Answer - B

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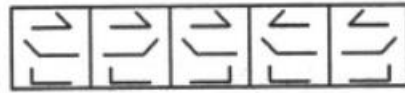
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Problem Figures:



(A) (B) (C) (D) (E)

Answer Figures:



(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5

Answer - A

Explanation:

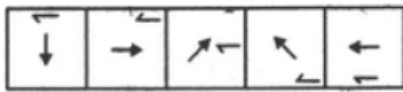
In One step, the middle element rotates through  $180^\circ$  and in the next step, the other two elements rotate through  $180^\circ$ . The two steps are repeated alternately.



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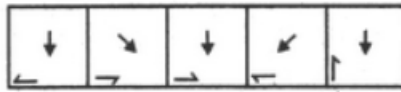
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Problem Figures:



(A) (B) (C) (D) (E)

Answer Figures:



(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5

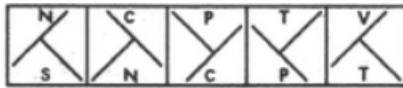
Answer - A

Explanation:

The central arrow rotates 90°ACW and 45°CW alternately. The half-arrow moves half-a-side of the square boundary in a CW direction and its head turns to the other side of the line in each step.

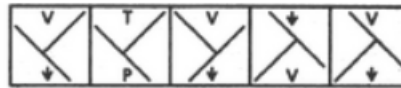
50. Select a figure from amongst the Answer Figures which will continue the series as established by the five Problem Figures.

Problem Figures:



(A) (B) (C) (D) (E)

Answer Figures:



(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5

Answer - D

Explanation:

The 'T' shaped large element rotates 90°CW in each step. The two small symbols interchange positions and the symbol that reaches the upper position gets replaced by a new one.

51. The book "Globalization, Democratization and Distributive Justice" has been authored by

- A. Mool Chand Sharma
- B. Karan Bajaj
- C. Salman Rushdies
- D. Anita Nair

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E. None of these

Answer - A

**52. Which of the following has become the first airport in the world to fully operation all on solar power?**

- A. Lokpriya Gopinath Bardoli International Airport.
- B. Amritsar International Airport.
- C. Netaji Subash Chandra Bose International Airport.
- D. Cochin International Airport Ltd. (Kerla).
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**53. Which of the following countries has become the first country in the world to receive funds from United Nations for its fast-growing Solar Home Systems?**

- A. Afghanistan
- B. Burma
- C. Bangladesh
- D. Switzerland
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**54. Who of the following is not one of the recipients of Arjuna Award 2015?**

- A. Anoop Singh (Wrestling)
- B. Dipa Karmakar (Gymnastics)
- C. Jitu Rai (Shooting)
- D. P. R. Sreejesh (Hockey)
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**55. Who wrote 'Communist Manifesto'?**

- A. Marx and Engels
- B. Mao
- C. Lenin
- D. Che - Cuevara
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**56. Where is the permanent headquarters of SAARC?**

- A. New Delhi

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- B. Kathmandu
- C. Thimphu
- D. Dhaka
- E. None of these

Answer - B

**57. The only foreign national to receive the highest Bangladesh Award "Bangladesh Swadhinata Sammanona" is**

- A. P.V. Narasimha Rao
- B. Indira Gandhi
- C. Sonia Gandhi
- D. Rajiv Gandhi
- E. None of these

Answer - B

**58. The headquarters of the Organization of petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) is in**

- A. Baghdad
- B. Abu Dhabi
- C. Teheran
- D. Vienna
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**59. Who was the Captain of Kolkata Knight Riders in IPL - V?**

- A. M.S.Dhoni
- B. Rahul Dravid
- C. Gautam Gambhir
- D. Saurav Ganguly
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**60. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?**

- A. Kuchipudi - Andhra Pradesh
- B. Kathakali - Tamil Nadu
- C. Kathak - Manipur
- D. Bharatnatyam - Kerala
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**61. The term of a non-permanent member of the U. N. Security Council is**

- A. 6 months

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- B. 1 year
- C. 2 years
- D. 3 years
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**62. Free and compulsory education for all children is provided until they attain the age of**

- A. 16 years
- B. 18 years
- C. 21 years
- D. 14 years
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**63. The Indian recipient of Noble Peace Prize is**

- A. Hargovind Khurana
- B. Rabindra Nath Tagore
- C. Mother Teresa
- D. Amartya Sen
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**64. London is situated on the banks of river**

- A. Tiber
- B. Danube
- C. Tigris
- D. Thames
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**65. Identify the odd sportsman among the following**

- A. Narain karthikeyan
- B. Vijay Hazare
- C. Sachin Tendulkar
- D. Sunil Gavaskar
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**66. First Indian to make a speech in Hindi before the UN General Assembly was**



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- A. AB Vajpayee
- B. Lal Bahadur Shastri
- C. Lal Krishna Advani
- D. Morarji Desai
- E. None of these

Answer - A

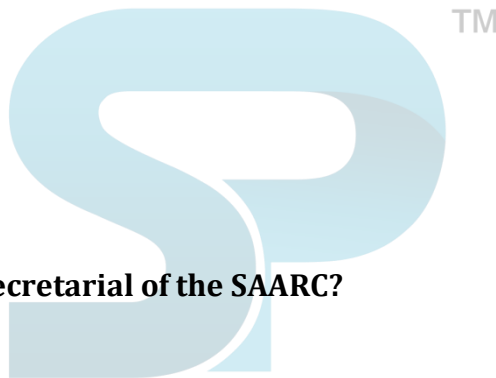
**67. Which of the following awards is given for excellence in sports coaching?**

- A. Sahitya Academi Award
- B. Dronacharya Award
- C. Arjun Award
- D. Dada Saheb Phalke Award
- E. None of these

Answer - B

**68. Who is the winner of the prestigious Man Booker Prize 2013?**

- A. Haruki Murakami
- B. Eleanor Catton
- C. Malala Yousufzai
- D. Vikram Seth
- E. None of these



Answer - B

**69. Where is the permanent secretarial of the SAARC?**

- A. New Delhi
- B. Islamabad
- C. Colombo
- D. Kathmandu
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**70. 'Statue of Liberty' is the National Emblem of**

- A. UK
- B. USA
- C. Germany
- D. Russia
- E. None of these

Answer - B

**71. Ozone Day is celebrated on**

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- A. April 21
- B. September 16
- C. September 25
- D. June 5
- E. None of these

Answer - B

**72. The book 'Gokhale, My Political Guru' was written by**

- A. Shaukat Ali
- B. C.R. Das
- C. M.A. Jinnah
- D. M.K. Gandhi
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**73. Who amongst the following is the author of the book 'Name Sake'?**

- A. Kiran Desai
- B. Shobha De
- C. Vikram Seth
- D. Jhumpa Lahiri
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**74. National Science Day is observed on**

- A. 14th March
- B. 2nd June
- C. 5th January
- D. 28th February
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**75. Which was the first National news Agency of free India ?**

- A. The Associated Press of India
- B. None of these
- C. The Indian Review
- D. The Free press of India
- E. None of these

Answer - A

**76. The book 'Problem of Human Geography' was written by**





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- A. Jean Brunches
- B. None of these
- C. Albert Demangeon
- D. De Mortonne
- E. None of these

Answer - C

**77. Philadelphia is famous for**

- A. Locomotives
- B. Dairy industry
- C. Ship building
- D. Silk textiles
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**78. Which one among the following book is centered around 'environment'?**

- A. Here I Stand
- B. And Then One Day
- C. The Late, Great Planet Earth
- D. Silent Spring
- E. None of these

Answer - D

**79. An international movement with its motto to save the world by involving itself with environmental problems is**

- A. Clean En
- B. Eco-friend
- C. Green-field
- D. Green-peace
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**80. Name the law in Physics which states that equal volume of all gases under the same conditions of temperature and pressure contain equal number of molecules.**

- A. Charles's Law
- B. Ohm's Law
- C. Avogadro's Law
- D. Boyles's Law
- E. None of these

Answer – C

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**81. The police of which state was honoured with the President's Colours award in December 2019?**

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Gujarat
- D. Kerala
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**82. VISHWAS, which is a major e-governance initiative launched by the government in January 2020, is the acronym for which of the following?**

- A. Video Integration and State Wide Advanced System
- B. Video Interface and State Wide Advanced Security
- C. Video Integration and State Wide Advanced Security
- D. Video Integration and System Wide Advanced Security
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**83. In January 2020, B. Sai Deepak set a Guinness World Record for most side lunges in 60 seconds. How many lunges did he do?**

- A. 50
- B. 59
- C. 40
- D. 30
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**84. The 23rd National Youth Festival (NYF) 2020 was celebrated in Lucknow to commemorate the birth anniversary of \_\_\_\_.**

- A. Mahatma Gandhi
- B. Sami Vivekananda
- C. Jawaharlal Nehru
- D. Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**85. Which dynasty built the pancha rathas of Mahabalipuram?**

- A. Chera
- B. Chola
- C. Pallava
- D. Satavahana

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E. None of these

Answer – C

**86. The famous 11-day long 'Dhanu Jatra', considered as the largest open-air theatre of the world is celebrated in which state?**

- A. Manipur
- B. Meghalaya
- C. Odisha
- D. Assam
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**87. What was the theme of the 107th Indian Science Congress held in Bengaluru?**

- A. Reaching the Unreached through Science and Technology
- B. Science and Technology: Rural Development
- C. Science and Technology for National Development
- D. Future India: Science and Technology
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**88. Jasprit Bumrah has been selected to receive which of the following awards for his performance in international cricket in the 2018-19 season?**

- A. M.A. Chidambaram
- B. Polly Umrigar
- C. Madhavrao Scindia
- D. C.K. Nayudu
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**89. Chiropody is a branch of science related to which part of the body?**

- A. Feet
- B. Lungs
- C. Liver
- D. Kidney
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**90. Ishwar Sharma has been honoured with the Global Child Prodigy Award 2020. What is this award associated with?**

- A. Science
- B. Yoga

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- C. Sports
- D. Literature
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**91. In which year was the Nahargarh Fort in Jaipur built by Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II?**

- A. 1734
- B. 1800
- C. 1780
- D. 1805
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**92. What is the colour of the light emitted by the Sun?**

- A. Red
- B. Yellow
- C. White
- D. Orange
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**93. Pongal festival is celebrated for four days in Tamil Nadu. What is the fourth day of Pongal called?**

- A. Kaanum Pongal
- B. Thai Pongal
- C. Bhogi Pongal
- D. Mattu Pongal
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**94. Which National Park among the following is the largest protected area in the Eastern Himalayan sub-region?**

- A. Jim Corbett National Park
- B. Bandipur National Park
- C. Keibul Lamjao National Park
- D. Namdapha National Park
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**95. In which year was the Currency Building in the BBD Bagh or Dalhousie area of Kolkata constructed?**

- A. 1900

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- B. 1910
- C. 1850
- D. 1833
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**96. Which of the following rivers flows through Tiruttani a famous pilgrimage place of South India?**

- A. Vaigai
- B. Palar
- C. Kaveri
- D. Nandi
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**97. Which is the first Indian company to hit the ₹10 lakh crore mark in market capitalisation?**

- A. Tata Consultancy Services
- B. HDFC Bank
- C. ICICI Bank
- D. Reliance Industries
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**98. As per the government rules, how much percentage of advance tax needs to be paid by 15th June by an individual who is liable to pay advance tax?**

- A. 10%
- B. 25%
- C. 30%
- D. 15%
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**99. G. Babita Rayudu took charge as an Executive Director for which of the following organisations in January 2020?**

- A. The Securities and Exchange Board of India
- B. Bombay Stock Exchange
- C. Small Industries Development Bank of India
- D. Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**100. The Indian Railways has integrated its helpline numbers into a single number. What is the number?**

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- A. 160
- B. 145
- C. 139
- D. 150
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**101. 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 number of guests (1)/ invited to the party (2)/ are five hundred (3) No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**102. 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'.

**Our summer vacation is (1)/ between 10th May (2)/ to 10th June (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**103. 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'.

**Either Ankit (1)/ or Jyoti (2)/ have done this (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these



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Answer – C

**104. 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'.

**Unless Geeta apologies (1)/ she should not be (2)/ allowed to go to picnic (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**105. 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'.

**I met the gentleman (1)/ today evening on my (2)/ way back to home (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**106. 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'.

**If I was he (1)/ I wouldn't (2)/ accept the offer. (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – A

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**107. 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'.

**Ram is superior than (1)/ Shyam in his (2)/ vision of corruption free India. (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**108. 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'.

**Neeta served as President (1)/ of the oshinara club (2)/ since ten years (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**109. 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 company is using (1)/ influence to persuade people (2)/ to buy its water purifiers (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**110. In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors.**

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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'.

**My mother has (1)/ returned back to (2)/ Delhi day before yesterday. (3)/ No error (4)**

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**111. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**Shreya is a winner and there (is no point of denying that) fact.**

- A. no denial in the
- B. no way we could deny
- C. no denying the
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**112. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**(I have already send) you the mail.**

- A. I have already sent
- B. I had already sent
- C. I already sending
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**113. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**He wanted to buy some artifacts but (he could not have enough money).**

- A. he could not have money enough
- B. he did not have enough money
- C. he could not ask enough money
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**114. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

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**When the (wind blow), the cradle will rock.**

- A. wind blew
- B. wind blews
- C. wind blows
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**115. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**Simple Simon (sit right down) to eat the yummy pie.**

- A. sat right down
- B. sit upright
- C. sat upright
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**116. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**The vibrations from the rubber bands resmate in the hollow space (at the) box.**

- A. on the
- B. of the
- C. to the
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**117. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

**Mike quickly (brushed her past) without any sort of salutation.**

- A. brushed past her
- B. brushed her
- C. brushy past
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**118. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.**

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Job performance is affected by a (vast) of factors.

- A. number
- B. numerous
- C. large
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – A

119. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

India has steadfastly maintained its parliamentary democracy (of) independence.

- A. for
- B. since
- C. on
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – B

120. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

There was a large (various) of clothes in the store.

- A. various
- B. variety
- C. humorous
- D. No improvement
- E. None of these

Answer – B

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

He is as firm \_\_\_\_ rock.

- A. to
- B. as
- C. of
- D. like
- E. None of these

Answer – B

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

What is the time \_\_\_\_ your watch?

- A. in
- B. by
- C. on
- D. of
- E. None of these

Answer – B

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

It is a right way \_\_\_\_ the railway station.

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

Answer – D

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

Anil \_\_\_\_ round the corner.

- A. did went
- B. went
- C. have gone
- D. go
- E. None of these

Answer – B

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

Only last week \_\_\_\_ she die.

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- A. has
- B. have
- C. had
- D. did
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**126. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.**

**Validate**

- A. Pass
- B. Engage
- C. Corroborate
- D. Discredit
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**127. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.**

**Squander**

- A. Hoard
- B. Frivol
- C. Collect
- D. Defeat
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**128. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.**

**Sulky**

- A. Soft
- B. Happy
- C. Trustful
- D. Dismal
- E. None of these

Answer – D

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**129. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.**

**Cardinal**

- A. Essential
- B. Auxiliary
- C. Unnecessary
- D. Negligible
- E. None of these

**Answer – A**

**130. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word.**

**Stingy**

- A. Smelling
- B. Miser
- C. Wasteful
- D. Dirty
- E. None of these

**Answer – B**

**131. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which is opposite in meaning of the given word.**

**Launch**

- A. Cast
- B. Eject
- C. Hold
- D. Project
- E. None of these

**Answer – C**

**132. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which is opposite in meaning of the given word.**

**Dampen**

- A. Dry
- B. Spray
- C. Rinse
- D. Wet
- E. None of these



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Answer – A

**133. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which is opposite in meaning of the given word.**

**Compact**

- A. Hard
- B. Firm
- C. Slack
- D. Tight
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**134. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which is opposite in meaning of the given word.**

**Massive**

- A. Large
- B. Gross
- C. Solid
- D. Little
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**135. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the one which is opposite in meaning of the given word.**

**Vulnerable**

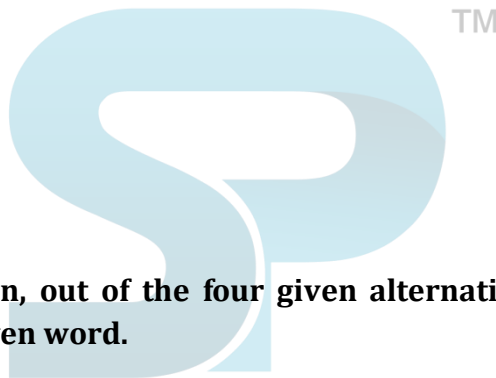
- A. Sensitive
- B. Liable
- C. Secure
- D. Weak
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**136. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.**

**Long and short of it**

- A. Hardly and suddenly
- B. Light and dark
- C. The summary of the matter
- D. Day and night



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E. None of these

Answer – C

**137. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.**

**Play havoc**

- A. To play hide and seek
- B. To worsen the situation
- C. To love to go out on adventures
- D. To have a secret plan
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**138. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.**

**Tall order**

- A. Difficult demand
- B. Overbearing
- C. A wild rumour
- D. Fair and foul
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**139. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.**

**Explore every avenue**

- A. To rim away
- B. To march forward
- C. To look for every possible means
- D. To be taken by surprise
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**140. In the following question, out of the four given alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the Idiom/Phrase.**

**In the same boat**

- A. Having the same problem as of others
- B. Have nothing to eat
- C. To make it most of the efforts

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- D. To be diplomatic
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**141. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.**

**The extremes**

**P: process of national integration**

**Q: a hindrance in the**

**R: of poverty are**

- A. PRQ
- B. QPR
- C. RPQ
- D. RQP
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**142. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.**

**Bigger economies**

**P: way and have**

**Q: grow in a sustainable**

**R: more global influence**

- A. QPR
- B. RPQ
- C. PRQ
- D. QRP
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**143. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.**

**Education is of**

**P: utmost importance for**

**Q: eradicating the unemployment**

**R: problem of our country**

- A. PRQ

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- B. QPR
- C. RPQ
- D. PQR
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**144. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.**

**The homogeneity**

**P: and reinforced**

**Q: is perpetuated**

**R: by education**

- A. RPQ
- B. QPR
- C. PRQ
- D. QRP
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**145. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.**

**Acceptance of**

**P: typically, very high in the**

**Q: e-learning systems is**

**R: corporate world for one's personal development**

- A. RPQ
- B. QPR
- C. PQR
- D. RQP
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**146. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**The students will finish the assignment next month.**

- A. The assignment will be finished by the students next month.
- B. The assignment will be finished next month by the students.
- C. Next month the assignment will be finished.

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- D. Assignment will be finished by the students.
- E. None of these

Answer – E

**147. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**The fur coats were imported from London by us.**

- A. London imported the fur coats.
- B. London was imported the fur coat.
- C. We imported the fur coats form London.
- D. We had imported the fur coats form London.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**148. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**Floor was cleaned.**

- A. The cleaner cleaned the floor.
- B. The floor should be cleaned.
- C. I cleaned the floor.
- D. Someone cleaned the floor.
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**149 - A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**Girls have taken interviews to validate the claim.**

- A. The interviews are validating the claim.
- B. The interviews have been taken to validate the claim.
- C. The interviewers are validating the claim as told by the girls.
- D. The girls have validated the claim.
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**150. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**Aman will read his script at the mahurat ceremony.**

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- A. Script will be read by Aman at the mahurat ceremony.
- B. Mahurat ceremony will witness script reading by Aman.
- C. At mahurat ceremony script will be read.
- D. Script reading will take place at mahurat ceremony.
- E. None of these

Correct Answer: Script will be read by Aman at the mahurat ceremony.

Answer – A

**151. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**Watching my daughter dance reminds me of my dancing days.**

- A. Seeing my daughter dance reminds me of the time when I used to dance.
- B. My dancing daughter reminds me of my dancing days.
- C. My dancing days are reminded to me by my daughter through her dance.
- D. I am reminded of my dancing days by watching my daughter dance.
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**152. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**Shaan sings a melodius song.**

- A. Song was sung melodiously by Shaan.
- B. Shaan was singinig melodious song.
- C. A melodious song is sung by Shaan.
- D. Melodious song sung by Shaan.
- E. None of these

Correct Answer: A melodious song is sung by Shaan.

Answer – C

**153. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**The Germans were expected to win the international trophy.**

- A. It was expected that the Germans would win the international trophy.
- B. The international trophy was expected to be won by the Germans.
- C. It was expected that the Germans will win the international trophy.
- D. It was expected by the Germans that they would win the international, trophy.
- E. None of these

Answer – B

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**154. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**The guests have eaten their food.**

- A. The food has been eaten by the guests.
- B. The food had been eaten by the guests.
- C. The food is consumed by the guests.
- D. The food is eaten.
- E. None of these

**Answer – A**

**155. A sentence has been given in Active/Passive Voice. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active Voice.**

**I have bought a new pair of shoes.**

- A. A new pair of shoes was bought by me.
- B. A new pair of shoes is brought by me.
- C. A new pair of shoes has been bought by me.
- D. A new pair of shoes had been bought by me.
- E. None of these

**Answer – C**

**156. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**Swapnil's father asked him, "Have you passed the examination"?**

- A. Swapnil's father asked him whether he had passed the examination.
- B. Swapnil was asked by his father about passing the examination.
- C. His father asked Swapnil had he passed the examination.
- D. Swapnil's father asked did he pass the examination.
- E. None of these

**Answer – A**

**157. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**He said, "Vineet, Why are you sounding so depressed today"?**

- A. He asked Vineet why did he sound so depressed that day.
- B. He asked Vineet why he was sounding so depressed that day.
- C. He told Vineet why he sounded so depressed today.
- D. He asked Vineet that why was he sounding so depressed that day.
- E. None of these

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Answer – B

**158. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**"Sania, where have you been all these days?" asked the Principal.**

- A. The Principal asked Sania where she had been all those days.
- B. The Principal asked Sania where she has been all those days.
- C. The Principal asked Sania where had she been all those days.
- D. The Principal asked Sania to where was she all those days.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**159. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**"Have you completed your assignment, Kareena?" said her sister.**

- A. Kareena's sister asked Kareena if you have finished your assignment.
- B. Kareena's sister said to Kareena if she had finished her assignment.
- C. Kareena's sister asked her if she had finished her assignment.
- D. Kareena's sister asked Kareena if she has finished her assignment.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**160. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**He says, "I go to gym every morning".**

- A. He says that he goes to gym every morning.
- B. He said that he used to go to gym every morning.
- C. He said that he goes to gym every morning.
- D. He says that he went to gym every morning.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**161. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**Garima said, "Why didn't you attend the flag hoisting ceremony, Rajesh"?**

- A. Garima asked Rajesh why hadn't he attended the flag hoisting ceremony.
- B. Garima asked Rajesh why he hadn't he attended the flag hoisting ceremony.
- C. Garima asked Rajesh why didn't he attend the flag hoisting ceremony.
- D. Garima asked Rajesh why he didn't attend the flag hoisting ceremony.



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E. None of these

Answer – E

**162. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**He said, "Anita wants to take up a job while her brother wants her to look after the family".**

- A. He said that Anita wanted to take up a job while her brother wanted her to look after the family.
- B. He said that Anita wants to take up a job while her brother wanted her to look after the family.
- C. He told that Anita wanted to take up a job while her brother wants her to look after the family.
- D. He said to Anita that though she wanted to take up a job while her brother wanted her to look after the family.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**163. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**He said, "Meghna , do you want to buy a house in Delhi".**

- A. He told Meghna if she wanted to buy a house in Delhi.
- B. He asked that did she want to buy a house in Delhi.
- C. He asked Meghna if she wants to buy a house in Delhi.
- D. He asked Meghna if she wanted to buy a house in Delhi.
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**164. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**I said to my friend, "Can I borrow your laptop for one day"?**

- A. I asked my friend if I could borrow his laptop for one day.
- B. I asked my friend if I could borrow your laptop for one day.
- C. I asked my friends that if I can borrow his laptop for one day.
- D. I asked my friend that if I can borrow his laptop for one day.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**165. A sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect Speech. Out of the four given alternatives, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect/Direct Speech.**

**He said, "Let Deepak come with us, mother. I'll take care of him".**

- A. He requested his mother to let Deepak come with them as he will take care of him.
- B. He informed his mother to let Deepak come with them as he would take care of him.

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- C. He told his mother to let Deepak come with them as he would take care of him.
- D. He told to his mother let Deepak come with us as he would take care of him.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**Direction [166-170]: Read the given passage carefully and select the best answer to each question out of the four given alternatives.**

A growing demand for organics, and the near-total reliance by US farmers on genetically modified corn and soybeans, is driving a surge in imports from other nations where crops largely are free of bioengineering. Imports such as corn from Romania and soybeans from India are booming, according to an analysis of US trade data released Wednesday by the Organic Trade Association and Pennsylvania State University. That shows a potential market for US growers willing to avoid the use of artificial chemicals and genetically modified seeds, said Laura Batcha, chief executive officer of the association, which includes Whole Foods Market Inc., White wave Foods Co. and Earthbound Farm LLC. The report is "a help-wanted sign" for US farmers, Batcha said. "There are market distortions that are pretty striking." Most of the corn and soybean shipments become feed for chickens and cows so they can be certified organic under US Department of Agriculture guidelines. Organic poultry and dairy operators shun feed made with seeds from Monsanto Co. and other domestic suppliers in favor of foreign products even as the US remains the world's top grower of corn and soybeans. As a result, imports to the US of Romanian corn rose to \$11.6 million in 2014 from \$545,000 the year before. Soybean imports from India more than doubled to \$73.8 million. Rising consumer demand in what's been a niche market is creating shortages, pushing companies that supply farms needing organic feed to seek out foreign sources. About 90% of US corn and soy is bioengineered, thus automatically ineligible for the organic label.

**166. What is driving a surge in imports from other nations?**

- A. A growing demand for organics.
- B. A rumor spread by US Trade Data.
- C. Newly launched genetically modified seeds.
- D. Push from export-import companies.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**167. Why is 90% of US corn ineligible for the organic label?**

- A. Because they are imported.
- B. Because they are bioengineered.
- C. Because they don't pass the test.
- D. Because they are not popular.
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**168. What is an irony mentioned in the passage?**

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- A. Most of the corn and soybean shipments become feed for chickens and cows so they can be certified organic under US Department of Agriculture guidelines.
- B. Rising consumer demand in what's been a niche market is creating shortages, pushing companies that supply farms needing organic feed to seek out foreign sources.
- C. Imports such as corn from Romania and soybeans from India are booming, according to an analysis of US trade data released Wednesday by the Organic Trade Association.
- D. Organic poultry and dairy operators shun feed made with seeds from domestic suppliers in favor of foreign products even as the US remains the world's top grower of corn and soybeans.
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**169. Organic poultry and dairy operators refused to buy seeds of which company?**

- A. Earthbound Farm LLC.
- B. White wave Foods Co.
- C. Monsanto Co.
- D. Whole Foods Market Inc.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**170. According to the passage, which of the following statement is NOT TRUE?**

- A. The near-total reliance by US farmers on genetically modified corn and soybeans is driving a surge in imports.
- B. Soybean imports from India more than doubled to \$73.8 million.
- C. Imports to the US of Romanian corn rose to \$11.6 million in 2014 from \$545,000 in 2012.
- D. US remains the world's top grower of corn and soybeans.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**Direction [171-175]: Read the given passage carefully and select the best answer to each question out of the four given alternatives.**

The Divine Comedy is a narrative poem describing Dante's imaginary journey. Midway on his journey through life Dante realizes he has taken the wrong path. The Roman poet Virgil searches for the lost Dante at the request of Beatrice; he finds Dante in the woods on the evening of Good Friday in the year 1300 and serves as a guide as Dante begins his religious pilgrimage to find God. To reach his goal, Dante passes through Hell, Purgatory and Paradise. The Divine Comedy was not titled as such by Dante; his title for the work was simply *Commedia* or Comedy. Dante's use of the word "comedy" is medieval by definition. To Dante and his contemporaries, the term "comedy" meant a tale with a happy ending, not a funny story as the word has since come to mean. Dante and Virgil enter the wide gates of Hell and descend through the nine circles of Hell. In each circle they see sinners being punished for their sins on earth; Dante sees the torture as Divine justice. Dante first travels through circles of hell and then through 3 rings before entering the 8th circle. Then there are 9 bowge before Dante reached the 9th circle. After 9th circle Dante has to travel 4 more regions. On Easter Sunday, Dante emerges from Hell. Through his travels, he has found his way to God and is able, once more, to look upon the stars.

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**171. To reach god, Dante has to pass through which of the following?**

- A. Hell, Purgatory and Paradise.
- B. Hell and Paradise.
- C. Purgatory and Paradise.
- D. Wrong path in the woods.
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**172. Which of the following is considered as Divine Justice by Dante?**

- A. Hell
- B. Torture
- C. Sins
- D. Purgatory
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**173. On which day Dante starts his journey to find God?**

- 1) Easter Sunday
- 2) Good Friday
- 3) Christmas
- 4) Doomsday
- None of these



Answer – B

**174. Which of the following is NOT correct according to the passage?**

- A. The Divine Comedy was not titled as such by Dante.
- B. On Easter Sunday, Dante emerges from Hell.
- C. Virgil finds Dante in the woods on the evening of Good Friday in the year 1200.
- D. Dante first travels through circles of hell and then through 3 rings before entering the 8th circle.
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**175. What does the word comedy meant in the medieval period?**

- A. Funny Story
- B. Happy Ending
- C. Funny Drama
- D. Happy Movie
- E. None of these

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Answer – B

**Direction [176-180]: Read the given passage carefully and select the best answer to each question out of the four given alternatives.**

The bird life of the Tarai region is much the same as that found in the Malabar Coast and Assam, and includes horn-bills, barbets, fruit-pigeons, bulbuls and woodpeckers. Along the cultivated areas and on the edge of the forests are found some of the more common birds of the Indian plains, and many wading birds and water fowls spend the winter among its streams and marshes. The cold season stimulates the migration of many species of birds from Tibet such as wild ducks and cranes, which breed in the mountains and descend to the plains for a brief change. The Central Region is described as a clusterous space of mountains varying in elevation from 4,000 to 10,000 feet with a range of temperature varying from ten to twelve degrees lower the Tarai. It includes the Mahabharat range of mountains which rise to 8,000 feet to form a continuous barrier across Nepal from east to west. At intervals, this mountain wall is pierced by the gorges of the transverse rivers of the Seven Kosis, or the Seven Gandaks, or the noble river Karnali. Between the Mahabharat range and the main Himalayan chain, there are many populous valleys like Dumja, Kathmandu, Pokhara, and many others where the majority of the population is densely concentrated. The fauna of this central zone is characteristically Himalayan. Many of the species occurring in this region are peculiar to Nepal alone. Such animals as the ferret, badger, raccoon, crestless porcupine, etc., do not occur in the Indian peninsula. The whole genera of such birds as yuhina, siva, minla, ixulu, etc., are nearly, if not wholly, restricted to this region. The majority of reptiles occurring in this zone are purely Himalayan species.

**176. What does the cold season stimulate?**

- A. Shedding of trees
- B. Flourishing of forest
- C. Migration of many species of birds
- D. Mountains and descend to the plains
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**177. The Central Region is \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. more common for the birds of the Indian plains
- B. filled with the majority of reptiles
- C. densely concentrated
- D. clusterous space of mountains
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**178. According to the passage, which of the following statement is NOT TRUE?**

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- A. The bird life of the Tarai region is much the same as that found in the Malabar Coast.
- B. The central region has mountains varying in elevation from 8,000 to 14,000 feet.
- C. Between the Mahabharat range and the main Himalayan chain, there are many populous valleys like Dumja, Kathmandu, Pokhara.
- D. The fauna of this central zone is characteristically Himalayan.
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**179. How is the fauna of central zone?**

- A. Characteristically Himalayan
- B. Restricted
- C. Densely concentrated
- D. Plain
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**180. The bird life of the Tarai region includes?**

- A. Birds as yuhina, siva, minla, ixulu, etc.
- B. Birds such as horn-bills, barbets, fruit-pigeons, bulbuls and woodpeckers.
- C. Dumja, Kathmandu, Pokhara.
- D. Seven Gandaks and Karnali.
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**Direction [181-190]: 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.**

Youth generation has the key role in \_\_\_\_\_ the future of a nation. Any country can ride on high growth trajectory if it is blessed with the more numbers of youths on \_\_\_\_\_ chart. But sometimes the youth may cause big damage to the \_\_\_\_\_ of a nation and also may become biggest threat to the country itself if the youth get misguided with wrong human principle and \_\_\_\_\_. Why they can do so; is not difficult to guess. It is because the youth has huge amount of energy, ambition, new ideas, sky-rising potential etc. If these applied by them in \_\_\_\_\_ sense then it can result the negative impacts of positiveness and goodness. Recent few unfortunate events have completely hammered our feelings and imprinted it in our mind such that \_\_\_\_\_ of this bad events is not getting erased from our mind. This is an example of badly nourished youth's mindset that created premeditated offending. It is very much compulsory to develop them in \_\_\_\_\_ direction from very beginning of their schooling period. Today I feel the schools are more busy to produce good professionals. But these professional sometimes may not be good human beings. It is because the schools are paying less attention towards human values learning. Literature are becoming \_\_\_\_\_. Everybody are busy in competition and trying to ride on the top in every competition. But nobody are ready to first become best human beings with high \_\_\_\_\_. It was a time when teachers were getting respect everywhere with high morale and enthusiasm and human ethics was ruling the whole society. But today

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money is ruling the mindset of the people and goodness of the human characteristics is crying in a \_\_\_\_\_ corner.

**181. has the key role in \_\_\_\_\_ the future**

- A. shaping
- B. glosping
- C. naming
- D. gaining
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**182. of youths on \_\_\_\_\_ chart.**

- A. autographic
- B. demographic
- C. geographic
- D. biographic
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**183. damage to the \_\_\_\_\_ of a nation**

- A. assets
- B. property
- C. reputation
- D. wealth
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**184. wrong human principle and \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. superstition
- B. system
- C. gut
- D. belief
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**185. them in \_\_\_\_\_ sense then it**

- A. negative
- B. positive
- C. neutral
- D. emotional
- E. None of these

Answer – A



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186. such that \_\_\_\_\_ of this bad

- A. happiness
- B. agony
- C. comfort
- D. solace
- E. None of these

Answer – B

187. to develop them in \_\_\_\_\_ direction

- A. wrong
- B. straight
- C. right
- D. left
- E. None of these

Answer – C

188. Literature are becoming \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. rich
- B. high-class
- C. important
- D. poor
- E. None of these

Answer – D

189. human beings with high \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. ethic
- B. thinking
- C. aspirations
- D. dreams
- E. None of these

Answer – A

190. human characteristics is crying in a \_\_\_\_\_ corner.

- A. brigh
- B. light
- C. beam
- D. dark
- E. None of these

Answer – D

**Direction [191-200]:** 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.



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Home is the first place of education and parents are \_\_\_\_\_ teacher in everyone's life. In our childhood, we get first impression of education from our home especially from our mother. Our parents let us know the importance of \_\_\_\_\_ education in the life. When we become three or four years old, we sent to the school for the proper, regular and \_\_\_\_\_ study where we have to give many exams and then we get a pass certificate for one class. Slowly we \_\_\_\_\_ ahead by passing our one by one class until we get passed successfully till 12th standard. Then start preparations for getting admission to the technical or professional degree which is called as \_\_\_\_\_ study. Higher study is very necessary for all to get good and \_\_\_\_\_ job in the life. We become a well educated person in the life by the efforts of our parents and teachers. They are real well wishers of us who helps us in \_\_\_\_\_ our life towards success. Now-a-days, many governmental programmes have been implemented to \_\_\_\_\_ the education system so that everyone may get \_\_\_\_\_ to the proper education. Lots of advertisements are shown on the TV and news to make people aware of the advantages and importance of education especially in the rural areas as people in \_\_\_\_\_ or rural areas do not want to study because of poorness and improper understating towards the education.

**191. the first place of education and parents are \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. first
- B. last
- C. prior
- D. intermediary
- E. None of these

Answer – A

**192. know the importance of \_\_\_\_\_ education**

- A. vast
- B. good
- C. worst
- D. bad
- E. None of these

Answer – B

**193. regular and \_\_\_\_\_ study**

- A. objectional
- B. relational
- C. sequential
- D. constitutional
- E. None of these

Answer – C

**194. Slowly we \_\_\_\_\_ ahead by passing**

- A. went
- B. goes



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- C. going
- D. go
- E. None of these

Answer – D

195. which is called as \_\_\_\_\_ study.

- A. higher
- B. secondary
- C. vocational
- D. proper
- E. None of these

Answer – A

196. to get good and \_\_\_\_\_ job in the life.

- A. mechanica
- B. technical
- C. social
- D. economical
- E. None of these

Answer – B

197. helps us in \_\_\_\_\_ our life towards success.

- A. setting
- B. grieving
- C. leading
- D. reading
- E. None of these



Answer – C

198. have been implemented to \_\_\_\_\_ the education

- A. glance
- B. advance
- C. variance
- D. enhance
- E. None of these

Answer – E

199. may get \_\_\_\_\_ to the proper education.

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- A. access
- B. regress
- C. excess
- D. success
- E. None of these

Answer – A

200. as people in \_\_\_\_\_ or rural

- A. forward
- B. backward
- C. awkward
- D. steward
- E. None of these

Answer – B



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