SSC CGL T-I Similar Paper (Held on 24 Sep 2025 S2) - English

Q1. If 8 + 4 × 2 = ?.
(a) 16
(b) 24
(c) 20
(d) 18
Ans.(a)

Q2. A is the son of B. B is the sister of C. How is A related to C?
(a) Nephew
(b) Cousin
(c) Brother
(d) Uncle
Ans.(a)

Q3. If 15 ÷ 3 + 2 × 4 = ?
(a) 13
(b) 16
(c) 18
(d) 20
Ans.(a)

Q4. Choose the address that is the same as the one given below.
B-22, Lake View Road, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700091
(a) B-22, Lake View Road, Salt Lake, Bihar - 700091
(b) B-22, Lake View Road, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700091
(c) B-22, Lake View Road, Kolkata, Salt Lake - 700091
(d) B-22, Lake Road, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700091
Ans.(b)

Q5. A man buys a pen for ₹5 and sells it for ₹8. He repeats this 50 times. Profit = ?
(a) ₹150
(b) ₹200
(c) ₹250
(d) ₹300
Ans.(a)

Q6. Find the odd one out.
(a) Canada
(b) Brazil
(c) Spain
(d) Tokyo
Ans.(d)

Q7. If 12 × 2 = 24 and 15 × 3 = 45, then 20 × 4 = ?
(a) 60
(b) 70
(c) 80
(d) 90
Ans.(c)

Q8. In a series of seminars held daily from 1 March to 8 March 2023:
Mumbai - 1 March Pune - 2 March Nagpur - 3 March Surat - 4 March Indore - 5 March Bhopal - 6 March Jaipur - 7 March Agra - 8 March
Which city's seminar was held exactly two days after Pune?
(a) Nagpur
(b) Surat
(c) Indore
(d) Jaipur
Ans.(b)

Q9. If GARDEN is coded as HBSEFO, how is HBSEFOcoded?
(a) ICTGFP
(b) GARDEN
(c) HCTGFO
(d) ICTFGP
Ans.(d)

Q10. If 'TRAIN' is written as 'NIART', how will 'NIART' be written?
(a) TRAIN
(b) RTAIN
(c) TNIAR
(d) ARTNI
Ans.(a)

Q11. If in a code DOG = 4, 15, 7, what is the code for SUN?
(a) 19, 22, 14
(b) 18, 21, 14
(c) 19, 21, 14
(d) 19, 21, 15
Ans.(c)

Q12. Which of the following words will come first in the dictionary?
(a) brave
(b) branch
(c) bread
(d) brick
Ans.(b)

Q13. Find the INCORRECT number in the series.
4, 8, 12, 18, 16, 20
(a) 8

(b) 12
(c) 18
(d) 16
Ans.(c)

Q14. If 7#3 = 28 and 5#4 = 25, then 6#2 = ?
(a) 24
(b) 36
(c) 30
(d) 18
Ans.(d)

Q15. Complete the series.
1, 4, 9, 16, 25, ?
(a) 30
(b) 35
(c) 36
(d) 49
Ans.(c)

Q16. The sum of two numbers is 50 and their difference is 6. What is the product?
(a) 600
(b) 616
(c) 604
(d) 596
Ans.(b)

Q17. Select the item that breaks the rule.
(a) A1
(b) C3
(c) E7
(d) H8
Ans.(c)

Q18. Find the missing number:
3 × 4 = 48 and 5 × 6 = 180 7 × 8 = ?
(a) 392
(b) 448
(c) 336
(d) 420
Ans.(b)

Q19. In a language, if 'sun moon star' is coded as 'la pa ra', 'moon sky cloud' as 'pa sa ta', and 'sky sun' as 'sa la', what is the code for 'star'?
(a) la
(b) pa
(c) ra
(d) sa

Ans.(c)

Q20. If in a code, LIGHT is written as OLJKW, how is SOUND written?
(a) VRWQG
(b) USXQG
(c) VRXOG
(d) VRXQG
Ans.(d)

Q21. What comes next?
A1, C3, E5, G7, ?
(a) I9
(b) J10
(c) I10
(d) J9
Ans.(a)

Q22. What should come at the place of question mark?
729, 243, 81, 27, ?, ?
(a) 9, 3
(b) 9, 1
(c) 3, 1
(d) 3, 0.3
Ans.(a)

Q23. A cube and a cuboid have same base area and height. What is the ratio of volume of cube to cuboid?
(a) 1:1
(b) 1:2
(c) 2:3
(d) 3:4
Ans.(a)

Q24. Statement:
1. All circles are shapes.
2. All shapes are figures.
Conclusions:
I. All circles are figures.
II. Some figures are shapes.
(a) Only I follows
(b) Only II follows
(c) Both I and II follow
(d) Neither I nor II follows
Ans.(c)

Q25. Statement:
1. No teacher is dishonest.
2. Some students are dishonest.
Conclusions:

I. Some students are not teachers.
II. No student is a teacher.
(a) Only I follows
(b) Only II follows
(c) Both I and II follow
(d) Neither I nor II follows
Ans.(a)

Q26. Which of the following best describes the role and personality traits of Shaheed Kanhu and Sidhu Murmu during the Santhal Rebellion of 1855?
(a) Visionary tribal leaders who united the Santhal community to resist exploitation with courage and strategic acumen
(b) Passive intermediaries who negotiated peace treaties between the British and Santhals without resorting to conflict
(c) Religious preachers who inspired rebellion solely through spiritual teachings without active participation in battles
(d) Local zamindars who switched allegiance from British rulers to lead a revolt for personal gains
Ans.(a)

Q27. Thakkar Bapa was a dedicated social worker and freedom fighter primarily known for his lifelong efforts towards the upliftment and welfare of which section of Indian society?
(a) Women
(b) Children
(c) Tribal (Adivasi) communities
(d) Industrial workers
Ans.(c)

Q28. Which of the following statements about factors affecting the Money Multiplier (MM) is/are correct?
1. Cash held by individuals acts as a leakage and reduces the money multiplier.
2. Higher reserves held by banks with the RBI increase the money multiplier.
3. A higher Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR) reduces the banking system's capacity to create money.
(a) Only 1 and 3
(b) Only 2 and 3
(c) Only 1 and 2
(d) All 1, 2 and 3
Ans.(a)

Q29. Which Five Year Plan laid the foundation of India's socialist pattern of society?
(a) First Plan
(b) Second Plan
(c) Third Plan
(d) Fourth Plan
Ans.(b)

Q30. What was the role of the India Council established by the Government of India Act, 1858?
(a) To control trade with India
(b) To advise the Secretary of State
(c) To represent Indian opinion in Britain
(d) To review court judgments
Ans.(b)

Q31. Assertion (A): In squash, the serve must hit the front wall between the service line and out line and land in the opposite half of the court beyond the half-court line for it to be legal. Reason (R): Players must alternate between service boxes after each successful serve to maintain fairness and court coverage during the match.
(a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A
(b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A
(c) A is true, but R is false
(d) A is false, but R is true
Ans.(b)

Q32. Which of the following best defines Capital Receipts?
(a) Receipts that increase government revenue permanently
(b) Receipts that reduce financial liabilities of the government
(c) Receipts that create liability or reduce government assets
(d) Receipts that do not impact government assets or liabilities
Ans.(c)

Q33. In the context of Gupta dynasty's administration, which of the following officers is correctly paired with their respective role?
(a) Utkhetayita - Keeper of Royal Kitchen
(b) Dhruvadhikaranika - Chief Judicial Officer
(c) Pustapala - Notary and Keeper of Records
(d) Bhandagaradhikrita - Head of Village Watchmen
Ans.(c)

Q34. Which of the following best characterizes the Mathura school of Buddhist art and architecture?
(a) Use of sandstone and floral arches
(b) Hellenistic drapery and realism
(c) Indigenous features with Yaksha influence
(d) Predominantly wooden monastery design
Ans.(c)

Q35. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding the role of the Rajya Sabha in special legislative and emergency situations?
1. Under Article 249, a Rajya Sabha resolution allowing Parliament to legislate on State List subjects remains valid for one year.
2. The Parliament can extend a proclamation of President's Rule only with the concurrence of the Rajya Sabha.
(a) Only 1
(b) Only 2
(c) Both 1 and 2
(d) Neither 1 nor 2
Ans.(c)

Q36. Which sectors were largely excluded from industrial licensing after 1991?
(a) Defense and Telecom
(b) Alcohol, Cigarettes, Explosives
(c) Textiles and Fertilizers
(d) Agriculture and Education
Ans.(c)

Q37. The Pola festival, celebrated in the Balaghat district of Madhya Pradesh, is dedicated to which of the following?
(a) Cow worship
(b) Rain prayer
(c) Bull worship
(d) Harvest sale
Ans.(c)

Q38. The minimum number of rays required to locate the image formed by a spherical mirror is _____.
(a) One
(b) Two
(c) Three
(d) Four
Ans.(b)

Q39. The reign of Prithviraj Chauhan concluded in which year?
(a) 1175 CE
(b) 1192 CE
(c) 1206 CE
(d) 1210 CE
Ans.(b)

Q40. Which universities collaborate to produce the Environmental Performance Index (EPI)?
(a) Harvard & Stanford
(b) Yale & Columbia
(c) Oxford & Cambridge
(d) MIT & Caltech
Ans.(b)

Q41. Which of the following statements correctly identifies the author and thematic focus of the novel "A Fine Balance"?
(a) Salman Rushdie, focusing on post-colonial identity and magical realism
(b) Rohinton Mistry, exploring social injustices during India's Emergency period
(c) Jhumpa Lahiri, depicting the immigrant experience in 1980s New York
(d) Arundhati Roy, examining environmental activism and political corruption
Ans.(b)

Q42. Consider the following statements about the 38th National Games Judo 2025 Final Results:
1. Sidharth Rawat from Uttarakhand won the gold medal in the men's 60 kg category, while Asmita Dev from Uttar Pradesh won the women's 48 kg category.
2. Rohit Majgul of Gujarat won gold in men's -66 kg, and Shraddha Chopade of Maharashtra won gold in women's 52 kg.
Which of the statements is/are correct?
(a) Only 1 is Correct
(b) Only 2 is Correct
(c) 1 and 2 are Correct
(d) Neither 1 nor 2 are Correct
Ans.(c)

Q43. The lead bank scheme was introduced in which year?
(a) 1969
(b) 1975
(c) 1980
(d) 1990
Ans.(a)

Q44. Who is the author of the book 'The Great Indian Novel'?
(a) Devdutt Pattanaik
(b) Shashi Tharoor
(c) Sanjeev Sanyal
(d) Gurcharan Das
Ans.(b)

Q45. Who did Maharashtra's Kavya Bhatta defeat to win gold at the Khelo India Youth Games 2025 in the girls' singles table tennis final?
(a) P.B. Abhinand
(b) Priyanuj Bhattacharyya
(c) Suhana Saini
(d) M. Hansini
Ans.(c)

Q46. Which script is predominantly used in the inscriptions of Emperor Aśoka?
(a) Kharosthi
(b) Devanagari
(c) Tamil
(d) Brahmi
Ans.(d)

Q47. The Sun Temple at Konark looks like a big chariot. How many horses does it have?
(a) 5
(b) 6
(c) 8
(d) 7
Ans.(d)

Q48. Which of the following is a key requirement for admissibility of an electronic record under the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam (BSA), even if it's a secondary evidence?
(a) It must be handwritten and notarized
(b) It must be part of a hard drive submitted to court
(c) It must be published in the Gazette
(d) It must be accompanied by a certificate
Ans.(d)

Q49. Consider the following statements about badminton strokes:
1. Backhand Net Kill and Forehand Net Kill are examples of forecourt strokes played near the net.
2. Backhand Drive and Forehand Drive are midcourt strokes played from the middle of the court.

3. Forehand Clear is a type of rear court stroke played from the back of the court.
Which of the statements given above are correct?
(a) Only 1 and 2 are Correct
(b) Only 2 and 3 are Correct
(c) Only 1 and 3 are correct
(d) 1, 2 and 3 are Correct
Ans.(d)

Q50. Consider the statements about Karma:
1. The ritual honours the Karam tree on Bhadra Ekadashi in Chhattisgarh.
2. The drum most associated is the Madal.
Which is/are correct?
(a) Only 1 correct
(b) Only 2 correct
(c) Both 1 & 2 correct
(d) Neither 1 nor 2 correct
Ans.(c)

Q51. Vidhya lent Rs. 6000 to Kavya for 3 years at the rate of 4% per annum compound interest. Calculate the amount that Vidhya will get after 3 years.
(a) 6,849.18
(b) 6,750.18
(c) 6,749.18
(d) 6,649.18
Ans.(c)

Q52. In a circle, a chord PQ subtends an angle of 50° at point R on the circumference. What is the angle it subtends at point S on the circumference, on the same side as R?
(a) 25°
(b) 50°
(c) 100°
(d) 150°
Ans.(b)

Q53. In a company, the average salary of 5 engineers is Rs. 60,000. If one engineer leaves and the average salary becomes Rs. 58,000, what was the salary of the engineer who left?
(a) Rs. 70,000
(b) Rs. 68,000
(c) Rs. 64,000
(d) Rs. 62,000
Ans.(b)

Q54. If $1 + \cot^2\theta = \text{cosec}^2\theta$, then what is the value of $\text{cosec}^2 60° - \cot^2 60°$?
(a) 1
(b) 2
(c) 3
(d) 4
Ans.(a)

Q55. A wholesaler marks up a batch of 100 identical clocks by 80% on cost and offers a trade discount of 25% to retailers. A retailer purchases all the clocks and spends Rs. 48,000. What is the cost price per clock for the wholesaler?
(a) Rs. 355.56
(b) Rs. 426.56
(c) Rs. 385.56
(d) Rs. 435.56
Ans.(a)

Q56. A circle with a radius of 20 cm. A chord of length 32 cm is drawn. What is the distance from the center of the circle to the chord?
(a) 16 cm
(b) 12 cm
(c) 8 cm
(d) 4 cm
Ans.(b)

Q57. A sector of a circle having a radius of 10 cm and has a central angle of $3\pi/4$ radians. What is the area of the sector?
(a) 30 πcm^2
(b) 37.5 πcm^2
(c) 45 πcm^2
(d) 75 πcm^2
Ans.(b)

Q58. 'A', 'B', and 'C' formed a consulting firm. Their capital investments were Rs. 6,00,000, Rs. 4,00,000, and Rs. 5,00,000, respectively. After 3 months, 'A' withdrew Rs. 1,00,000, and 'B' added Rs. 1,00,000. The partnership lasted for 9 months. What was the ratio of their effective capital contributions?
(a) 16:15:14
(b) 16:14:15
(c) 14:15:16
(d) 14:16:15
Ans.(b)

Q59. Dhiraj goes to his school from his house at a speed of 3.8 km/hr and returns at 2.6 km/hr. If he takes 5 hours going and coming, the distance between his house and school is:
(a) 6.79 km
(b) 6.5 km
(c) 7 km
(d) 7.72 km
Ans.(d)

Q60. A rectangular aquarium (100 cm L × 50 cm W × 60 cm H) contains water with an initial level of 20 cm. 10 identical metal spheres, each with a diameter of 10 cm, are gently lowered into the aquarium. Assuming the spheres are fully submerged, what is the rise in the water level?
(a) $\pi/6$ cm
(b) $\pi/3$ cm
(c) $2\pi/3$ cm
(d) π cm

Ans.(b)

Q61. A dealer sells a packet of cookies at Rs. 120 after giving a 25% discount on the marked price. If the profit earned is 20%, find the cost price.
(a) Rs. 96
(b) Rs. 90
(c) Rs. 100
(d) Rs. 80
Ans.(c)

Q62. A man got 10% of his investment as profit. If he invested Rs. 5000, and the profit was reinvested, what will be the total value after the second year with the same profit rate?
(a) Rs. 6000
(b) Rs. 6050
(c) Rs. 6100
(d) Rs. 6150
Ans.(b)

Q63. A triangular storage prism has a base shaped like a right triangle with side lengths in the ratio 5:12:13. If the total perimeter of the base is 60 cm and the height of the prism is 8 cm, calculate the lateral surface area of the prism.
(a) 360 cm^2
(b) 300 cm^2
(c) 480 cm^2
(d) 400 cm^2
Ans.(c)

Q64. A floor is 12 m by 9 m. If tiles of 1.5 m × 1.5 m are used, how many tiles are needed?
(a) 48
(b) 68
(c) 72
(d) 80
Ans.(a)

Q65. Which of the following statement is TRUE for Whole Numbers?
(a) They include fractions.
(b) They include negative numbers.
(c) They include zero and positive integers.
(d) They start from 1.
Ans.(c)

Q66. If $\tan A = 3/4$, then what is the value of $\sin A$?
(a) 3/5
(b) 4/5
(c) 5/3
(d) 1
Ans.(a)

Q67. A line is drawn from a point P located 13 cm away from the center O of a circle with radius 5 cm. If the line is tangent to the circle, what is the length of the tangent from point P to the point of contact with the circle?
(a) 8 cm
(b) 9 cm
(c) 12 cm
(d) 10 cm
Ans.(c)

Q68. A spherical shell has an outer diameter of 20 cm and is 1 cm thick. What is the volume of the material in the shell? (Use $\pi = 3.14$).
(a) 1134.7 cm^3
(b) 1256.6 cm^3
(c) 1340.4 cm^3
(d) 1046.7 cm^3
Ans.(a)

Q69. The radii of two circles are 6 cm and 2 cm. The centers of the two circles are 10 cm apart. What is the length of a transverse common tangent?
(a) 12 cm
(b) 8 cm
(c) 10 cm
(d) 6 cm
Ans.(d)

Q70. A regular hexagonal nut has outer side 6 cm and inner hollow side 3 cm. What is the material approximate area in the cross-section?
(a) 60 cm^2
(b) 70 cm^2
(c) 56 cm^2
(d) 66 cm^2
Ans.(b)

Q71. A store sign is a 5m × 4m rectangle with a 2m × 1m rectangle cut out. Painting cost is ₹180/m^2. How much will the painting cost for the exposed area?
(a) ₹3,960
(b) ₹3,600
(c) ₹3,240
(d) ₹4,200
Ans.(c)

Q72. In a circle, chord AB subtends an angle of 60° at the center. What is the angle subtended by the same chord AB at any point C on the major arc (opposite side of the center)?
(a) 30°
(b) 60°
(c) 90°
(d) 120°
Ans.(a)

Q73. The average of 9 numbers is 63. When one number is removed, the average becomes 60. What number was removed?
(a) 87
(b) 90
(c) 84
(d) 78
Ans.(a)

Q74. If cos(90° - θ) = x and θ is acute, then what is the value of cos θ in terms of x?
(a) √$(1 - x^2)$
(b) x
(c) 1/x
(d) Undefined
Ans.(a)

Q75. The price of a product is decreased by x% and then increased by x%. The final price becomes 10% less than the original. What is the value of x (approximately)?
(a) 31.6
(b) 33.6
(c) 30.6
(d) 39.6
Ans.(a)

Q76. Choose the correct article:
He was appointed as ____ UNESCO representative for cultural heritage preservation.
(a) an
(b) a
(c) the
(d) no article
Ans.(c)

Q77. Select the sentence containing the homonym of the highlighted word:
The professor drew attention to a fundamental aporia in the argument.
(a) The structural aporia in the bridge's design was measured precisely by the surveyor.
(b) The seminar explored the aporia between justice and mercy in Kantian ethics.
(c) His essay acknowledged the aporia that troubled classical theories of identity.
(d) Critics noted that the aporia undermined the coherence of the entire theoretical framework.
Ans.(a)

Q78. Choose the correct meaning of idiom:
The writing on the wall
(a) An act of deliberate deception
(b) A signal of imminent failure or disaster
(c) A symbolic gesture of reconciliation
(d) An unverified rumour gaining credibility
Ans.(b)

Q79. Convert the sentence provided below from its passive voice structure to an active voice structure:
The patients were being monitored closely by the duty nurse.
(a) The duty nurse has monitored the patients closely.
(b) The duty nurse was monitoring the patients closely.
(c) The duty nurse had been monitoring the patients closely.
(d) The duty nurse monitors the patients closely.
Ans.(b)

Q80. A sentence is provided in indirect speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding direct speech.
The archaeologist noted that the artefact had been deliberately concealed.
(a) The archaeologist said, "Someone concealed the artefact deliberately."
(b) He noted, "The artefact is being concealed."
(c) The archaeologist said, "The artefact had been deliberately concealed."
(d) He said, "The artefact was never found."
Ans.(c)

Q81. A sentence is provided in direct speech. From the four given options, choose the one that most accurately conveys the sentence in its corresponding indirect speech.
She said, "Let us reconsider the proposal before the final vote."
(a) She said let us reconsider the proposal.
(b) She told that they must reconsider the proposal.
(c) She suggested us to reconsider the proposal before the final vote.
(d) She suggested that they should reconsider the proposal before the final vote.
Ans.(d)

Q82. Rearrange the following sentences to form a meaningful passage:
1. Digital privacy law emerged to protect individuals from unconsented data collection.
2. Early internet frameworks gave little thought to personal data as a legal asset.
3. Landmark regulations such as GDPR have since imposed strict obligations on data processors.
4. Enforcement challenges persist as technologies evolve faster than legislative responses.
(a) 2-1-3-4
(b) 1-3-4-2
(c) 3-1-2-4
(d) 4-2-3-1
Ans.(a)

Q83. What should come in the place of blank number [1]?
In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage intently and choose the most appropriate option to fill in each blank:
To apprehend race as a biological constant or a self-evident natural category is to mistake a historically produced artefact for an ontological given—to misread a [1] _____, a discursive and regulatory topology sustained not by phenotypic reality but by its compulsive reinscription across legal, medical, and carceral apparatuses. Within such a regime, the racialised body is not simply perceived but constituted—interpellated through surveillance technologies that render certain corporeal configurations legible as threatening, deviant, or socially expendable. The state, operating through its juridico-administrative machinery and the epistemic authority of demographic science, exercises a biopolitical management of population—wherein civic belonging is not an entitlement but a [2] _____, dispensed according to hierarchies of productivity, cultural assimilation, and racial fungibility. This apparatus transforms race into

a function of administrative necessity rather than lived identity. Contestation, when routed through liberal multicultural grammars of recognition, risks reinforcing the very taxonomic logic it purports to challenge. The radical imperative, therefore, is not the diversification of representation but a structural [3] _____ of the classificatory architecture through which racial subjects are produced. This demands the exposure of how liberal inclusion forecloses genuine alterity. Such a praxis necessitates the [4] _____ of identity as a fixed organising principle—dismantling its coherence so that a post-racial ethics of relationality and becoming may emerge: one that prizes indeterminacy over fixity, opacity over legibility, and contingency over essence. In this framework, emancipation is not recuperative but [5] _____—a break from the compulsion of racial intelligibility, a refusal of the logocentric demand to be categorised and known.

(a) juridical simulacrum
(b) praxis-field
(c) epistemic surplus
(d) normative lacuna

Ans.(b)

Q84. What should come in the place of blank number [2]?

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(a) prerogative
(b) dispensation
(c) conditionality
(d) entitlement

Ans.(c)

Q85. What should come in the place of blank number [3]?

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that render certain corporeal configurations legible as threatening, deviant, or socially expendable. The state, operating through its juridico-administrative machinery and the epistemic authority of demographic science, exercises a biopolitical management of population—wherein civic belonging is not an entitlement but a [2] _____, dispensed according to hierarchies of productivity, cultural assimilation, and racial fungibility. This apparatus transforms race into a function of administrative necessity rather than lived identity. Contestation, when routed through liberal multicultural grammars of recognition, risks reinforcing the very taxonomic logic it purports to challenge. The radical imperative, therefore, is not the diversification of representation but a structural [3] _____ of the classificatory architecture through which racial subjects are produced. This demands the exposure of how liberal inclusion forecloses genuine alterity. Such a praxis necessitates the [4] _____ of identity as a fixed organising principle—dismantling its coherence so that a post-racial ethics of relationality and becoming may emerge: one that prizes indeterminacy over fixity, opacity over legibility, and contingency over essence. In this framework, emancipation is not recuperative but [5] _____—a break from the compulsion of racial intelligibility, a refusal of the logocentric demand to be categorised and known.

(a) consolidation
(b) perpetuation
(c) destitution
(d) legitimation

Ans.(c)

Q86. What should come in the place of blank number [4]?

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(a) reification
(b) ablation
(c) sedimentation
(d) valorisation

Ans.(b)

Q87. What should come in the place of blank number [5]?
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(a) performative
(b) teleological
(c) cataphatic
(d) apophatic
Ans.(d)

Q88. Choose the correct spelling of the word meaning ‘easily broken’.
(a) Brittall
(b) Brittal
(c) Brittle
(d) Brittell
Ans.(c)

Q89. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word: TRUNCATED
(a) Amplified
(b) Curtailed
(c) Elaborated
(d) Augmented
Ans.(b)

Q90. Choose the correct one-word substitute for: ‘A person who is skilled in many areas’.
(a) Autodidact
(b) Dilettante
(c) Luminary
(d) Polymath
Ans.(d)

Q91. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:
It's strategic location (1)/ renders the port (2)/ indispensable to regional (3)/ maritime trade routes. (4)/
(a) (1)
(b) (2)
(c) (3)
(d) (4)
Ans.(a)

Q92. Choose the correct one-word substitute for: 'A person who is unable to pay debts'.
(a) Debtor
(b) Insolvent
(c) Profligate
(d) Indigent
Ans.(b)

Q93. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:
He speaks three languages fluently,isn't it?
(a) haven't he?
(b) isn't he?
(c) doesn't he?
(d) hasn't he?
Ans.(c)

Q94. Choose the most suitable option to replace the highlighted part of the sentence:
She called me yesterday night to inform me about the change in schedule.
(a) had called me last night
(b) called me last night
(c) was calling me yesterday night
(d) calls me yesterday night
Ans.(b)

Q95. Find the part of the sentence that contains an error:
The speed with which the markets collapsed (1)/ caught not only the regulators but also the investors (2)/ off guard who had been predicting (3)/ a period of sustained growth. (4)
(a) (1)
(b) (2)
(c) (3)
(d) (4)
Ans.(c)

Q96. Fill in the blank with the correctly spelt word.
The organisation praised the workforce for its exceptional _____ in responding to the sudden policy overhaul.
(a) adaptabillity
(b) adaptibilety
(c) adaptebility
(d) adaptability
Ans.(d)

Q97. Rearrange the following sentences in correct order to make a logical passage.
1. This, in turn, strengthens the capacity to assess evidence and resist manipulation.
2. Critical thinking is among the most valued competencies in the modern knowledge economy.
3. It encompasses skills such as logical reasoning, structured argumentation, and reflective analysis.
4. Systematic instruction in critical thinking should therefore be embedded across educational curricula.
(a) 2-1-3-4
(b) 2-3-1-4
(c) 3-2-4-1
(d) 2-4-1-3
Ans.(b)

Q98. Select the correct option:
The board decided to restructure the ailing division _____ than dissolve it entirely.
(a) more
(b) other
(c) as
(d) rather
Ans.(d)

Q99. Select the most appropriate antonym of the given word. Pulverize
(a) Disintegrate
(b) Grind
(c) Construct
(d) Fragment
Ans.(c)

Q100. Change the following from active to passive:
Does the treaty obligate signatory nations to annual emissions reporting?
(a) Have signatory nations been obligated by the treaty to annual emissions reporting?
(b) Were signatory nations being obligated by the treaty to annual emissions reporting?
(c) Do signatory nations are obligated by the treaty to annual emissions reporting?
(d) Are signatory nations obligated by the treaty to annual emissions reporting?
Ans.(d)