



All India Scholarship Test for CISF Fireman Constable: Complete Questions with Detailed Solutions

In the following question, select the related word pair from the given alternatives.

Book: Pages::?:?

(a) Writer: Write (b) Pen: Write (c) Car : Tyre (d) Tyre: Round

In the following question, select the related number from the given alternatives.

553:551::447:?

(a) 443 (b) 445 (c) 441 (d) 451

In the following question, select the related letter pair from the given alternatives.

FOM: CLJ::?:?

(a) RQS: POQ (b) RAX: OXU (d) ACD: CEF (c) JKN: MNQ

In the following question, select the odd word pair from the given alternatives.

(a) Zinc - Metal

(b) Aluminium – Metal

(c) Crocodile – Water

(d) Gold - Metal

In the following question, four number pairs are given. The number on left side of (-) is related to the number of the right side of (-) with some Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.

(a) 9 - 81

(b) 8 - 64

(c) 6 - 36

(d) 7 - 47

In the following question, select the odd letter/letters from the given alternatives.

(a) BE

(b) SU

(c) AD

(d) OR

Arrange the given words in the sequence in which they occur in the dictionary.

1. Scrape

2. Scramble

3. Scream

4. Scornful

5. Scour

(a) 12354

(b) 35421

(c) 51243 (d) 45213

In the following question, select the missing number from the given series.

9, 13, 18, 24, 31, ?

(a) 39 (c) 40

(b) 35 (d) 37

A series is given with one term missing. Select the correct alternative from the given ones that will

complete the series. XPK, VNJ, TLH, RJE, ?

(a) PHB

(b) OIA

(c) OIB

(d) PHA

10. In a row of swimmers Manish, is 23rd from the left end. Ramesh is 11 ranks to the left of Manish. If Ramesh is 16th from right end, then how many swimmers are there in this row?

(a) 28

(b) 27

(c) 30

(d) 29

11. From the given alternatives, select the word which CANNOT be formed using the letters of the given word.

Resources

(a) Source

(b) Rise

(c) Eour

(d) Sour

12. In a certain code language, "FRAME" is written as "79635" and "TOWEL" is written as "21854". How is "WORM" written in that code language?

(a) 9376

(b) 8193

(c) 9183

(d) 1593

13. In a certain code language, '-' represents 'x', '÷' represents '+', '+' represents '÷' and 'x' represents '-'. Find out the answer to the following question.

 $12 - 6 + 4 \times 10 \div 16 = ?$

(a) 14

(b) 2

(c) 24

(d) 5

14. The following equation is incorrect. Which two signs should be interchanged to correct the equation?

 $18 - 2 \div 20 + 5 \times 16 = 69$

 $(a) \div and -$

(b) + and x

(c) + and ÷

(d) – and +

15. If -2@-4 = -8, -1@-8 = -8 and -1@6 = 6, then find the value of -1@7 = ?

(a) 95

(b) -88

(c)82

(d) 7

16. Which of the following terms follows the trend of the given list?

XXXXXXYY, XXXXXYXY, XXYXXXXY,

XXXXYXXY, XXXYXXXY,

(a) YXXXXXXY

(b) XXXXXXYY





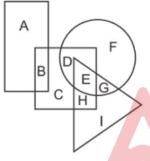




- 17. A marketing executive goes on his field work and walks 2 km North, then he turns West and walks 6 km, then he turns North and walks 7 km, and then he turns to his right and walks 6 km. Where is he now with respect to his starting position?
 - (a) 5 km North
- (b) 9 km North
- (c) 9 km South
- (d) 5 km South
- **18.** In the question two statements are given, followed by two conclusions, I and II. You have to consider the statements to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given conclusions, if any, follows from the given statements.

Statement I: All cakes are pastries Statement II: Some bread are cakes **Conclusion I:** No pastries are bread **Conclusion II:** Some bread are pastries

- (a) Only conclusion I follows
- (b) Only conclusion II follows
- (c) Both conclusions I and II follow
- (d) Neither conclusion I nor conclusion II follows
- 19. In the following figure, rectangle represents Chefs, circle represents Choreographers, triangle represents Divers and square represents Americans. Which set of letters represents Americans who are either Choreographers or Divers?



(a) CDE

(b) EGI

(c) DEH

- (d) BCH
- 20. A series is given with one term missing. Select the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.

MAN, ODR, QGV, SJZ, ?

(a) UMD

(b) VNC

(c) UNC

- (d) VMD
- **21.** In the following question, select the missing number from the given series.

192, 186, 180, 174, ?, 162

(a) 166

(b) 168

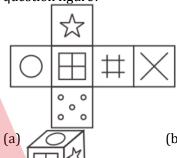
(c) 164

- (d) 170
- **22.** In the following question, four groups of three numbers are given. In each group the second and third number are related to the first number by a Logic/Rule/Relation. Three are similar on basis of same Logic/Rule/Relation. Select the odd one out from the given alternatives.

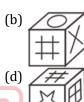
- (a) (13, 26, 39)
- (b) (15, 30, 45)
- (c) (17, 34, 51)
- (d) (19, 38, 59)
- **23.** If a mirror is placed on the line MN, then which of the answer figures is the right image of the given figure?



- (a)
- (c)
- 24. Which of the following cube in the answer figure cannot be made based on the unfolded cube in the question figure?







- Rohit remembers that his birthday is before 12th 25. December and after 6th December. His wife remembers that Rohit's birthday is after 7th December. His son remembers that Rohit's birthday is before 10th December. On which date of December is Rohit's birthday?
 - (a) 8

(b) 9

(c) 10

- (d) 8 or 9
- **26.** The surface of which of these planets is not solid?
 - (a) Jupiter
- (b) Mars
- (c) Venus
- (d) Mercury
- **27.** Which of these is not a port city on the Arabian Sea?
 - (a) Panaji
- (b) Vishakhapatnam
- (c) Mumbai
- (d) Mangalore
- 28. Raslila dance is associated with which God? (a) Lord Shiva
 - (b) Lord Ganesha
 - (c) Lord Indra
- (d) Lord Krishna
- 29. Which of the following is an Indian online retail company?
 - (a) Alibaba Group
- (b) Amazon

(c) eBay

(d) Jabong



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| 30. | Sir creek is a disputed territory between India and | | 42. | In a Jugalbandhi between Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia and Ustad Zakir Hussain, the musical | | | |
| R1. | (a) Myanmar (c) Pakistan Which of these is essential | (b) Nepal(d) Bangladeshto keep bones strong in the | | instruments being played (a) Sitar and Sarod (c) Tabla and Flute | · · | | |
| , 1. | body? (a) Iodine (c) Fats | (b) Zinc (d) Calcium | 43. | The judiciary in India is (a) Under prime Minister's (b) Under president's cont | rol | | |
| 32. | Who was the first lady Gov (a) Sucheta Kripalani (c) Tarkeswari Sinha | vernor of an Indian State? (b) Padmaja Naidu (d) Sarojini Naidu | | (c) Under parliament's control(d) IndependentWhich of the following did not participate in sepoy | | | |
| 33. | Operation Flood programm (a)1951 (c)1975 | ne was introduced in (b)1970 (d)1985 | | mutiny of 1857? (a) Nana Saheb (c) Lakshmi Bai | (b) Tatiya Tope (d) Bhagat Singh | | |
| 34. | Article 1 of the Constitutio (a) federal State (c) unitary State | n declares India as (b) quasi-federal state (d) union of States | 45. | Booker prize is given in th (a) Science (c) Literature | e field of (b) Medicine (d) Social Services | | |
| 35. | India? (a) Coimbatore | e the Manchester of South (b) Salem | 46. | Gandhiji was influenced by (a) Karl Marx (c) Lenin | y the philosophy of (b) Tolstoy (d) None of these | | |
| 36. | (c) ThanjavurLargest-Indian state in ter(a) Madhya Pradesh(c) Rajasthan | (d) Chennai ms of area is: (b) Maharashtra (d) Karnataka | 47. | JIMEX relates to (a) Japan-India Joint Milita (b) Japan-India Maritime I (c) Japan-India Joint Moto | Exercise r vehicle Exhibition | | |
| 37. | The first Indian Governo India was: (a) Surendra Nath (c) Rajendra Prasad | r General of Independent (b) C. Rajagopalchari (d) B. R. Ambedkar | 48. | wrestling? (a) Arjuna Award | ing award/title belongs to (b) Dhyan Chand Award | | |
| 38. | The Chilka lake region is sof: (a) Krishna and Kaveri (b) Godavari and Krishna (c) Ganga and Mahanadi | situated between the deltas | | (c) Santosh Trophy (d) Bharat Kesari Suryoday Small Finance Bank launched the "Suryoday Health and Wellness Savings Account" which offers a top-up health insurance of (a) Rs 2.5 lakh (b) Rs 25 lakh | | | |
| 39. | (d) Mahanadi and Godavar The compounds leading to | | 50. | (c) Rs 35 lakh Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna | (d) Rs 3.5 lakh Award has been renamed | | |
| | (a) Urea and nucleic acids(b) Amino acids and urea(c) Proteins and nucleic acids(d) Iron and amino acids | rid | _, | after which of the followin (a) Dhyan Chand (c) Sunil Gavaskar | (b) Milkha Singh(d) KD Singh Babu | | |
| 4 0. | Which of the following is not correctly matched? (a) Anemometer – Wind speed (b) Ammeter–Electric Current (c) Tachometer– Pressure Difference (d) Pyrometer–High Temperature Name one famous poet of Delhi Sultanate who was adorned with title of "The Parrot of Hindustan"? | | | Calculate the value of 0.77 + 0.7 + 0.07 (a) 3.86274 (c) 3.85274 | 777 + 0.7777 + 0.777 + 0.777 (b) 3.80247 (d) 3.87247 | | |
| 41 . | | | | A crate of egg holds one rotten egg out of every 25 egg in it. If 5 out of 8 rotten eggs are unusable and there are total 10 unusable eggs in the crate, then calculate the number of eggs in the crate. | | | |
| | (a) Zia-Uddin Barani (c) Alberuni | (b) Utbi (d) Amir Khusro | | (a) 380 (c) 420 | (b) 400 (d) 440 | | |







- 53. What is the area (in square units) of the figure enclosed by the x-axis, the y-axis and the line x + 2y =
 - (a) 3

(b) 6

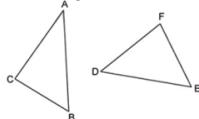
(c)9

- (d) 12
- **54.** What is the number of decimal places in a cube root of a number having 27 decimal places?
 - (a) 3

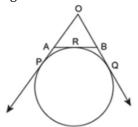
(b) 6

(c)9

- (d) 27
- **55.** Which of the following condition is sufficient to state that the triangle ABC and DEF are similar?



- (a) $\angle A = \angle D$ and $\angle C = \angle F$
- (b) $\angle A > \angle D$ and $\angle B = \angle E$
- (c) $\angle B = \angle E$ and $\angle C < \angle F$
- (d) All option are correct.
- **56.** Which of the following option is CORRECT about the figure shown below?



- (a) OA AR = OB + BR
- (b) OA + AR = OB BR
- (c) OA + AR = OB + BR
- (d) None of these
- 57. If the edge of a cube is increased by 10%, then what will be the percentage increase in its volume?
 - (a) 30

- (b) 31.3
- (c) 136.1
- (d) 33.1
- **58.** Rs 18200 is divided among X, Y and Z in the ratio of 1/3: 1/4: 1/2. What is the share (in Rs) of X?
 - (a) 7000

(b) 4400

(c) 4200

- (d) 5600
- **59.** In what ratio must a mixture of 20% milk strength be mixed with that of 60% milk strength so as to get a new mixture of 25% milk strength?
 - (a) 7:1

(b) 4:1

(c) 5:2

- (d) 9:2
- **60.** What is the average of first 39 even numbers?
 - (a) 39

(b) 40

(c) 20

- (d) 68
- **61.** A sum becomes Rs 2286 in 3 years and Rs 2448 in 4 years at simple interest. What is the rate (in percentage) of interest per annum?
 - (a) 10

(b) 9

(c) 8

(d) 11

- **62.** Selling price of a fan is Rs 4644. If profit percentage is 29%, then what is the cost price (in Rs) of fan?
 - (a) 5900

- (b) 3500
- (c) 3800
- (d) 3600
- **63.** The marked price of a helmet is 30% more than its cost price. If the helmet is sold for Rs 744 after a discount of Rs 36, then what will be the profit percentage?
 - (a) 24

(b) 18

(c) 21

- (d) 27
- **64.** Which of the following statement (s) is/are TRUE? I. $4\sqrt{3} > 3\sqrt{4}$
 - II. $8\sqrt{2} > 2\sqrt{8}$
 - (a) Only I
- (b) Only II
- (c) Neither I nor II
- (d) Both I and II
- **65.** S. T and U together can complete a work in 30 days. If the ratio of efficiency of S, T and U is 20:15:12 respectively, then in how many days U alone can complete the same work?
 - (a) 195/2
- (b) 235/2
- (c) 225/2
- (d) 215/2
- **66.** A train is moving at the speed of 90 km/hr. How many seconds it will take to cover a distance of 2275 meter?
 - (a) 96

(b) 91

(d) 93 (c) 86

Directions (67-70): The line graph shows the number of deaths due to rail accidents in a certain state. Study the diagram and answer the following questions.



- **67.** In which year were the number of deaths greater than that of the previous year?
 - (a) 2013

(b) 2012

- (c) 2014
- (d) 2015
- 68. What was the difference in the number of deaths between the years 2012 and 2015?
 - (a) 6500

(b) 8500

(c) 7500

- (d) 5500
- **69.** The number of deaths in 2017 were greater than that in 2013 by ___
 - (a) 50%

- (b) 35%
- (c) 62.5%
- (d) 37.5%





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| 70. | S | s was paid as insurance for accident, then how much crore) in the year 2014? (b) 275 (d) 175 | 80. | In the following opposite in meaning Connubial (a) hymeneal (c) genial | question, choose the word to the given word. (b) nuptial (d) cloistered |
| 71. | 9 | (in cm) of the diagonal of a eadth are 120 cm ² and 8 cm (b) 17 (d) 30 | 81. | | question, out of the four the one which best expresses iven word. (b) reverent (d) irritable |
| 72. | | nterior angle of a regular in the measure of its exterior es does it have ? (b) 9 (d) 12 | | Select the wrongly space (a) Insicive (c) Posterity Select the correctly space (c) | pelt word. (b) Prolix (d) Peruse |
| 73. | Find the volume (in cm ³) of 21 cm. (a) 2235.5 (c) 2040 | of a hemisphere of diameter (b) 2425.5 (d) 1860 | | (a) Gruelling (c) Frigate ections (84-85): Selections (84-85): Sel | (b) Nonpllussed(d) Burdensumct the word which means the given. |
| 74. | What is the value of (cosed (a) $(2\sqrt{3}-1)/\sqrt{3}$ (c) $-1/\sqrt{3}$ | c30° - $1/\sqrt{3}$)? (b) $(\sqrt{3}-4)/2\sqrt{3}$ (d) $2/\sqrt{3}$ | 84. | the belief that life is m (a) Nihilism | (b) Certitude |
| 75. | _ | Y is 90°. If cosec X = 13/12, is the length (in cm) of side (b) 1.5 (d) 2 | 85. | (c) Credence Be an expression of orto an idea, quality, or to a Spectre (c) Embody | (d) Fidelity r give a tangible or visible form feeling (b) Revenant (d) Apparition |
| 76. | In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error. We had to postpone the meeting because only the few persons were present there. (a) We had to postpone the meeting (b) because only the few persons (c) were present there (d) No error | | Dire | alternatives, choose the meaning of the g Tangible (a) palpable (c) aerial | question, out of the four the one which best expresses iven word. (b) immaterial (d) discarnate t the most appropriate meaning |
| | Play well lest you (may) lose your spot. (a) might (b) should (c) could (d) No improvement rections (78-79): Select the most appropriate word to | | 87. | Bad patches (a) came across bad sa (b) went through man (c) had a bumpy car ri (d) had many professi | ny illnesses ide |
| fill i | in the blank. 3. Many teachers the lack of professional freedom as the reason for leaving the job. (a) cited (b) explained (c) claimed (d) argued | | 88. | In Vain (a) without success or (b) flow without stopp (c) be highly successfu (d) to be confused | ping |
| 79. | A public servant who is | s guilty will notent person will be punished. (b) flee (d) escape | 89. | In the following opposite in meaning Inalienable (a) undeniable (c) inviolable | question, choose the word to the given word. (b) repealable (d) irrevocable |





| 90. | Improve the bracketed | part of the sentence. |
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His miserable condition (made us wept).

- (a) made us weep.
- (b) made us to weep.
- (c) made us to wept.
- (d) No improvement

91. In the sentence identify the segment which contains the grammatical error.

Between you and I, you are more intelligent than I.

- (a) Between you and I
- (b) you are more
- (c) intelligent than I.
- (d) No error

92. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

- A. Environmental impact assessment was found to be "completely inadequate".
- B. The Centre has recommended a biodiversity study of.
- C. By a credible international institute since the current.
- D. The proposed 3,097 MW Etalin Hydroelectric Project in Arunachal Pradesh.
- (a) CABD
- (b) BDCA
- (c) ABCD
- (d) DCBA

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

People speak English all over the world.

- (a) English is spoken all over the world.
- (b) English was spoken all over the world.
- (c) English was spoken by people.
- (d) English is spoken by people.

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

The boy said, "I did the work yesterday."

- (a) The boy said that he did the work yesterday.
- (b) The boy said that he had done the work the day before.
- (c) The boy said that he did the work the day before.
- (d) The boy said that he had done the work yesterday.

95. Given below are four jumbled sentences. Select the option that gives their correct order.

- A. For not providing clean air and water.
- B. On why they should not be made liable.
- C. The court issued notices to all the States for their responses.
- D. To pay compensation to people.
- (a) ACDB
- (b) DBCA
- (c) CBDA
- (d) BDAC

Directions (96-100): Read the passage carefully and choose the best answer to fill the space provided out of the four alternatives.

One of the _______(1) caves in the country, the Ajanta Caves are 30 odd rock-cut caves that date back to the second century BC. These Buddhist monuments are known for their murals, paintings and sculptures that have defined Indian art over time.

Today, they are a UNESCO World Heritage Site and a _____ (2) monument under the Archaeological Survey of India. Even though there were 30 caves, they were built in two phases and provided _____ (3) to Buddhist monks who came here to meditate during the monsoon.

Even today, the caves can cast a spell on you with their artistic beauty and give you a ______ (4) into our history. An inspiration to today's Indian art, the paintings that are centuries old tell a story of our ancestors and how they lived their life. Ajanta Caves are a must-visit for any art and history _____ (5).

96. Select the most appropriate option for blank No.1

- (a) Propitious
- (b) Unembellished
- (c) Highest
- (d) Oldest

97. Select the most appropriate option for blank No.2

- (a) Protected
- (b) Powerful
- (c) Outlandish
- (d) Vanquishing

98. Select the most appropriate option for blank No.3

- (a) Direction
- (b) Opportunity
- (c) Shelter
- (d) Credit

99. Select the most appropriate option for blank No.4

(a) Peek

- (b) Look
- (c) Invest
- (d) Succeed

100. Select the most appropriate option for blank No.5

- (a) Collection
- (b) Lover
- (c) Records
- (d) Research



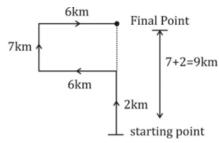




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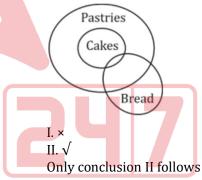
- 1. (c): Book have pages Similarly, car have tyre
- 2. **(b):** 553 - 2 = 551447 - 2 = 445
- **(b):** -3 series 3.
- (c): Crocodile is not a water. 4.
- (d): $9-9^2$ $8 - 8^2$ $6-6^{2}$ $7-7^2 = 49 \neq 47$
- **(b):** +3 series except SU (+2 series) 6.
- 7. (d): 4. Scornful 5. Scour 2. Scramble
 - 1. Scrape 3. Scream
- 8. (a): 13 18 24 31 39
- (d): $X \xrightarrow{-2} V \xrightarrow{-2} T \xrightarrow{-2} R \xrightarrow{-2} P$ $P \xrightarrow{-2} N \xrightarrow{-2} L \xrightarrow{-2} I \xrightarrow{-2} H$ $K \xrightarrow{-1} I \xrightarrow{-2} H \xrightarrow{-3} E \xrightarrow{-4} A$
- 10. (b): 16th (Right) Ramesh Manish →12^{tt}(left) 23rd (left)
 - ∴ Total number of Swimmers = 16 + 12 - 1= 27
- **11. (b)**: Rise
- 12. (b): F | R | A | M | E | T | O | W | L 7 9 6 3 5 2 1 8 4 $WORM \rightarrow 8193$
- **13.** (c): $12 6 + 4 \times 10 \div 16$ \Rightarrow 12×6÷4-10+16 \Rightarrow 18 - 10 + 16 $\Rightarrow 34 - 10$ $\Rightarrow 24$

- **14.** (a): $18 2 \div 20 + 5 \times 16 = 69$ \Rightarrow 18 ÷ 2 – 20 + 5 × 16 = 69 \Rightarrow 9 - 20 + 5 × 16 = 69 \Rightarrow 9 - 20 + 80 = 69 \Rightarrow 89 - 20 = 69 $\Rightarrow 69 = 69$
- **15.** (d): $-2 \times -4 = 8 \times (-1) = -8$ $-1 \times -8 = 8 \times (-1) = -8$ $-1 \times 6 = -6 \times (-1) = 6$ $-1 \times 7 = -7 \times (-1) = 7$
- **16. (c)**: XYXXXXXY
- 17. (b):

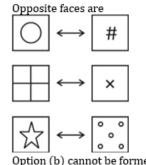


He is 9km in North from the starting point.

18. (b):



- 19. (c): DEH
- **20.** (a): +2, +3, +4
- **21. (b)**: -6 series
- **22. (d):** ×2, ×3 series except (19, 38, 59)
- 23. (d):
- 24. (b):



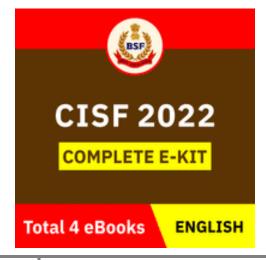


- **25.** (d): A/c to Rohit, his birthday may be on 7, 8, 9, 10,
 - A/c to his wife, his birthday may be on 8, 9, 10, 11th of Dec.
 - And, A/c to his son, his birthday may be on 8, 9th
 - From all three observations, it concluded that Rohit's birthday is either on 8th or 9th Dec.
- **26. (a):** Inner planets such as Mercury, Venus, Earth, the Moon, Mars and its moons, the asteroids, the moons of the outer planets, and Kuiper Belt objects have solid surfaces. The outer planets Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are gas giants. They do not, have solid surfaces.
- 27. (b): Visakhapatnam is a port city located on the southeast coast of Bay of Bengal. It is often called as "The Jewel of the East Coast". It is the largest city in Andhra Pradesh.
- 28. (d): Raslila is a folk dance drama of northern India mainly Uttar Pradesh, based on scenes from the life of Krishna. It is often freely rendered as "the dance of love". The Indian classical dance of Kathak evolved from the Raslila of Braj.
- 29. (d): Jabong is an Indian fashion and lifestyle ecommerce portal selling apparel, footwear, fashion accessories, beauty products, fragrances, home accessories and other fashion and lifestyle products. The company is headquartered in Gurgaon, NCR.
- **30. (c):** Sir Creek is a 96 km strip of water on the border of India and Pakistan. The creek, which opens up into the Arabian Sea, divides the Gujarat state of India from the Sindh province of Pakistan. The creek itself is located in uninhabited marshland.
- **31. (d)**: The body needs calcium to maintain strong bones. Almost all calcium is stored in bone and teeth, where it supports their structure and hardness. The body also needs calcium for muscles to move and for nerves to carry messages between the brain and body parts.
- **32. (d):** Sarojini Naidu was the first female to become the governor of an Indian state.z
- **33. (b)**: Operation Flood was started by National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) in 1970s. The objective of this programme was to create a nationwide milk grid. The result was that India became the largest producer of Milk and Milk Products. Operation flood is called White Revolution of India.
- **34.** (d): Article 1 of the Constitution declares that India. that is Bharat, shall be a Union of States.

- **35. (a):** Coimbatore is referred to as the "Manchester of South India" due to its cotton production and textile industries.
- **36.** (c): Rajasthan is the largest state of area with a geographical area of 342239 km². It constitutes 10.41 per cent of India's area. Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Uttar Pradesh come next in terms of area.
- **37. (b):** Lord Louis Mountbatten was the first Governor General of independent India after having overseen independence. He was followed by C. Rajagopalachari who was the first Governor General of India of Indian origin. He remained India's Governor-General until the Constitution was approved and came into existence on 26 January 1950.
- **38. (d):** The Chilka Lake region lies in between the deltas of Mahanadi and Godavari. It is situated to the south west of the Mahanadi delta spread over the Puri, Khurda and Ganjam districts of Odisha. It is the largest brackish water lake in Asia.
- 39. (c): Proteins and nucleic acids, essential for cell operations and reproductive processes, form two prime chemical compounds of life. They are considered as organic compounds responsible for the origin of life. Proteinoid theory states that protein molecules evolved first, while nakedgene hypothesis states that nucleic acid originated first and controlled the formation of proteins.
- **40. (c):** A tachometer is an instrument that measures the rotation speed of a shaft or disk, as in a motor or other machine. The device usually displays the revolutions per minute (RPM) on a calibrated analogue dial, but digital displays are increasingly common.
- **41. (d)**: Amir Khusro, a Sufi musician, poet and scholar, was known as Tuti-e-Hind (Parrot of India). He was not only a notable poet but also a prolific and seminal musician. He wrote poetry primarily in Persian, but also in Hindavi.
- 42. (d): Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia is an Indian classical flutist who plays in the North Indian tradition. Ustad Zakir Hussain is an Indian tabla player, musical producer, film actor and composer.
- **43. (d):** There is a single integrated judicial system in India. It is organised system in India. It is organised on pyramidal from. At the apex of the entire judicial system stands the Supreme Court. It is an independent body. All the courts of India are under the control of Supreme Court.



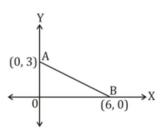
- 44. (d): The Indian Rebellion of 1857 is also called the Indian Mutiny, the Sepoy Mutiny, North India's First War of Independence or North India's first struggle for independence. It began on 10 May 1857 at Meerut, as a mutiny of sepoys of the British East India Company's army. Participants in Sepoy mutiny of 1857- Nana Saheb, Tantiya Tope, Lakshmi Bai, Begum Hazrat Mahal, Kunwar Singh.
- **45. (c):** The Booker Prize or Man Booker Prize for Fiction is prestigious British award given annually to a full-length novel in English. Booker McConnell, a multinational company, established the award in 1968 to provide a counterpart to the Prix Goncourt in France. It is awarded each year for the best original novel by a citizen of the Commonwealth of Nations, the Republic of Ireland, or Zimbabwe.
- 46. (b): Gandhi was greatly influenced by Leo Tolstoy, through his book 'The Kingdom of God is Within You' and his essay on 'Christianity and Patriotism'. Tolstoy's ideal of "simplicity of life and purity of purpose" influenced Gandhi deeply. Gandhi's "love as law of life" and principles of non-violence were deeply embedded in the writings of Tolstoy.
- **47. (b):** Exercise JIMEX is a military exercise between India and Japan.
- 48. (d): Indian Wrestler Labhanshu Sharma won the Bharat Kesari Wrestling Dangal 2021 organised in Tamil Nadu. 20 years since the formation of Uttarakhand, Labhanshu is the first to win the title of Bharat Kesari for the state.
- 49. (b): Suryoday Small Finance Bank launched the "Suryoday Health and Wellness Savings Account", a premium savings account product aimed at ensuring that the customers' wealth not only grows but they and their families are also taken care of on their health. This offers top-up health insurance of Rs 25 lakhs, annual healthcare package and on-call emergency ambulance medical care Services.



50. (a): Prime Minister Narendra Modi has announced that Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award will be renamed as Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award.

52. **(b)**: Total unusual eggs = 10 ∴ Total rotten eggs = 16 & total number of eggs = 25 × 16 = 400

53. (c):



We have,

$$x + 2y = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{6} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$$

Compare,
$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 6, b = 3$$

Ar.
$$\triangle AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 3 = 9$$
 sq. unit

54. (c): Let us consider the number is N which consists of 27 decimal places.

For example 1.728 is a number with 3 decimal places and can be written as

$$\frac{1728}{1000}$$
 or $\frac{1728}{10^8}$

Similarly N can be written as

$$N = \frac{N_1}{N_1}$$

Cube root of this number will be

$$\sqrt[3]{\left(\frac{N_1}{(10)^{27}}\right)} = \left[\frac{N_1}{(10)^{27}}\right]^{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{N_1^{\frac{1}{3}}}{10^{27/\frac{1}{3}}}$$

Therefore the answer will have 9 decimal places as x is divided by 10^9 .

55. (a):

For $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$, we need to have at least two pairs of corresponding angles equal. Thus according to the first option, we have,

$$\angle A = \angle D \& \angle C = \angle F$$

56. (c): OP = OQ {tangents drawn from the point outside of the circle are equal}

$$Or OA + AP = OB + BQ$$

$$Or OA + AR = OB + BR$$

57. (d):

$$10\% = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$10$$

$$11$$
So, 10
$$11$$

$$10$$

$$11$$

$$1000$$

$$1331$$
or 100
$$133.1$$

Percentage increase = 33.1%



58. (d):

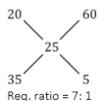
X: Y:
$$Z = \frac{1}{3} : \frac{1}{4} : \frac{1}{2} = 4$$
: 3: 6

We have

13 units = 18200

$$\therefore$$
 4 units = $\frac{18200}{13} \times 4 = 5600$

59. (a):



60. (b):

Sum of first 39 even numbers

It is an A.P. where,

$$a = 2$$
, $d = 2$, $n = 39$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1).d]$$

$$\Rightarrow S_{39} = \frac{39}{2} [2 \times 2 + 38 \times 2] = 39 \times 40$$

Avg. of first 39 even numbers =
$$\frac{39 \times 40}{39}$$
 = 40

61. (b): Interest of one year = 2448 - 2286 = 162Interest of three year = $162 \times 3 = 486$

Rate
$$\% = \frac{162}{1800} \times 100 = 9\%$$

62. (d):

Selling price of fan = 4644

Profit % = 29%

We have, 129 units = 4644

∴ 100 units = CP of Fan =
$$\frac{4644}{129}$$
 × 100 = Rs. 3600

63. (a):

$$30\% = \frac{3}{10}$$

Mark price = selling price + Discount

We have, 13 unit = Rs.780

 \therefore 10 unit = cost price = $\frac{780}{13} \times 10 = \text{Rs.600}$

Profit% =
$$\frac{744-600}{600} \times 100$$

$$=\frac{144}{600}\times 100$$

64. (d):

$$4\sqrt{3} > 3\sqrt{4}$$

$$4 \times 1.73 > 3 \times 2$$

: Statement I is true

And
$$8\sqrt{2} > 2\sqrt{8}$$

$$8\sqrt{2} > 2.2\sqrt{2}$$

$$8\sqrt{2} > 4\sqrt{2}$$

: Statement II is true.

65. (b):

Total work = days \times efficiency

$$= 30 \times 47$$

U alone can complete the work = $\frac{30 \times 47}{12} = \frac{235}{2}$ days.

66. (b):

Time =
$$\frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{speed}} = \frac{2275}{90 \times \frac{5}{18}} = 91 \text{ sec.}$$

- **67. (b):** Out of the given options, number of deaths decreases except 2012.
- **68. (c):** Required percentage = 8500 1000 = 7500
- 69. (c):

Required percentage =
$$\frac{6500-4000}{4000} \times 100 = 62.5\%$$

- **70. (d):** Number of death in the year 2014 = 3500 ∴ Amount of insurance that was paid in 2014
 - $= 3500 \times 500000 = 175 \text{ crore}$
- 71. (b):

Area of rectangle = ℓ . b = 120 cm²

Or ℓ = 15 cm

Diagonal =
$$\sqrt{\ell^2 + b^2}$$

= $\sqrt{15^2 + 8^2}$
= $\sqrt{225 + 64}$
= $\sqrt{289}$
= 17 cm.

72. (a):

We have,

$$\frac{(n-2)\times180}{n} - \frac{360}{n} = 90$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n-4}{n} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 8$$

73. (b):

Diameter of hemisphere = 21 cm

Radius =
$$\frac{21}{2}$$
 cm

Volume of hemisphere = $\frac{2}{3}\pi r^3$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{22}{7} \cdot \frac{21}{2} \times \frac{21}{2} \times \frac{21}{2}$$

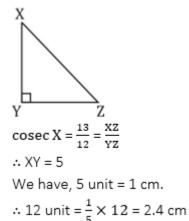
 $= 2425.5 \text{ cm}^3$



74. (a):

$$\csc 30^{\circ} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$
$$= 2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$
$$= \frac{2\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

75. (c):



- 76. **(b):** Use "only few persons were present there". Few is a quantifier used with plural countable nouns. Without the article "a", few emphasizes a small number of something. Adding the article removes the emphasis—a few means "some". While, adding the definite article "the" means not many, but all of those.
- 77. **(b):** "Lest" is followed by "should", it is negative do not use another negative with it. Hence, option(b) is the correct choice.
- 78. (a): 'Cited' is the correct usage.

 Cite refers to as evidence for or justification of an argument or statement, especially in a scholarly work.
- **79. (d):** 'Escape' is the correct usage. Escape: break free from confinement or control.
- **80. (d): Connubial** relating to marriage. **Cloistered** keep away from the outside world.
- **81. (b): Pious** devoutly religious. **Reverent** feeling or showing deep and solemn respect.
- 82. (a): Correct spelling is "Incisive" which meAns.(of a person or mental process) intelligently analytical and clear-thinking.
 Prolix: (of speech or writing) using or containing too many words; tediously lengthy.
 Posterity: all future generations of people.
 Peruse: read (something), typically in a thorough or careful way.

83. (c): Correctly spelt word is "frigate".

Frigate: any of several different types of small and fast warships

Correct spelling and meanings of other words are:

Grueling: extremely tiring and demanding.

Nonplussed: so surprised and confused that one is unsure how to react.

Burdensome: difficult to carry out or fulfil; taxing.

84. (a): Nihilism: rejection of all religious and moral principles, in the belief that life is meaningless **Certitude**: absolute certainty or conviction that something is the case.

Credence: belief in or acceptance of something as true.

Fidelity: faithfulness to a person, cause, or belief, demonstrated by continuing loyalty and support.

- 85. (c): Embody: an expression of or give a tangible or visible form to an idea, quality, or feeling

 Spectre: something widely feared as a possible unpleasant or dangerous occurrence.

 Revenant: a person who has returned, especially supposedly from the dead.

 Apparition: a ghost or ghostlike image of a person.
- **86. (a): Tangible:** perceptible by touch; **Palpable:** able to be touched or felt.
- **87. (d)**: **Bad patches**: A period of difficulty, suffering
- **88.** (a): In Vain: without success or a result.
- **89. (b): Inalienable-** not subject to being taken away from or given away by the possessor. **Repealable-**to revoke or rescind.
- **90. (a): Make** is a causative verb which takes 1st form of verb. Keeping the same into consideration, option (a) is the correct choice.
- **91. (a):** Verbs and prepositions are followed by objective case of a pronoun. Use "between you and me".
- 92. (b):
- 93. (a):
- 94. (b):
- 95. (c):





96. (d): The correct answer is option d.

The word that can be filled in the blank is, 'Oldest'.

The given passage informs about 'The Ajanta Caves'. It states that these caves are one of the oldest caves in the country. These caves are known for their paintings, sculptures. These caves are an inspiration to today's Indian art & one must visit these caves.

As per the context of the passage the word 'Oldest' fits in properly & hence it is the correct choice.

97. (a): The correct answer is option a.

The word that can be filled in the blank is, 'Protected'.

Protected monument means an ancient monument which is declared to be of national importance.

Protected - kept safe from injury, damage, or loss.

For example - A protected environment, A protected species, any monuments, caves.

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As per the context of the passage the word 'Protected' fits in properly & hence it is the correct choice.

98. (c): The correct answer is option c.

The word that can be filled in the blank is, 'Shelter'.

Shelter (n) - A place that provides food and housing to those in need.

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As per the context of the passage the word 'Shelter' fits in properly & hence it is the correct choice

99. (a): The correct answer is option a.

The word that can be filled in the blank is, 'Peek'. The given passage informs about 'The Ajanta Caves'. It states that these caves are one of the oldest caves in the country. These caves are known for their paintings, sculptures. These caves are an inspiration to today's Indian art & one must visit these caves.

Peek into – It is a phrase which means, 'To provide insight of something, knowledge of something.'

As per the context of the passage the word 'Peek' fits in properly & hence it is the correct choice.

100.(b): The correct answer is option b.

The word that can be filled in the blank is, 'Lover'.

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As per the context of the passage the word `Lover' fits in properly & hence it is the correct choice.

