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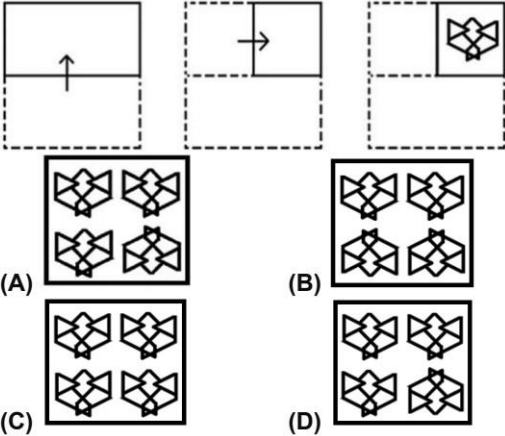
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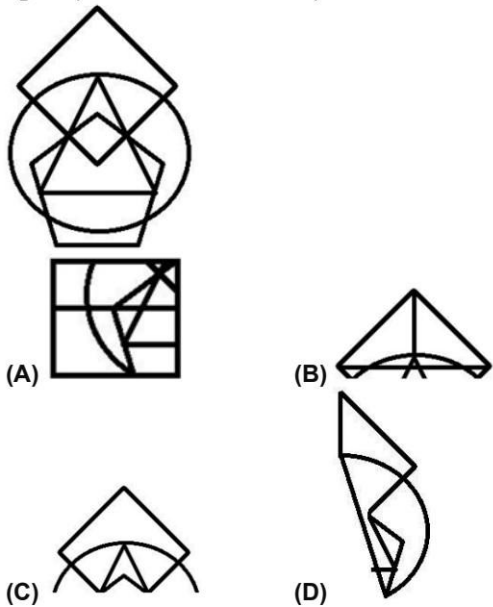
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General Intelligence and Reasoning

1. Select the combination of letters that when placed sequentially in the blanks of the given series will complete the series.
G _ C _ E _ G H _ C _ E G _ _ C E _ _ H C _ E E
(A) H, E, C, C, E, H, C, E, G, C
(B) H, C, E, H, C, E, C, E, G, C
(C) H, C, E, C, E, H, C, G, C, E
(D) H, C, E, C, E, H, C, E, G, C
2. Choose the alternative that best replaces the question mark (?) in the given figure.
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|---|---|---|
| W | B | Y |
| J | O | L |
| V | A | ? |
- (A) X (B) Y
(C) W (D) D
3. How many pairs of letters are there in the word "UNEMOTIONAL" which has as many letters between them in the word as in the alphabetical series (both forward and backward)?
(A) Three (B) Four
(C) Five (D) Six
4. Three out of four words are similar in a way. Find the odd one out.
(A) Formal (B) Frigid
(C) Demure (D) Energetic
5. Select the option in which the numbers share the same relationship as that shared by the given pair of numbers.
(NOTE: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into its constituent digits. E.g. 13 - Operations on 13 such as adding/ subtracting/ multiplying etc. to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed.)
20 : 289
11 : 64
(A) 23 : 361 (B) 7 : 25
(C) 9 : 36 (D) 15 : 169
6. A paper is folded and cut as shown below. How will it appear when unfolded?
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7. If it was Saturday on 15th September, 2012, then what was the day on 15th September, 2005?
(A) Thursday (B) Tuesday
(C) Monday (D) Sunday
8. In a certain code language, 'BR-EW' is coded as '8', 'CA-LF' is coded as '14'. What is the code for 'DA-WN' in that code language?
(A) 34 (B) 30
(C) 32 (D) 36
9. Select the option that is related to the third word in the same way as the second word is related to the first word.
Thermometer : Temperature :: Seismograph : ?
(A) Mass (B) Distance
(C) Earthquake (D) Current
10. J is the brother of L. H is the wife of J. N is the sister of P. L is the father of N. How is H related to N?
(A) Father's Brother's wife (B) Sister
(C) Mother in law (D) Mother
11. A series is given with one term missing. Select the correct alternative from the given ones that will complete the series.
ABC, WHP, SNC, OTP, ?
(A) KAC (B) KQR
(C) KZC (D) KYB
12. In the following question, select the missing number from the given series.
68, 82, 110, 124, 152, ?, 194
(A) 168 (B) 170
(C) 166 (D) 162
13. Select the option which is embedded in the given figure (rotation is not allowed).
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14. By rearranging the letters of 'AENORIHUGMSW', we get an English meaningful word of twelve letters. Each letter is denoted with a different number as shown in the table below. The combination of the numbers for a meaningful word is _____.

A	E	N	O	R	I	H	U	G	M	S	W
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

- (A) 12, 4, 8, 6, 2, 7, 1, 5, 10, 11, 3, 9
(B) 7, 4, 8, 2, 11, 12, 1, 5, 10, 6, 3, 9
(C) 7, 4, 8, 11, 2, 12, 1, 5, 10, 6, 3, 9
(D) 5, 4, 6, 11, 1, 12, 2, 7, 10, 8, 3, 9

15. Select the option that is related to the third term in the same way as the second term is related to first term and the sixth term is related to the fifth term.

34: 408:: 45: ? :: 29: 522

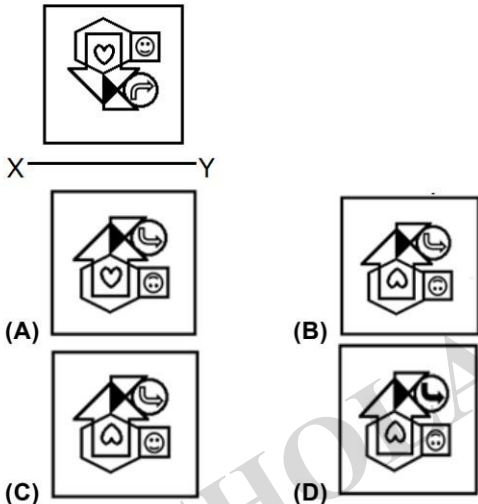
- (A) 600 (B) 900
(C) 750 (D) 570

16. Select the different combination of mathematical signs that can sequentially replace the # sign and balance the given equation.

84 # 12 # 6 # 21 # 18 # 45

- (A) +, ×, ÷, -, = (B) ×, +, -, ÷, =
(C) ÷, ×, +, -, = (D) +, ÷, -, ×, =

17. Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when the mirror is placed at 'XY' as shown below.



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 they seem to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given conclusions, if any, follows from the given statements.

Statements: I. Each correct is wrong.

II. No wrong is right.

Conclusions: I. No correct is right.

II. Some wrongs are correct.

- (A) Only conclusion II follows.
(B) Only conclusion I follows.
(C) Both conclusion I and II follow.
(D) Neither conclusion I nor II follow.

19. By Interchanging the given two numbers (Not digits) which of the following equation will be correct?
8 and 7

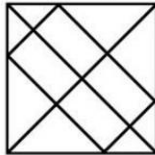
I. $8 + 7 \times 9 \div 3 - 6 = 25$ II. $7 \times 5 - 8 + 6 \div 2 = 38$

- (A) Both I and II (B) Only I
(C) Only II (D) Neither I nor II

20. In a certain code language, '567' is coded as 'high and low', '629' is coded as 'Building are high', and '531' is coded as 'hot and sour'. What is the code for the word 'low' in that language?

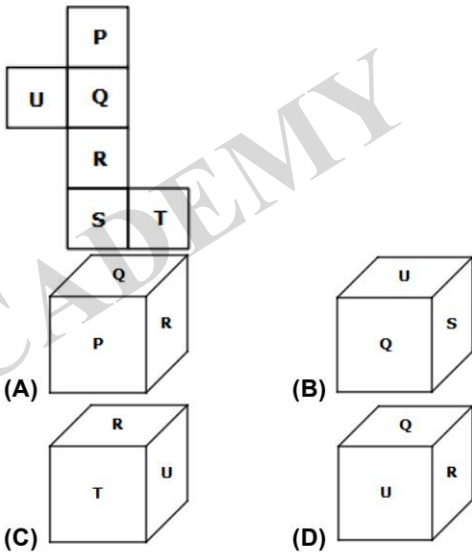
- (A) 6 (B) 5
(C) 2 (D) 7

21. How many triangles are there in the given figure?



- (A) 20 (B) 22
(C) 25 (D) 23

22. If this is folded as a cube, then find the cube which is correct?



23. Out of the given letter clusters, three are similar in a certain manner. However, one option is NOT like the other three. Select the option which is different from the rest.

- (A) EIO (B) IOU
(C) EID (D) AEI

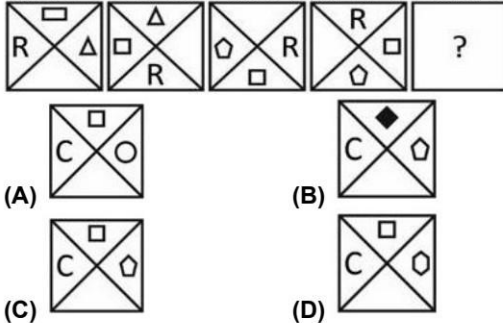
24. By interchanging the given two signs which of the following equation will be not correct?

+ and -

I. $18 \div 3 + 8 \times 5 - 4 = 20$ II. $6 + 8 \times 9 \div 3 - 4 = 14$

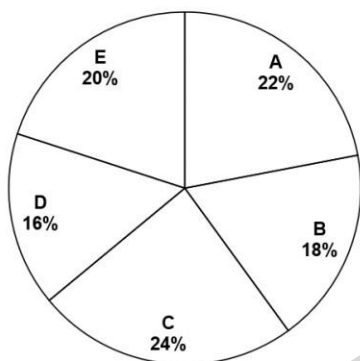
- (A) Neither I nor II (B) Only I
(C) Both I and II (D) Only II

25. Select the figure from the given options that can replace the question mark (?) in the following series.



Quantitative Aptitude

26. Find the simplified value of $(\sin\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta)^2 + (\cos\theta + \sec\theta)^2$
 (A) $5 + \sec^2\theta + \cos^2\theta$ (B) $5 + \operatorname{cosec}^2\theta + \sec^2\theta$
 (C) $5 - \operatorname{cosec}^2\theta + \sec^2\theta$ (D) $5 + \operatorname{cosec}^2\theta + \sin^2\theta$
27. Rishi takes 4 hours to travel from place 'X' to place 'Y' at the speed of 80 km/h. After that he increases his speed by 50% and takes 1 hour to travel from place 'Y' to place 'Z'. What is the average speed of Rishi while travelling from place 'X' to 'Z'?
 (A) 88 km/h (B) 92 km/h
 (C) 82 km/h (D) 85 km/h
28. Ratio of milk and water in a mixture is 3:7 respectively. When 9 litres milk and 29 litres water is added to the mixture, ratio of milk and water becomes 2:5 respectively. Find the initial quantity of mixture.
 (A) 140 litres (B) 120 litres
 (C) 130 litres (D) 110 litres
29. The pie chart given below shows the percentage distribution of the number of trees in five different localities.



Find the central angle corresponding to the difference between the number of trees in 'A' and that in 'C'.

- (A) 6.4° (B) 7.2°
 (C) 5.4° (D) 4.8°
30. There is a rectangular garden of 240 metres $\times$ 80 metres. A path of width 4 metres is build outside the garden along its four sides. What is the area of the path?
 (A) $2826 m^2$ (B) $2542 m^2$
 (C) $2916 m^2$ (D) $2624 m^2$
31. $(a + b + 2c)(a^2 + b^2 + 4c^2 - ab - 2bc - 2ca) = ?$
 (A) $a^3 + b^3 + 4c^3 - 6abc$ (B) $a^3 - b^3 - c^3 - 6abc$
 (C) $a^3 + b^3 + 8c^3 - 6abc$ (D) $a^3 - b^3 - 8c^3 - 3abc$
32. If two triangles CDE and XYZ are similar to each other. In CDE, $\angle D = 30^\circ$ and $\angle E = 40^\circ$. Find the value of $\angle X$.
 (A) 110° (B) 30°
 (C) 40° (D) 70°
33. The average of 32, 34, 38, 21, 26 and x is 30. What will be the value of x ?
 (A) 29 (B) 27
 (C) 28 (D) 31

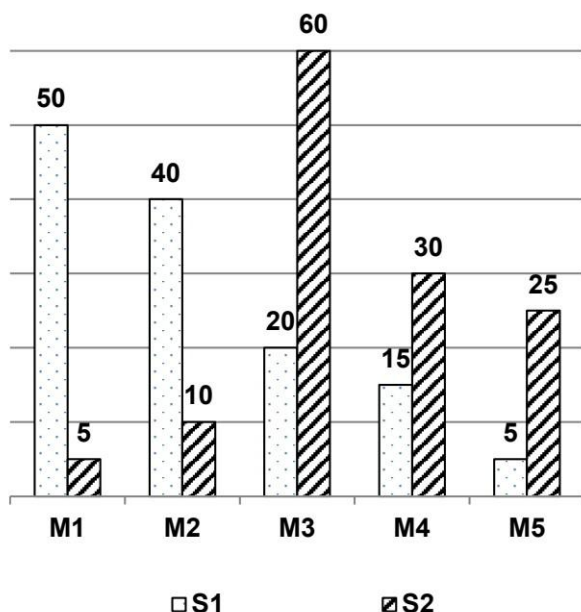
34. The marked price of a shirt is ₹2400 and it is sold after giving two successive discounts of 20% and 25% respectively. Find the selling price of the shirt.
 (A) ₹1350 (B) ₹1240
 (C) ₹1440 (D) ₹1980
35. On working alone 'A' and 'B' can do a work in 30 days and 42 days, respectively. If they work on alternate days starting with 'A', then find the total time taken (in days) by them to complete the same work.
 (A) $34\frac{6}{7}$ (B) $35\frac{1}{7}$
 (C) $33\frac{6}{7}$ (D) $35\frac{6}{7}$
36. Simplify the following algebraic expression:
 $(7x + 5y)^2 - (7x - 5y)^2$
 (A) $98x^2 + 50y^2$ (B) 0
 (C) $140xy$ (D) $70xy$
37. The table given below shows the marks scored by four different students in three different subjects.

Students	Marks scored in Hindi	Marks scored in English	Marks scored in Maths
Sonam	48	36	54
Poonam	60	30	62
Roman	56	40	80
Sonal	64	52	72

Find the ratio of the total marks scored by all four students in Hindi to that in Maths.

- (A) 67:77 (B) 57:67
 (C) 43:34 (D) 26:27
38. If $'p' = (5/2)^{0.6} \times (2/5)^{-1.4} \div (5/2)^{-1}$, then find the value of $20p^{1/3}$
 (A) 50 (B) 60
 (C) 40 (D) 30
39. What least number should be subtracted from 86759836, so that the resulting number is divisible by 3 but not by 9?
 (A) 2 (B) 1
 (C) 4 (D) 5
40. If 20 percent of P is added to 40 percent of Q , then the resultant comes as 80 percent of Q . P is what percentage of Q ?
 (A) 200% (B) 225%
 (C) 150% (D) 125%
41. Which of the following statements is/are true?
 I. If sum of two angles is 180° , then angles are supplementary.
 II. Each equal angle in a right-angled isosceles triangles measures 45° .
 (A) Neither I nor II (B) Only I
 (C) Both I and II (D) Only II
42. Compound interest (compounding annually) on a sum for 2 years is ₹4180. If rate of interest is 20 percent per annum, then what is the sum?
 (A) ₹9500 (B) ₹9800
 (C) ₹8500 (D) ₹8800

43. The bar graph given below shows the number of books sold by two shopkeepers S1 and S2 in 5 months.



$J1$ = The total number of books sold by S1 and S2 in all 5 months.

$J2$ = The difference between the total number of books sold by S1 in all 5 months and total number of books sold by S2 in all 5 months.

What is the value of $(J1 + J2)$?

- (A) 260 (B) 160
(C) 200 (D) 130
44. How many solid spherical balls of radius 6 cm can be made by melting a solid hemisphere of radius 12 cm?
(A) 4 (B) 2
(C) 10 (D) 8
45. How many prime numbers are there between 20 and 50?
(A) 5 (B) 6
(C) 7 (D) 8
46. If angle subtended by a chord on the major arc of a circle is 55 degree, then what will be the angle subtended by the same chord on the center of the circle?
(A) 140 degree (B) 135 degree
(C) 125 degree (D) 110 degree
47. A car left 60 minutes early than the scheduled time but in order to reach its destination 280 km away in time, it has to slow its usual speed by 14 km/h. What is the usual speed of the car?
(A) 77 km/h (B) 66 km/h
(C) 70 km/h (D) 63 km/h
48. The average age of a class of 6 girls is x years. Four new girls having ages $x - 2, x + 4, x + 8$ and $x + 10$ joins the class. What is the new average age of the class?
(A) $x - 2$ (B) $x + 5$
(C) $x + 1$ (D) $x + 2$

49. What is the sum of first 200 terms of the given series?
 $1 + 5 + 6 + 10 + 11 + 15 + 16 + 20 + \dots$
(A) 48300 (B) 50100
(C) 49400 (D) 49600

50. Simplify the following trigonometric expression:
 $\sin 2A + \sin 2B$
(A) $2\sin(A + B) \sin(A - B)$
(B) $2\sin(A + B) \cos(A + B)$
(C) $2\sin(A + B) \cos(A - B)$
(D) $2\cos(A + B) \sin(A - B)$

General Awareness

51. The book 'A Suitable Boy' was authored by _____ in 1993.
(A) Arundhati Roy (B) Kiran Desai
(C) David Davidar (D) Vikram Seth
52. Which among the following is NOT a tributary of the Ken River?
(A) Banne (B) Urmil
(C) Kail (D) Dhasan
53. The term "Lingayats" refers to _____.
(A) Followers of Vishnu (B) Wearers of the Linga
(C) Worshippers of Devi (D) Heroes of Shiva
54. Which Supreme Court case clarified that the Office of the Chief Justice of India (CJI) falls under the RTI Act?
(A) Peoples Union for Civil Rights vs. Union of India case, 2004
(B) Subhash Chandra Agarwal vs. Dept. of Personnel case, 2010
(C) Namit Sharma v. Union of India case, 2013
(D) Aseer Jamal Vs Union of India case, 2018
55. When Napalm comes in contact with surfaces like the human body, it _____.
(A) It evaporates quickly
(B) It sticks and continues to burn
(C) It cools down immediately
(D) It solidifies
56. Walker Cup is associated with which sports?
(A) Cricket (B) Golf
(C) Football (D) Badminton
57. Rolling plan was brought out by Janata Party Government under _____.
(A) Pranab Mukherjee (B) Morarji Desai
(C) Charan Singh (D) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
58. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?
(I) Duties levied by the Union but collected and appropriated by the States - Article 268
(II) Council of Ministers to aid and advise President - Article 74
(III) Provisions with respect to an inter-State Council - Article 263
Select the code:
(A) I and II only (B) II and III only
(C) All I, II and III (D) None of the above
59. Who named a positively charged sub-atomic particle as Proton?

- (A) W. W. Dalton (B) Goldstein (A) 1918 (B) 1940
(C) Rutherford (D) James Chadwick (C) 1925 (D) 1930
60. The term Blue Line is associated with which of the following games?
(A) Football (B) Ice Hockey
(C) Table Tennis (D) Cricket
61. Which of the following is an example of a regressive tax?
(A) Income tax (B) Sales tax
(C) Property tax (D) Corporate tax
62. In which month of Hindu calendar is Holi celebrated?
(A) Chaitra (B) Ashvina
(C) Phalgun (D) Shrawana
63. At the Paris 2024 Olympics, which ran from July 26 to August 11, India won a total of ____ medals.
(A) 4 (B) 5
(C) 6 (D) 7
64. Among the important leaders of 1857 revolt, 'Azimullah' fought from which place?
(A) Bareilly (B) Lucknow
(C) Kanpur (D) Arrah
65. Iberian Peninsula is located in which of the following continent of the world?
(A) Asia (B) Europe
(C) Africa (D) Australia
66. The Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) announced the Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) Antyodaya Diwas, in which of the following year?
(A) 2013 (B) 2014
(C) 2015 (D) 2017
67. Competition Commission of India works under the administrative control of _____.
(A) Ministry of Commerce and Industry
(B) Ministry of Finance
(C) Ministry of Home Affairs
(D) Ministry of Corporate Affairs
68. With whom Vasco da Gama arrived at Calicut in 1498 as a guide?
(A) Abdul Raheem (B) Kabir Nair
(C) Ahmad Ibn Majid (D) Abdul bin Kadir
69. Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research (IGCAR) is located at which place?
(A) Pune, Maharashtra
(B) Chennai, Tamil Nadu
(C) Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
(D) Dehradun, Uttarakhand
70. Based on the 2011 Census data, which Union Territory had the second highest sex ratio, after Puducherry?
(A) Lakshadweep (B) Chandigarh
(C) Daman and Diu (D) Delhi
71. When was the Communist Party of India (CPI) formed?
(A) 1918 (B) 1940
(C) 1925 (D) 1930
72. A diamond battery uses the radioactive decay of _____ to generate electricity.
(A) Carbon-14 (B) Uranium-238
(C) Plutonium-239 (D) Thorium-232
73. Where was the WAVES 2025 conference held?
(A) Pragati Maidan, New Delhi
(B) India Expo Centre, Greater Noida
(C) Jio World Centre, Mumbai
(D) Vigyan Bhavan, Delhi
74. India has signed a deal worth how many million USD dollars with the US for the Indo-Pacific region?
(A) 200 million USD (B) 95 million USD
(C) 131 million USD (D) 150 million USD
75. With whom has DPIIT signed a deal to empower startups, MSMEs and entrepreneurs?
(A) Tata Group (B) Hafele India
(C) Adani Group (D) Reliance Group
- English Language**
76. The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
Usually, sleep disturbances in children (A) / are dismissed as naturally sleep patterns (B) / that can be fixed with time. (C) / No error (D)
(A) A (B) B
(C) C (D) D
77. Parts of a sentence are given below in jumbled order with the first part being fixed. Arrange the parts in the correct order to form a meaningful sentence.
A. The important meeting
B. take place tomorrow
C. and future plans will
D. afternoon at 3:00
E. to discuss the progress
(A) ECBD (B) CDBE
(C) BECD (D) DBEC
78. Select the most appropriate homonym of the underlined word to fill in the blank.
He was complimented for his appearance. His shirt _____ his trousers perfectly.
(A) competed (B) complement
(C) commented (D) complemented
79. Select the most appropriate synonym to substitute the underlined word.
His consistent willingness to pay the penalty for his principles earned my enduring respect.
(A) fleeting (B) lasting
(C) compassionate (D) resentful
80. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
The invigilating officer did not even look at my application.
(A) My application is not even looked at by the invigilating officer.

- (B) My application was not even looked at by the invigilating officer.
(C) My application had not even been looked at by the invigilating officer.
(D) My application did not even looked at by the invigilating officer.
81. Parts of the following sentence have been given as options. Select the option that contains an error.
The best time to buy an electric vehicle may be right now and that is because a \$7,500 federal tax credit could soon disappeared.
(A) electric vehicle may be right now and
(B) credit could soon disappeared
(C) the best time to buy an
(D) that is because a \$7,500 federal tax
82. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in indirect speech.
She said to Meeta, "I have painted a new scenery."
(A) She told Meeta that she painted a new scenery.
(B) She told Meeta that she has painted a new scenery.
(C) She said to Meeta that she had painted a new scenery.
(D) She told Meeta that she had painted a new scenery.
83. Select the most appropriate one-word substitution of the given group of words.
Irreverent behaviour toward anything held sacred or concerning God
(A) Agnosticism (B) Pantheism
(C) Theism (D) Blasphemy
84. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. In our early years, friendships blossom easily, nurtured by the innocence of shared playtime and simple joys.
B. These connections, while pure, often lack the depth that comes with maturity and self-awareness.
C. As we navigate the winding path from childhood to adulthood, our understanding of relationships undergoes a metamorphosis.
D. The transition to adolescence brings a shift in perspective.
(A) DBAC (B) CBDA
(C) CABD (D) DCAB
85. Select the most appropriate synonym for the highlighted word.
I am stressed realising that I have to **contend** with others for the position.
(A) bear (B) agree
(C) yield (D) compete
86. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Any female animal which feeds its young on milk from her own body
(A) Vertebrate (B) Parasite
(C) Mammal (D) Fauna
87. Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.
She is filling colours in the colourbook.
(A) Colours are filled by her in the colourbook.
(B) Colours were being filled by her in the colourbook.
(C) Colours were filled by her in the colourbook.
(D) Colours are being filled by her in the colourbook.
88. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
Simple
(A) sceptic (B) straightforward
(C) complicated (D) courteous
89. The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
Global warming is accelerating the loss of Himalayan glaciers much fast than scientists previously thought.
(A) much fast than
(B) Global warming is accelerating
(C) scientists previously thought
(D) the loss of Himalayan glaciers
90. Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in a correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. Bursts of radiation snap off the solar surface with the strength of millions of volcanic eruptions.
B. Our sun is a violent place.
C. And while a superflare is yet to be observed from our own sun, astronomers wonder if it is capable of such an extremity, and if so, when one might occur.
D. But scientists have observed even bigger explosions with the power of a trillion hydrogen bombs from other stars that they call superflares.
(A) ABDC (B) BCAD
(C) BADC (D) ADCB
91. Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Huge fire for celebration
(A) Firepower (B) Festivity
(C) Firefight (D) Bonfire
92. Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.
(A) Nocturnal (B) Manifesto
(C) Aanalogy (D) Flexible
93. Select the most appropriate homonym of the underlined word to fill in the blank.
The _____ of the sunset over the ocean was breathtaking.
(A) sight (B) site
(C) cite (D) seat
94. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
PULL TO PIECES
(A) to make a careful selection
(B) to criticise someone or something
(C) to live within one's income
(D) to manipulate people for one's benefits

95. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
SPECTACULAR
(A) dishonest (B) unimpressive
(C) antique (D) unattended

Directions [96-100]: In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank.

Germany's new finance minister, Lars Klingbeil, arrived in Brussels on Monday with a bold message: Berlin is ready to spend big. With plans to invest €1 trillion (\$1.1 trillion) in defence and infrastructure over the next decade, the country is (A) _____ off its long-standing reputation for fiscal restraint. But as EU capitals digest the (B) _____ of the plan, many wonder whether Germany is still playing by the very rules it once insisted others must follow. Klingbeil, in office just a week, (C) _____ a confident tone at his first Eurogroup meeting with eurozone finance ministers. He laid out Berlin's plans to boost growth by cutting red tape, lowering energy costs and addressing labour shortages. Germany's (D) _____ began in January, when the Bundestag suspended the country's constitutional

debt brake, a cornerstone of German economic orthodoxy for over a decade. In March, parliament took the next step, (E) _____ plans to raise €1 trillion in new debt.

96. Which of the following best fits blank (A)?
(A) throwing (B) casting
(C) blowing (D) sliding
97. Which of the following best fits blank (B)?
(A) direction (B) scope
(C) cause (D) benefit
98. Which of the following best fits blank (C)?
(A) took (B) gave
(C) struck (D) made
99. Which of the following best fits blank (D)?
(A) transition (B) move
(C) pivot (D) change
100. Which of the following best fits blank (E)?
(A) passing (B) endorsing
(C) approving (D) accepting

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