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Scholarship Test Paper

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SECTIONS	SUBJECTS	MARKS	MARKS AWARDED
A	Logic and Reasoning	20	
B	Maths	30	
C	Science	30	
D	English	20	
TOTAL		100	

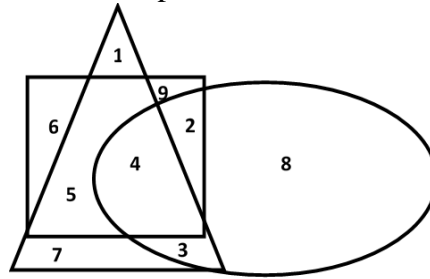
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper is divided into 4 sections, all sections are compulsory.
- Sections A, B and C contain Objective Type Questions of 1 mark each and need to be answered in the question paper itself.
- Section D contains Subjective Type Questions and should be attempted in the ruled sheets attached.

SECTION A LOGIC AND REASONING

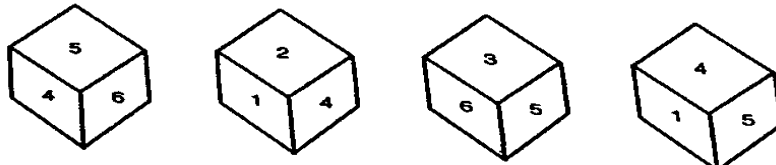
- Q1. In each of the following questions, various terms of an alphabet series are given with one or more terms missing as shown by (?). Choose the missing terms out of the given alternatives.
B, D, F, I, L, P, ?
a) R b) S c) T d) U
- Q2. In a school there are five students E, F, G, H and I. E and F study Hindi and English, G and F study English and Geography, H and E study Mathematics and Hindi, I and F study History and French. Who studies the maximum subjects?
a) I b) G c) E d) F

Q3. Which number is coming in all the shapes?



- a) 2 b) 4 c) 5 d) 9

Q4. What is the number opposite 3?



- a) 1 b) 2 c) 4 d) 6

Q5. In the following series, the sequence of letters and numbers is given with one term missing. Choose the missing term from the given options:

C4 X, F9 U, I16R

- a) K25 P b) L25 P c) L25 O d) L25 P

Q6. In a certain code 'MISSIONS' is written as 'MSIISNOS'. How is 'POSSIBLE' written in that code?

- a) PSSIBLEO b) PSOISLBE c) EPOIBLPSS d) POISBSLE

Q7. If the number from 5 to 85 are exactly divisible by 5 are arranged in descending order, which would come at the twelfth place from the bottom?

- a) 30 b) 45 c) 50 d) 60

Q8. Which one word can be formed from the following letters?

a a b c i l l n o o o r t

- a) Collapsible b) locomotive c) colourfullers d) collaboration

Q9. Mona starts walking straight facing south. After 15 metres she turned to her right, walked 20 metres and turned to her left. Again after walking a distance of 10 metres she turned to her left. Which direction is she facing now?

- a) East b) West c) South-West d) North East

Q10. If your grandmother's daughter is your mother, who is your grandmother's son?

- a) Father b) Uncle c) Brother d) Grandfather

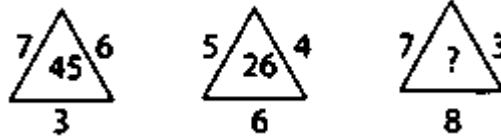
Q11. 6 is related to 19 and 7 is related to 22 in the same way as 4 is related to _____.

- a) 2 b) 6 c) 13 d) 16

Q12. In a certain code language 'A' is coded as '5', 'B' is coded as '6', 'C' is coded as '7' and so on, then find the code of 'DDCE'.

- a) 7988 b) 9789 c) 8878 d) 8879

Q13. Find the number which will replace the '?' mark.

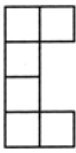
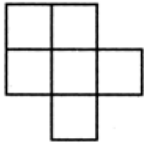
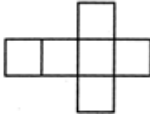
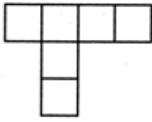


- a) 26 b) 27 c) 28 d) 29
- Q14. In the first five words in the sentence, “Meeta’s mother meets me many times” are arranged in the alphabetical order, which will be the middle word?
a) Meeta b) Mother c) Meet d) Me
- Q15. Look at this series: 36, 34, 30, 28, 24, _____. What number should come next?
a) 20 b) 22 c) 23 d) 26
- Q16. Look at this series: 7, 10, 8, 11, 9, 12, _____. What number should come next?
a) 7 b) 10 c) 12 d) 13
- Q17. In a certain language PEACE is coded as TIEGI, how would NATION be coded?
a) PIXMSR b) REXMSR c) ROYSR d) PIYRS
- Q18. If $A \clubsuit B$ means $(A + B)/2$, what is the value of $(1 \clubsuit 1) \clubsuit 3$?
a) 0 b) 2 c) 4 d) 6
- Q19. At my house I am facing East, then I turned left and walk 10 metres. I again turn right and walk 5 metres. Again I go 5 metres to the south and from there walk 5 metres to the west. In which direction am I from my house?
a) East b) West c) North d) South
- Q20. Ravi is 7 ranks ahead of Sumit in a class of 39. If Sumit’s rank is seventeenth from the last, what is Ravi’s rank from the last?
a) 24 b) 23 c) 16 d) 17

SECTION B

MATH

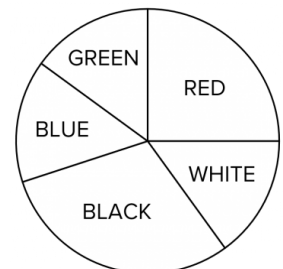
- Q1. Two traffic lights are turned on at the same time. One changes every 4 seconds and the other changes every 6 seconds. In 60 seconds, how many times will they change at the same time?
a) 5 times b) 12 times c) 24 times d) 30 times
- Q2. A group of artisans set up a stall at Surajkund Mela for 15 days. The rent for 15 days was ₹16 thousands, their other daily expenses cost them ₹1500 per day. They spent ₹3 lakhs on the making of the handicraft items and display of the stall. Their total sale for 15 days was ₹6 lakhs. There were 5 members in the group and the profit was divided amongst them. Which of the following is a numerical expression for the above situation to find the profit of each member of the group?
a) $[6 \text{ Lakhs} - \{ 16 \text{ thousands} + (1500 \times 15) + 3 \text{ lakhs} \}] \div 5$
b) $6 \text{ Lakhs} - \{ 16 \text{ thousands} + (1500 \times 15) + 3 \text{ lakhs} \} \div 5$
c) $[6 \text{ Lakhs} - \{ 16 \text{ thousands} + (1500 + 3 \text{ lakhs}) \}] \div 5$
d) $[6 \text{ Lakhs} - \{ 16 \text{ thousands} + (1500 \times 15) + 3 \text{ lakhs} \}]$

- Q3. The area of a square is 225 sq cm. Find the area of the square if its each side is decreased by 5 cm.
- a) 1000 sq cm b) 10 sq cm c) 50 sq cm d) 100 sq cm
- Q4. Which of the following figure/net folds up to form a cube?
- a)  b)  c)  d) 
- Q5. A shopkeeper has a bucket full of strawberries. He sells $\frac{3}{4}$ of them on Monday. On Tuesday, one third of the leftover were found rotten and had to be thrown. On the same day he sold $\frac{2}{3}$ of what was left after throwing the rotten strawberries. Which of the following is a numerical expression for the above situation to find the fraction of strawberries still left with him?
- a) $\frac{2}{3} \{ \frac{1}{3} \text{ of } (1 - \frac{3}{4}) \}$ b) $\frac{2}{3} \{ \frac{1}{3} - (1 - \frac{3}{4}) \}$
c) $\frac{2}{3} - \{ \frac{1}{3} \text{ of } (1 - \frac{3}{4}) \}$ d) $\frac{2}{3} \div \{ \frac{1}{3} (1 - \frac{3}{4}) \}$
- Q6. Shikha went to a brick shop to buy bricks. The rate of the bricks was ₹2500 per thousand bricks. How many bricks can she buy, if she has only 4000 rupees?
- a) 10,000 b) 1600 c) 16000 d) 4000
- Q7. In the word NAINITAL, what percent of the letters are A =
- a) 25% b) 20% c) 15% d) 10%
- Q8. In an Inter school aptitude test, 200 students appeared. Out of these students; 20 % got A grade, 50% got B grade and the remaining got C grade. Assuming that no students got a grade D; find the number of students who got a C grade.
- a) 60 b) 70 c) 80 d) 50
- Q9. What is the product of the smallest three digit number and the sum of 84 tenths and 28 hundredths?
- a) 868 b) 8.68 c) 86.8 d) 0.868
- Q10. 22kg wheat flour is available for ₹484.00 in wholesale market. In retail, one kg wheat flour can be bought for ₹23.50 per kg. How much money can be saved in purchasing 22kg wheat flour from wholesale market?
- a) ₹55 b) ₹44 c) ₹33 d) ₹22
- Q11. Simran can cycle from point A to point B and return to point A in 10 minutes. She can cycle and walk back in 18 minutes. It will take ____ mins for her to walk there and walk back.
- a) 15 minutes b) 26 minutes c) 30 minutes d) 36 minutes
- Q12. An angle of a right angled triangle is x and the other angle is $\frac{3}{2}$ of x. Find the angles of the triangle.
- a) $36^\circ, 54^\circ, 90^\circ$ b) $46^\circ, 44^\circ, 90^\circ$ c) $56^\circ, 34^\circ, 90^\circ$ d) $36^\circ, 44^\circ, 90^\circ$

- Q13. If diameter of a circle is base of a triangle and the vertex of the triangle is exactly at the middle of the arc in which triangle is, name the triangle made?
 a) an equilateral triangle b) a scalene triangle
 c) an isosceles triangle d) an obtuse triangle
- Q14. * is twice the number between the 6th and 10th multiple of 7. Find *
 a) 38 b) 56 c) 112 d) 28
- Q15. R is a 2-digit common factor of 36 and 24. Q is a number that is both a factor and multiple of 28. What is the value of R + Q?
 a) 24 b) 28 c) 12 d) 40
- Q16. Determine the number nearest to 100000 but greater than 100000 which is exactly divisible by 8, 15 and 21.
 a) 100200 b) 100800 c) 240800 d) 260040
- Q17. If 136Y5785 is divisible by 15, what is the least value of Y?
 a) 1 b) 2 c) 0 d) 3
- Q18. The average of 10, x , 30 and 40 is 26. The value of x must be:
 a) 14 b) 24 c) 34 d) 44
- Q19. A car runs 3 hours at a speed of 75 km/h and next 2 hours at the speed of 95 km/h. Find the average speed of the car for the 5 hours journey.
 a) 83 km/h b) 85 km/h c) 87 km/h d) 89 km/h
- Q20. Perimeter of a square and rectangle are equal. If the perimeter of a rectangle is 72 cm, find the area of the square.
 a) 324 cm² b) 518 cm² c) 424 cm² d) 508 cm²
- Q21. If '+' means '-', '-' means '+', '×' means '÷', and '÷' means '×' then the value of:

$$\frac{42 - 12 \times 3 + 8 \div 2 + 15}{8 \times 2 + 4 - 9 \div 3}$$

 a) $\frac{15}{19}$ b) $\frac{5}{9}$ c) $\frac{19}{15}$ d) $\frac{3}{5}$
- Q22. If, I add the number of sides of a hexagon to the number of sides of a _____ then the sum of their sides is odd.
 a) Hexagon b) Cube c) Pentagon d) Rectangle
- Q23. Observe the Pie Chart carefully and answer the question below.
 The pie chart shows the colours of the hoodies that 3236 students wore to school for a non-uniform day. How many students wore a red hoodie?
- a) 807 b) 809
 c) 1618 d) 1078



Q25. Which of the given statements is CORRECT?

- a) $\frac{3}{6}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ are equivalent fractions.
- b) $\frac{1}{2}$ of an hour is equal to 20 minutes.
- c) $\frac{5}{6}$ is equal to $\frac{6}{5}$
- d) 1 mm is $\frac{1}{100}$ of 1 cm

Q26. If $\frac{11 + A}{97 - 94} = 5$, then what number is A?

- a) 4
- b) 5
- c) 9
- d) 8

Q27. The average wages of a worker during a fortnight comprising 14 consecutive working days was ₹ 240 per day. During the first 8 days, his average wages was ₹110 per day and the average wages during the last 5 days was ₹ 92 per day. What was his wage on the 9th day?

- a) ₹ 2050
- b) ₹ 2000
- c) ₹ 2200
- d) ₹ 2020

Q28. John has a jar filled with juice. After he poured 350 ml of juice in each 8 glasses he was still left with 200 ml juice in the jar. What was the capacity of jar in liters?

- a) 558 l
- b) 3 l
- c) 30 l
- d) 2.8 l

Q29. The marks (out of 50) obtained by 30 students in a Numeracy Exam are listed as below:

42, 38, 22, 34, 44, 50, 45, 32, 48, 10, 8, 12, 24, 18, 39, 44, 50, 42, 32, 38, 42, 44, 50, 48, 22, 24, 34, 45, 32, 18

The number of students who obtained marks more than the 10th composite number is

- a) 25
- b) 27
- c) 30
- d) 32

Q30. Shivam and Varun were two friends. They both like to play football and decided to buy new sneakers for themselves. Shivam bought the sneakers for ₹4,750 and Varun bought the same sneakers for one-fourth of the price during sale. Find the amount of money spent by Varun.

- a) ₹2000
- b) ₹ 4500
- c) ₹1187.5
- d) ₹1750

SECTION C

SCIENCE

Q1. Samaira's Mother taught her the topic of germination and to check her learning, she gave a table of parts of a germinating seed and their functions.

Function:

- i. provides energy for the growing plant
- ii. protects the seed before germination
- iii. forms root, stem, and leaves

Which of the following combination is correct?

	A	B	C
a)	Seed coat	Food store	Embryo
b)	Seed coat	Embryo	Food store
c)	Food store	Seed coat	Embryo
d)	Food store	Embryo	Seed coat

Q2. Read the given information about nervous system carefully:

A is a dome -shaped and largest part of the brain

B is a structure that connects brain to spinal cord.

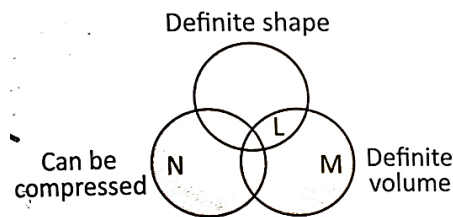
Now, refer to the activities listed below.

- i. Recalling already crammed content
- ii. Problem solving
- iii. Breathing while sleeping
- iv. Running
- v. Swallowing food

Select the option that correctly matches these activities with the brain parts that regulate them.

- a) A-i, iii; B- iv, v
- b) A-i, iv; B-ii, iii
- c) A-i, ii; B-iii, v
- d) A-i, iii, iv ; B-ii

Q3. Study the given Venn diagram. Select an example for L, M and N.



- a) L- Rubber band, M- Oxygen, N- Ceramic tile
- b) L- Marble, M- Syrup, N-Nitrogen
- c) L- Iron rod, M-Salt, N-Water
- d) L- Syrup, M- Ceramic tile, N- Oxygen

Q4. The respiratory system (involving inhalation and exhalation processes) is responsible for taking in oxygen rich air and expelling carbon dioxide rich air. Which of the following is the sequence in which events occur in the inhalation process?

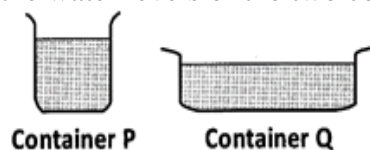
P: Air pressure inside your lungs drops. Q: The diaphragm contracts. R: Air from outside rushes into your lungs.

- a) P,Q,R
- b) Q,P,R
- c) R,P,Q
- d) Q,R,P

Q5. When we eat rice and chapatti, we get a sweet taste after chewing them for some time. What is the reason behind this?

- a) This is because rice and chapatti are sweet in taste.
- b) This is because rice and chapatti are both white in colour.
- c) This is because rice and chapatti contain proteins which are converted to sugars with the action of gastric juices.
- d) This is because rice and chapatti contain starch which is converted to sugars with the action of saliva.

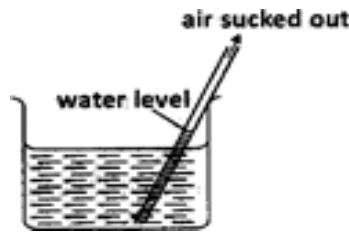
Q6. Containers P and Q are placed under the sun for 4 hours. The water level in container Q dropped by 5 cm while the water level in container P dropped by 2 cm. What is the main factor that caused the difference in the water levels of the two containers?



(i) Width of container
(ii) Presence of wind
(iii) Presence of light

- a) Only (i) b) Only (ii) c) Only (ii) and (iii) d) (i), (ii) and (iii)

Q7. The figure given below shows a straw placed in a beaker of water. The water level in the straw rises when air is sucked out, this is because:



- Atmospheric pressure has increased.
- Air pressure inside the straw is the same as the atmospheric pressure.
- Air pressure inside the straw becomes lower than the atmospheric pressure outside it.
- Air pressure inside the straw becomes higher than the atmospheric pressure.

Q8. Assertion (A): About 71% of the Earth's surface is covered with water. But still we face a severe scarcity of water.

Reason (R): Only 3% of the water on Earth is fresh water, of this, most is locked up in glaciers and ice-caps.

- a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
b) A is true but R is false.
c) A is false but R is true.
d) Both A and R are false.

Q9. Assertion (A): A crowbar is used to lift heavy loads.

Reason (R): A lever is a simple machine can be made a force multiplier.

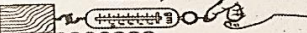
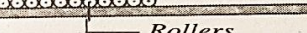
- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- Both A and R are true and R is not the correct explanation of A.
- A is true but R is false.
- A is false but R is true.
- Both A and R are false.

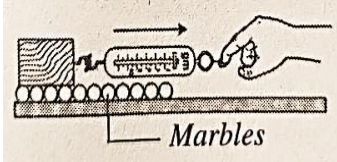
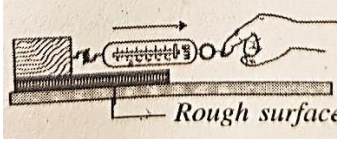
Q10. An eclipse occurs because:

(i) Light travels in straight lines.
(ii) the Earth revolves around the sun and the moon revolves around the Earth
(iii) The Earth rotates on its axis.
(iv) The moon reflects sunlight.

- a) Only (ii)
c) Only (ii) and (iv)
- b) Only (i) and (ii)
d) Only (i), (iii), (iv)

Q11. Which of the following activities uses the most force?

a.	 <p>Rollers</p>
b.	 <p>Wooden plank</p>

c.	
d.	

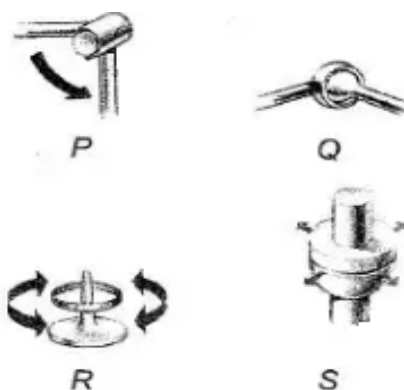
Q12. Read the given statements and select the correct option:

Assertion: Greenhouse gases in the atmosphere trap the heat of the Sun and increase the temperature of the Earth.

Reason: Carbon dioxide, Nitrous oxide, methane and water vapour are greenhouse gases.

- Both Assertion and Reason are true and Reason is the correct explanation of Assertion.
- Both Assertion and Reason are true but Reason is not the correct explanation of Assertion.
- Assertion is true but Reason is false.
- Both Assertion and Reason are false.

Q13. Refer to the given figures of machines P, Q, R, S which represent different joints of our body. Identify the joints according to the movement of these machines and select the correct statement.



- P type joint is found between the upper arm bone (humerus) and shoulder
- Q type of joint is present in our elbow and knee and allows movement in only one plane
- S type of joint allows side to side as well as backward and forward movement
- R type of joint allows the highest freedom of motion

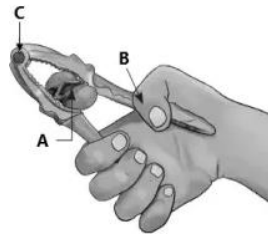
Q14. Puneet wants to build his muscles and thus joined a gymnasium for it. What changes should he make in his diet to build strong muscles?

- Eat more carbohydrates rich food
- Eat more vitamin rich food
- Eat more protein rich food
- Eat more fat rich food

Q15. What is Aditya L1 mission?

- First Indian mission to study the Sun
- ISRO mission to study stars
- Another mission to study the moon
- Mission to understand the orbit

Q16. Identify the parts labelled as A, B and C.



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| a) A – effort | B – load | C – fulcrum |
| b) A – load | B – fulcrum | C – effort |
| c) A – fulcrum | B – effort | C – load |
| d) A – load | B – effort | C – fulcrum |

Q17. What is common amongst the following?

SOLAR ENERGY TIDAL ENERGY GEOTHERMAL ENERGY BIOGAS

- Traditional sources of energy
- Fossil fuels that act as sources of energy
- Renewable sources of energy
- Non-renewable sources of energy

Q18. Animals use different ways to escape from their predators. Which one of the following is not true for the given statement?

- The lizard sheds a wriggling tail to distract the enemy.
- The grasshopper has powerful hind legs to hop away quickly.
- Crocodiles, Lizards and turtles use their legs to crawl on the ground.
- A snake shedding its skin.

Q19. Which type of movement is possible for ball and socket joint?

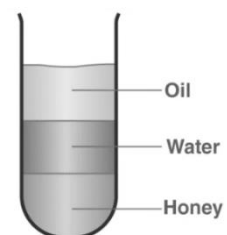
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| a) Side to side movement | b) Circular movement |
| c) Gliding movement | d) One plane movement |

Q20. Read the following statements about diseases and choose which pair of statements best describes a deficiency disease?

- They are caused by germs.
- They are caused due to lack of nutrients in our diet.
- They can be passed on to another person through contact.
- They can be prevented by taking a balanced diet.

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| a) (i) and (ii) | b) (ii) and (iii) |
| c) (ii) and (iv) | d) (i) and (iii) |

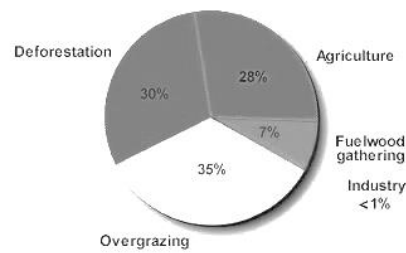
Q21. Tvesa took honey, oil and water and poured these liquids in a test tube. After some time she observed that the liquids formed different layers as shown in the diagram. What does this represent about densities of these 3 liquids?



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| a) Honey > Water > Oil | b) Oil > Water = Honey |
| c) Oil > Water > Honey | d) Honey = Water > Oil |

- Q22. Observe the following pie chart on soil degradation. Which of the following statement is incorrect?

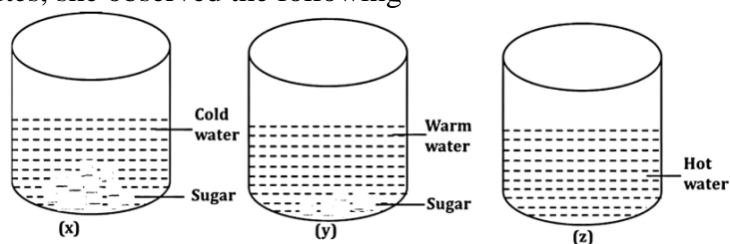
Human Activities Causing Soil Degradation



- a) Poor farming practices replenish certain nutrients in soil.
 b) Industrial activities release effluents and wastes that pollute the soil
 c) Overgrazing causes soil degradation by depleting vegetation cover.
 d) Clearing forests for agriculture, logging, or urban expansion destroys the protective vegetative cover of the land.
- Q23. Viraj's teacher showed a picture of the given animal and told him that it is a mammal, although it lays eggs. Why is this animal considered a mammal?



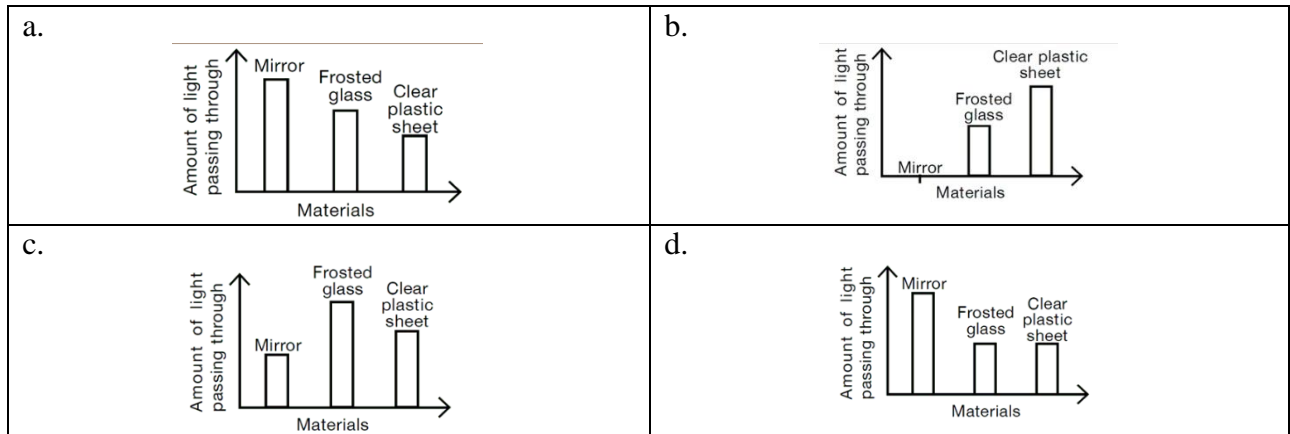
1. It has body covering of fur.
 2. It has webbed feet.
 3. It is warm- blooded.
 4. It breathes through lungs.
- a) 4 only b) 1, 2 and 3 c) 2 and 4 d) 1, 3 and 4
- Q24. Reshma took 3 beakers X, Y and Z containing cold, warm and hot water respectively as shown in the figure. She added two table spoons of sugar to each beaker and stirred the solutions. After two minutes, she observed the following-



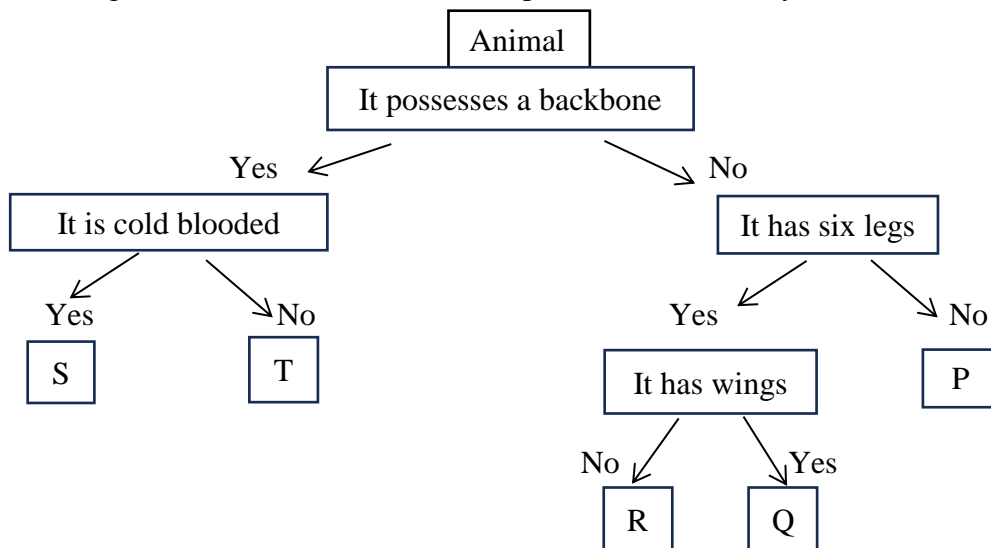
Choose the correct statement(s) that explains her observations.

- i. The solubility of sugar decreases with increase in temperature
 - ii. The solubility of sugar increases with increase in temperature
 - iii. We can add some more sugar if we heat water
- a) i. ii, iii b) ii and iii c) i and iii d) iii only
- Q25. Rahul placed a ruler on the edge of his desk so that a little part of the ruler is extended beyond the edge of the desk. He placed a ball of paper on one side of the ruler and then hit the other side causing the paper ball to launch in the air. In this example, the edge of the desk could be described as-

Q26. Shweta conducted an experiment to find out the amount of light that can pass through a mirror, frosted glass and clean plastic sheet. She shone a torch on these three materials one at a time and used light sensors to measure the amount of light that passed through each of them. Which of the following graphs correctly shows the result of her experiment?

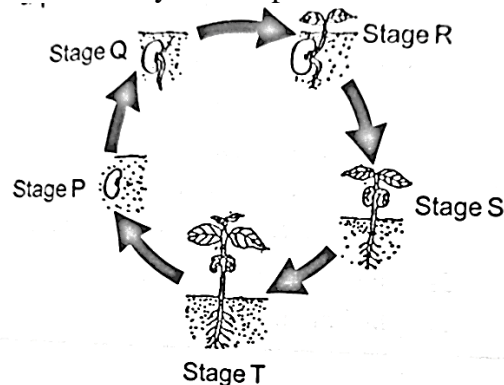


Q27. Refer to the given flow chart and select the option which correctly identifies P-T.



	P	Q	R	S	T
a)	Mosquito	Ostrich	Guppy Fish	Earthworm	Ant
b)	Guppy Fish	Mosquito	Earthworm	Ant	Ostrich
c)	Ant	Earthworm	Guppy Fish	Ostrich	Mosquito
d)	Earthworm	Mosquito	Ant	Guppy Fish	Ostrich

Q28. The given diagram shows the life cycle of a plant.

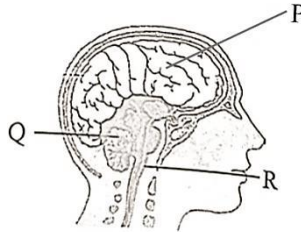


Which of the following statements are true with reference to the given diagram?

- Sunlight is not needed for synthesis of food at Stage Q.
- Photosynthesis takes place only at stages R and S.
- Stage P is not affected by what happens at stage T.
- The seed at stage P needs air, water and warmth to reach stage Q.

a) i and iv only b) ii and iii only c) i, ii and iii only d) i, ii, iii and iv

Q29. Refer to the given figure.



Which of the labelled parts is the centre of intelligence (X) and controlling involuntary actions of body (Y)?

	X	Y
a)	P	R
b)	R	P
c)	P	Q
d)	Q	P

Q30. Deepika: On the Moon, it is freezing cold at night.

Shubham: The Moon is a silent place as sound does not travel there.

Tanuja: There is no atmosphere surrounding the Moon.

Select the correct option with reference to the given statements:

- Deepika and Tanuja are correct whereas Shubham is incorrect.
- Deepika and Shubham are incorrect whereas Tanuja is correct.
- Tanuja made the correct explanation of Deepika's and Shubham's statements.
- Only Tanuja is correct.

SECTION D

ENGLISH

Q1. Read the following passage:

10 Marks

- For people who like spending time outdoors, breathing in freely circulating air and enjoying the wind in one's hair and the rustle of leaves underfoot, the gym is not a good option. A closed environment symbolically shuts down the feeling of liberation and openness.
- But, for urban dwellers in India, there are very few outdoor outlets that are not polluted, dirty, dusty or crowded. The Swedes are lucky: 70% of Sweden is covered with forest, so nature is within reach for most people, wherever they live. In a small country like Britain, the sea is never more than 70 km away (on an average), no matter which part of the Isle you live in.
- In large countries like India, however, with large population and high density, accessing the clean outdoors is a luxury. In natural surroundings, one's mental and physical health find space to bloom, untrammelled by constrictions so typical in indoor settings. We feel less of negative emotions and stress levels plummet. Which is why 'forest bathing' is so popular in Japan,

where city dwellers are encouraged to spend time walking amidst trees in forested areas to open their minds and boost their physical health. And the situation continues indefinitely.

- (iv) While COVID did reveal the importance of family time, frugality, creativity and de-cluttering, it has also brought home to us the value of the outdoors and how much we miss it.

Based on your understanding of the passage, answer the questions given below:

- i. According to the passage which of the following statements are true:
1. a closed environment symbolically shuts down the feeling of liberation.
 2. in large countries like India, with large population, accessing the clean outdoors is easy.
 3. the passage teaches the value of indoors.
 4. breathing in freely circulating air gives a feeling of liberation.
- a) 1 and 2 b) 2 and 3 c) 1 and 4 d) 4 and 3
- ii. Covid taught everyone the value of:
- a) frugality, creativity and de-cluttering
 - b) frugality, creativity, de-cluttering and outdoors
 - c) creativity, indoors and de-cluttering
 - d) frugality, indoors and creativity
- iii. The term 'Forest Bathing' is popular in Japan for which of the following reason:
- a) so that village dwellers can take a walk in the open as they do not have good roads
 - b) so that the city dwellers are encouraged to spend more time with their family as they are in the forest.
 - c) so that the city dwellers get encouraged to take a walk in the forest to be physically fit.
 - d) so that people of Japan can open up their minds and have debates on issues in the outdoors.
- iv. On the basis of the passage, which of the following statement throws light on the message it carries:
- a) in the natural surroundings, one's mental and physical health find space to bloom.
 - b) in the natural surroundings, we get physically fit but for mental fitness we need closed environment.
 - c) both mental and physical fitness is not required for a person to be successful in life.
 - d) physical fitness is more important for our mental well-being.
- v. For the urban dwellers in India, there are very few outlets that are not polluted or dirty:
- a) because they do not like going out so the places are not taken care of.
 - b) because of the high density and large population, it becomes difficult to maintain the public areas.
 - c) because they do not give importance to their physical health so they do not find clean outlets.
 - d) clean outlets can disturb the mental and physical balance of a person.
- vi. Having time to observe, interact and imagine in natural surroundings supports:
- a) lethargy b) resilience c) sluggishness d) inactivity
- vii. What happens if you spend too much time indoors?
- a) you have a wandering and anxious mind
 - b) you have a feeling of freshness
 - c) you have strong immune system
 - d) you have enthusiasm for doing things

- viii. The word in para (iii), that means the same as 'a steep and rapid fall' is:
a) plummet b) untrammelled c) constrictions d) indefinitely
- ix. Complete the analogy with a word from para (iv):
Zenith : pinnacle :: Conservation : _____
- x. State True or False:
Clean outdoor space is inversely proportional to the population.

Q2. Writing Skills

10 Marks

- a) Challenges are what make life interesting and overcoming them is what makes life meaningful. Write a paragraph in 120-150 words discussing a challenge that you overcame, explaining the nature of the same, why it was difficult, and how it affected you.

OR

- b) Write a story in about 120-150 words starting with any one of the given prompts -
- "Surprise!" They cried, leaping out from behind the door...
 - As the plane touched down, I breathed a huge sigh of relief...

ANSWER SHEET FOR ENGLISH

Name of the Student: _____

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