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Section A — English Language (30 Questions)

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

A. Modern farming can improve food security B. Farming is possible only in villages C. Machines have replaced all farmers D. Food production is decreasing everywhere

2. According to the passage, what helps farmers plan crops?

A. Weather information B. Higher taxes C. Longer holidays D. Urban transport

3. Why do farmers use improved seeds?

A. To improve yield and resistance B. To reduce sunlight C. To avoid irrigation completely D. To stop harvesting

4. What is one benefit of drip irrigation?

A. It can save water B. It increases soil erosion C. It removes crops D. It needs no equipment

5. The word 'sustainable' is closest in meaning to:

A. able to continue without exhausting resources B. temporary C. expensive D. uncertain

6. What can farmers learn from local experiments?

A. Which methods work under local conditions B. How to avoid all technology C. How to stop rainfall D. How to increase road traffic

7. Which statement is true according to the passage?

A. Technology can support better farm decisions B. Farmers never need weather information C. Irrigation always wastes water D. Improved seeds reduce all production

8. The word 'yield' most nearly means:

A. amount produced B. price paid C. distance travelled D. amount of rainfall

9. What should farmers consider before adopting a new method?

A. Local conditions B. Only its colour C. The number of roads D. The size of nearby cities

10. The passage suggests that good farming combines:

A. Traditional knowledge and useful technology B. Only machines C. Only traditional tools D. Only imported seeds

11. Arrange the sentences: A. The farmer checked the soil. B. He selected suitable seeds. C. He prepared the field. D. Finally, he sowed the seeds.

A. ACBD B. ABCD C. CBAD D. ADBC

12. Arrange: A. The library opened. B. Students entered quietly. C. They selected books. D. They sat down to read.

A. ABCD B. ACBD C. BACD D. ABDC

13. Arrange: A. A storm was forecast. B. The fishermen returned to shore. C. The weather office issued a warning. D. Boats were secured.

A. CABD B. ACBD C. CBDA D. ABCD

14. Arrange: A. She made a plan. B. She gathered the material. C. She started the project. D. She checked the final result.

A. ABCD B. BACD C. ACDB D. BCAD

15. Arrange: A. The bus arrived. B. Passengers formed a queue. C. They boarded one by one. D. The driver closed the door.

A. BACD B. ABCD C. BCAD D. ABDC

16. Arrange: A. The plant received sunlight. B. It was watered regularly. C. It grew healthy leaves. D. The gardener continued caring for it.

A. ABCD B. ACBD C. BACD D. ADBC

17. Happiness is often found in simple things. People who ___(1)___ time with family may feel more connected.

A. spend B. waste C. borrow D. hide

18. A short walk can ___(2)___ the mind after a busy day.

A. refresh B. damage C. divide D. refuse

19. Gratitude helps people ___(3)___ attention to positive experiences.

A. pay B. break C. remove D. close

20. It is also useful to ___(4)___ realistic expectations.

A. keep B. throw C. lose D. avoid

21. When problems arise, talking to a trusted person can ___(5)___ stress.

A. reduce B. increase C. create D. carry

22. Thus, happiness is not always ___(6)___ to expensive possessions.

A. related B. hidden C. closed D. opposed

23. Identify the error: The students has completed the test.

A. The students B. has completed C. the test D. No error

24. Identify the error: She did not went to the market.

A. She did not B. went C. to the market D. No error

25. Identify the error: Each candidate were given a form.

A. Each candidate B. were given C. a form D. No error

26. Identify the error: He is senior than me.

A. He is B. senior than C. me D. No error

27. Identify the error: The information are useful.

A. The information B. are C. useful D. No error

28. Choose the correct pair: The manager asked us to ____ the report and then ____ the figures.

A. review, verify B. revise, avoid C. remove, review D. refuse, verify

29. Choose the correct pair: The child was ____ by the story and ____ to hear more.

A. fascinated, eager B. fascinating, eagerly C. eager, fascinated D. bored, eager

30. Choose the correct usage of 'raise'.

A. The company plans to raise salaries. B. The company will raise up the mountain. C. He raised into the room. D. She raised a seat and sat.

Section B — Reasoning Ability (35 Questions)

1. Seven persons are assigned to seven days. A is before C, B is immediately after D, and E is after C. If D is Tuesday, B is:
A. Monday B. Wednesday C. Thursday D. Friday
2. Seven people are assigned Monday-Sunday. P is after Q, R is before S, and T is immediately after P. If Q is Monday, which can be T's day?
A. Tuesday B. Wednesday C. Thursday D. Friday
3. In a seven-day puzzle, M is before N and O is immediately after M. If M is Wednesday, O is:
A. Tuesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday
4. A is scheduled before B, C is after D, and E is between B and C. Which can be true?
A. A-B-E-C-D B. D-A-B-E-C C. B-A-E-D-C D. C-D-E-B-A
5. If F is Friday and G is immediately before F, G is:
A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Saturday D. Sunday
6. Five people work on Monday-Friday. A works before B, C works immediately after D, and E works after B. If D is Monday, C is:
A. Monday B. Tuesday C. Wednesday D. Thursday
7. P is on Wednesday and Q is two days after P. Q is:
A. Thursday B. Friday C. Saturday D. Sunday
8. R is immediately before S and T is after S. If R is Tuesday, T can be:
A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Monday
9. A, B, C, D, E are assigned to five days. A is Monday and B is Friday. C is after A and before B. Which can be C?
A. Tuesday B. Friday C. Monday D. Saturday
10. If Sunday is day 1, which day is day 5?
A. Wednesday B. Thursday C. Friday D. Saturday
11. Eight people sit around a square arrangement. A is at a corner, B is immediately clockwise from A, and C is opposite A. Who can be immediately left of C?
A. D B. E C. F D. G
12. P is at a corner and Q is next to P. R is opposite P. Which statement is true?
A. R is opposite P B. Q is opposite P C. P is between Q and R D. R is adjacent to P
13. Eight persons occupy a square table. M is opposite N. O sits immediately clockwise from M. O is:
A. Adjacent to N B. Opposite N C. Same as N D. Cannot be determined
14. If X and Y occupy adjacent positions, which must be true?
A. They are next to each other B. They are opposite C. They face outward D. They occupy corners
15. A is at a corner, B is immediately clockwise from A, and D is opposite B. D is:
A. Adjacent to A B. Opposite A C. Same as A D. Cannot be determined
16. A is taller than B, B is taller than C, and D is shorter than C. Who is tallest?
A. A B. B C. C D. D
17. P scores more than Q, Q scores more than R, and S scores less than R. Who scores least?
A. P B. Q C. R D. S
18. K is older than L but younger than M. N is younger than L. Who is second oldest?
A. K B. L C. M D. N
19. Statements: All pens are books. Some books are useful. Conclusions: I. Some useful things are pens. II. Some books are pens.
A. Only I B. Only II C. Both D. Neither
20. Statements: Some cars are buses. All buses are vehicles. Conclusions: I. Some cars are vehicles. II. All cars are vehicles.
A. Only I B. Only II C. Both D. Neither
21. Find the next term: A2, C4, E6, G8, ?
A. H9 B. I10 C. J10 D. K12
22. Find the next term: B3, D6, F9, H12, ?
A. I14 B. J15 C. K15 D. L16
23. Find the next term: Z1, X3, V5, T7, ?
A. R9 B. S8 C. Q9 D. R8
24. Find the next term: AB, CD, EF, GH, ?
A. HI B. IJ C. JK D. KL

25. Find the next term: 2A, 4C, 6E, 8G, ?

A. 9H B. 10I C. 12I D. 10J

26. If CAT is coded as DBU, DOG is coded as:

A. EPH B. EOG C. DPH D. FQI

27. If PEN is coded as 16-5-14, BOX is:

A. 2-15-24 B. 3-15-24 C. 2-14-24 D. 1-15-23

28. If each letter is moved one step forward, BANK becomes:

A. CBOL B. CBNK C. CBML D. DCPM

29. If ROAD is coded as URDG, BOOK is coded as:

A. ERRN B. EQQM C. CPPL D. DPPK

30. If MANGO is coded by reversing its letters, the code is:

A. OGNAM B. ONGAM C. OGMAN D. MANGO

31. R is brother of S. S is mother of T. R is T's:

A. Father B. Uncle C. Brother D. Grandfather

32. A is mother of B. B is sister of C. A is C's:

A. Mother B. Aunt C. Sister D. Grandmother

33. P is father of Q. Q is mother of R. P is R's:

A. Father B. Grandfather C. Uncle D. Brother

34. Which pair has the same relationship as BOOK : READ?

A. FOOD : EAT B. CHAIR : TABLE C. ROAD : CAR D. PEN : PAPER

35. Choose the meaningful word from R A E T H.

A. EARTH B. HEART C. THERE D. EARTH and HEART

Section C — Numerical Ability (35 Questions)

1. $36 + 48 \div 6 \times 2 =$

A. 44 B. 52 C. 60 D. 68

2. $25\% \text{ of } 240 + 18 =$

A. 68 B. 72 C. 78 D. 84

3. $\sqrt{196} + 15 =$

A. 27 B. 29 C. 31 D. 33

4. $72 \div 8 + 14 \times 3 =$

A. 45 B. 51 C. 57 D. 63

5. $\frac{3}{4} \text{ of } 200 - 25 =$

A. 115 B. 125 C. 135 D. 145

6. $18 \times 7 - 84 \div 6 =$

A. 102 B. 112 C. 116 D. 126

7. $40\% \text{ of } 350 =$

A. 120 B. 130 C. 140 D. 150

8. $225 \div 15 + 17 =$

A. 30 B. 32 C. 34 D. 36

9. $16^2 - 10^2 =$

A. 156 B. 176 C. 196 D. 216

10. $\frac{5}{8} \text{ of } 320 + 20 =$

A. 240 B. 260 C. 280 D. 300

11. $144 \div 12 + 18 \times 2 =$

A. 42 B. 48 C. 54 D. 60

12. $30\% \text{ of } 450 - 25 =$

A. 100 B. 110 C. 115 D. 125

13. $\sqrt{256} + 24 =$

A. 36 B. 38 C. 40 D. 42

14. Find the missing number: 5, 10, 20, 40, ?

A. 60 B. 70 C. 80 D. 90

15. Find the missing number: 3, 8, 13, 18, ?

A. 21 B. 22 C. 23 D. 24

16. Find the missing number: 81, 27, 9, 3, ?

A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. 4

17. Find the missing number: 2, 6, 12, 20, ?

A. 28 B. 30 C. 32 D. 34

18. Find the missing number: 7, 14, 28, 56, ?

A. 84 B. 98 C. 112 D. 120

19. A table shows sales of 100, 120, 150 and 130 units in Jan-Apr. Total sales are:

A. 480 B. 500 C. 520 D. 540

20. Average monthly sales are:

A. 120 B. 125 C. 130 D. 135

21. March sales exceed January by:

A. 40 B. 50 C. 60 D. 70

22. April sales are what percent of February sales?

A. 100% B. 105% C. 108.33% D. 110%

23. Ratio of January to March sales is:

A. 2:3 B. 3:4 C. 4:5 D. 5:6

24. A caselet says A saves 20% of ₹25,000, B saves ₹6,000 and C saves twice A's savings. Total savings are:

A. ₹15,000 B. ₹16,000 C. ₹17,000 D. ₹18,000

25. If C's savings are twice A's and A saves ₹5,000, C saves:

A. ₹8,000 B. ₹9,000 C. ₹10,000 D. ₹12,000

26. B's savings are what percent of A's ₹5,000 savings?

A. 100% B. 110% C. 120% D. 125%

27. An article bought for ₹800 is sold for ₹920. Profit percent?

A. 10% B. 12% C. 15% D. 20%

28. ■5000 at 8% simple interest for 2 years gives SI:

A. ■600 B. ■700 C. ■800 D. ■900

29. A train covers 240 km in 4 hours. Speed:

A. 50 B. 60 C. 70 D. 80

30. A can finish work in 12 days and B in 18 days. Together:

A. 6.5 B. 7.2 C. 8 D. 9

31. Ratio of boys:girls is 3:2 and total is 40. Boys:

A. 20 B. 24 C. 26 D. 30

32. A number increased by 20% becomes 360. Original:

A. 280 B. 300 C. 320 D. 340

33. Income is ■20,000 and expenditure is 75%. Savings:

A. ■4,000 B. ■5,000 C. ■6,000 D. ■7,000

34. Average of 18, 22, 25, 15, 20 is:

A. 18 B. 19 C. 20 D. 21

35. Milk:water = 5:1. In 24 L, water is:

A. 3 B. 4 C. 5 D. 6

Answer Key

1. A	2. A	3. A	4. A	5. A	6. A	7. A	8. A	9. A	10. A
11. A	12. A	13. A	14. A	15. A	16. A	17. A	18. A	19. A	20. A
21. A	22. A	23. B	24. B	25. B	26. B	27. B	28. A	29. A	30. A
31. B	32. C	33. B	34. B	35. B	36. B	37. C	38. C	39. A	40. B
41. A	42. A	43. A	44. A	45. A	46. A	47. D	48. A	49. B	50. A
51. B	52. B	53. A	54. B	55. B	56. A	57. A	58. A	59. A	60. A
61. B	62. A	63. B	64. A	65. D	66. B	67. C	68. B	69. B	70. B
71. C	72. C	73. B	74. C	75. B	76. A	77. C	78. B	79. C	80. C
81. B	82. B	83. C	84. B	85. B	86. C	87. C	88. A	89. C	90. C
91. C	92. C	93. C	94. B	95. B	96. B	97. B	98. C	99. C	100. B