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Section A — English Language (30 Questions)

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Benefits and requirements of urban gardens B. History of farming C. Problems of rural transport D. Importance of large farms

2. Where can small urban gardens be created?

- A. Only on farms B. On rooftops, balconies and unused plots C. Only in parks D. Only beside rivers

3. How may urban gardens help food distribution?

- A. By increasing imports B. By reducing the distance food travels C. By eliminating farms D. By storing food underground

4. What can urban gardens encourage people to learn about?

- A. Seasonal produce B. Foreign languages C. Road safety D. Banking

5. Which requirement is mentioned for urban gardening?

- A. Regular care B. Heavy machinery C. Cold storage D. Large factories

6. Why are community gardens especially useful?

- A. They need no water B. Residents can share work and resources C. They grow only flowers D. They require no sunlight

7. The word 'suitable' is closest in meaning to:

- A. appropriate B. expensive C. distant D. temporary

8. The word 'resources' in the passage refers to:

- A. available supplies B. arguments C. roads D. weather reports

9. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as a place for an urban garden?

- A. Rooftop B. Balcony C. Unused plot D. Highway

10. Which statement is true according to the passage?

- A. Urban gardens always need no maintenance B. Community gardens can distribute work among residents C. Urban gardens can only grow imported vegetables D. Urban gardening eliminates the need for farms

11. Good habits are usually formed through regular practice. A person who studies every day is more likely to ___(11)___ a stable routine.

- A. develop B. destroy C. avoid D. borrow

12. Such a routine can ___(12)___ confidence before an examination.

- A. increase B. remove C. divide D. hide

13. However, the schedule should be ___(13)___ enough to allow short breaks.

- A. flexible B. ancient C. narrow D. silent

14. Long hours without rest may ___(14)___ concentration.

- A. reduce B. repair C. collect D. invite

15. Therefore, students should ___(15)___ their time wisely.

- A. manage B. waste C. forget D. scatter

16. A balanced plan can make preparation more ___(16)___.

- A. effective B. doubtful C. costly D. empty

17. Choose the correctly spelt word.

- A. Accommodation B. Accomodation C. Acommodation D. Accommadation

18. Choose the correctly spelt word.

- A. Necessary B. Necesary C. Neccessary D. Necassary

19. Choose the correctly spelt word.

- A. Separate B. Seperate C. Separete D. Seperrate

20. Choose the correctly spelt word.

- A. Privilege B. Priviledge C. Privelege D. Privillage

21. Arrange the sentences in the most logical order: A. It also saves time. B. Planning a day is useful. C. It helps people prioritize tasks. D. A clear plan reduces confusion.

- A. BCAD B. BCDA C. CBAD D. BDCA

22. Arrange: A. Finally, the train arrived. B. The passengers waited on the platform. C. A delay was announced. D. Everyone checked the display board.

- A. BCDA B. CBDA C. BDCA D. DCBA

23. Arrange: A. The shop opened early. B. Customers began to arrive. C. The owner arranged the products. D. Soon the store became busy.

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

24. Arrange: A. Rainwater entered the tank. B. The system was installed on the roof. C. The collected water was filtered. D. It was then used for gardening.

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

25. Arrange: A. Reading improves vocabulary. B. It also develops concentration. C. Therefore, regular reading is useful. D. It can expose learners to new expressions.

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

26. Identify the part with an error: She do not like wasting time.

A. She B. do not C. like wasting D. time

27. Identify the part with an error: The students was waiting outside.

A. The students B. was waiting C. outside D. No error

28. Identify the part with an error: He has completed the work yesterday.

A. He has completed B. the work C. yesterday D. No error

29. Identify the part with an error: Neither of the boys were ready.

A. Neither of B. the boys C. were ready D. No error

30. Identify the part with an error: Each candidate have a separate seat.

A. Each candidate B. have C. a separate seat D. No error

Section B — Reasoning Ability (35 Questions)

1. Eight people live on floors 1 to 8. A lives above B. C lives immediately below D. E lives on floor 2. If B is on floor 4, which floor can A occupy?
A. 3 B. 5 C. 2 D. 1
2. In an eight-floor building, P lives above Q but below R. Q is on floor 3. Which floor can P occupy?
A. 2 B. 4 C. 8 D. 1
3. F lives on an even-numbered floor above G. H lives immediately below F. If G is on floor 2, which can be F's floor?
A. 3 B. 4 C. 6 D. 1
4. Seven persons are compared by height. M is taller than N but shorter than P. Q is shorter than N. Who is definitely taller than M?
A. Q B. N C. P D. None
5. In a floor puzzle, T is above U and U is above V. If V is on floor 2 and T is on floor 5, which floor can U occupy?
A. 1 B. 3 C. 4 D. 6
6. Six people A, B, C, D, E, F have different scores. $A > B$, $C > A$, $D < B$, $E > C$. Who is highest among these?
A. A B. C C. E D. B
7. R is older than S. T is younger than S. U is older than R. Who is youngest?
A. R B. S C. T D. U
8. K is heavier than L but lighter than M. N is lighter than L. Who is second heaviest?
A. K B. L C. M D. N
9. Eight persons sit around a square table, two on each side. A sits at the top-left corner. B sits immediately right of A. C sits opposite A. Who can sit immediately left of C?
A. D B. E C. F D. G
10. At a square arrangement, P is at a corner and Q sits immediately clockwise from P. R is opposite Q. Where is R with respect to P?
A. Adjacent B. Opposite-side position C. Same position D. Cannot be determined
11. Eight people sit around a square table. M is at a corner, N is immediately clockwise from M, and O is opposite M. Who is opposite N?
A. M B. O C. P D. Q
12. If A and B sit at adjacent positions on the same side of a square table, which statement must be true?
A. They are opposite B. They are adjacent C. They are in different rows D. They face outward
13. In an 8-person square arrangement, X is opposite Y. Z sits immediately clockwise from X. Where is Z relative to Y?
A. Adjacent to Y B. Opposite Y C. Same position as Y D. Cannot be determined
14. Seven persons hold different designations: Manager, Officer, Clerk, Analyst, Auditor, Cashier, Assistant. R is senior to S; T is junior to S but senior to U. If R is Manager, who can be Officer?
A. S B. U C. T D. Assistant
15. A is above B in designation, C is below D, and D is below A. Who is definitely below A?
A. B B. D C. Both B and D D. Neither
16. P is senior to Q and Q is senior to R. S is junior to R. Who is senior to R?
A. P only B. Q only C. P and Q D. S
17. Five employees have ranks 1 to 5. K ranks above L; M ranks below L. Which can be K's rank?
A. 1 B. 4 C. 5 D. None
18. If V is senior to W and W is senior to X, which is true?
A. X is senior to V B. V is senior to X C. W is junior to X D. Cannot say
19. Statements: All pens are tools. Some tools are books. Conclusions: I. Some books are pens. II. Some tools are pens.
A. Only I B. Only II C. Both D. Neither
20. Statements: Some cats are dogs. All dogs are animals. Conclusions: I. Some cats are animals. II. All cats are animals.
A. Only I B. Only II C. Both D. Neither
21. Statements: No cup is a plate. Some plates are bowls. Conclusions: I. Some bowls are not cups. II. No bowl is a cup.

A. Only I B. Only II C. Both D. Neither

22. If in a code each letter is replaced by the next letter, BANK becomes:

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

23. If CAT is coded as DBU, how is DOG coded?

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

24. If PEN is written as 16-5-14, how is BOX written?

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

25. If ROAD is coded as URDG, then BOOK is coded as:

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

26. If each consonant moves one letter forward and vowels remain unchanged, MAP becomes:

A. NBP B. MBQ C. NAP D. MZP

27. Find the next term: A1, C3, E5, G7, ?

A. H8 B. I9 C. J10 D. K11

28. Find the odd one out: 12, 18, 24, 31, 36

A. 12 B. 18 C. 24 D. 31

29. If all vowels are removed from 'EDUCATION', how many letters remain?

A. 4 B. 5 C. 6 D. 7

30. Arrange the following in ascending order: 0.7, 0.07, 0.77, 0.17.

A. 0.07, 0.17, 0.7, 0.77 B. 0.17, 0.07, 0.7, 0.77 C. 0.07, 0.7, 0.17, 0.77 D. 0.77, 0.7, 0.17, 0.07

31. If the letters of MARKET are arranged alphabetically, which is the third letter?

A. K B. M C. R D. E

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

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

33. Choose the meaningful word from these letters: R A E T H.

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

34. Which number is different from the others?

A. 16 B. 25 C. 36 D. 45

35. Which word cannot be formed from the letters of 'BANKING'?

A. KING B. BANK C. GAIN D. NIGHT

Section C — Numerical Ability (35 Questions)

1. $25 + 36 \div 6 \times 2 =$

A. 37 B. 49 C. 17 D. 61

2. $48\% \text{ of } 250 + 35 =$

A. 145 B. 155 C. 165 D. 175

3. $\sqrt{144} + 18 \div 3 =$

A. 18 B. 20 C. 22 D. 24

4. $15 \times 8 - 72 \div 6 =$

A. 108 B. 112 C. 120 D. 128

5. $\frac{3}{5} \text{ of } 250 + 40 =$

A. 180 B. 190 C. 200 D. 210

6. $84 \div 7 + 16 \times 2 =$

A. 40 B. 44 C. 48 D. 52

7. $125\% \text{ of } 80 - 15 =$

A. 75 B. 80 C. 85 D. 90

8. $18^2 - 12^2 =$

A. 144 B. 180 C. 216 D. 252

9. $72 + 48 \div 8 \times 3 =$

A. 90 B. 96 C. 108 D. 120

10. $\sqrt{225} + 25\% \text{ of } 80 =$

A. 30 B. 35 C. 40 D. 45

11. $14 \times 9 - 36 =$

A. 80 B. 90 C. 96 D. 100

12. $240 \div 12 + 17 =$

A. 27 B. 37 C. 47 D. 57

13. A shopkeeper buys an item for ₹800 and sells it for ₹920. Find profit percent.

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

14. A sum of ₹5000 is invested at 8% simple interest for 2 years. Find SI.

A. ₹600 B. ₹700 C. ₹800 D. ₹900

15. A train travels 240 km in 4 hours. Find its speed.

A. 50 km/h B. 60 km/h C. 70 km/h D. 80 km/h

16. A can complete a work in 12 days and B in 18 days. Together they finish it in:

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

17. The ratio of boys to girls is 3:2. If total students are 40, number of boys is:

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

18. A number is increased by 20% and becomes 360. The original number is:

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

19. A person spends 75% of income and saves ₹5000. Income is:

A. ₹15,000 B. ₹18,000 C. ₹20,000 D. ₹25,000

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

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

21. A boat covers 30 km downstream in 3 hours. Its downstream speed is:

A. 8 km/h B. 10 km/h C. 12 km/h D. 15 km/h

22. A mixture contains milk and water in ratio 5:1. In 24 litres, water is:

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

23. If 6 workers complete a job in 15 days, 10 workers will complete it in:

A. 7 days B. 8 days C. 9 days D. 10 days

24. A rectangle has length 18 cm and breadth 12 cm. Its area is:

A. 180 B. 200 C. 216 D. 240

25. A man walks at 5 km/h. How much time to cover 15 km?

A. 2 h B. 3 h C. 4 h D. 5 h

26. A store sold books in four months: Jan 120, Feb 150, Mar 180, Apr 200. How many books were sold in Jan and Mar together?

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

27. What is the average monthly sale?

A. 150 B. 155 C. 162.5 D. 170

28. How many more books were sold in Apr than Feb?

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

29. Mar sales are what percent of Jan sales?

A. 120% B. 125% C. 150% D. 175%

30. Total sales in Feb and Apr are:

A. 300 B. 330 C. 350 D. 370

31. A company's production over four years is 80, 100, 120 and 150 units. What is the increase from first to last year?

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

32. What is the average production?

A. 105 B. 110 C. 112.5 D. 115

33. Production in the third year is what percent of the second year?

A. 110% B. 120% C. 125% D. 130%

34. Total production in first two years is:

A. 160 B. 170 C. 180 D. 190

35. Difference between third and second year production is:

A. 10 B. 20 C. 30 D. 40

Answer Key

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