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Q.1

Pick the best alternative for the following sentence using the adverb 'too'.
"These mangoes are so cheap that they cannot be good."

(A) These mangoes are too good to be cheap.
(B) These mangoes are too cheap so that they are not good.
(C) These mangoes are too cheap to be good. ✓
(D) These mangoes are too good so they are cheap.

Q.2

There may be an index __ the end of the book.

(A) at ✓
(B) on
(C) by
(D) for

Q.3

Which one of the following characteristics is not true of the grammar-Translation method?

(A) One language is translated into another.
(B) Literary language is considered superior to spoken language.
(C) Students learn vocabulary items by heart.
(D) Pronunciation teaching is stressed. ✓

Q.4

"Unabashedly" means :

(A) with great shyness
(B) openly
(C) indifferently
(D) with no sign of being ashamed ✓

Q.5

Choose the correct alternative from the verbs given below each sentence.

__ they not go ?

(A) Did ✓
(B) Does
(C) Has
(D) Have

Q.6

___ bread is made of flour.

(A) A
(B) An
(C) Zero article ✓
(D) The

Q.7

The sentence in passive voice for the following will be: They saw him climbing over the fence.

(A) They were seen climbing over the fence.
(B) He was seen climbing over the fence. ✓
(C) He saw them climbing over the fence.
(D) The fence was seen being climbed over by him.

Q.8

Make meaningful sentences by filling in the blanks with the appropriate words.

New meanings can always be derived __ good writings.

(A) on
(B) upon
(C) from ✓
(D) with

Q.9

Which one of the following sentences is correctly joined? (Q. Nos. 16-18)

(A) No sooner had we boarded the train than it started to move. ✓
(B) No sooner did we boarded the train than it started to move.
(C) No sooner had we boarded the train than it moves.
(D) No sooner had we boarded the train when it started to move.

Q.10

The phonetic transcription of the word “pledge” is

(A) /plædʒ/
(B) /pledʒ/ ✓
(C) /plez/
(D) /plæz/

Q.11

Pick the correct response of the teacher to student errors in fluency based activities in CLT.

(A) Errors are never corrected by the teacher
(B) Errors are tolerated only to be corrected later. ✓
(C) Errors are corrected immediately by the teacher.
(D) Students are made to self-correct the errors immediately.

Q.12

Which way of reading is used to find a particular piece of information in a text?

(A) skimming
(B) scanning ✓
(C) skipping
(D) drilling

Q.13

... the first chapter of the book.

(A) HMMH
(B) HMMM
(C) MMHM ✓
(D) HHMM

Q.14

The feminist movement in literature has NOT concentrated on :

(A) the role played by literature to support gender discrimination
(B) the difference in the ways in which works of male writers and female writers have represented gender discrimination
(C) accepting patriarchal norms and adhering to them in their writings ✓
(D) reasons for lesser significance of the contribution of women writers in the literary tradition

Q.15

Choose the correct exclamatory sentence for the following :
I wish I had the wings of a dove.

(A) Oh I wished I had the wings of a dove !
(B) Had I but wings !
(C) How I wish I had wings !
(D) Oh for the wings of a dove ! ✓

Q.16

Have you any good books __ Botany you can lend me ?

(A) about
(B) on ✓
(C) between
(D) in

Q.17

Which one of the following characteristics is not true of the direct method?

(A) Stress is laid on extensive listening.

(B) Native language is not used in the teaching learning process.

(C) The student to student interaction is discouraged in the classroom. ✓

(D) The purpose of language learning is communication.

Q.18

The last sentence of the passage underlines :

(A) the healthy influence of films

(B) the fact that films have nothing to do with a society's morals

(C) harmful effects of bad films

(D) the success for box-office

Q.19

Choose the correct alternative from the verbs given below each sentence.

He ___ be atleast thirty years old. (inference)

(A) ought

(B) must ✓

(C) need

(D) dare

Q.20

There is ___ water in the bottle (hardly any).

(A) a little

(B) little ✓

(C) the little

(D) none

Q.21

The surgeons operated on him for nearly ten hours.

The correct sentence in the passive voice will be :

(A) He is operated on by the surgeons for nearly ten hours.

(B) He was operated on by the surgeons for nearly ten hours. ✓

(C) He is being operated on by the surgeons for nearly ten hours.

(D) He will be operated on by the surgeons for nearly ten hours.

Q.22

Make meaningful sentences by filling in the blanks with the appropriate words.

His __ is always important.

(A) advice ✓
(B) advise
(C) adviced
(D) advised

Q.23

Which one of the following sentences is correctly joined? (Q. Nos. 16-18)

(A) He is slow, but he is sure. ✓
(B) He is slow, else he is sure.
(C) He is slow, nor he is sure.
(D) He is neither slow but he is sure.

Q.24

The phonetic transcription of 'accent' is

(A) /eksent/
(B) /əksænt/
(C) /æksænt/
(D) /æksənt/ ✓

Q.25

Select the most appropriate option with regard to teacher's role in CLT.

(A) The teacher presents the language material.
(B) He establishes situations for communication.
(C) He acts as a co-communicator.
(D) He performs all the above roles. ✓

Q.26

The test in which the student has to fill in every 5th, 6th, or 7th, etc. word removed from the passage is called:

(A) open-ended test
(B) cloze test ✓
(C) intrusion test
(D) correction test

Q.27

... that table in the corner.

(A) MHM ✓
(B) MMH
(C) HMMM
(D) MMMMH

Q.28

<u>The Final Solutions</u> is a famous play by

(A) Mahesh Daltane ✓
(B) Asif Currimbhoy
(C) Gurcharan Das
(D) Nissim Ezekiel

Q.29

The correct alternative to transform the following compound sentence into a complex sentence is :
"Spare the rod and spoil the child."

(A) Spare not the rod, spoil not the child.
(B) If you spare the rod, you will spoil the child. ✓
(C) You spare the rod and spoil the child.
(D) On sparing the rod, the child will be spoilt.

Q.30

Choose the correct negative sentence for the following sentence :

You have to practise hard in order to win the match.

(A) Unless you don't practise hard, you can't win the match.
(B) Unless you practise hard, you can't win the match. ✓
(C) Unless you will practise hard, you cannot win the match.
(D) Unless you can't practise hard, you can't win the match.

Q.31

Which one of the following options is not a limitation of the direct method ?

(A) The method requires teachers having native like fluency in English language.
(B) A lot of teaching aids are required for teaching through this method.
(C) The skill of speaking is largely ignored. ✓
(D) The method is largely dependent on the teacher's skill rather than on textbooks.

Q.32

The word "Emulation" does not mean :

(A) copying
(B) imitation
(C) competition
(D) neglect ✓

Q.33

Choose the correct alternative from the verbs given below each sentence.

___ you mind opening the window, please ? (polite request)

(A) Could
(B) Might
(C) Shall
(D) Would ✓

Q.34

How .....time did you spend on your homework?

(A) Many
(B) Much ✓
(C) Most
(D) Some

Q.35

Select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect speech :

I said to him, "Do you know my name ?"

(A) I asked him do you know my name.
(B) I asked him if my name was known to him.
(C) I told him whether he knew my name.
(D) I asked him if he knew my name. ✓

Q.36

Make meaningful sentences by filling in the blanks with the appropriate words.

I always __ his courage.

(A) admiration
(B) admire ✓
(C) admires
(D) did not admired

Q.37

Which one of the following sentences is correctly joined? (Q. Nos. 16-18)

(A) Hardly had I entered the room, when the phone rang. ✓
(B) Hardly did I enter the room when the phone rang.
(C) Hardly I entered the room and the phone rang.
(D) Hardly had I entered the room when the phone was ringing.

Q.38

The phonetic transcription of "wreath" is

(A) /ri:θ/ ✓
(B) /rɪθ/
(C) /reθ/
(D) /ræθ/

Q.39

Metre in poetry means

(A) stressed syllables
(B) unstressed syllables
(C) a pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables ✓
(D) rhyme

Q.40

Select the option not included in the criteria of vocabulary selection.

(A) Word frequency
(B) Structural value
(C) Universality in respect of geographic area
(D) Spelling ✓

Q.41

<u>My eldest son</u> was a scholar. In the sentence My eldest son is :

(A) Subject ✓
(B) Object
(C) Predicator
(D) Complement

Q.42

Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's latest book published in 2019 is :

(A) The Palace of Illusions
(B) The Forest of Enchantments ✓
(C) The Mistress of Spices
(D) Before We Visit the Goddess

Q.43

Find out the best possible alternative from the choices given below : (Q. Nos. 28-32)
Which is the correct sentence in the superlative degree ?

(A) The Taj Mahal is the most beautiful building in the world. ✓
(B) No other building is as beautiful as the Taj Mahal.
(C) The Taj Mahal is a beautiful building.
(D) The Taj Mahal is more beautiful than any other building in the world.

Q.44

As soon as he saw the tiger he fled. (Negative)

(A) He fled as soon as he saw the tiger.
(B) He saw the tiger yet he did not flee.
(C) No sooner did he see the tiger than he fled. ✓
(D) He did not flee when he saw the tiger.

Q.45

Which method of teaching English puts a tremendous strain on students' memories ?

(A) Grammar - Translation method ✓
(B) Direct method
(C) Structural method
(D) Audio-Lingual method

Q.46

The synonym of the word "abandon" is

(A) diffuse
(B) distress
(C) disdain
(D) discard ✓

Q.47

They ..... not ..... (has) dinner last night.

(A) Do, has
(B) Did, has
(C) Do, have
(D) Did, have ✓

Q.48

She ___ (study) music while she was in Delhi.

(A) study
(B) studied ✓
(C) will study
(D) has studied

Q.49

Select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect speech :

He said to him, "Please wait there till I return".

(A) He requested him that wait till I return.
(B) He urged him that he wait till he returns.
(C) He requested him whether he should wait till he returns.
(D) He requested him to wait there till he returned. ✓

Q.50

Make meaningful sentences by filling in the blanks with the appropriate words.

He was weary of failure, __ ?

(A) isn't he ?
(B) wasn't he ? ✓
(C) doesn't he ?
(D) shouldn't he ?

Q.51

Fill in the blank space(s) by choosing the correct connectives (Q. Nos. 19-20)

__ take it __ leave it.

(A) Both ; and
(B) Not only ; but also
(C) Either ; or ✓
(D) Though ; yet

Q.52

Mark the secondary stress in the word "examination".

(A) /ɪg,zæmɪneɪʃn/
(B) /,ɪgzæmɪneɪʃn/ ✓
(C) /ɪgzæ,mɪneɪʃn/
(D) /ɪgzæmɪ,neɪʃn/

Q.53

Which one of the following features is not true of communicative language teaching?

(A) The goal is to enable learners to communicate in the target language.
(B) The teacher evaluates students' fluency as well as their accuracy.
(C) The activities like games and role plays are generally avoided. ✓
(D) Language as used in real context is introduced.

Q.54

Identify the option not relevant to controlled composition.

(A) Delimiting the size of composition
(B) Restriction of subject matter
(C) Supplying of vocabulary items
(D) Producing of ideas as well as language ✓

Q.55

They grind <u>exceedingly small</u> quantities.
"exceedingly small" in the sentence is a

(A) Subject
(B) Complement ✓
(C) Object
(D) Predicator

Q.56

Who amongst the following is not an Indian Diaspora Writer ?

(A) Shashi Deshpande ✓
(B) Sujata Bhatt
(C) Meena Alexander
(D) Jhumpa Lahiri

Q.57

Which is the correct sentence in the comparative degree ?

(A) Of the two languages I am learning, I find English the easiest.

(B) Of the two languages I am learning, I find English easy.

(C) Of the two languages I am learning, I find English the easier one. ✓

(D) Of the two languages I am learning, I find English the more easy.

Q.58

Choose the correct interrogative sentence for the following affirmative sentences. Everyone would die for his country.

(A) Who would not die for his country? ✓

(B) Whom would die for his country?

(C) Should one die for one's country?

(D) Would everyone die for their country?

Q.59

Which one of the following limitations is not true of the structural method ?

(A) Much use is made of repetition and analogous structure drilling.

(B) The drills presented are generally mechanical.

(C) The method fails in developing learner's communicative competence.

(D) Structures and patterns are not carefully selected and graded. ✓

Q.60

Choose the word which is nearest in meaning to "obscene".

(A) Indecent ✓

(B) Fraud

(C) Unwanted

(D) Intimidate

Q.61

Hardly.....we started when it began to rain.

(A) Has

(B) Have

(C) Had ✓

(D) Do

Q.62

Rabindra Nath Tagore ___ (write) a number of short stories.

(A) had writes

(B) written

(C) write

(D) has written ✓

Q.63

Select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Indirect speech :

She said, "I begin my day with a cup of tea."

(A) She said that she had began her day with a cup of tea.

(B) She said that she begins her day with a cup of tea. ✓

(C) She said she begins her day with a cup of tea.

(D) She says that she begins her day with a cup of tea.

Q.64

Following is a dialogue between two friends discussing their college life.
Fill in the blanks to complete the dialogue by choosing the best alternative.

Hari : How is your college life going on ?
Ram : It's nice and relaxed. And yours ?
Hari : Not so good. There's no __ **in our college, Students** __ and they don't let us study.

(A) bunking in the college ; are disciplined

(B) discipline or strictness ; bunk their classes ✓

(C) discipline ; a lot of bunking

(D) bunking ; not disciplined

Q.65

Fill in the blank space(s) by choosing the correct connectives (Q. Nos. 19-20)

I read the paper __ it interests me.

(A) in spite of

(B) so that

(C) neither

(D) because ✓

Q.66

The new Prime Minister has been able to bear down all opposition.
"Bear down" in the sentence means :

(A) not to despair

(B) confirm

(C) support

(D) overthrow ✓

Q.67

Which one of the following features is not true of the traditional grammar ?

(A) It considers the written i.e. literary language as the foundation of grammar.

(B) It treats the subject of grammar on inductive lines. ✓

(C) It relies heavily on the use of definitions and rules.

(D) It is prescriptive in nature.

Q.68

Fill in the blank spaces by choosing the correct word/s : (Q. Nos. 111-115)

Give me the book __ I gave you.

(A) which ✓
(B) what
(C) those
(D) whose

Q.69

<u>..... that success depends mainly on work.</u>

The underlined words have the following pattern :

(A) SPCA
(B) SVAC ✓
(C) SCAV
(D) SVCA

Q.70

The 17th century English poets whose works were characterised by the use of conceits are :

(A) Renaissance poets
(B) Victorian poets
(C) Modern poets
(D) Metaphysical poets ✓

Q.71

The correct sentence in the positive degree is :

(A) This razor is sharper than that one.
(B) This razor is not as sharp as that one. ✓
(C) This razor is the sharpest of all.
(D) That razor is sharper than this one.

Q.72

It is foolish to waste time in reading trash. (Interrogative)

(A) Should one read trash and waste time?
(B) Wasting time in reading trash is bad, isn't it?
(C) Why waste time in reading trash? ✓
(D) Is it foolish to waste time?

Q.73

Which one of the following features is not applicable to the Audio-Lingual method ?

(A) Students overlearn the target language to be able to use it automatically.
(B) Vocabulary teaching is stressed. ✓
(C) Speech is believed to be more basic to language than written form.
(D) Teachers present the models of the target language to be repeated by students.

Q.74

Pick out the word opposite in meaning to "antipathy".

(A) Dislike
(B) Avoidable
(C) Liking ✓
(D) Aversion

Q.75

Pick the best possible alternative from the choices given below to form conditional sentences.

If I ___ a map I ___ lend it to you.

(A) have ; would
(B) had ; will
(C) had ; would ✓
(D) has ; will

Q.76

The Prime Minister __ the new heliport tomorrow.

(A) will open ✓
(B) open
(C) had opened
(D) opened

Q.77

Select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Direct Speech.

Ram ordered Arjun to go away.

(A) Ram ordered to Arjun "Go away".
(B) Ram said to Arjun, "Go away." ✓
(C) Ram said, "Will you go away Arjun ?"
(D) Ram ordered Arjun "Please go away".

Q.78

Following is the conversation between two friends about a TV programme.
Pick the best alternative to fill in the blanks :

Ranu : Hello Shashi ! How are you ?
Shashi : I'm fine. Thanks. And you ?
Ranu : I'm fine too. What __ **?**
Shashi : Nothing special. Just __, sleeping and watching the TV.

(A) doing these days ; looking at the net
(B) are you doing ; flicking past the net
(C) am I doing these days ; surfing on the net
(D) are you doing these days ; surfing the net ✓

Q.79

He owed his success to his father. (Complex)

(A) He succeeded because his father helped him.

(B) His success was only due to his father.

(C) He and his father succeeded.

(D) It was owing to his father that he succeeded. ✓

Q.80

Call in a doctor immediately! "Call in" in the above sentence means:

(A) demand

(B) summon ✓

(C) recollect

(D) draw forth

Q.81

Which one of the following activities is not relevant to controlled composition ?

(A) Composition prompted by pictures

(B) Writing out a story told beforehand.

(C) Summarising of reading matter.

(D) Traditional type of essay writing. ✓

Q.82

Fill in the blank spaces by choosing the correct word/s : (Q. Nos. 111-115)

Her little girls are always __ dressed.

(A) preety

(B) prettiest

(C) prettier

(D) prettily ✓

Q.83

No one spends money <u>the way you do</u>.
The underlined part is :

(A) Noun clause

(B) Prepositional clause

(C) Adjectival clause

(D) Adverbial clause ✓

Q.84

"O, Wild West Wind" is an example of :

(A) Personification

(B) Simile

(C) Oxymoron

(D) Apostrophe ✓

Q.85

Choose the correct sentence in the positive degree.

(A) It is not that easier to walk as to run.
(B) Walking is as tiresome as running. ✓
(C) Walking is more tiresome than running.
(D) Running is the most tiresome than walking.

Q.86

Choose the correct interrogative sentence for the following affirmative sentence :

I have read <u>Godan</u> by Premchand.

(A) Does you read <u>Godan</u> by Premchand ?
(B) Who has written <u>Godan</u> ?
(C) When did you read <u>Godan</u> by Premchand ?
(D) Have you read <u>Godan</u> by Premchand ? ✓

Q.87

Which one of the following options is not true of the Audio-Lingual method ?

(A) There is no learning theory behind this method. ✓
(B) Habits of the native language interfere with the target language learning.
(C) Commission of errors should be prevented as much as possible.
(D) Language acquisition results from habit formation.

Q.88

Select the correct pair of antonyms.

(A) Absurd – Inadequate
(B) Dull - Despair
(C) Deep - Hollow
(D) Establish – Demolish ✓

Q.89

Pick the best possible alternative from the choices given below to form conditional sentences.

If I ___ (know) that you were coming I ___ (meet) you at the airport.

(A) had known ; would have met ✓
(B) knew ; met
(C) had known ; have met
(D) knew ; would have

Q.90

The train __ (leave) before I __ (reach) the station.

(A) had left; reached ✓
(B) has reached; left
(C) left; reached
(D) left; will reach

Q.91

Select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Direct Speech.

He said that he would go as soon as it was possible.

(A) He said, "I shall go as soon as it is possible." ✓
(B) He said to me "I want to go as soon as it is possible."
(C) He said, "she will go as soon as it is possible."
(D) He said that, "I shall go as soon as it is possible."

Q.92

Pick the correct sentence pattern for the sentences :

We ate oranges quickly.

(A) SOV
(B) SVOA ✓
(C) SOVC
(D) SOCV

Q.93

Pick the simple sentence for the following complex sentence :

He worked hard that he might pass the examination.

(A) He worked as hard as he could so that he might pass the examination.
(B) He worked hard because he wanted to pass the examination.
(C) He worked hard to pass the examination. ✓
(D) He worked hard so that he could pass the examination.

Q.94

Mark the primary stress in the word import as a verb.

(A) impo'rt
(B) /'import/
(C) /im'port/ ✓
(D) i'mport

Q.95

Which one of the following techniques is not a part of the presentation of vocabulary on direct method lines?

(A) Demonstration
(B) Definition
(C) Explanation
(D) Translation ✓

Q.96

Fill in the blank spaces by choosing the correct word/s : (Q. Nos. 111-115)

Prithvi theatre is __ theatre in Mumbai.

(A) old
(B) the oldest ✓
(C) older
(D) elder

Q.97

Analyze the underlined words in terms of MHM.

<u>A rolling stone</u> gathers no moss.

(A) Post modifier / Head word
(B) Pre modifier / Head word ✓
(C) Head word / Post modifier
(D) Head word / Pre modifier

Q.98

"Nor cast one longing lingering look behind". The repetition of "l" sound is called

(A) allusion
(B) personification
(C) alliteration ✓
(D) metaphor

Q.99

Which is the correct sentence in the comparative degree ?

(A) The higher you go, the cooler it gets. ✓
(B) Higher you go, the cooler it gets.
(C) Higher you go, cooler it gets.
(D) The higher you go, cooler it gets.

Q.100

"It is time to shut the shop."

The passive construction for the above is :

(A) The shop should be shut.
(B) It is time for shutting the shop.
(C) It is time that the shop be shut.
(D) It is time for the shop to be shut. ✓

Q.101

The structural method primarily stresses the importance of:

(A) pattern practice ✓
(B) vocabulary items
(C) grammatical items
(D) translation

Q.102

Which is not a part of the structure of the classic ode?

(A) strophe
(B) anti-strophe
(C) eclogues ✓
(D) epode

Q.103

Pick the best possible alternative from the choices given below to form conditional sentences.

Unless you ____ (work) hard, you ____ (pass).

(A) worked ; not pass
(B) work ; will not pass ✓
(C) work ; not pass
(D) None of these

Q.104

The plane _(leave) for Indira Gandhi International Airport at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

(A) left
(B) had left
(C) leaves ✓
(D) leave

Q.105

Pick the correct sentence pattern for the sentences :

The class took a test. The pattern of this sentence is

(A) SPV
(B) SPLV
(C) SOPCA
(D) SVO ✓

Q.106

Choose the correct alternative to transform the following compound sentence to a simple sentence :

We must eat or we cannot live.

(A) We must eat or else we will die.
(B) We must eat to live. ✓
(C) We must eat so that we can live.
(D) We must either eat or die.

Q.107

From his attitude it is clear that he wants to pay off old scores. "to pay off old scores" in the sentence means:

(A) to have his revenge ✓
(B) to pay the money
(C) to score marks
(D) settle new matters

Q.108

Select the option not relevant to the objectives of teaching extensive prose reading.

(A) Developing general understanding of the text.
(B) Developing thorough and deep understanding of the text. ✓
(C) Developing reading habits.
(D) Increasing speed of reading.

Q.109

Fill in the blank spaces by choosing the correct word/s : (Q. Nos. 111-115)

The bouquet __ me five hundred rupees.

(A) have costed
(B) will have costed
(C) must costed
(D) cost ✓

Q.110

/baʊt/ is the phonetic transcription of :

(A) bite
(B) bout ✓
(C) boot
(D) book

Q.111

An Oxymoron :

(A) pairs contradictory words in order to express new or complex meanings ✓
(B) is an intentional exaggeration
(C) makes a comparison stating that one thing is like the other
(D) describe non-human things as having human attributes

Q.112

The sentence in passive voice for :
'Open the door' is :

(A) Let the door be opened. ✓
(B) Let us open the door.
(C) The door may be opened.
(D) The door is to be opened.

Q.113

Which of the following is not a non-fictional genre ?

(A) Diaries
(B) Autobiographies
(C) Romance ✓
(D) Memoirs

Q.114

Pick the best possible alternative from the choices given below to form conditional sentences.

If I ___ in your shoes, I would wait a bit.

(A) was
(B) an
(C) should be
(D) were ✓

Q.115

Neither of them ___ present.

(A) are
(B) is ✓
(C) has
(D) being

Q.116

Pick the correct sentence pattern for the sentences :

The sky grew dark.

(A) SVC ✓
(B) SVO
(C) SOV
(D) VOS

Q.117

Transform the following simple sentence into a compound sentence :

Besides making a promise, he kept it.

(A) He not only made a promise, but he also kept it. ✓
(B) He not only made a promise, but he kept it.
(C) He made a promise but he kept it.
(D) He not only made a promise, but kept it.

Q.118

"giving oneself airs" means:

(A) in disorder of confusion
(B) ready to act
(C) behaving arrogantly ✓
(D) out of his mind

Q.119

Fill in the blank spaces by choosing the correct word/s : (Q. Nos. 111-115)

Prashant and Kintu are my __.

(A) cousin brothers
(B) cousins ✓
(C) cousin
(D) cousin relatives

Q.120

Identify the correct phonetic description of "crèche".

(A) /kræʃ/
(B) /kræts/
(C) /krets/
(D) /kreʃ/ ✓

Q.121

"Metonymy" is used in which of the following sentences from Macbeth ?

(A) And yet wouldst wrongly win
(B) I drink to the general joy O' the whole table ✓
(C) So foul and fair a day I have not seen !
(D) Is he dispatch'd ?

Q.122

"Who taught you grammar ?"

The correct sentence in passive voice is :

(A) Grammar was taught to you by whom ?
(B) Who has been teaching grammar to you ?
(C) By whom were you taught grammar ? ✓
(D) Grammar is taught to you by whom ?

Q.123

Which of the following is not an element of drama ?

(A) Stagecraft
(B) Feedback ✓
(C) Character
(D) Dialogue

Q.124

Pick the best possible alternative from the choices given below to form conditional sentences.

If he ____ he ____ get there in time.

(A) ran ; will
(B) runs ; will ✓
(C) runs ; would
(D) run ; must

Q.125

The principal with his teachers ___ come.

(A) has ✓
(B) have
(C) is
(D) are

Q.126

Pick the correct sentence pattern for the sentences :

The cat licked the saucer clean.

(A) SVOA
(B) SOVC
(C) SVOC ✓
(D) SCOV

Q.127

I have a box full of pencils.
To show omission, "I have" will be written as :

(A) Iv'e
(B) Ive'
(C) I'have
(D) I've ✓

Q.128

Fill in the blank spaces with the correct determiner (Q. Nos. 116-120).

__ wood this table is made of is Oak.

(A) The ✓
(B) A
(C) An
(D) Zero article

Q.129

The transcription of "receipt" is :

(A) /ri:si:pt/
(B) /rɪsi:pt/
(C) /rɪsi:t/ ✓
(D) /rɪsɪt/

Q.130

<u>The Great Indian Novel</u> is written by

(A) Vikram Seth
(B) Shashi Tharoor ✓
(C) V.S. Naipaul
(D) Salman Rushdie

Q.131

The 19^{th} century American movement, "Transcendentalism", was not concerned with

(A) self-reliance
(B) supremacy of insight
(C) going back to nature
(D) crude materialism ✓

Q.132

Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct phrasal verb out of the four alternatives given.

No one ___ to offer help.

(A) came across
(B) came forward ✓
(C) came upon
(D) came on

Q.133

The differently-abled members ___ let in free.

(A) was
(B) is
(C) has
(D) were ✓

Q.134

Analyse the following in terms of MHM :

... some baked potatoes.

(A) HHM
(B) HMM
(C) MHM
(D) MMH ✓

Q.135

Which one of the following is the correctly edited sentence ?

(A) We decorated in white the kitchen last year.
(B) We decorated the kitchen in white last year. ✓
(C) We decorated last year the kitchen in white.
(D) The kitchen we decorated last year in white.

Q.136

Fill in the blank spaces with the correct determiner (Q. Nos. 116-120).

Many __ man would welcome such a chance.

(A) an
(B) the
(C) zero article
(D) a ✓

Q.137

The phonetic transcription of "wrinkle" is

(A) /rɪŋŋkl/
(B) /ri:ŋgkl/
(C) /rɪŋkəl/
(D) /rɪŋkl/ ✓

Q.138

"Naturalism" is the idea or belief that :

(A) only natural laws and forces operate in the world ✓
(B) only spiritual laws & forces operate in the world
(C) only supernatural laws & forces operate in the world
(D) that neither natural laws nor spiritual laws operate in the world

Q.139

Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct phrasal verb out of the four alternatives given.

He was not able to ___ what went wrong.

(A) figure out ✓
(B) fill out
(C) count on
(D) fall through

Q.140

A five - judge bench ___ appointed to decide the case.

(A) were
(B) has
(C) was ✓
(D) have

Q.141

He ___ his friend's claim.

(A) blow over
(B) closed up
(C) backed up ✓
(D) gained on

Q.142

There has been for some time growing criticism of the projection of women in photographs, advertisements and films. Advertisements in the print media as well as the films and television, frequently rely on the feminine sex appeal to attract attention to products make Casanovas of ordinary morals. Things are even worse in the films. Some of these unabashedly rely on sex for box office success, showing scantily attired women in provocative postures. In these, as well as many advertisements, women clearly appear as objects of erotic stimulation. By showing heroes misbehaving with heroines and getting away with it, films invite emulation in real life – in the molestation of women in public places.

Q. Feminine sex appeal is used in advertisements to:

(A) entertain the customers
(B) distract the customer's attention
(C) get the attention of prospective customers ✓
(D) show how women buy.

Q.143

"Bildungsroman" is a literary genre that focuses on :

(A) the coming of age of the protagonist ✓
(B) melodrama
(C) myths
(D) legends

Q.144

Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct phrasal verb out of the four alternatives given.

He is a school ___

(A) drop off
(B) dropped
(C) drop in
(D) drop out ✓

Q.145

Fish and rice ___ (be) his favourite food.

(A) have
(B) has
(C) is ✓
(D) having

Q.146

The phrasal verb "take after" means :

(A) Leave the ground
(B) Look after
(C) Resemble in character or appearance ✓
(D) Reprimand

Q.147

They advised him ___ wait.

(A) to ✓
(B) in
(C) into
(D) till

Q.148

The phrasal verb "keep up with" means :

(A) continue doing something
(B) meet each other
(C) stay at the same level as someone or something ✓
(D) begin

Q.149

The train starts ___ 6.10, so you had better be at the station ___ 6.00.

(A) by ; at
(B) on ; by
(C) at ; by ✓
(D) at ; on

Q.150

He has been here ___ Monday.

(A) for
(B) from
(C) on
(D) since ✓



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