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Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:**

Production is carried on for profit, not for use. There is no provision that all those able and willing to work will always be in a position to find employment; an “army of unemployed” almost always exists. The worker is constantly in fear of losing his job. Since unemployed and poorly paid workers do not provide a profitable market, the production of consumers’ goods is restricted, and great hardship is the consequence. Technological progress frequently results in more unemployment rather than in easing the burden of work for all. The profit motive, in conjunction with competition among capitalists, is responsible for an instability in the acquisition and utilization of capital which leads to increasingly severe depressions. Unlimited competition leads to a huge waste of labour, and to [that] crippling of the social consciousness of individuals....

Question Description

As per the passage, technological progress frequently results in

A

further unemployment than before technological progress

B

easing the burden of work for every one employed

C

more unemployment than reduction of burden of all the employees

D

all the above options

Correct Answer

D

Marks

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Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:**

Production is carried on for profit, not for use. There is no provision that all those able and willing to work will always be in a position to find employment; an “army of unemployed” almost always exists. The worker is constantly in fear of losing his job. Since unemployed and poorly paid workers do not provide a profitable market, the production of consumers’ goods is restricted, and great hardship is the consequence. Technological progress frequently results in more unemployment rather than in easing the burden of work for all. The profit motive, in conjunction with competition among capitalists, is responsible for an instability in the acquisition and utilization of capital which leads to increasingly severe depressions. Unlimited competition leads to a huge waste of labour, and to [that] crippling of the social consciousness of individuals....

Question Description

According to the passage, a huge waste of labour and weakening of social consciousness is the direct outcome of

A

mindful competition among capitalists

B

mindless and brazen capitalism

C

limitless competition among capitalists

D

unmindful competition for profit making

Correct Answer

C

Marks

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Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:**

Production is carried on for profit, not for use. There is no provision that all those able and willing to work will always be in a position to find employment; an “army of unemployed” almost always exists. The worker is constantly in fear of losing his job. Since unemployed and poorly paid workers do not provide a profitable market, the production of consumers’ goods is restricted, and great hardship is the consequence. Technological progress frequently results in more unemployment rather than in easing the burden of work for all. The profit motive, in conjunction with competition among capitalists, is responsible for an instability in the acquisition and utilization of capital which leads to increasingly severe depressions. Unlimited competition leads to a huge waste of labour, and to [that] crippling of the social consciousness of individuals....

Question Description

The term ‘depressions’ as used in the passage refers to the state of

A

severe recession in economy or market

B

despondency and dejection in the workers

C

both the above

D

neither of the above

Correct Answer

A

Marks

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Comprehension

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:

Production is carried on for profit, not for use. There is no provision that all those able and willing to work will always be in a position to find employment; an “army of unemployed” almost always exists. The worker is constantly in fear of losing his job. Since unemployed and poorly paid workers do not provide a profitable market, the production of consumers’ goods is restricted, and great hardship is the consequence. Technological progress frequently results in more unemployment rather than in easing the burden of work for all. The profit motive, in conjunction with competition among capitalists, is responsible for an instability in the acquisition and utilization of capital which leads to increasingly severe depressions. Unlimited competition leads to a huge waste of labour, and to [that] crippling of the social consciousness of individuals....

Question Description

Read the following statements and organize them in sequence of action and outcome

- (i) An “army of unemployed” almost always exists
- (ii) Production is carried on for profit, not for use.
- (iii) The worker is constantly in fear of losing his job
- (iv) Unlimited competition leads to a huge waste of labour

A

1-(iii); 2.(ii); 3-(i);4-(iv)

B

1-(iv); 2.(ii); 3-(iii);4-(i)

C

1-(ii); 2.(i); 3-(iii);4-(iv)

D

1-(ii); 2.(iv); 3-(i);4-(iii)

Correct Answer

D

Marks

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Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:**

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Question Description

. From the options provided below find the correct synonym from the passage for the word “fallout”

A

results

B

consequence

C

leads to

D

responsible for

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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6

Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it:-**

Prejudice, egotism, hatred, contempt, disdain, are the enemies of truth and progress. The real searcher after truth will not receive the old because it is old, or reject the new because it is new. He will not believe men because they are dead, or contradict them because they are alive. With him an utterance is worth the truth, the reason it contains, without the slightest regard to the author. He may have been a king or a serf-a philosopher or servant-but the utterance neither gains nor loses in truth or reason. Its value is absolutely independent of the fame or station of the man who gave it to the world.

Question Description

“The real searchers after truth will not receive the old because it is old, or reject the new because it is new”.
Read the above statement and, from the options provided below, identify the prominent figure of speech contained in it

A

anti climax

B

oxymoron

C

antithesis

D

none of the above

Correct Answer

C

Marks

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Question Description

In the passage the phrase “king or serf” refers to the -----

A

author of the above passage

B

author of the utterance

C

searcher after truth

D

philosopher or servant

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it:-**

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Question Description

The searcher after truth will only believe men because

A

they are not dead

B

they speak the truth with reason

C

he will not contradict them

D

he respects them

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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Comprehension

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it:-

Prejudice, egotism, hatred, contempt, disdain, are the enemies of truth and progress. The real searcher after truth will not receive the old because it is old, or reject the new because it is new. He will not believe men because they are dead, or contradict them because they are alive. With him an utterance is worth the truth, the reason it contains, without the slightest regard to the author. He may have been a king or a serf-a philosopher or servant-but the utterance neither gains nor loses in truth or reason. Its value is absolutely independent of the fame or station of the man who gave it to the world.

Question Description

Read the following statements and state whether they are true or false:-

- i. The searcher after truth believes an utterance independent of its author.
- ii. Its worth is regardless of its author's renown or position.

A

(i) is true and (ii) is also true

B

(i) is true but (ii) is false

C

(i) is false and (ii) is also false

D

(i) is false but (ii) is true

Correct Answer

A

Marks

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10

Comprehension**Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it:-**

Prejudice, egotism, hatred, contempt, disdain, are the enemies of truth and progress. The real searcher after truth will not receive the old because it is old, or reject the new because it is new. He will not believe men because they are dead, or contradict them because they are alive. With him an utterance is worth the truth, the reason it contains, without the slightest regard to the author. He may have been a king or a serf-a philosopher or servant-but the utterance neither gains nor loses in truth or reason. Its value is absolutely independent of the fame or station of the man who gave it to the world.

Question Description

From the options provided below, select the one that comes closest in meaning to a “serf”

A

the author of an utterance

B

a bonded labourer under the feudal system

C

the fame or station of a person disdain

D

a philosopher or servant

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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| 11 | Question Description | In each of the following questions, four statements are given. Three of them are related in some way. Identify the “Odd man” and mark its letter as your answer. |
| | A | Vitamins are necessary for good health. |
| | B | Most calorie conscious people find it difficult to avoid dessert. |
| | C | Soup is a good appetizer. |
| | D | I always prefer to have toast for my breakfast. |
| | Correct Answer | A |
| | Marks | 1 |
| 12 | Question Description | How many times do the hands of a clock coincide in a day? |
| | A | 20 |
| | B | 21 |
| | C | 22 |
| | D | 24 |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| Question Description | Pointing to a photograph of a man, Pooja said, "He is the only son of the mother of my sister's brother." How is that person related to Pooja? |
| A | Father |
| B | Maternal Uncle |
| C | Cousin |
| D | None of these |
| Correct Answer | D |
| Marks | 1 |

14

Question Description

The following contains a small paragraph followed by a question on it. Read paragraph carefully and answer the question given below it.

The attainment of individual and organisational goals is mutually interdependent and linked by a common denominator - employee work motivation. Organisational members are motivated to satisfy their personal goals, and they contribute their efforts to the attainment of organisational objectives as means of achieving these personal goals.

The passage best supports the statement that motivation _____

A encourages an individual to give priority to personal goals over organisational goals.

B is crucial for the survival of an individual and organisation.

C is the product of an individual's physical and mental energy.

D is the external force which induces an individual to contribute his efforts.

Correct Answer A

Marks 1

15

Question Description

Arrange the following words in a meaningful sequence.

1. Infection
2. Consultation
3. Doctor
4. Treatment
5. Recovery

A

1, 3, 4, 5, 2

B

1, 3, 2, 4, 5

C

1, 2, 3, 4, 5

D

2, 3, 5, 1, 4

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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16

Question Description

What will come at the place of question mark?
4, 7, 10, 13, ? , 19.

A

100

B

49

C

256

D

16

Correct Answer

C

Marks

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17

Question Description

In a camp, there is a meal for 200 men or 280 children. If 180 children have taken the meal, how many men will be catered to with remaining meal?

A

69

B

70

C

71

D

65

Correct Answer

C

Marks

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| 18 | Question Description | Mukesh walks 6 km toward the South and then walks 3 km to his left. Finally, he turns to his right and walks 6 km. In which direction is he from the starting point? |
| | A | South |
| | B | South-West |
| | C | South-East |
| | D | West |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 19 | Question Description | Which word does NOT belong with the others? |
| | A | wing |
| | B | fin |
| | C | beak |
| | D | rudder |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 20 | Question Description | In each of the following questions, four capitalised words followed by four choices are given. One of the choices is associated with the four main words. Identify the word and mark its letter as your answer. FOOD ASLEEP STICK PASSENGER |
| | A | Craft |
| | B | Train |
| | C | Line |
| | D | Wood |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 21 | Question Description | Look at this series: VI, 10, V, 11, __, 12, III, ... What number should fill the blank? |
| | A | II |
| | B | IV |
| | C | IX |
| | D | 14 |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 22 | Question Description | Pointing to a photograph, a lady tells Sohan, "I am the only daughter of this woman, and her son is your maternal uncle." How is the lady related to Sohan's father? |
| | A | Wife |
| | B | Sister-in-law |
| | C | Sister |
| | D | None of these |
| | Correct Answer | A |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 23 | Question Description | What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the given number series? 1, 2, 6, 21, 88, ? |
| | A | 539 |
| | B | 398 |
| | C | 216 |
| | D | 445 |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

24

Question Description

Analyse the problem discussed in the statement and decide which course of action should be followed to solve the problem.

Statement: A severe drought is reported in many states of the country.

Courses of action:

- I. The government should immediately provide financial assistance to the people of the affected states.
- II. The government should immediately send food, water, and fodder to the affected states to save people and livestock.

A

Only I follows

B

Only II follows

C

Either I or II follows

D

Neither I nor II follows

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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| 25 | Question Description | Find the word that names a necessary part of the underlined word <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"><u>autograph</u></div> |
| | A | athlete |
| | B | actor |
| | C | signature |
| | D | pen |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 26 | Question Description | Here are some words translated from an artificial language. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tamceno means sky blue • cenorax means blue cheese • aplmitl means star bright Which word could mean "bright sky"? |
| | A | Cenotam |
| | B | mitltam |
| | C | raxmitl |
| | D | aplceno |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 27 | Question Description | Three batch students of 60, 65, and 70 average marks are 55, 50, and 45 respectively. Then what is the average marks of all the students? |
| | A | 66.12 |
| | B | 55.34 |
| | C | 47.94 |
| | D | 49.74 |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |
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| 28 | Question Description | <p>In the following question, a capitalised pair of words is given followed by five pairs of words. Select from choices the pair which exhibits the same relationship as the capitalised pair of words and mark its number as your answer.</p> <p>COLT : MARE</p> |
| | A | State : Nation |
| | B | Boat : Ship |
| | C | Princess : King |
| | D | Prince : Queen |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

29

Question Description

Analyse the problem discussed in the statement and decide which course of action should be followed to solve the problem.

Statement:

Exporters in the capital are alleging that commercial banks are violating a Reserve Bank of India directive to operate a post shipment export credit denominated in foreign currency at international rates from January this year.

Courses of Action:

- I. The officers concerned in the commercial banks are to be suspended.
- II. The RBI should be asked to stop giving such directives to commercial banks.

A

Only I follows

B

Only II follows

C

Either I or II follows

D

Neither I nor II follows

Correct Answer

D

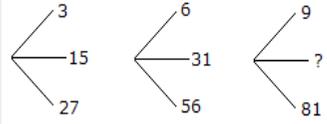
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Question Description

Which one will replace the question mark ?

**A**

45

B

41

C

32

D

40

Correct Answer

A

Marks

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31

Question Description

Choose the alternative which is closely resembles the water-image of the given combination.

bridge

(1) pɪɪqɔe (2) pɪɪqɔe

(3) pɪɪqɔe (4) pɪɪpɔe

A

1

B

2

C

3

D

4

Correct Answer

B

Marks

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| 32 | Question Description | In each of the following questions, a capitalised pair of words is given followed by five pairs of words. Select from choices the pair which exhibits the same relationship as the capitalised pair of words and mark its number as your answer. CUBE : DICE |
| | A | Paper : Thin |
| | B | Sphere : Sun |
| | C | Mountain: Height |
| | D | Glass : Transparent |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 33 | Question Description | Choose the missing terms out of the given alternatives ATTRIBUTION, TTRIBUTIO, RIBUTIO, IBUTI, _____ |
| | A | IBU |
| | B | UT |
| | C | BUT |
| | D | UTI |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 34 | Question Description | If January 1 st ,2007 is Monday, what was the day on 1 st January 1995? |
| | A | Monday |
| | B | Sunday |
| | C | Friday |
| | D | Saturday |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 35 | Question Description | Paw: Cat :: Hoof: ? |
| | A | Dog |
| | B | Horse |
| | C | Elephant |
| | D | Lamb |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 36 | Question Description | In each of the following questions, four capitalised words followed by four choices are given. One of the choices is associated with the four main words. Identify the word and mark its letter as your answer. RENT WORK FLOOR STAFF |
| | A | Mud |
| | B | Ground |
| | C | Cement |
| | D | Office |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 37 | Question Description | What will come in place of the question mark (?) in the given number series? 300, 298, 307, 279, 344, ? |
| | A | 265 |
| | B | 218 |
| | C | 253 |
| | D | 289 |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 38 | Question Description | Manoj covered a distance of 50 m towards the North. He then turned to his left and walked 20 m. He again turned left and walked 60m. Finally, he turned to his right at an angle of 45° . In which direction is he moving finally? |
| | A | South-East |
| | B | South-West |
| | C | North-West |
| | D | North-East |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 39 | Question Description | Choose a pair that represents a similar relationship to the one in the given below: Joke: Laughter::? |
| | A | Story: Mystery |
| | B | Horror: Fear |
| | C | Eyes: Tears |
| | D | Actor: Acting |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 40 | Question Description | In following questions, four capitalised words followed by four choices are given. One of the choices is associated with the four main words. Identify the word and mark its letter as your answer. MAKE AFFAIR LETTER SICK |
| | A | Soft |
| | B | Secret |
| | C | Love |
| | D | Leave |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |
| 41 | Question Description | Find the missing number in the series; 196, 169, 144, ____, 100, 81. |
| | A | 111 |
| | B | 131 |
| | C | 121 |
| | D | 141 |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 42 | Question Description | In the following question, a capitalised pair of words is given followed by five pairs of words. Select from choices the pair which exhibits the same relationship as the capitalised pair of words and mark its number as your answer. HERBS : MEDICINE |
| | A | Books : Knowledge |
| | B | Sounds : Radio |
| | C | Time : Watch |
| | D | Juice : Orange |
| | Correct Answer | A |
| | Marks | 1 |
| 43 | Question Description | Which of the following word can be formed from the word SOMOPHISCAL |
| | A | ACCOMPLISH |
| | B | COMPLAIN |
| | C | COSMOPOLISH |
| | D | None of the above |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 44 | Question Description | In following questions, four capitalised words followed by four choices are given. One of the choices is associated with the four main words. Identify the word and mark its letter as your answer. HOLE NOTE STONE BOARD |
| | A | Black |
| | B | Book |
| | C | Wall |
| | D | Key |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |
| 45 | Question Description | The angle between the minute hand and the hour hand of a clock when the time is 4.20, is |
| | A | 0° |
| | B | 10° |
| | C | 5° |
| | D | 20° |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

46

Question Description

Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

granamelke means big tree

pinimelke means little tree

melkehoon means tree house

Which word could mean “big house”?

A

granahoon

B

pinishur

C

pinihoon

D

melkegrana

Correct Answer

A

Marks

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| 47 | Question Description | What will come at the place of question mark? 8, 36, 184, 1108, ? |
| | A | 7700 |
| | B | 7730 |
| | C | 7760 |
| | D | 7790 |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 48 | Question Description | In this question, four words have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and the fourth one is different. Choose out the odd one? |
| | A | Tortoise |
| | B | Duck |
| | C | Snake |
| | D | Whale |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 49 | Question Description | In this question, four words have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and the fourth one is different. Choose out the odd one? |
| | A | Biscuits |
| | B | Chocolate |
| | C | Cake |
| | D | Bread |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 50 | Question Description | In this question, four words have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner and the fourth one is different. Choose out the odd one? |
| | A | Madagascar |
| | B | Thailand |
| | C | Cuba |
| | D | Greenland |
| | Correct Answer | B |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| Question Description | Window is to pane as book is to |
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| | |
|----------|-------|
| A | novel |
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| B | glass |
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| C | cover |
|----------|-------|

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| D | page |
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| Correct Answer | D |
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52

Question Description

In each of the following questions, a capitalised pair of words is given followed by five pairs of words. Select from choices the pair which exhibits the same relationship as the capitalised pair of words and mark its number as your answer.

ERUDITE : ILLITERATE

A

Love : Hatred

B

Lazy : Idle

C

Anger : Rage

D

Swift : Agile

Correct Answer

A

Marks

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| 53 | Question Description | In each of the following number series, a wrong number is given. Find out the wrong number. 3 9 23 99 479 2881 20159 |
| | A | 9 |
| | B | 23 |
| | C | 99 |
| | D | 479 |
| | Correct Answer | C |
| | Marks | 1 |

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| 54 | Comprehension | Study the following information to answer the given questions. In a five-letter English word (which may or may not be a meaningful English word, there are two letters between L and P. S is not placed immediately next to L. There is only one letter between S and A. S is towards the right of A. S is not placed immediately next to E. |
| | Question Description | Which of the following is correct with respect to the word thus formed? |
| | A | E is at one of the extreme ends of the word. |
| | B | P is not placed immediately next to A. |
| | C | There are two letters between A and E in the word thus formed. |
| | D | P is placed second to the right of E. |
| | Correct Answer | D |
| | Marks | 1 |

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Comprehension

Study the following information to answer the given questions.

In a five-letter English word (which may or may not be a meaningful English word, there are two letters between L and P. S is not placed immediately next to L. There is only one letter between S and A. S is towards the right of A. S is not placed immediately next to E.

Question Description

Which of the following words will be formed based on the given conditions?

A

SPAEL

B

PEALS

C

LEAPS

D

SEPAL

Correct Answer

C

Marks

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Comprehension

Questions are based on a set of conditions. In answering some of the questions, it may be useful to draw a rough diagram. Choose the response that most accurately and completely answers each question.

Five colleagues pooled their efforts during the office lunch-hour to solve the crossword in the daily paper.

Colleagues: Mr. Bineet, Mr. Easwar, Ms. Elsie, Ms. Sheela, Ms. Titli.

Answers: Burden, Barely, Baadshah, Rosebud, Silence.

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A Baadshah

B Silence

C Rosebud

D Barely

Correct Answer

B

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1

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B

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A

First

B

Second

C

Third

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D

Fourth

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C

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What was Easwar's number?

A

4 down

B

21 across

C

8 across

D

15 down

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D

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A

Barely

B

Burden

C

Silence

D

Rosebud

Correct Answer

A

Marks

1