



## EXIM BANK MANAGEMENT TRAINEE PREVIOUS QUESTION PAPER

1. In 6 hours the distance covered by Chulbul is 6 km more than the distance covered by Bulbul in 7 hours. In 7 hours the distance covered by Chulbul is 3 km less than the distance covered by Bulbul in 9 hours. In a race of 180 km, by what distance will Chulbul beat Bulbul?

- A. 24 km
- B. 36 km
- C. 30 km
- D. 48 km
- E. None of these

**Answer: B**

2. A mobile phone was sold at a profit of 20% on the cost price. If the mobile phone was sold at 10% lower than this price, then the profit would have been Rs. 600 less. At what price should the mobile phone be sold if one wants to gain 25% of the cost price?

- A. Rs. 5000
- B. Rs. 7500
- C. Rs. 7250
- D. Rs. 6250
- E. None of these

**Answer: D**

3. Three friends A, B, C started working together on a piece of work. Once half of the work was completed B left the work and then A and C complete the remaining work together in 10 days. If B had worked with A and C together only for 6 days, then in how many days B alone can complete the piece of work?

- A. 25 days
- B. 40 days
- C. 30 days
- D. 20 days
- E. Can't be determined

**Answer: C**

4. The ratio of length to breadth of a rectangle is 1 : 2. If the length of the rectangle is increased by 20% and again it is decreased by 30% then the area of the rectangle is decreased by 32 sq. cm. What is the perimeter of the original rectangle?

- A. 30 cm
- B. 90 cm
- C. 120 cm
- D. 60 cm
- E. None of these

**Answer: D**

5. 8 years ago, the ratio of A's age to B's age was 4 : 5. At present the ratio of B's age to C's age is 4 : 5. At present, the difference between A's age and C's age is 20 years , then what is the sum of the ages of A , B and C ?

- A. 138 years
- B. 152 years
- C. 164 years
- D. 148 years
- E. None of these

**Answer: D**

6. The length of a circular track is 800 m. Virat and Amresh started from the same point on the track and ran in opposite directions. Virat took 12 minutes to cover one kilometer while Amresh took only 9 minutes to cover the same distance. They kept running for 90 minutes. How many times did they cross each other?

- A. 10
- B. 20
- C. 21
- D. 30
- E. 31

**Answer: C**

7. The ratio between the length of Cuboid and the length of Rectangle is 3 : 2 and the ratio between the breadth of Cuboid and the breadth of Rectangle is 2 : 1. If the area of the Rectangle is 140 cm<sup>2</sup> and the height of the cuboid is 10 cm. find the volume of the cuboid.

- A. 2500 cm<sup>3</sup>
- B. 2100 cm<sup>3</sup>
- C. 4200 cm<sup>3</sup>
- D. 3400 cm<sup>3</sup>
- E. None of these

**Answer: C**

8. A shopkeeper purchased 15 kg of variety A rice at Rs. X per kg and 10 kg of variety B rice at Rs. (X + 5) per kg. The shopkeeper sold the whole quantity of variety A rice at 10% profit and that of variety B rice at 20% profit. The total selling price of

variety A rice was Rs. 30 more than that of variety B rice. Had the two varieties been mixed and sold at an overall profit of 20%, what would have been the selling price (per kg)?

- A. Rs. 25.00
- B. Rs. 23.20
- C. Rs. 24.20
- D. Rs. 26.40
- E. None of these

**Answer: D**

9. Tony, Monu and James completed a work together in 36 days and received a total payment of Rs. 54000. Tony took half of the total money, Monu took one third and James took remaining. In how many days, Tony and James would have finished the work if Monu was not working?

- A. 72 days
- B. 64 days
- C. 96 days
- D. 54 days
- E. Can't be determined

**Answer: D**

10. 1, 6, 13, 22, 33, ?

- A. 46
- B. 45
- C. 44
- D. 47

**Answer: A**

11. A manufacture undertakes to supply 2000 pieces of a particular component at Rs.25 per piece. According to his estimates, even if 5% fail to pass the quality tests, then he will make a profit of 25%. However as it turned out, 50% of the components were rejected. What is the loss to the manufacture?

- A. Rs 12,000
- B. Rs 13,000
- C. Rs 14,000
- D. Rs 15,000

**Answer: B**

12. Ram bought 30 liters of milk at the rate of Rs.8 per liter. He got it churned after spending Rs.10 and 5kg of cream and 30 liter of toned milk were obtained. If he sold

the cream at Rs.30 per kg and toned milk at Rs.4 per liter, his profit in the transaction is:

- A. 30%
- B. 20%
- C. 8%
- D. 40%

**Answer: C**

13. The sale price of an article including the sale tax is Rs. 616. The rate of sale tax is 10%. If the shopkeeper has made a profit of 12%, the cost price of the article is

- A. Rs 600
- B. Rs 515
- C. Rs 500
- D. Rs 550

**Answer: C**

14. When an article is sold for Rs.3400, there is a loss of 2%. What is the cost price of the commodity?

- A. Rs 3500.50
- B. Rs 3200
- C. Rs 3400.56
- D. Rs 3469.34

**Answer: D**

15. The marked price of a watch was Rs. 720. A man brought the same for Rs.550.80 after getting two successive discounts the first being 10%. What was the second discount rate?

- A. 12%
- B. 15%
- C. 18%
- D. 14%

**Answer: B**

16. Deepak bought a refrigerator with 20% discount on the labeled price. Had he bought it with 30% discount, he would have saved Rs. 500 more. At what price did he buy the refrigerator?

- A. Rs 12,500
- B. Rs 10,000
- C. Rs 15,000
- D. Rs 5000

**Answer: D**

17. If the S.P of Rs.40 results in a 20% discount on list price. What S.P would result in a 30% discount on list price?

- A. Rs 35
- B. Rs 18
- C. Rs 20
- D. Rs 27

**Answer: A**

18. A discount of 25% on one article is same as a discount of 50% on another article .The costs of two articles can be:

- A. Rs 30, Rs 20
- B. Rs 80, Rs 40
- C. Rs 90, Rs 40
- D. Rs 50, Rs 40

**Answer: B**

19. An article is listed at Rs. 2000 and a discount of 20% is offered on the list price .What additional discount must be offered to the customer bring the net price to Rs. 1400?

- A. 12%
- B. 10%
- C. 15%
- D. 12.5%

**Answer: D**

20. A shopkeeper gives 12% additional discount on the discounted price, after giving an initial discount of 20% on the labeled price of a mobile. If the final sale price of the mobile is 704. Then what is its labeled price?

- A. Rs 844
- B. Rs 920
- C. Rs 1000
- D. Rs 1100

**Answer: C**

21. The difference between the cost price and sale price of an article is Rs. 500 if the profit is 20%. The selling price is

- A. Rs 3000
- B. Rs 4000
- C. Rs 3300
- D. Rs 1500

**Answer: A**

22. A dealer sold a Radio at a loss of 2.5%. Had he sold it for Rs. 100 more, he would have gained 7.5%. To gain 12.5% he should sell it for

- A. Rs 1000
- B. Rs 2200
- C. Rs 1100
- D. Rs 1125

**Answer: D**

23. The cash difference between the selling price of an article at a profit of 8% and 4% is Rs 3 the ratio of the two selling price is

- A. 51 : 52
- B. 51 : 53
- C. 27 : 26
- D. 52 : 55

**Answer: C**

24. A man sells two flats at the rate of Rs. 2 lakhs each. On one he gains 3% and on the other, he loses 3%. His gain or loss % in the whole transaction is

- A. 9% loss
- B. 2% loss
- C. 3% loss
- D. 25% loss

**Answer: A**

25. A house and shop were sold for Rs. 1 lakh each. In this transaction the house sell resulted into 20% loss whereas the shop sell resulted into 20% of profit. The entire transaction resulted in:

- A. no loss no gain
- B. loss of Rs 4lakh
- C. loss of Rs 1/12 lakh
- D. gain of Rs 6lakh

**Answer: C**

26. Reshma purchased 120 chairs at price of Rs. 110 per chair. He sold 30 chairs at a profit of Rs. 12 per chair and 75 chairs at profit of Rs. 14 per chairs. The remaining chairs were sold at a loss of Rs. 7 per chairs. What is the average profit per table?

- A. Rs 10.56
- B. Rs 12.123
- C. Rs 12.67
- D. Rs 10.87

**Answer: D**

27. Raghu sold 10 sarees for a total profit of Rs. 460 and 12 sarees for a total profit of Rs. 144. At what profit per saree should he sell the remaining 20 sarees so that he gets an average profit of Rs. 18 per sarees?

- A. Rs 7.10
- B. Rs 7.99
- C. Rs 7.60
- D. D. Rs 8

**Answer: C**

28. Suresh purchased 20 dozen notebook at Rs. 48 per dozen. He sold 8 dozen at 10% profit and remaining 12 dozen with 20% profit. What is his profit percentage in the transaction?

- A. 8%
- B. 15%
- C. 16%
- D. 19%

**Answer: C**

29. A man purchased wheat worth Rs. 400. He sold  $\frac{3}{4}$  at a loss of 10% and the reminder at a gain of 10%. On the whole he gets:

- A. loss of 5%
- B. gain of 5
- C. loss of 19%
- D. loss of 6%

**Answer: A**

30. Reema buys dress for 10% less than its value and sells it for 10% more than its value. His gain or loss percent is:

- A. more than 20% profit
- B. no profit, no loss
- C. 20% profit
- D. less than 20% profit

**Answer: A**

## **GENERAL AWARENESS**

1. Who among the following can remove the governor of a state from office?

- A. Legislative Assembly
- B. President
- C. Parliament
- D. Supreme Court

**Answer: C**

2. The Part VI of constitution of India is not applicable to \_\_\_:

- A. Arunachal Pradesh
- B. Jammu & Kashmir
- C. Sikkim
- D. Goa

**Answer: B**

3. In which among the following cases, the Supreme Court of India propounded the theory of basic structure of the Constitution?

- A. Gopalan vs. State of Madras
- B. Golak Nath
- C. Keshvanand Bharati
- D. Minerva Mills

**Answer: B**

4. The 52nd amendment to the constitution of India is most closely related to \_\_\_:

- A. Extension of Reservations in Government Jobs
- B. Provision for special status to Tripura
- C. Provisions for increasing age of eligibility for voting
- D. Provisions against political defections

**Answer: D**

5. Which among the following are the three types of services envisaged in the Constitution of India?

- A. Navy Service, Air force Service and Army Service
- B. Civil Service, Military Service and Paramilitary Service
- C. All-India services, Central services and State services
- D. First Grade Service, Second Grade Service and Third Grade Services

**Answer: C**

6. In which year, Goa was formally assimilated in the territories of India by 12th Amendment Act, which made Goa, Daman & Diu a Union Territory?

- A. 1960
- B. 1961
- C. 1962
- D. 1963

**Answer: D**



7. The International Rice Research Institute is located in

- A. Indonesia
- B. Malaysia
- C. Philippines
- D. Thailand

**Answer: C**

8. Vijay Stambha is situated in

- A. Agra
- B. Jaipur
- C. Delhi
- D. Chittor

**Answer: D**

9. The Central Scientific Instruments Organisation is situated at

- A. Chennai
- B. Bangalore
- C. New Delhi
- D. Chandigarh

**Answer: D**

10. Where is the National Institute of Virology situated?

- A. Pune
- B. Kolkata
- C. Madras
- D. Delhi

**Answer: A**

11. The Indian Institute of Science is situated at

- A. Bombay
- B. Bangalore
- C. Ahmedabad
- D. Hyderabad

**Answer: B**

12. The central Scientific Instruments Organisation is situated at

- A. Chennai
- B. Bangalore
- C. Chandigarh

D. New Delhi

**Answer: C**

13. Author of Around the World in Eighty Days is

A. Jules Verne

B. Richard

C. U.S. Naipaul

D. Jules Verne

**Answer: A**

14. The author of Business @ Speed of Thought is

A. Dick Fransis

B. John Gray

C. Bill Gates

D. David Baldexi

**Answer: C**

15. Who among the following is the author of the book India Remembered?

A. J K Rowling

B. Robert Dallek

C. Pamela Mountbatten

D. Stephen HawKING

**Answer: C**

16. Who among the following wrote the poem Subh-e-Azadi?

A. Sahir Ludhiyanvi

B. Faiz Ahmed Faiz

C. Muhammad IQbal

D. Maulana abul kalam

**Answer: B**

17. Who wrote Devdas?

A. Bibhutibhushan Bandopadhyay

B. Saratchandra Chattopadhyay

C. Kalidasa

D. Surdas

**Answer: B**

18. Who said 'Man is a political animal'?

A. Socrates

B. Plato

- C. Dante
- D. Aristotle

**Answer: D**

19. Panchatantra has been written by

- A. Surdas
- B. Kalidas
- C. Vishnu Sharma
- D. Vishakhadatta

**Answer: C**

20. Who among the following is a famous literary writer in English?

- A. Arun Shourie
- B. K.A. Abbas
- C. Mulk Raj Aanand
- D. Kuldip Nagar

**Answer: C**

21. Valentine's Day is celebrated on

- A. Octomber 21
- B. December 14
- C. February 14
- D. November 21

**Answer: C**

22. No-Tobacco Day falls on

- A. June 30
- B. May 31
- C. April 30
- D. September 31

**Answer: B**

23. Mother Language Day was celebrated on

- A. March 3, 2000
- B. February 21, 2000
- C. February 29, 2000
- D. February 14, 2000

**Answer: B**

24. Press Freedom Day is celebrated on

A. May 1

B. May 2

C. May 3

D. May 4

**Answer: C**

25. World Red Cross Day falls on

A. May 3

B. May 8

C. May 10

D. May 11

**Answer: B**

26. Which one of the following days is observed as the World Environment Day?

A. 28th February

B. 4th March

C. 5th June

D. 16th September

**Answer: C**

27. Swami Vivekananda's birthday is observed in India as

A. World Religious Day

B. National Youth Day

C. All saints Day

D. Hindu Renaissance Day

**Answer: B**

28. Human Rights Day is observed on

A. December 10

B. December 14

C. December 25

D. December 28

**Answer: A**

29. Friendship day is celebrated on

A. August 1

B. August

C. August 5

D. August 8

**Answer: B**

30. When the World population Day is observed?

- A. June 7
- B. July 7
- C. July 11
- D. July 28

**Answer: C**

## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

1. She was a devoted wife and looked \_\_\_\_\_ her husband.

- A. at
- B. upon
- C. after
- D. for

**Answer: C.**

2. Good sleep is necessary \_\_\_\_\_ good health.

- A. from
- B. for
- C. of
- D. at

**Answer: B.**

3. My voice reverberated \_\_\_\_\_ the walls of the castle.

- A. from
- B. on
- C. with
- D. in

**Answer: A.**

4. A steady minds triumphs \_\_\_\_\_ difficulties.

- A. with
- B. at
- C. in
- D. over

**Answer: D.**

5. Exercise is beneficial \_\_\_\_\_ health.

- A. towards

- B. in
- C. for
- D. to

**Answer: D.**

6. A good judge never jumps \_\_\_\_\_ to conclusion.

- A. to
- B. at
- C. on
- D. for

**Answer: B.**

7. A good judge never gropes \_\_\_\_\_ the conclusion.

- A. in
- B. on
- C. for
- D. into

**Answer: C.**

8. The principal called \_\_\_\_\_ the names of the winners.

- A. at
- B. on
- C. for
- D. out

**Answer: D.**

9. The President was given a hearty welcome.

- A. cold
- B. warm
- C. warmly
- D. cordially

**Answer: B**

10. All that glitters are not gold.

- A. shining
- B. bright
- C. gleams
- D. gleaming

**Answer: D**

11. Perhaps there are several other bodies.

- A. a few
- B. some
- C. many
- D. a lot of

**Answer : C**

12. Most of the neighbours quarrel among themselves.

- A. chat
- B. dispute
- C. disputes
- D. altercation

**Answer: B**

13. Judges must not be partial.

- A. fairless
- B. unequal
- C. favouring
- D. biased

**Answer: D**

14. I teach him English

- A. SVA
- B. SVOO
- C. SVOC
- D. SVO

**Answer: B**

15. India become independent in 1947

- A. SVOA
- B. SVA
- C. SVOO
- D. SVAC

**Answer: B**

16. She was a friendly person

- A. SVA
- B. SVO
- C. SVOO
- D. SVC

**Answer: D**

17. Tell me your name

A. SVO

B. SV

C. VOO

D. SOC

**Answer: C**

18. The boys are playing foot ball now

A. SVOA

B. SVC

C. SVA

D. SVOC

**Answer: A**

19. Let us play.

A. can we?

B. do we?

C. shall we?

D. shalln't we?

**Answer: C**

20. Let us attend the party.

A. shall not we?

B. shall we

C. shan't we?

D. none of these

**Answer: B**

21. Arunkumar can play on violin?

A. does he?

B. could he?

C. can he?

D. can't he?

**Answer: D**

22. Radhika sang well.

A. can she?

B. does she?

C. didn't she?



D. is she?

**Answer: C**

23. I am honest.

A. didn't I?

B. am I?

C. am not I?

D. aren't I?

**Answer: D**

24. The electrician / is / do / writing work.

A. the electrician

B. is

C. do

D. writing work

**Answer: B**

25. Either suganya / nor Kanmani / has attended / the function.

A. either suganya

B. nor kanmani

C. has attended

D. the function

**Answer: A**

26. My friend / and myself / and myself / together now.

A. my friend

B. and myself

C. and myself

D. together now

**Answer: C**

27. The house / has been / built / in 2012.

A. the house

B. has been

C. built

D. in 2012

**Answer: B**

28. Girls usually / are taking / more time / for dressings.

A. girls usually

- B. are taking
- C. more time
- D. for dressings

**Answer: B**

29. I / am going / to theatre / now.

- A. i
- B. am going
- C. to theatre
- D. now

**Answer: C**

30. Suganya / sing / better than / Suriya.

- A. suganya
- B. sing
- C. better than
- D. suriya

**Answer: B**

### **COMPUTER AWARENESS**

1. Transmission of data in one direction is called

- A. simplex
- B. duplex
- C. triplex
- D. None of these

**Answer: A**

2. This type of memory is commonly called temporary or volatile storage

- A. ROM
- B. RAM
- C. Flash Memory
- D. Virtual Memory

**Answer: B**

3. Which of the following is NOT a famous operating system?

- A. Windows Vista
- B. Linux
- C. Sun OS
- D. Virtual Box

**Answer: D**

4. — is the heart of the computer and this is where all the computing is done.

- A. Keyboard
- B. Mouse
- C. Central Processing Unit
- D. Printer

**Answer:C**

5. Computer Keyboard is an example of

- A. input device
- B. output device
- C. input and output both
- D. none of these

**Answer: A**

6. What is the full form of IP?

- A. Internet program
- B. Internet protocol
- C. Interface program
- D. Interface protocol

**Answer:B**

7. Select the smallest memory size

- A. kilobyte
- B. megabyte
- C. gigabyte
- D. terabyte

**Answer:A**

8. The word length of a home computer is

- A. 8 bits
- B. 16 bits
- C. 32 bits
- D. 64 bits

**Answer:A**

9. The first commercially available computer is

- A. MACK
- B. IBM
- C. UNIVAC
- D. APPPLE

**Answer:C**

10. The micro processor was introduced in

- A. first generation computers
- B. second generation computers
- C. third generation computers
- D. fourth generation computer

**Answer:D**

11. KIS stands for

- A. Knowbot Information Services
- B. Knowbot Information Solutions
- C. Knowbot Information Security
- D. None of the above

**Answer:A**

12. Double precision variable can occupy

- A. 2 bytes
- B. 4 bytes
- C. 8 bytes
- D. 16 bytes

**Answer:C**

13. UNIVAC is an example of

- A. first generation computer
- B. second generation computer
- C. third generation computer
- D. fourth generation computer

**Answer:A**

14. Following performs modulation/demodulation

- A. fiber optic
- B. modem
- C. satellite
- D. coaxial cable

**Answer:B**

15. The alternative name for application software is

- A. utility software
- B. practical software
- C. end user software

D. specific software

**Answer:C**

16. A computer programmer is a person who

A. sells program

B. use programs

C. writes programs

D. None of these

**Answer:C**

17. Which of the following is the input device?

A. scanner

B. pointing Mouse

C. keyboard

D. all the above

**Answer:D**

18. The set of instructions that tells the computer what to do is

A. Softcopy

B. Hardware

C. Software

D. Hardcopy

**Answer:C**

19. In formatting, floppy is divided into

A. tracks

B. sectors

C. both and b

D. None of these

**Answer:C**

20. Multi programming operation provides

A. Handling of more jobs

B. Better scheduling of work

C. reduced computer idle time

D. All of the above

**Answer:D**

21. Direct Access Storage Device is also referred as

A. DISD

- B. DRDO
- C. DASD
- D. None of these

**Answer:C**

22. Laser printer is an example of

- A. impact printer
- B. electro thermal printer
- C. ink jet printer
- D. electro static printer

**Answer:D**

23. The personal computers are also referred as

- A. desktop micros
- B. palmtop computers
- C. advanced computers
- D. all the above

**Answer:A**

24. The Boolean operators of the Internet are

- A. NAND, NOT
- B. OR, XOR
- C. ADJ, AND
- D. All the above

**Answer:D**

25. LAT stands for

- A. Large Area Transmission
- B. Local Area Transmission
- C. Local Area Transport
- D. None of the above

**Answer:C**

Q.26. BCD stands for

- A. bits coded decimal
- B. binary coded decimal
- C. binary coded data
- D. bytes coded decimal

**Answer:B**

27. Punched cards were first introduced by

- A. Jacquard
- B. Pascal
- C. Hollerith
- D. Powers

**Answer:C**

28. One byte is equivalent to

- A. 8 bit
- B. 16 bit
- C. 32 bit
- D. 64 bit

**Answer:A**

Q.29. The number of bits in a word is known as

- A. word count
- B. word length
- C. bytes
- D. buffer

**Answer:D**

30. To move forward through the tabs

- A. SHIFT+TAB
- B. CTRL+SHIFT+TAB
- C. CTRL+TAB
- D. None of these

**Answer:C**

## **REASONING ABILITY**

1. Look at this series: 12, 11, 13, 12, 14, 13, ... What number should come next?

- A. 10
- B. 16
- C. 13
- D. 15

**Answer: D**

2. Look at this series: 36, 34, 30, 28, 24, ... What number should come next?

- A. 22
- B. 26
- C. 23

D. 20

**Answer: A**

3. Look at this series: 7, 10, 8, 11, 9, 12, ... What number should come next?

A. 7

B. 12

C. 10

D. 13

**Answer: C**

4. Look at this series: 2, 1, (1/2), (1/4), ... What number should come next?

A. (1/3)

B. (1/8)

C. (2/8)

D. (1/16)

**Answer: B**

5. Look at this series: 80, 10, 70, 15, 60, ... What number should come next?

A. 20

B. 25

C. 30

D. 50

**Answer: A.**

6. Which word does NOT belong with the others?

A. index

B. glossary

C. chapter

D. book

**Answer: D**

7. Which word is the odd man out?

A. trivial

B. unimportant

C. important

D. insignificant

**Answer: C**

8. Which word does NOT belong with the others?

A. wing

B. fin

C. beak

D. rudder

**Answer: C**

9. Which word is the odd man out?



- A. hate
- B. fondness
- C. liking
- D. attachment

**Answer: A.**

10. Pick the odd man out?

- A. just
- B. fair
- C. equitable
- D. biased

**Answer: D**

11. CUP : LIP :: BIRD : ?

- A. GRASS
- B. FOREST
- C. BEAK
- D. BUSH

**Answer: C.**

12. Paw : Cat :: Hoof : ?

- A. Lamb
- B. Horse
- C. Elephant
- D. Tiger

**Answer: B**

13. Safe : Secure :: Protect :

- A. Lock
- B. Guard
- C. Sure
- D. Conserve

**Answer: B.**

14. Melt : Liquid :: Freeze :

- A. Ice
- B. Solid
- C. Condense
- D. Push

**Answer: B.**

15. Parts : Strap :: Wolf :

- A. Flow
- B. Animal

C. Wood

D. Fox

**Answer: A**

16. An Informal Gathering occurs when a group of people get together in a casual, relaxed manner. Which situation below is the best example of an Informal Gathering?

A. A debating club meets on the first Sunday morning of every month.

B. After finding out about his salary raise, Jay and a few colleagues go out for a quick dinner after work.

C. Meena sends out 10 invitations for a bachelorette party she is giving for her elder sister.

D. Whenever she eats at a Chinese restaurant, Roop seems to run into Dibya.

**Answer: B.**

17. A Tiebreaker is an additional contest carried out to establish a winner among tied contestants. Choose one situation from the options below that best represents a Tiebreaker.

A. At halftime, the score is tied at 2-2 in a football match.

B. Serena and Maria have each secured 1 set in the game.

C. The umpire tosses a coin to decide which team will bat first.

D. RCB and KKR each finished at 140 all out.

**Answer: D**

18. The Sharks and the Bears each finished with 34 points, and they are now battling it out in a five-minute overtime.

A. When he is offered a better paying position, Jacob leaves the restaurant he manages to manage a new restaurant on the other side of town.

B. Catherine is spending her junior year of college studying abroad in France.

C. Malcolm is readjusting to civilian life after two years of overseas military service.

D. After several miserable months, Sharon decides that she can no longer share an apartment with her roommate Hilary.

**Answer: C**

Q19. Reentry occurs when a person leaves his or her social system for a period of time and then returns. Which situation below best describes Reentry?

A. When he is offered a better paying position, Javed leaves the hotel he manages to manage another one in a neighboring city.

- B. Charan is spending her final year of college studying abroad in China.
- C. Manan is readjusting to civilian life after 2 years of overseas merchant navy service.
- D. After 5 miserable months, Sneha decides that she can no longer share her room with roommate Hital.

**Answer: C**

Q20. Posthumous Award occurs when an award is given to someone, after their death. Choose one situation below as the best example of Posthumous Award.

- A. Late yesteryear actress Sridevi was awarded with a Lifetime Achievement Award posthumously in Filmfare 2019.
- B. Chitra never thought she'd live to receive a third booker prize for her novel.
- C. Emanuel has been honored with a prestigious literary award for his writing career and his daughter accepted the award on behalf of her deceased father.
- D. Meenal's publisher canceled her book contract after she failed to deliver the manuscript on time.

**Answer: A and C**

21. The 'A' state government has chalked out a plan for the underdeveloped 'B' district where 66% of the funds will be placed in the hands of a committee of local representatives.

Courses of action:

- I. The 'A' state government should decide guidelines and norms for the functioning of the committee.
  - II. Other state government may follow similar plan if directed by the Central government.
- A. If only I follows
  - B. If only II follows
  - C. If either I or II follows
  - D. If neither I nor II follows
  - E. If both I and II follow

**Answer: A**

22. The car dealer found that there was a tremendous response for the new XYZ's car booking with long queues of people complaining about the duration of business hours and arrangements.

Courses of action:

- I. People should make their arrangement of lunch and snacks while going for car XYZ's booking and be ready to spend several hours.
  - II. Arrangement should be made for more booking desks and increase business hours to serve more people in less time.
- A. If only I follows
  - B. If only II follows
  - C. If either I or II follows
  - D. If neither I nor II follows
  - E. If both I and II follow

**Answer: B**

23. The 'M' state government has decided hence forth to award the road construction contracts through open tenders only. Courses of action:

- I. The 'M' state will not be able to get the work done swiftly as it will have to go through tender and other procedures.
  - II. Hence forth the quality of roads constructed may be far better.
- A. If only I follows
  - B. If only II follows
  - C. If either I or II follows
  - D. If neither I nor II follows
  - E. If both I and II follow

**Answer: D**

24. Alert villagers nabbed a group of bandits armed with murderous weapons. Courses of action:

- I. The villagers should be provided sophisticated weapons.
  - II. The villagers should be rewarded for their courage and unity.
- A. If only I follows
  - B. If only II follows
  - C. If either I or II follows
  - D. If neither I nor II follows
  - E. If both I and II follow

**Answer: B**

25. 10 coaches of a passenger train have got derailed and have blocked the railway track from

both ends. Courses of action:

I. The railway authorities should immediately send men and equipment and clear the spot

II. All the trains running in both directions should be diverted immediately via other routes.

A. If only I follows

B. If only II follows

C. If either I or II follows

D. If neither I nor II follows

E. If both I and II follow

**Answer: E**

**26.** Statements: The old order changed yielding place to new.

Conclusions: Change is the law of nature.

Discard old ideas because they are old.

A. Only conclusion I follows

B. Only conclusion II follows

C. Either I or II follows

D. Neither I nor II follows

E. Both I and II follow

**ANSWER:A**

**27.** Statements: Government has spoiled many top-ranking financial institutions by appointing bureaucrats as Directors of these institutions.

Conclusions: The Government should appoint Directors of the financial institutes taking into consideration the expertise of the person in the area of finance.

The Director of the financial institute should have expertise commensurate with the financial

work carried out by the institute.

A. Only conclusion I follows

B. Only conclusion II follows

C. Either I or II follows

D. Neither I nor II follows

E. Both I and II follow

**ANSWER:C**

**28.** Statements: Prime age school-going children in urban India have now become avid as well as more regular viewers of television, even in households without a TV.

As a result, there has been an alarming decline in the extent of readership of newspapers.

Conclusions: Methods of increasing the readership of newspapers should be devised.

A team of experts should be sent to other countries to study the impact of TV. on the readership of newspapers.

- A. Only conclusion I follows
- B. Only conclusion II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

**ANSWER:D**

29. Statements: Any student who does not behave properly while in the school brings bad name to himself and also for the school.

Conclusions: Such students should be removed from the school. Discipline will not improve

behavior of the students.

- A. Only conclusion I follows
- B. Only conclusion II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

**ANSWER:D**

30. Statements: Use “Kraft” colors. They add color to our life. – An advertisement.

Conclusions: Catchy slogans do not attract people.

People like dark colors.. Only conclusion I follows

- A. Only conclusion II follows
- B. Either I or II follows
- C. Neither I nor II follows
- D. Both I and II follow

**ANSWER:D**