

DEVELOP MASTERY IN PARAJUMBLES

Parajumbles

500+ MCQ

With Detailed Explanation



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- All TCS asked questions
- All previous years: 15 years
- Model questions

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What is sentence rearrangement/para jumble?

- 1 They are jumbled sentences /paragraphs.
- 2 A sentence/paragraph is given but the parts are not in the right order.
- 3 Rearrange the parts so that they make sense.
- 4 Choose the most logical order from the given choices

There are different types of para jumble questions asked in exams.

Type 1 - Rearrangement of a single sentence broken into different parts.

Type 2 - Rearrangement of a single sentence of six parts where the first and last part is already done for you.

Type 3 -Rearrangement of a paragraph of six sentences where the first and last sentence is already done for you.

Type 4 - Rearrangement of a paragraph of four sentences

How to approach the questions?

1. Elimination is the most common and most effective technique.
2. Remember: Do not solve and find the right answer
3. Select the right option. Try to fit in the right option.

For Para Jumbles of a single sentence carefully note the available options.

Try to fit in the :

- (a) Helping verb / main verb after the subject. If the subject is incomplete, complete it.
- (b) Relative pronoun after the subject.
- (c) Several / Most of /A number of/ many of.....Will all be followed by a plural pronoun or by a plural noun.
- (d) If words used in pairs are given try to pair them.
- (e) A relative pronoun will be followed by a noun or a verb. (Relative pronoun are words like that, which, whose, who and whom)

Understanding the right Approach

AIM

1. Identify the chain of thought.
2. Understand the paragraph.
3. Get an idea of what the author is trying to say.

What is the “Right Approach”?

Understand the following three parts in a paragraph.

- (a) Identify the context.
- (b) Identify the main point in the paragraph. (Mainline of the paragraph, what the author is trying to put across)

(c)Details.

- Supporting arguments (Arguing the case)
- Visual description (Scene described)
- Time Sequence (Events narrated)

Ordering- Most common order :

- Context -Details -Main point
- Context - Main Points - Details

Keywords to search the central Part

Contrast type para jumble: However, yet, but, still, nevertheless, despite, in spite of, on the other hand, rather, barring, on the contrary, similar thought process, and, similarly, furthermore, besides, also, again, as well as, besides, likewise, moreover, similarly, consequently, too, therefore, thus, so, because, since, for instance, for example, above all, barring

Keywords to find the beginning sentence-beginners, first of all, to begin with, at the very beginning

Time sequence type para jumble- For now, for the time being, after that, as, in time, later on, meanwhile, next, when, then, soon, in the meantime, later, while, earlier, at the same time, simultaneously, firstly, secondly, thirdly....etc.

Keywords to find concluding part - afterward, in the conclusion, in the concluding part, with this in mind, after all, all in all, in totality, as a whole, to sum up.

Other keywords - This, that, these those

What to do with the keywords?

Key Words will help you to form the right logical pairs in the sentences.

What could be some logical pairs :

- 1.Noun + Pronoun
- 2.Statement + Example
- 3.Subject + Introductory part (Eg- Folk dances + A particular folk dance Garbha)
- 4.Two similar statements connected by and/also/In a similar way etc.
5. Two opposite statements connected by but /on the contrary / in spite of/despite etc.

How can this book prove to be a game-changer for an aspirant?

This book contains 500 Questions and each question has been explained in detail. The book begins with previous year questions. There are also four tests of 20 Questions each. Four tests of 25 questions each. And two tests of 50 questions each at the end. With every test, the score of the student should increase and he should be able to pick up the right keywords and use them properly. In the last two tests if the student does not commit more than two mistakes he is sure to score well in this section in the exams. Practice and more practice will make you perfect in this section. All the best.

Directions- The questions below consist of a set of labelled sentences/parts of sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentence/sentences to form a coherent sentence/paragraph.

Previous year Questions (SSC CGL Tier 1) 2020

- Q1.** A. However, the rate of the population increase is another important factor to consider.
B. This change can be expressed in two ways.
C. Growth of population refers to the change in the number of inhabitants of a country.
D. First, in terms of absolute numbers and second, in terms of percentage change.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) BADC (b) CADB
(c) CBDA (d) BDCA

- Q2.** A. However, they ignore the truth that progress and success are proportional to the labor they put in.
B. The general human tendency is to find fault in the policies framed by the government.
C. They blamed the government for their slow progress, expecting miracles and magical transformation in their life.
D. So people openly criticize and condemn the policymakers.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) BDCA (b) DBAC
(c) CDAB (d) ABCD

- Q3.** A. Can I borrow your camera?
B. I will give it back to you next week.
C. I am going to jungle safari tomorrow.
D. My friend told me that the jungle is beautiful these days.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CDAB (b) BACD
(c) ADBC (d) CADB

- Q4.** A. Nevertheless, sound health, economic security and mental satisfaction are desired by all
B. A change that is conducive to happiness may be termed as progress.
C. But different people find happiness in different things.
D. So, if a change contributes to the growth of these factors, it is progress.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BDCA (b) ABCD
(c) BCAD (d) DBCA

- Q5.** A. It requires physical endurance, which can be built with training and exercise.
B. Truly strong personalities meet challenges of life bravely and face hardships with equanimity.
C. However, the strength of character is a personality trait or a quality.
D. Physical strength is the ability to cope with a physically challenging task.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) BACD (b) CBAD
(c) DACB (d) DBCA

- Q6.** A. He then called out to the people but by then only a red glow was visible in the sky.
B. At first, he thought it was a stuck kite.
C. Bheema was visiting his fields when he spotted a rising disc shaped object.
D. But it started rising higher and emitted light, he was shocked.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 3 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) BACD (b) CDAB
(c) BDAC (d) CBDA

- Q7.** A. Eventually, she overcame adversities and achieved success.
B. She engaged herself in 'earn while you learn', finance scheme in her college.
C. She needed financial support to complete her graduation.
D. Rama was a very poor girl.

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[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) ABCD (b) ADCB
(c) DCBA (d) CBDA

Q8. A. "We are going to the market", declared Reetu and Geetu.

B. "Where are you going?" the father asked.

C. "Take your umbrella, it is going to rain", the mother said.

D. "Yes, definitely. We will," replied the two.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) ABDC (b) DCAB
(c) BACD (d) BCDA

Q9. A. They can then purchase them on subsidized rates with additional loan facilities.

B. It will import technologically advanced medical instruments and provide them to entrepreneurs.

C. The Indian Government has announced certain facilities in the budget session.

D. This will help in strengthening the economic condition of entrepreneurs.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BDCA (b) DADB
(c) CBAD (d) DCAB

Q10. A. This is because of its aroma, flavour and variety in the market.

B. Thus, it leads to poor health and mental disorders among children.

C. Children as well as teenagers are tempted towards junk food.

D. It has no or negligible nutritional value and high content of sugar and salt.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BCDA (b) ACDB
(c) CADB (d) CDAB

Q11. A. Upon returning from his travels, he was forced to live in a house where his large family lived.

B. Vaikom Muhammad Basheer was a Malayalam fiction writer from Vaikom in Kerala.

C. The household was always noisy and full of chaos, no place for a writer surely!

D. Apart from family members, myriads of domestic animals also treated the house as their own.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) BCAD (b) BCDA
(c) BADC (d) BDCA

Q12. A. Even the most ill-equipped laboratory would have been better than their shed.

B. Thus, they did not allow any difficulties to come in their way.

C. But their mind was set upon the discovery of radium.

D. The curies had to work in extreme poverty.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) DAC (b) ABCD
(c) ADBC (d) DBCA

Q13. A. Aesop was one of them who lived in Greece about 2500 years ago.

B. He told many interesting stories to the people.

C. There were many talented people in ancient Greece.

D. Although, he was very ugly, he had a very clever brain.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) BDAC (b) CADB
(c) CDBA (d) BADC

Q14. A. He is a gifted volleyball player.

B. But nowadays he does not play international matches.

C. It is because he had an accident last year.

D. Sanjay is my best friend.

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[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) DABC (b) DCAB
(c) CDBA (d) ABCD

- Q15.** A. Although I had a fear of water, I thought it was an important skill I should learn.
B. However, what I didn't realize was that it would also make me a more confident person.
C. I also thought it would be a good exercise that would make me physically stronger.
D. One of the hardest things I've had to do was to learn how to swim.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ACDB (b) DCBA
(c) DACB (d) BADC

- Q16.** A. During the celebration, many people display a set of ornamental dolls known as 'Hina' dolls.
B. Hinamatsuri is a celebration of the girls in Japan wishing them a bright future.
C. These royal-looking dolls are dressed in the clothing of the Heian period.
D. These dolls represent the Emperor, Empress and royal representatives.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ACBD (b) CDBA
(c) DBAC (d) BADC

- Q17.** A. There are many gadgets that are operated by a remote control and contain a silicon chip.
B. This produces an infra-red beam, made up of electromagnetic waves.
C. When a button is pressed on the remote control, the chip sets off an electromagnetic vibration.
D. The beam carries a coded signal for operating the systems.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) ADCB (b) ACDB
(c) ACBD (d) BACD

- Q18.** A. It is called the atmosphere.
B. All parts of the earth are surrounded by air.
C. Living beings breathe in and breathe out the air all the time.
D. This process is called respiration.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 5 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) CBAD (b) ACDB
(c) BACD (d) DACB

- Q19.** A. Much of this war had taken place along the Western Front.
B. Both sides had dug in deep and each lost many men over little ground.
C. This front was a line of trenches across which the two sides faced each other.
D. Andre Maginot had fought a war with the French against the Germans.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) BCDA (b) DBCA
(c) ACDB (d) DACB

- Q20.** A. The mountain range was covered with snow.
B. Napoleon had to cross the Alps in winter.
C. Napoleon replied that the word 'impossible' did not exist for him.
D. So, someone told Napoleon that the task was impossible.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) DBCA (b) BDCA
(c) ADBC (d) BADC

- Q21.** A. These lotteries organised by the State Governments sell dreams.
B. Lured by this, millions of poor people waste their hard-earned money.
C. Crores of rupees and gold are offered as prizes.
D. People buy lotteries hoping to become rich overnight.

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[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CBAD (b) CABD
(c) DACB (d) DBCA

Q22. A. These are generated by a violent undersea disturbance or ocean activity.

B. Once generated, they travel outward on the ocean surface in all directions.

C. A tsunami is made up of a series of very long waves.

D. Spreading thus, they look like ripples caused by throwing a rock in a pond.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CABD (b) BDCA
(c) CBDA (d) BADC

Q23. A. It provides training for the development of oral and aural skills and is a great supplement to classroom teaching.

B. Technology is growing very fast day by day and is contributing a lot towards improving communication skills.

C. Thus, it is the responsibility of a teacher to make the learners understand and their aim is to master the language, not the technology.

D. However, it can not be substituted for the conventional method of language teaching. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) BCDA (b) ACBD
(c) BADC (d) DACB

Q24. A. It was an honor as well as a relief to the family of the deceased.

B. The district collector announced a gallantry award and financial aid for his family.

C. A soldier died fighting in the battlefield.

D. The money was promptly disbursed from the Prime Minister's Relief Fund.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) CBDA (b) CDBA
(c) BACD (d) BCAD

Q25. A. It hurts the heart most of all by inflating blood pressure.

B. You can blow up and let it out or bottle it up and ignore it.

C. The question then arises- What to do about it?

D. Researchers have long agreed that anger hurts your health.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) BCAD (b) DACB
(c) CADB (d) DBCA

Q26. A. While he was doing this, he missed seeing a velvet purse full of gold coins lying on the road.

B. Ramesh always worried about how he would become sick and weak in old age.

C. To try how he would cope with blindness, Ramesh started walking with his eyes closed.

D. He feared that he might even lose his sight and go blind.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 March 2020 (Morning)]

- (a) DBAC (b) BCAD
(c) BDCA (d) CABD

Q27. A. I took a deep breath and inhaled the air.

B. It was a fine spring morning.

C. As soon as I entered the garden, lush green grass welcomed me.

D. The freshness in the air drew my feet towards a garden.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 March 2020 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BADC (b) ACBD
(c) CADB (d) CDAB

Q28. A. These baits were temptations that people couldn't resist.

- B. He evolved a theory that the world was a rat-trap.
C. Once, a peddler sat looking at his rat-traps.
D. Here, people lay baits for others.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 March 2020 (Evening)]

- (a) CBDA (b) CADB
(c) DACB (d) BDAC

Previous year Questions (SSC CGL Tier 1) 2019

Q29. A. The cafe's owner says he's interested in conservation and hopes customers will realise the animals are worth saving, even though they often have a bad reputation.

B. None of them are venomous, meaning customers can get up close and personal with the reptiles.

C. Here you sip your drink in the company of 35 snakes.

D. This cafe, which has just opened in Tokyo, is not for the faint-hearted.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) DBCA (b) DCBA
(c) ABCD (d) ABDC

Q30. A. An environmental group performed a necropsy on the animal and found about 40 kilograms of plastic, including grocery bags and rice sacks.

B. A 4.7-metre long whale died on Saturday in the Philippines where it was stranded a day earlier.

C. "It's very disgusting and heartbreaking," he said, "we've done necropsies on 61 dolphins and whales in the last 10 years and this is one of the biggest amounts of plastic we've seen."

D. "The animal died from starvation and was unable to eat because of the trash filling its stomach," said Darrell Blatchley, Director of D' Bone Collector Museum Inc.. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ABCD (b) DABC
(c) BADC (d) BACD

Q31. A. That sort of pollution, which is also widespread in other southeast Asian nations, regularly kills wildlife like whales and turtles that ingest the waste.

B. Environmental groups have tagged the Philippines as one of the world's biggest ocean polluters due to its reliance on single-use plastic.

C. In Thailand also, a whale died last year after swallowing more than 80 plastic bags.

D. In the latest case, a whale with 40 kilos of plastic trash in its stomach died on Saturday in southern Philippines where it was stranded a day earlier.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BCAD (b) BADC
(c) ABCD (d) DABC

Q32. A. The elephant tusks were tracked from the Democratic Republic of Congo for two months.

B. Customs officials in Thailand say it's the biggest seizure in the country's history.

C. Four tonnes of ivory, with a market value of \$6 million - it was an impressive haul.

D. Officials say they were being transported to Laos, from where they believed the ivory would be sold to customers across Asia.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CBAD (b) ACDB
(c) ABCD (d) CABD

Q33. (a) An estimated 70% of this plastic which enters the sea sinks.

(b) This is a problem that stretches far beyond India.

(c) Eight million tonnes of plastic ends up in the world's oceans every year, causing damage to the fragile ecosystem.

(d) And much of it is not biodegradable.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CADB (b) ABDC
(c) CDBA (d) ADBC

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Q34. A. And 844 million don't have access to clean water close to home, according to the latest report by WaterAid.

B. Around 4 billion people in the world live in physically water-scarce areas.

C. It is because globally we use six times as much water today as we did 100 years ago.

D. The world's water crisis is getting worse.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 4 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DACB (b) BDCA
(c) CADB (d) BADC

Q35. A. Mango, the so-called "king of fruits, is something of a national obsession in India.

B. There was a bumper crop of mangoes in different states.

C. It resulted in prices coming down and sales going up – much to the delight of buyers and sellers alike.

D. 2017 proved to be a very good year for mango lovers.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ADDB (b) CDAB
(c) CADB (d) ADCB

Q36. A. Around 600 million of them live in areas of high to extreme water stress.

B. India is suffering from the worst water crisis, with one billion people living in water scarcity.

C. This is even more than that of China and the US combined.

D. The reason is that at 24 per cent, India uses the most groundwater drawn out globally. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) BADC (b) ACBD
(c) ADCB (d) BDAC

Q37. A. In China, thousands of people celebrated it.

B. The Lunar New Year of the Pig began on 5th February.

C. Others burned the first joss sticks of the year to bring them good fortune.

D. Some performers re-enacted historical ceremonies.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ABC (b) BADC
(c) DABC (d) BDCA

Q38. A. Canada accounts for nearly one third of the world's production of newsprint.

B. Forest products, therefore, have been important export items of Canada for more than a century.

C. A large part of Canada is covered with coniferous trees.

D. Pulp and paper are the two most important forest products.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ABCD (b) DCAB
(c) CBDA (d) BACD

Q39. A. What was supposed to be a holiday of a lifetime turned into a dangerous experience for 1300 passengers on a cruise ship off the coast of Norway.

B. The Norwegian Government decided to evacuate the passengers with the help of helicopters.

C. The ship broke down in rough seas and high speed winds caused it to rock heavily from side to side.

D. From the first 371 evacuated passengers, 17 had to be taken to hospital.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ABCD (b) CBDA
(c) CABD (d) ACBD

Q40. A. It is one of the highly developed countries of the world.

B. It stretches from the Atlantic Ocean in the East to the Pacific Ocean in the west.

C. The USA consists of 50 states including Alaska and Hawaii.

D. The United States of America (USA) is the 4th largest country in the world.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 6 June 2019 (Evening)]

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- (a) ADCB (b) CBAD
(c) CBDA (d) DBCA

Q41. A. The move follows last week's fatal Ethiopian Airlines crash.
B. Aircraft manufacturer Boeing has grounded the entire global fleet of its 737 Max aircraft.
C. Last October, a plane from the Indonesia based carrier Lion Air had also crashed under similar circumstances.
D. That was the second time in 5 months a 737 Max has crashed.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ABCD (b) BCDA
(c) BADC (d) DABC

Q42. A. However, new research shows that taking the dog for a walk can have its downside for seniors.
B. Dogs are great companions and provide a healthy excuse to go for a walk and get a bit of exercise.
C. It once seemed common sense to believe that having and walking a dog was good for older people.
D. A report published in an American medical journal says injuries among seniors related to dog-walking are becoming increasingly prevalent.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ABCD (b) CBAD
(c) CABD (d) ADCB

Q43. A. Since then Boeing has received over 5000 orders for the aircraft and has delivered 371 to date.
B. The Max first started flying commercially in 2017.
C. Boeing has huge hopes for its 737 aircraft and viewed it as a key part of its future.
D. However, the company's market value has plummeted by nearly \$26 billion since the crash in Ethiopia. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ABCD (b) CBAD
(c) DCBA (d) BCDA

Q44. A. It has been a leading producer of both industrial and agricultural goods.
B. The United States of America holds a dominant position in the world because of its high economic development.
C. Because of its enormous output, the United States has a major share in world trade.
D. It is also a leader in the development and application of innovative technology.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BCAD (b) ABCD
(c) BACD (d) DABC

Q45. A. What can we do to avoid anger and provocation?
B. Anger and tension are prevalent due to conflicts arising out of these differences.
C. The society is full of people who think and act differently.
D. We need to develop in ourselves the capacity for conversion to turn negative experiences into positive thinking. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ACBD (b) CBAD
(c) CADB (d) ABDC

Q46. A. Only the fittest creatures can survive while competing for the food.
B. Why do some species survive and others become extinct?
C. His answer was that there is ceaseless struggle for life among all creatures.
D. This was the question that Darwin asked himself?

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 7 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ADCB (b) ABDC
(c) BDCA (d) BCDA

Q47. A. For a split second, as the stranger stepped into the light, his furry head was clearly visible.
B. At first, all seemed still outside the house, except the sound of the rain.

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C. Recognizing him, Joe stood petrified staring at the man wearing a long coat , wet from rain.
D. But then, footsteps approached the house and a stranger emerged out of the darkness.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CABD (b) BCDA
(c) DACB (d) BDAC

Q48. A. The students often go about their business , singing along in the corridors.
B. But for the students of St. Ambrose High School, it no longer dictates their day.
C. A bell can sound gloomy or cheerful depending on when it is rung.
D. It has been scrapped in favour of music which now breaks up the timetable of the school.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CADB (b) BDAC
(c) CBDA (d) ACBD

Q49. A. Here, the picture perfect French Quarter and heritage laden Tamil streets blend into one another.
B. The conflict of coexistence is evident in many metropolitan cities.
C. The old and new, like two different worlds, surviving side by side yet never crossing the chasm.
D. There is a place through - Puducherry, where contrasts are celebrated like nowhere else.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BACD (b) BCDA
(c) DCBA (d) CDAB

Q50. A. European cloth manufacturers therefore had to depend on a plant called woad to make dyes.
B. However, cloth dyers preferred indigo which produced a rich blue colour.
C. Being a plant of the temperate zones, woad was easily available in Europe.
D. Indian indigo was very expensive and only small quantities reached the European markets.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBDA (b) DCAB
(c) ACBD (d) DACB

Q51. A. Soon, flames ignited the wooden beams of the grand palace built by Xerxes.
B. Men and women holding aloft flaming torches, raced up and down the palace terraces.
C. When the fire died out, all that remained of the magnificent palace were the stone columns.
D. Looters fought off the heat of the inferno to drag out gold and silver vessels.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BADC (b) BCAD
(c) CDBA (d) ACBD

Q52. A. It was very unusual that boys were not supposed to be out of school at this late hour.
B. He moved closer to the boy in anger so that he could recognise the miscreant and punish him.
C. He felt angry as teachers ought to be about school rules being broken.
D. Mr. Oliver, the school teacher saw a lonely boy sitting on a rock, weeping soundlessly.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 10 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DBAC (b) DACB
(c) ABCD (d) ACBD

Q53. A. The brain is active too during sleep, sending messages for the heart to beat regularly.
B. However, the body utilizes the sleeping time effectively.
C. We spend about one third of our time sleeping.
D. It produces energy and releases hormones for repair and growth during the night.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBDA (b) BADC
(c) ABDC (d) CABD

Q54. A. But they faced grave danger if they tried to criticize these decisions.
B. The nationalists now began to openly criticize the policies of the British.

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C.The freedom movement changed this situation.

D.Under colonial rule, the people had lived in fear of the British government and did not agree with many of the decisions that they took.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBAD (b) DBAC
(c) BADC (d) DACB

Q55. A.Then, they spread as the unmined coal starts burning with oxygen drawn from pores and mine shafts.

B.An entire township- Jharia is to be relocated because of the uncontrollable underground fires.

C.These fires start mostly from burning trash close to coal pits.

D.This is a grave threat as poisonous fumes of carbon monoxide rise up from underground.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BCAD (b) CDAB
(c) DCAB (d) BDAC

Q56. A.But the rest of the students were rushing past her for a break, like she didn't exist.

B.She slowly pushed open the library door and took a seat at one of the tables in the corner.

C.And today, Jessica really felt like maybe she didn't exist.

D.When the bell rang for lunch, Jessica took her lunch box and started moving towards the library. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) DACB (b) BDCA
(c) DBCA (d) CADB

Q57. A.The first of these states that the only way to have a friend is to be one.

B.Like all relationships, it is also governed by some well defined principles.

C.Friendship is one of the most coveted relationships on Earth.

D.Thus, one must be reliable as a friend to expect reliability in others.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ACBD (b) CBAD
(c) BDAC (d) CDBA

Q58. A.But that is for an emotional reason.

B.Learning our mother tongue is important and everyone should start there.

C.This is because proficiency in the language can lead to better opportunities.

D.Learning English, however, is important for practical reasons.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 11 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DBAC (b) DACB
(c) BDCA (d) BADC

Q59. A.Lyrics help in creating a distinctive narrative, some conventions of which have been carried over from the talkies era.

B.Thus, songs have outlived films in people's memories.

C.However, songs seem to have acquired a musical grammar of their own, establishing an emotional chord with the listeners.

D.In popular Indian cinemas, lyrics are to music what the heart is to the body.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ABCD (b) DCBA
(c) DACB (d) ADBC

Q60. A.So, I had thoughts of setting up an Indian restaurant there with my wife's support.

B.It took us two months to redesign the place to suit our needs.

C.One of the things I really missed when I set home in Maryland, was a restaurant that served authentic Indian food.

D.I decided to pursue this idea seriously and bought an old building downtown.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) BCDA (b) CADB

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- (c) CBAD (d) DACB

Q61. A. This network of stories is known in academic circles as 'fiction' or 'imagined realities'.

B. However, an imagined reality is not a lie.

C. Over the years, people have woven an incredibly complex network of stories.

D. Within this network fiction not only exists but also accumulates immense power.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CADB (b) DBAC
(c) ADBC (d) DBCA

Q62. A. If the milk becomes too thick add more milk.

B. Finally, add more sugar and nuts, and your kheer is ready.

C. Boil milk in a heavy-bottomed pan and add rice.

D. Cook for about twenty minutes stirring every once in a while till the mixture thickens. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) BADC (b) CDAB
(c) DACB (d) ADCB

Q63. A. When we can't laugh at the same joke again, why should we cry over the same.

B. One day he told them a joke and everyone roared with laughter.

C. People came to a wise man to complain about the same problems every time.

D. When he repeated the joke twice, nobody laughed anymore.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DBCA (b) BACD
(c) ADBC (d) CBDA

Q64. A. The market which has remained clogged with vehicles was all clear for pedestrians.

B. The road has even been marked with stripes demarcating space for hawkers.

C. It is also lined with beautiful potted plants to give it a green look.

D. Visitors to the busy Karol Bagh market in Delhi were in for a surprise.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 12 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DCBA (b) DABC
(c) ADBC (d) BDAC

Q65. A. Its value is linked to what it is being used for

B. Such questions often baffle you.

C. How emotional should one get about money and its value?

D. Money on its own has no value, until you have some use for it.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CABD (b) DBAC
(c) CBDA (d) ACDB

Q66. A. Only natural dyes are used in Kalamkari and it involves several steps.

B. There are two distinctive styles of Kalamkari in India

C. They are the SriKalahasti style and the Machilipatnam style

D. Kalamkari is a type of hand-painted or block-printed cotton textile, produced in the Indian States of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBDA (b) DABC
(c) ACBD (d) DCBA

Q67. A. He would sit at the edge of her mother's bed and stare into her crib.

B. Arvind bumbled down the interminable corridor, suddenly reminded of his daughter in the days after she was born.

C. As a proportion to the fragment of life his daughter had seen, an hour was a vast sprawling space.

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D. Some days he would imagine the world through her eyes and he would feel in his heart how long an hour actually was.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a)BCDA (b)BADC
(c)DACB (d)ABCD

Q68. A. It is a popular tourist spot for watching the sunset and sunrise over the ocean

B. Kanyakumari is a coastal town in the State of Tamil Nadu on India's southern tip

C. It is also a noted pilgrimage site, thanks to its Bhagavathi Amman Temple and Our Lady of Ransom Church, a centre of Indian Catholicism

D. Jutting out into the Laccadive sea, the town was known as Cape Comorin during the british rule. [SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ACDB (b) DCAB
(c) BDAC (d) BCDA

Q69. A. Once the formalities are done, you can start using your account and save time and money.

B. Opening a bank account can seem intimidating.

C. Getting your account opened is just a matter of providing certain details and funding your account.

D. Fortunately, most banks follow a standardized process.

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BDCA (b) BADC
(c) CBDA (d) ADBC

Q70. A. A man on a bike had to ride on the pavement.

B. when he tried to plunge onto the road, a car hit him

C. As the bus inched through the evening life, the traffic grew

D. There was no space on the road any more

[SSC CGL-Tier-1 - 13 June 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CBAD (b) DBCA
(c) ADBC (d) CDAB

Previous year Questions (SSC CGL Tier 2) 2019

Q71. A. She was a tall woman and she carried a large purse.

B. Suddenly a boy ran up behind her and tried to snatch her purse.

C. It was 11 o' clock at night and a woman was walking alone.

D. It had a long strap, and she carried it slung across her shoulder.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) CADB (b) DCBA
(c) ACDB (d) DBCA

Q72. A. Security cameras captured the whole incident.

B. Commuters in Virginia, USA got a shock when a deer entered a metro station.

C. However, it eventually backed out and ran away unharmed.

D. Nobody knows how it made it into the station.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) BADC
(c) BDCA (d) ADCB

Q73. A. It is because nowadays people have no time to recreation.

B. But this pastime is getting out of favour now.

C. It is really a thrilling exercise.

D. Flying kites is my favourite pastime.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) CDAB
(c) DBAC (d) BCDA

- Q74.** A. If we drove 10 kilometers along the road that branched off to the right, we would reach Barhampur.
B. Aditya and I were returning from the site of our new factory.
C. We had reached a point where the road bifurcated.
D. We were driving along National Highway 40.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) CDDB (b) BDAC
(c) BDCA (d) ACBD

- Q75.** A. They appeared to be posing for 'selfies'.
B. An expeditioner had left it sitting on the ice while he visited a rookery.
C. In Antarctica, two penguins found a video camera.
D. The penguins curiously stared down at the camera.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) CBDA (b) CADB
(c) DACB (d) BCDA

- Q76.** A. Mr. Adams was very proud of it and insisted on an inspection by everyone.
B. The vault was a very small one but it had a new patented door.
C. It fastened three solid steel bolts thrown simultaneously with a single handle, and had a time lock.
D. The Elmore Bank had just put in a new safe and vault.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) ADBC
(c) ABCD (d) DABC

- Q77.** A. I caught a snake once.
B. That well is full of snakes.
C. I caught it by its tail and dropped it in the old well.
D. Whenever we catch one, instead of killing it, we drop it in the well.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) CBDA
(c) ACBD (d) BACD

- Q78.** A. There were some mangoes lying beside him.
B. She looked at the mangoes longingly.
C. Romi was growing fast and was nearly always hungry.
D. Just as he was about to eat one, Kamla came along.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) ABCD (b) BCAD
(c) CBDA (d) CADB

- Q79.** A. It was tossed high on the waves.
B. A violent storm rocked the sea.
C. The helpless people aboard the ship plunged into the sea.
D. Fierce winds struck a sailing ship.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) DABC
(c) BDCA (d) BDAC

- Q80.** A. I learnt to push Lily's wheelchair.
B. I stopped the chair in front of the pond and watched Lily roll her eyes to see the ducks.
C. All of a sudden, the wheel chair shook violently.
D. One afternoon, I wheeled her to the park.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DACB (b) DBAC
(c) ABCD (d) ADBC

- Q81.** A. Flying Kites is an old world sport.
B. This sport involves a lot of risk.
C. So, one has to be very cautious and skilful.
D. It was quite popular during the days of the Nawabs.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) BDCA (b) BACD
(c) ABDC (d) ADBC

- Q82.** A. The other day we entered the city's only Jewish cemetery.
B. But then, it should not be a surprise.
C. We were astonished to discover how tiny it was.
D. Although Jewish people have lived in India for generations, they are one of the nation's tiniest minorities.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) DCBA
(c) ADBC (d) ACBD

- Q83.** A. The officers are looking to reunite the dog with his owner.
B. Eventually, the police caught the Chihuahua.
C. A police officer on a motorcycle chased the dog.
D. A Chihuahua ran across California's San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) CDAB
(c) ABCD (d) DBCA

- Q84.** A. Due to the movie, tourists started coming to the beach there.
B. Maya Bay in Thailand was in the media in 1999 when Hollywood arrived there to film 'The Beach'.
C. One of the film's actors was Leonardo Di Caprio.
D. As many as 4,000 visitors would arrive on boats everyday.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) CBDA
(c) ABCD (d) CABD

- Q85.** A. On Saturday the 10th, Typhoon Lekima made landfall in China's Zhejiang province.
B. This province is often hit with typhoons, but this storm was its strongest ever.
C. The typhoon brought winds of up to 116mph, and floods affected almost 5 million people.
D. More than 1 million people were evacuated from their homes.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) ABCD (b) BDCA
(c) ADBC (d) CBAD

- Q86.** A. After around 20 minutes of the crash, the tanker caught fire and exploded.
B. On Saturday, an oil tanker in Tanzania lost control and overturned on a busy road.
C. Around 150 people gathered near the tanker and some of them tried to siphon away some fuel.
D. At least 61 people died and 70 more were injured.

[SSC CGL Tier II 12 September 2019]

- (a) DCAB (b) BCAD
(c) DBAC (d) BACD

- Q87.** A. They also believe that one must not hold on to things if one doesn't use them and love them anymore.
B. Finally it's a very good idea to give the things to someone who can and will use them.
C. They further advise that one can begin the process of decluttering by first checking if the things one wishes to give away are still usable and valuable.
D. Minimalists believe that clutter causes a lot of stress and wastes precious space.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) ABDC

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- (c) DACB (d) CADB

Q88. A. As soon as she was given the slippers, she broke into a dance strutting around in her first ever pair of slippers.

B. This story may seem strange but it is a fact that, in many villages of India, people don't have anything to put on their feet.

C. Goonj, a leading NGO of India, runs a cloth for Work Scheme and gives clothes and useful items in exchange for work done.

D. Recently, as part of the scheme, an old lady in a Madhya Pradesh village was given a pair of slippers.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) DACB (b) CABD
(c) CDAB (d) DBAC

Q89. A. The home then was a bungalow, single storied and bounded by walls.

B. He states that in the early 1950's houses in most cities relied on the bungalow model.

C. According to Gautam Bhatia, a leading architect we need to bring about a radical change in our model of housing.

D. Sadly, nearly 70 years later after a 100-fold increase in city population, density and land value we still persist on the same outmoded model

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) CBAD (b) CDAB
(c) DBAC (d) CDBA

Q90. A. But today adults as well as a growing number of young parents are cutting down on intake of sugar.

B. Until about two decades ago, becoming careful about sugar was only for diabetics.

C. Thus going zero on sugar is fast becoming a popular trend for all.

D. Before joining this trend doctors advise that we all need to find out whether all sugars are harmful.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) BACD (b) CDAB
(c) ABDC (d) DBAC

Q91. A. Unfortunately this resulted in his going to jail.

B. As a child he always landed in trouble.

C. Louis Armstrong was a famous jazz musician.

D. Once he found a pistol and fired it in the street.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) CBAD (b) CBDA
(c) BCAD (d) DABC

Q92. A. His death was a cause of great speculation.

B. Edgar Allan Poe was a famous American author.

C. Within a few days of being found, he died mysteriously on Oct7, 1849.

D. He had gone missing on October 3, 1849 and was found a few days later.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) CDBA (b) BADC
(c) BCDA (d) DBCA

Q93. A. This record of migration is one of the greatest natural events on earth.

B. Each Autumn, millions of Monarch butterflies leave their breeding grounds in the US and Canada.

C. The migration of the Monarch butterfly is an amazing phenomenon.

D. They travel over 3000 miles to reach their winter habitat in Mexico.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) ADBC (b) CBDA
(c) DCBA (d) ABDC

Q94. A. Next, step by step from the shallow waters you are gradually guided to dive in safe areas.

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B. This 'dry' lesson is followed by wearing the gear and then entering shallow waters to practice basic scuba diving skills.

C. The Discover Scuba Diving tour starts with a 30 minute lesson on teaching basic skills outside water.

D. Finally, what is most reassuring about the whole tour is that your instructor is always by your side to monitor you till the end of the session.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) CABD (b) ABDC
(c) ABCD (d) CBAD

Q95. A. Despite this, he was very good at delegating work.

B. No wonder his films were universally acclaimed.

C. A Satyajit Ray film was solely his film.

D. Even after delegation, he was involved in every aspect of the film.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) DACB (b) CDDB
(c) CADB (d) ABDC

Q96. A. One of the crocodiles was four feet long and almost six years old.

B. Post this announcement a video of a crocodile attacking a dog has gone viral causing people to panic further.

C. The authorities have announced that more crocodiles would be sighted once the waters recede.

D. After the monsoon deluge the Forest Department of Vadodara has so far rescued three crocodiles which had swum into residential areas.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) BDAC (b) ADBC
(c) DACB (d) DCAB

Q97. A. Its chief feature is that the reader is given the opportunity to play along and engage in the process of deduction.

B. A whodunit is a kind of detective story made famous by Agatha Christie.

C. Thus, along with the protagonist the reader is also involved in solving the case.

D. As the reader goes along he/she takes note of the clues, deduces and tries to identify the criminal before the climax.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) ABCD (b) BDAC
(c) DABC (d) BADC

Q98. A. These tribes believe that they can communicate with dead ancestors only through this language.

B. Today, linguists call such a language an "isolated" language.

C. Zuni is a language spoken only by the Zuni tribes.

D. It is remarkable that these tribes have been able to preserve their language.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) BCDA (b) ADCB
(c) CADB (d) DABC

Q99. A. The most helpful thing you can do is to hold someone's hand when they most need it.

B. Also, jotting down notes for your seniors on ward rounds is probably not the most important thing.

C. My first year as a doctor in the U.K. is over and this is what I have learnt.

D. No matter what anyone tells you, writing that urgent discharge summary is not the most important thing you will do today.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) DBAC (b) CDDB
(c) ABDC (d) CBAD

Q100. A. In those allotted minutes the directors have the freedom to interpret the segments in their own unique way.

B. The play has been divided into segments of 10 minutes each by the directors.

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C.Eight young directors, over 50 actors and one landmark play-Hayavadana.

D.This unique collaboration is a tribute to the playwright Girish Karnad.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) BACD (b) CDBA
(c) ADBC (d) CABD

Q101. A.Furthermore, make sure that you give some vivid details of the city making it as real as you can.

B.For example, if it begins in a city, give details about the city.

C.First of all make it as specific as possible.

D.While writing a story or a novel the setting is very important.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) DCBA (b) CABD
(c) ACBD (d) DABC

Q102. A. Therefore an advanced ambulance needs to reach the patient immediately.

B.A cardiac arrest, as is well known, needs revival within 4 minutes.

C.A question often asked by us in India is whether we will get timely health care in an emergency.

D.But even in Delhi, the capital city, a patient does not get emergency care.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) ABDC (b) BCAD
(c) CDAB (d) CBAD

Q103. A. Some of the Vitamin A rich sources of foods are carrots, broccoli, spinach, fish and meat.

B.An American research study has found that Vitamin A intake can lower risk of skin cancer.

C.It suggests that we should consume a diet with fruits and vegetables.

D.This study has been published in JAMA Dermatology.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) ABDC (b) BDCA
(c) BADC (d) CABD

Q104. A. This lovable big cat is all ready to charm kids in a film version.

B. 'The Tiger who Came to Tea' is Judith Kerr's best selling book, having sold 5 million copies.

C. He ends up making a delightful nuisance of himself.

D. The story is about a tiger who pops by for tea.

[SSC CGL Tier II 11 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) BDCA
(c) CDBA (d) ACDB

Q105. A. Using his mother's show-business contacts, Charlie became a professional entertainer in 1897.

B. He spent his early childhood with his mother, the singer Hannah Hall, after she and his father separated.

C. Even today Charlie is widely regarded as the greatest comic artist of the screen and one of the most important figures in motion-picture history.

D. Charlie Chaplin was born on April 16, 1889 in London and named after his father, a British music-hall entertainer.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) CBDA (b) CABD
(c) DABC (d) DBAC

Q106. A. New ideas on marketing were brainstormed and all the members agreed to try them forthwith.

B. Upon their return from an off-site camp Ravi and Sunil decided to hold a meeting.

C. As soon as everyone assembled, the meeting which lasted for four hours, began.

D. Its purpose was to replace some of the old ways of marketing used by the company with new ones.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) ACBD (b) BDAC
(c) CDBA (d) BCDA

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- Q107.** A. There is a story about an ancient Indian sage who was called ugly names by a passerby.
B. The sage then said, "Well then, I have not accepted your offering" and walked away.
C. He finally asked the man, "If an offering is not accepted who does it belong to?" at which the man replied, "To the person who offered it."
D. The sage listened unperturbed till the man ran out of words.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) CABD (b) ACDB
(c) DCBA (d) ADCB

- Q108.** A. It was called the 'take ownership' programme, and it worked.
B. The programme was a huge success in reviving the corporate culture of the bank and in reviving the bank's stock price.
C. My colleagues and I felt and behaved like owners, because we actually were.
D. I once worked for a large bank that gave stock options to all of its employees.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) CDDB (b) DACB
(c) ADCB (d) CABD

- Q109.** A. This move is part of the government's reform agenda for PSBs under Enhanced Access and Service Excellence Programme (EASE) 2.0.
B. Banks have already agreed to keep branches operational for customers for uniform working hours in one location and this will be another step towards standardising operating hours.

C. Under EASE a banker's panel has recommended that every region adopt one of three six-hour time slots — 9 am to 3 pm, 10 am to 4 pm or 11 am to 5 pm.

D. Public sector banks (PSBs) across the country will soon have standard operating hours as per a recent move.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BCDA (b) CDDB
(c) DCBA (d) DACB

Q110. A. In the study, researchers found that kids who experienced their growth spurt late had lower than average bone density in young adulthood.

B. Teens who hit puberty late may end up with weaker bones, a new study finds.

C. However, they continue to have lower bone strength even after they finish growing and may be at greater risk for osteoporosis in adulthood.

D. These later maturing teens do catch up with early maturing teens in terms of bone strength. [SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) ACDB (b) BADC
(c) BCDA (d) ADCB

Q111. A. Having cancer is often one of the most stressful experiences in a person's life.

B. They also allow people to learn from others facing similar situations.

C. The groups are gaining popularity these days as they allow volunteers to talk with those who are living with cancer.

D. But these days there are support groups that help patients cope with the emotional aspects of cancer by providing an opportunity to share feelings and challenges they face with others. [SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) CBDA (b) ADCB
(c) DCBA (d) ACBD

Q112. A. The ingredients must therefore be of the finest quality and in the right proportions.

B. When you have them right and keep practicing you are sure to bake some of the yummiest cakes.

C. Success in life is just like baking a cake that requires many things.

D. Firstly, unless you have the right ingredients and recipe it is not going to work.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BADC (b) CDAB
(c) CABD (d) BCDA

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Q113. A. Creating a relaxing bedroom environment is very important too, and this can be done using a calming, subtle fragrance..

B. It is possible to retrain your brain to have a sound sleep.

C. This is possible if you make sure your room is undisturbed, quiet and dark.

D. Start by regulating the times you go to bed and get up.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BDCA (b) ADBC
(c) BCAD (d) DACB

Q114. A. Spoon the brownie batter into the prepared pan and bake for 30 to 40 minutes.

B. Now beat in eggs and vanilla extract, and add cocoa and mix until well combined.

C. To make chocolate chip brownies mix together melted butter, brown sugar and white sugar using a wooden spoon or hand mixer. D. Next, stir in flour and salt and mix until flour is incorporated, and then add some chocolate chips.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) CDBA (b) ACDB
(c) CABD (d) ADCB

Q115. A. She started the Udaipur-based organisation Shikshantar to create a space for self directed learning called 'unschooling'.

B. It also organizes week-long camps where children involve themselves in local communities and interact with other kids who don't attend school.

C. Nidhi Jain has been an unschooling parent for over two decades.

D. The organisation arranges everything from internships in filmmaking to cooking for unschooled kids.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) DBAC (b) CBAD
(c) ACDB (d) CADB

Q116. A. "It's sort of cool to be on a ship but even more amazing is this Earth we live on," Williams remarked as she described life on a spaceship to eager kids.

B. Williams, who is set to be one of the first to fly aboard Boeing's Starliner spacecraft in November 2019, was introduced at the festival by former NASA astronaut Mike Massimino .

C. On Sept. 22, 2018 NASA astronaut Sunita Williams — a veteran of two long-duration space flights — talked to families and space enthusiasts about space travel.

D. She was speaking at the Intrepid Air, Sea & Space Museum during the recent Space & Science Festival.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BCDA (b) CDBA
(c) CBDA (d) BACD

Q117. A. According to hair loss experts, excess DHT drastically increases collagen production in the hair follicle.

B. Hair loss can be traced to an increase of internal Dihydrotestosterone (DHT) and collagen production.

C. Eventually, collagen blocks the pore completely causing a lack of necessary blood flow due to which your hair loses its sheen, thins down and finally you lose your hair completely.

D. When too much collagen lines the interior of the follicle, it narrows the pores, decreases blood flow and slowly strangles your hair to death.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) DABC (b) DCAB
(c) BADC (d) BDAC

Q118. A. It requires continuous learning and sacrifices.

B. To raise well behaved and responsible children one should be willing to invest a considerable amount of time, patience and energy.

C. Instilling and inculcating good values in a child will go a long way in making him/her a good person and a better citizen.

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D. There is no doubt that parenting is among the most difficult and demanding tasks in the world.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) ACBD (b) ABCD
(c) BDCA (d) DABC

Q119. A. Such was his devotion that Kaali Ma appeared before him with a thousand heads and a thousand pairs of arms.

B. Once, Tenali Raman wanted to visit the Kaali temple on the outskirts of the city and pray.

C. It was quite dark by the time Tenali reached the temple, prostrated before the goddess, and with eyes closed started praying to Mother Kaali.

D. Raman who was dazzled to see Mother Kaali in all her glory, looked at her from left to right and right to left and could not control his happiness.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BCAD (b) BACD
(c) DCBA (d) CDAB

Q120. A. So he told his son that for every careless act of his he would hammer a nail into a wooden pillar in their house, and for every positive act he would pull out one nail.

B. The boy saw that the pillar was getting crowded with nails and realised his mistake.

C. A father wanted to inculcate a sense of responsibility in his careless son.

D. He resolved to change his behaviour and soon the nails started coming out, till there were none left.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) BACD (b) BCDA
(c) CABD (d) CDBA

Q121. A. Now, that the real estate sector has got its own regulator, RERA, from May 1, 2017, things are expected to improve.

B. For many of the homebuyers, across locations the delay has extended to almost six years or more.

C. In the absence of a regulator and with no rules in place, the builder-buyer battle appeared one-sided.

D. For the buyers of real estate properties the delay in possession of their homes has been the biggest concern.

[SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) DBCA (b) ABDC
(c) DABC (d) BACD

Q122. A. Though everything was on the up and up for Holzman, yet ... something wasn't quite right.

B. At 19, he enrolled in the Culinary Institute of America before heading to the West Coast to cook for such well-esteemed restaurants as Paladin, Napa and Aqua.

C. He got a little fed up with the kitchen and started to feel that he wanted to do something different with it.

D. Holzman, a well known chef, started his career at the age of 15 when the prodigy began cooking under Eric Ripert at the iconic New York restaurant, Le Bernardin. [SSC CGL Tier II 13 September 2019]

- (a) DBAC (b) ABCD
(c) DACB (d) ACBD

Q123. A. Later, they set up their own art school gallery in the prison.

B. The prisoners wanted to display their artwork inside the prison.

C. They took the help of volunteers from the School of Art.

D. Prisoners who were interested in visual arts and painting could study there.

[SSC CHSL - 1 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BCAD (b) DCAB
(c) BDAC (d) CBAD

Q124. A. Most of them are in jail because of their circumstances.

B. Not all prisoners are hardcore criminals.

C. So, they deserve a chance to rehabilitate themselves.

D. Therefore, learning a trade would help them reintegrate with society.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Morning)]

Parajumbles

- (a) BDCA (b) ABCD
(c) DCBA (d) BACD

Q125. A. He often asked questions which were strange and witty.
B. Emperor Akbar was in the habit of putting riddles and puzzles to his courtiers.
C. Once he asked a strange question that confused everyone.
D. It took much wisdom to answer these questions.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) BADC (b) CABD
(c) ABCD (d) BACD

Q126. A. One fine morning, a hunter was getting ready to go hunting.
B. He pulled the blanket over the sleeping child.
C. As he did so, he thought the blanket was not warm enough.
D. Before departing, he went to see his little baby who was sleeping in a crib.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ACBD (b) ADBC
(c) DCAB (d) CBAD

Q127. A. In the opening scene, the young boy Pip meets an escaped convict in a graveyard.
B. 'Great Expectations' is a novel by Charles Dickens.
C. The novel is set in Kent and London in the early 19th century.
D. It depicts the personal growth and development of an orphan named Pip.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ABCD (b) DCAB
(c) CBAD (d) BCDA

Q128. A. Early on Christmas morning Pip returns to the graveyard with the file, a pie and a brandy.
B. On Christmas eve, Pip, an orphan who is about seven years old, encounters an escaped convict in the village graveyard.

C. The convict scares Pip into stealing food and a file.

D. Pip, who lives with his elder sister and her husband Joe Gargery, the blacksmith, steals a file and some food.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BCDA (b) CBAD
(c) BDCA (d) DCAB

Q129. A. In a small town in England, there lived a poor little girl.

B. She was very excited but her right shoe was worn out.

C. So, she went to a cobbler to get it mended.

D. Her friend invited her to come to her birthday party.

[SSC CHSL - 2 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DCAB (b) ACBD
(c) ADBC (d) CBAD

Q130. A. But after a while they all began to blur in our memories.

B. When we arrived in Bangkok, we took a tour of the city's famous Buddhist temples.

C. However, there was one temple, the Temple of Golden Buddha, which left an indelible impression in our hearts and minds.

D. We visited numerous temples that day.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) BACD (b) DCBA
(c) ADBC (d) BDAC

Q131. A. There was an old apple tree in the centre of a village.

B. The adults also sat in the shade and discussed important things.

C. They remembered that they too had played around the tree when they were young.

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D. Children loved to play around the tree and pick delicious apples.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ADBC (b) DCAB
(c) CBAD (d) ACBD

Q132. A. But once when Mark disturbed the whole class with his pranks I had to reprimand him.

B. He was in third grade when I taught at Saint Mary's School.

C. All 34 students were dear to me, but Mark Eklund was one in a million.

D. He had a happy-to-be-alive attitude that made even his occasional mischievousness delightful.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CBDA (b) BADC
(c) ADBC (d) CADB

Q133. A. Once Oliver made a big snowman.

B. The fat snowman wore an old top hat and a muffler.

C. Now, it looked very grand indeed and Oliver's friend loved it.

D. It was as big as him but much fatter.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ADBC (b) CBAD
(c) ACBD (d) DCAB

Q134. A. The subjects taught in the Gurukul varied from Sanskrit to Mathematics.

B. Indian education has its roots in the ancient ages.

C. However this system changed when the British came to India.

D. In those days the Gurukul system was followed.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DCAB (b) BCAD
(c) CBAD (d) BDAC

Q135. A. At this speed the rocket soon attained the height of 190 miles above the earth.

B. At 9 am the great rocket lifted in the air with a mighty roar.

C. It rose smoothly at first, then quickened to a speed of 17,500 miles an hour.

D. Gagarin now pulled himself towards the window to look down.

[SSC CHSL - 3 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ADBC (b) CBAD
(c) BCAD (d) BADC

Q136. A. on the morning of April 12, Gopal rose at 5:30 am.

B. Then he drove to the Joggers Park which was 4 km away.

C. There he met his group of walking enthusiasts.

D. He put on his track suit and walking shoes.

[SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBAD (b) ADBC
(c) DCAB (d) ACBD

Q137. A. He meets me in the same frank friendly way as he always without mentioning it.

B. He has owed it to me for twelve months now.

C. I can realise whenever I meet him that he has forgotten that he owes me a dollar.

D. My friend Todd owes me a dollar. [SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBAD (b) CBDA
(c) ADBC (d) DBCA

Q138. A. They have no mind of their own.

B. It is misleading to imagine that computers can think like humans.

C. However, they make it possible for people to accumulate thoughts.

D. They can not do so. [SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

Parajumbles

- (a) BDAC (b) BACD
(c) ACBD (d) ABCD

Q139. A. Children are the most adversely affected.
B. Their eyesight goes weak from their very childhood.
C. Watching television continuously is very harmful for the eyes.
D. This debilitating effect on eyes results in severe headaches as well.

[SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ABDC (b) CABD
(c) CBDA (d) ACBD

Q140. A. They had come from different parts of the city.
B. Men, tall and skinny, short and fat gathered in Dubai.
C. They were all named Mohammad!
D. But, all of them had one thing in common.

[SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BADC (b) BDAC
(c) ADCB (d) ABCD

Q141. A. Practicing hard, she hoped to win an Olympic medal some day.
B. As she sped down the slope she had a terrible accident.
C. But, she didn't know it would be her last run ever.
D. Ann Thompson was going to make her practice ski run before lunch.

[SSC CHSL - 4 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DCBA (b) BCDA
(c) DACB (d) ACBD

Q142. A. This code contains information about its nature.

B. Each living organism has a DNA code.

C. If this genetic material is altered, it would alter the organism.

D. The nature of an individual is determined by the unique genetic material in the code. [SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) DCAB (b) DBCA
(c) BADC (d) BCDA

Q143. A. The fire destroyed many buildings which were rebuilt with red clay tiles.

B. In the year 1689, a huge fire engulfed the city.

C. Prague in the Czech Republic is known for its striking red roofs. D. Even now, traditional red roofs are included in any repairs or new construction.

[SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CADB (b) CBAD
(c) DCBA (d) BADC\

Q144. A. Yet, it is Indian that is the home of the malnourished child.

B. Some major ones are lack of food, sanitation and proper healthcare.

C. The reasons for malnutrition among Indian children are many.

D. Millions of rupees have been spent on child care in the country.

[SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a)CBAD (b)DCAB
(c)DACB (d)ACBD

Q145. A. Yet, whatever was printed was profound and even inspirational.

B. In pre-independence India, there were two kinds of newspapers.

C. The other spoke of the aspirations of the people and pointed out injustice.

D. One set was supportive of the colonial power

[SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

Parajumbles

- (a) DCAB (b) BDCA
(c) ABDC (d) BACD

Q146. A.They used thin twigs called chew sticks as tooth cleaners.
B.The fuzzy end was rubbed against the teeth to keep them clean.
C.These sticks were fuzzy at one end.
D.How did people clean their teeth before the toothbrush was invented?

[SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DBCA (b) ACBD
(c) DACB (d) BCAD

Q147. A. Her father had been stuck in an elevator for six hours.
B. Esha had heard from her parents about a blackout caused by a sudden storm.
C.She had to grope in the dark and cook by the candlelight
D.Her mother's story had been quite different from his.

[SSC CHSL - 5 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CADB (b) BADC
(c) BDCA (d) ADCB

Q148. A. But when their short racing careers are over, greyhounds are adopted as household pets.
B. Greyhound racing is a popular spectator sport in the United States.
C. They worry that the greyhounds would need a large space to run to get sufficient exercise.
D. Unfortunately, many people hesitate to adopt a retired racing greyhound as a pet.

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) DACB (b) DBCA
(c) BADC (d) BDAC

Q149. A. Little did she know that I was out of a job once again.
B. But all the money soon vanished into the bottomless pit of household needs.
C. I returned home with my pockets full of my earnings.
D. However, my grandmother was happy that I had become responsible.

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) DBAC (b) CBDA
(c) BCDA (d) CDAB

Q150. A. We even fail to recognize that their call of duty keeps them away from their families.
B. Yet, we often fail to appreciate these sacrifices that they make.
C. They make countless sacrifices for the nation and keep us safe from our enemies.
D. The uniformed men and women are our unsung heroes.

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) DABC (b) DCBA
(c) ABCD (d) CBAD

Q151. A. As a result, he had gotten into a million activities and hobbies.
B. Thus, his parents were now reluctant to spend any more money on his hobbies.
C. John hated finishing things almost as much as he loved starting them.
D. But he never stuck with any of them for long.

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CADB (b) CDBA
(c) ADCB (d) BCAD

Q152. A. Till quite recently the trend was to go to the west that offered advanced medical facilities.
B. This is because it has on offer the highest level of services, facilities and professional skills.
C. But over the last decade the trend has reversed and India is being chosen for medical tourism.
D. Today, it is not uncommon to travel to a foreign country for medical treatment.

Parajumbles

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BCDA (b) DACB
(c) CBDA (d) ABCD

- Q153.** A. This kindness converted his street into a neighbourhood.
B. He and his wife were always ready to lend a helping hand.
C. Mohan was an ideal neighbour in every way.
D. Whether it was lending tools or watering fields, the couple embodied neighbourly kindness.

[SSC CHSL - 8 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) DBCA (b) CBDA
(c) CDAB (d) BDAC

- Q154.** A. For them, it's like a magic carpet, their version of a car.
B. All kids want to be older, so from an early age they imitate their parents or siblings.
C. While cycling they imagine they are doing adult things or being adults.
D. Bikes offer them a chance to be independent.

[SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ADCB (b) DCBA
(c) BDAC (d) BACD

- Q155.** A. The woman is wearing an evening dress and heavy make up, which is now smeared across her cheeks.
B. But, who is she, and how did she get there?
C. It's seven in the morning and the Bantrys wake to find the body of a young woman in their library.
D. The respectable Bantrys invite Miss Marple to solve the mystery before tongues start to wag.

[SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CDBA (b) BACD
(c) CABD (d) DCBA

- Q156.** A. His affectionate greeting was surprising.

B. Although we were from the same village our relationship was confined to a polite hello whenever our paths crossed.

C. As I stepped into the shack, Dorababu beckoned to me, making a little space for me on the bench on which he was sitting.

D. "Come here, brother," he greeted me. [SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) DBCA (b) CABD
(c) BACD (d) CDAB

- Q157.** A. The first person who thought of trading must have been a clever person.

B. He must have found them easy to carry and exchange for goods.

C. And gradually paying for things in gold and silver became a regular practice.

D. When gold and silver were first found people started using them for trade.

[SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) DBCA (b) BDCA
(c) CDAB (d) DABC

- Q158.** A. But now that his father had asked him to fetch some cheroots, he would have to pass by the high school to reach the shop.

B. The teachers and students would all be there, and he was ashamed of being seen outdoors.

C. Of late Krishna had confined himself to the four walls of the house.

D. Wondering how to get past the school unnoticed, he slowly ventured out.

[SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CBDA (b) ACBD
(c) CABD (d) DACB

- Q159.** A. Today, man is the master of the world and he makes the animals do what he likes.

B. Others he eats; and those like the lion and the tiger, he shoots for pleasure.

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C. Early man, when he first came, must have been surrounded by many huge animals and he must have lived in fear of them.

D. Some he tames like the horse, the cow, the elephant, the dog, the cat and so many others.

[SSC CHSL - 9 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CADB (b) CBDA
(c) ACBD (d) BCDA

Q160. A. Gone are the days when you stayed with one firm for your entire career and made lifelong friends in the office.

B. This phenomenon was noted in a recent research report which found that the median tenure for employees below the age of 30 is just two years.

C. The research report stated that young people today are tempted to switch jobs quickly.

D. As job longevity becomes a phenomenon of the past, there is a change in attitude in the modern generation towards employment.

[SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) DBCA (b) BADC
(c) CDAB (d) DCBA

Q161. A. I should have charged double the amount, but it didn't occur to me then.

B. Now, after all the expenses and the gardener's salary, I made a profit of only five hundred rupees.

C. The jasmine plants flowered twice and I sold 250 grams of buds just for ten rupees.

D. Had I charged at least twenty rupees I would have made a good profit.

[SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ADCB (b) BCDA
(c) CADB (d) BDAC

Q162. A. Today, he is popular for creating scaled-down models of automobiles that are not just showpieces but are working toys.

B. I'm used to riding it during playtime in the evenings as a five-year-old," recalls Arun Kumar.

C. As a kid I used to pester my parents for toy cars but my carpenter father often couldn't afford them.

D. Then, one day he got an old tricycle from the junkyard, made three wooden wheels and fitted them to the cycle. [SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) ACDB (b) CDBA
(c) CADB (d) BCDA

Q163. A. As man's intelligence grew so did his power.

B. This intelligence made him cleverer and stronger than enormous animals which would otherwise have destroyed him.

C. The chief difference between man and the other animals was the intelligence of man.

D. Combining intelligence with power, man developed weapons to fight his enemies.

[SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) DABC (b) CBAD
(c) ACDB (d) BCDA

Q164. A. Yes, first get us some fresh juice and some sandwiches.

B. May I take your order?

C. Not now, maybe a little later.

D. Sure. Would you like some coffee too? [SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) CDBA (b) ABCD
(c) BADC (d) BCDA

Q165. A. Then she does some gardening.

B. Finally before her mid morning nap, she eats a light breakfast.

C. My grandmother is an active eighty year old.

D. She begins her morning with meditation.

[SSC CHSL - 10 July 2019 (Evening)]

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- (a) CDBA (b) DCBA
(c) CABD (d) CDAB

Q166. A. Using matches however came much later.

B. The first great discovery that man probably made was that of fire.

C. In olden times fires were made by rubbing two flints against each other till a spark was produced.

D. And this spark set fire to dry straw, leaves or wood.

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) CBDA (b) BDAC
(c) ADBC (d) BCDA

Q167. A. We had already covered half the distance when we reached a three-road junction.

B. I was worried it might pounce on us.

C. But thankfully we picked up speed and it got left behind.

D. Suddenly, a barking dog began to chase the bike for some distance.

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Morning)]

- (a) ABDC (b) DACB
(c) BDAC (d) ADBC

Q168. A. Baskets and carts flooded the street turning it into a mobile market.

B. Hearing their cries people with bags started coming out from their houses.

C. Suddenly the street came alive.

D. From one end to the other cries of the vendors rent the air.

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CADB (b) ABDC
(c) DACB (d) CBAD

Q169. A. Today flax is used to make fine linen fabric.

B. The Neolithic man first clad himself with animal skins.

C. He also used flax which had a good fibre for making cloth.

D. But in those days cloth made of flax must have been very rough

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Afternoon)]

- (a) CABD (b) BDAC
(c) DABC (d) BCDA

Q170. A. One population lives in the Bwindi National Park in Uganda.

B. Mountain gorillas are some of the most threatened animals on the planet.

C. Only two groups of mountain gorillas remain.

D. The other group lives in the Virunga Mountains

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) BDCA (b) CDBA
(c) ABCD (d) BCAD

Q171. A. In fact, there are about 800 million mobile phone users now.

B. They have been in use in the country for over two decades.

C. Mobile companies are regularly bringing out phones with new features for these users.

D. There are billions of mobile phones in India today

[SSC CHSL - 11 July 2019 (Evening)]

- (a) ABCD (b) DCAB
(c) DBAC (d) ACBD

Previous year Questions (SSC CGL Tier 2) 2018

Q172. P: We may see alcohol and tobacco advertisements everywhere, on television, in newspaper, on street ads cards etc.

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Q: But we know the truth is alcohol and cigarettes are harmful for people's health and sometimes it may bring bad effects to self-impression.

R: Alcohol ads usually create several feints to tell people that alcohol is good for people and induce people to drink.

S: On the other hand, the malign influence of advertisements shows smoking as something "cool".

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PRSQ (b) PSQR
(c) QRSP (d) RSPQ

Q173. P: If the intention is just to consume whatever comes from the West, then it is harmful.

Q: Some of its effects are really helping and positive as it increases initiative and entrepreneurship qualities provided taken in that spirit.

R: At the same time state's strategic intervention is essential because more than 40% of people live below the poverty line.

S: The impact of economic reforms are mixed.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) SRQP (b) SQPR
(c) RQPS (d) QPSR

Q174. P: The political awakening cannot be an isolated phenomenon; it requires some changes in social structure so that women can enjoy as important a place as man occupies.

Q: Unfortunately our customs and traditions conspired with her economic dependence to make her unimportant in our society.

R: Democracy in India can be a success only when the Indian women are politically awakened.

S: Moreover they should be free to express their opinion, to act as they like and to assert themselves in all departments of life.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PSQR (b) SQPR
(c) PRSQ (d) RPSQ

Q175. P: No partner is expected to air the views of a particular group in public.

Q: The only requirement is that the coalition partners have to stick to a code of conduct.

R: Every coalition party has to own the responsibility for all government policies or actions.

S: Experience has now shown that a coalition government can run as smoothly as any single party government

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) QRPS (b) RQPS
(c) SQRP (d) PQSR

Q176. P: Biographies of great men can also help us in learning good manners.

Q: Courtesy and politeness is the key to good manners.

R: No doubt these are little words but if they are spoken at the right moment and in a soft and sweet voice, they are bound to work wonders.

S: The use of polite words like "Sorry", "Please", "Thank you", "Beg your pardon", "Sir" etc. creates a healthy impact on the minds of others.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PRSQ (b) RPSQ
(c) QPSR (d) SPQR

Q177. P: One has to work hard to establish, develop and maintain deep and lasting bonds with those who matter in one's life.

Q: As "Man is not an island entire of itself", he cannot be happy in isolation.

R: Humans live out their life in the company of their family, friends, colleagues, superiors, even total strangers in buses and lifts.

S: And, brick by brick, they must build their relationship with each one, to lay a secure foundation for their road to happiness.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

Parajumbles

- (a) SPRQ (b) RQSP
(c) QSPR (d) QRSP

Q178. P: Superstitions mean an irrational belief in or notion of the ominous significance of a particular thing, circumstance, or the like.

Q: This is a universal phenomenon cutting across caste, communal, and even national boundaries.

R: All over the globe, people have superstitions, although the superstitions may vary from country to country or from region to region.

S: Nor does education drive away superstitions completely.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PQRS (b) SQRP
(c) QRPS (d) RPSQ

Q179. P: Superstitions exist throughout the world despite scientific advances.

Q: One cannot heed anybody's sneezes if one has to be punctual on duty or 'cannot miss a flight.

R: But the spread of science and education among the masses has certainly given rise to a significant number of persons who do not believe in these superstitions.

S: The compulsions of modern life have also caused some of the superstitions to fade out.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) RPSQ (b) SQRP
(c) SRQP (d) PRSQ

Q180. P: All these ensure that the world we live in grows a new skin every few years.

Q: These influences do, of course, work on humankind but they have the greatest impact on that section of society which is on the threshold of discovery-discovery of the self, of life and of living.

R: The life and times of two generations cannot be identical or even similar, thanks to modern research, progress in science, faster and easier communications and even distasteful things like inflation and population explosion.

S: These changes in due course affect our thinking and influence our attitudes, expectations, behavioural patterns and values.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PSQR (b) RPSQ
(c) QSPR (d) QPSR

Q181. P: A certain moral code of conduct is ultimately necessary to ensure that the society does not fall prey to degeneration of values, which would lead to rampant sufferings and ultimately chaos.

Q: Society's concerns are our concerns: anything capable of causing a detrimental impact on it in the short term or in course of time is ultimately bound to affect us and our children.

R: When we talk about social morality of any kind, what comes into play is our ability to feel for the well-being of our society.

S: It is a concern to help the society by safeguarding it from unwanted ills and malaise and ensuring its well-being that is at the root of social morality.

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- (a) PSQR (b) RPSQ
(c) QPSR (d) PQRS

Q182. P: Those who say death should be the punishment in some cases, agree that it is to be in special cases alone, the most heinous and gravest of crimes.

Q: They feel that it is only fear of severe punishment that will deter the criminal and reduce the occurrence of heinous crimes.

R: The advocates and the abolitionists of capital punishment have their own arguments in support of their stand.

S: The most prominent argument put forth by the advocates of the death penalty is that of deterrence.

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- (a) RPSQ (b) PQSR
(c) SQPR (d) QPSR

Parajumbles

Q183. P: There was once a time when people looked forward to the lazy evenings.

Q: They had a simple choice of programmes on Doordarshan.

R: It was entirely up to them- to watch or not to watch the selected presentation.

S: Today, the satellite and Cable Television have stormed the media world of information and entertainment.

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- (a) PSQR (b) RQPS
(c) PQRS (d) QPRS

Q184. P: He wanted to do something to deliver humanity from all such misery. He reflected on this problem for long.

Q: Siddhartha was greatly touched as he saw an old man, a sick man and a dead body.

R: At last on hearing some words from the mouth of a hermit which encouraged him to renounce the world, he decided to leave the palace and go into the forest for meditation.

S: Before going, he had a lasting glance on his beloved wife Yashodhra and son, Rahul, who were enjoying a sound sleep at midnight.

[SSC CGL Tier II 17 February, 2018]

- (a) PRSQ (b) RPQS
(c) PQRS (d) QPRS

Q185. P: The main manifestations of violence in recent times have been extremism, terrorism, assassination by bombs and bullets.

Q: In the modern world, violence has taken many forms, each signifying the evil side of man and his design to destroy the principle of equity, justice and truth.

R: Another related activity is the hijacking of aircrafts, vehicles etc.

S: A new dimension to the cult of violence has been added by the cult of kidnapping of innocent person and subsequent blackmail.

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- (a) QPSR (b) PSRQ
(c) PRQS (d) SRPQ

Q186. P: Children with poor phonological skills progress more poorly.

Q: The consensus concerns the causal role of phonological skills in young children's reading progress.

R: Studies of the factors governing reading development in young children have achieved a remarkable degree of consensus over the past two decades.

S: Children who have good phonological skills, or good phonological awareness become good readers and good spellers.

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- (a) QSPR (b) SPQR
(c) RQSP (d) PQRS

Q187. P: Then the liberalisation process became inevitable.

Q: It encourages initiative, entrepreneurship and competition which is very vital for growth of the economy.

R: In due course of time our institutions became stagnant, corrupt and inefficient due to permit raj and centralized control.

S: Liberalisation enhances economic activities.

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- (a) PQSR (b) RPSQ
(c) QPRS (d) RSQP

Q188. P: As a result, they are more able to live in harmony with themselves and with the world that surrounds them.

Q: Stabilizing meditation is catalogued as one of the hardest techniques of meditation because followers must keep their minds under total control for a long period of time.

R: The benefits of this meditation, according to the followers, is that meditators can experience full understanding of their thoughts and ideas.

Parajumbles

S: This consists of maintaining full attention to their role object focus.

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- (a) QSRP (b) PQRS
(c) QPSR (d) PRQS

Q189. P: They feel that during their time, young boys and girls were better behaved, more obedient, and had greater respect for their elders.

Q: Young people on the other hand, feel that they are capable enough to learn on their own rather than lean heavily on the older generation for any guidance.

R: The people belonging to the older generation always wonder as to what has gone wrong with the new generation.

S: They feel that a lack of respect for the old will ruin and spell disaster for the young.

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- (a) PRSQ (b) SPQR
(c) PRQS (d) RPSQ

Q190. P: About 30 new hydro projects are now under execution with an installed capacity of 5,600 MW.

Q: However, with the rapid increase in demand for power, higher priority was given to the pithead super thermal power stations as their gestation period was smaller than that of the hydel schemes.

R: Many projects were taken up for execution after independence and at one time (1962-69), the capacity contribution from hydro schemes was equal to thermal schemes.

S: The first hydro generating unit in India was commissioned in Darjeeling (W.Bengal) in 1897.

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- (a) RQPS (b) SRQP
(c) QPSR (d) PQRS

Q191. P. Farmers could no longer pay their loans and some banks were closed down.

Q. Prices dropped due to increased supply, which was followed by a drought.

R. The country was well advanced in technology and farmers increased their production levels.

S. The Great Depression in America began with overproduction and low prices in the agricultural sector.

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- (a) RQPS (b) QPSR
(c) PSRQ (d) SRQP

Q192. P: The Mughal empire was extensive, but it was not integrated.

Q: It was rather an agglomeration of territories bound together by a common administration and common ties to the imperial authority.

R: The strong hand of the emperor held the country together, compelling obedience from the nobles who governed the provinces.

S: But these nobles felt no sense of national loyalty, for the simple reason that the empire was not a nation.

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- (a) PRQS (b) SRQP
(c) PRSQ (d) RSQP

Q193. P: It is also when the community or religion is used to further the political interests of the vested groups.

Q: But communal feelings start when one community thinks in a hostile manner towards the other communities.

R: It is also not being conscious of their own identities and doing something which pursues its interests.

S: Communalism is not thinking about their own communities.

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- (a) QPSR (b) QRSP
(c) RSQP (d) SRQP

Q194. P: When one gets solved or nears the solution, another starts raising its ugly head.

Q: Threats to our nation building processes are increasing day by day.

R: Tougher punishments should be provided for them in order to weed them out completely.

Parajumbles

S: The need of the day is to go for an integrated approach with taking steps to solve the poverty, illiteracy and population problems along with tough steps and stern action against the terrorists.

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- (a) QPSR (b) SRQP
(c) RSQP (d) QRSP

Q195. P: The Information Technology today is rightly called the Technology of the Century as it has found its application and use in every walk society of the world.

Q: Distances no longer exist and the world appears to have shrunk into a Global Village.

R: It is really a landmark achievement that more than six billion population of the world will soon be living in a virtual village, as compact as any small Indian village of a few thousand population.

S: The wisdom of the wisest is today available to the stupidest of the person thus ushering in an era of real equality of opportunity to all.

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- (a) QPSR (b) PQRS
(c) RSQP (d) QRSP

Q196. P: Children with good manners are liked by one and all.

Q: They are appreciated even by strangers.

R: All round development of a child is possible only if a child is groomed in good manners.

S: Therefore, the public schools lay great emphasis on the cultivation of good manners in their students.

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- (a) PQRS (b) QPSR
(c) RSQP (d) SRPQ

Q197. P: Taking this as a small example, we need to set-up an action plan on a war-footing.

Q: Our country had earlier faced the problem with our neighbours backed defense hackers jamming our troop movement communication system giving false commands and creating a situation of uncertainty.

R: But our planning and implementation gap has always been unpardonably long.

S: The National Security Council is already in touch with server ministries like home, defense, communication, oil and natural gas, etc. to draw up plans.

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- (a) QPSR (b) PQRS
(c) SPRQ (d) QPRS

Q198. P: But our behavior, 'good' or 'bad', certainly shapes our persona and determines our personality.

Q: If one is helpful, polite and considerate in one's actions towards fellow-beings, one is known as a kind person.

R: The converse is equally true and a mean, rude and selfish person is regarded as bad.

S: Growing urbanisation and lack of roots in any given place have made us increasingly indifferent to the feelings of others and led us to adopt an apathetic attitude to most things.

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- (a) PQRS (b) PSQR
(c) SPQR (d) SQRP

Q199. P: The English developed transport and communication on modern lines.

Q: They established the first printing press and newspaper in India.

R: One of the most beneficial results of the British rule was the modernization of India.

S: The Press further developed later to inform and educate the masses about the British exploitation of India.

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- (a) RQSP (b) QSRP
(c) PQRS (d) RPQS

Q200. P: It affords us a glimpse into acts, events, ideas, characters of the past, thus helping us to know more about those centuries gone by.

Parajumbles

Q: It is almost as if such acts and ideas were meant to occur over and over again in different centuries though in a slightly different manner each time.

R: History is a record of the past, especially in connection with the human race.

S: When we trace history right from its beginning to the recent times, we cannot fail to notice that some events and characters have shown a repetitive quality.

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- (a) RQSP (b) RPSQ
(c) SQRP (d) SPQR

Q201. P: In order to bridge this generation gap, elders should adopt a more sympathetic approach towards the young, and try to understand the emotions, the aspirations and the problems of the young.

Q: They should, therefore, value the advice and counsel of the elders.

R: The generation gap has widened to such an extent that the old and the young people appear to be living in two separate worlds without any interaction.

S: The youth should realize that they have no experience of life.

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- (a) RSQP (b) PQRS
(c) RPQS (d) RPSQ

Q202. P: But the achievements of science have not come to man as a ripe apple falls in the lap of a man sitting under an apple tree.

Q: Science is not just the result of observation and experience.

R: It is, on the other hand, the result of centuries of hard work done by man, even at the risk of his own life or health.

S: There is no doubt that science has been the greatest boon to man so far.

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- (a) QRPS (b) SPQR
(c) QPRS (d) SQRP

Q203. P: It is said that the great poet Tulsidas composed it under divine inspiration.

Q: The Ramayana is a book of great social importance.

R: It is full of devotional songs besides tenets of social wisdom.

S: People read it and worship it. [SSC CGL Tier II 18 February, 2018]

- (a) PQRS (b) RQPS
(c) QPRS (d) SPRQ

Q204. P: And when they manifest our soils, minds and bodies suffer such as depression and jealousy.

Q: These negative states hide in our consciousness at different leads therefore they may manifest permanently or occasionally.

R: Egocentric fixation resists in a negative state.

S: Meditation reveals the state of egocentric fixation and free people from suffering, because people are able to see more clearly their negative.

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- (a) RSQP (b) RQSP
(c) PQRS (d) RQPS

Q205. P: Added to this is their economic dissatisfaction.

Q: The youth get frustrated when they see a great deal of disparity between the theory and its application.

R: All these factors blend together and give rise to a cult of violence.

S: This causes them to wonder whether all that they ever learnt would overcome in use or would go waste.

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- (a) QSPR (b) QPRS
(c) QSRP (d) SPQR

Q206. P: His story symbolizes a lifestyle struggle against apartheid in South Africa.

Parajumbles

Q: 'Nelson Mandela' was born on July 18th, 1918 in the village of Mvezo in Umtata, then a part of South Africa's Cape Province.

R: It was a terrible form of institutionalized racism that held the South African society in its grip for a long time.

S: It was not easy for Mandela to fight against it, as he too was among those who were oppressed by the system.

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- (a) QPSR (b) QRSP
(c) QPRS (d) PRSQ

Q207. P: In the least-developed countries, if agricultural productivity were drastically reduced by climate change, the cost of living would rise by one or two percent, and at a time when per capita income will likely have doubled.

Q: It may still be vulnerable to climate change for many years to come.

R: In developing countries, in contrast, as much as a third of GNP and half the population currently depends on agriculture.

S: Agriculture is practically the only sector of the economy affected by climate.

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- (a) PQRS (b) RQPS
(c) RPSQ (d) QRSP

Q208. P. Freedom of speech is essential for the all round growth and development of a person as well as a nation as a whole.

Q. A nation filled with people full of discontent can never grow in the right direction.

R. It can even create discomfort and dissatisfaction that leads to stress.

S. Imposing restrictions on what one speaks or hears can hamper the development of a person.

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- (a) PSRQ (b) PRQS
(c) RSPQ (d) SPRQ

Q209. P. Kohli, along with Deepika and Ranveer, has led the ascent of millennials to the top of the rankings.

Q. For the first time a female sportsperson has made it to the top 15.

R. This year saw PV Sindhu make an entry at 15.

S. Former captain Dhoni slipped from 9th place last year to 13th this year.

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- (a) PSRQ (b) QRSP
(c) RSQP (d) PRQS

Q210. P: In addition, tsunamis move throughout the depth of the ocean and not just its surface.

Q A tsunami wave isn't much different in height compared to other waves in the ocean.

R: That is why a tsunami generally goes unnoticed in the open ocean.

S: But, due to its wavelength, it "piles up" when it approaches land.

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- (a) RSPQ (b) PQRS
(c) QSRP (d) SRPQ

Q211. P: This discipline is characterized by several concepts and approaches that are used by psychologists in understanding human behavior.

Q: The field of psychology can be described as a discipline that focuses on the study of mind and behavior.

R: Some of the most common psychological concepts that are used to modify or change an individual's behavior include operant conditioning, positive and negative punishment, and positive and negative reinforcement.

S: Since psychology is a broad field, psychologists not only use these concepts and approaches but also conduct scientific research that enables them to understand human behavior. [SSC CGL Tier II 18 February, 2018]

- (a) QPSR (b) PQRS
(c) RSQP (d) SRPQ

Q212. P: The main cause of global warming is the human being's careless activities.

Q: There are many causes of global warming which affects human lives and health in many aspects.

Parajumbles

R: Fossil fuels burning for many reasons are highly responsible to increase global warming.

S: Ever increasing human population is demanding more resources to live an easy and healthy life such as land to live and for crop cultivation, technological growth for comfort and to deal with increasing temperature of the atmosphere, etc.

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- (a) QPSR (b) PQSR
(c) RPQS (d) SPQR

Q213. P: We need to be more physically healthy and fit to win the current environmental challenges.

Q: It keeps us away from the diseases, infections and other lethal diseases by reducing extra kilos, improving the strength of muscle and bones, increasing immunity level, and maintaining the healthy functioning of our major body organs.

R: In the modern time, where pollution, global warming and other environmental issues have covered us, the importance of health and fitness has increased to a great extent.

S: It helps us to look better with lots of patience and confidence.

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- (a) PQRS (b) QPRS
(c) RPQS (d) PRQS

Q214. P: All these factors together can help eradicate poverty, crimes and disease rates.

Q: Girls' education is important from every perspective of life and society.

R: Not only do they make the right decisions for themselves, but they also provide better education and health care options to their children.

S: Educated women lead a healthier life compared to the uneducated women; they participate in the family matters and in the formal labour markets too; earn well, marry at a considerable age and plan a family in a better manner.

[SSC CGL Tier II 19 February, 2018]

- (a) QRPS (b) QSRP
(c) SQRP (d) SPRQ

Q215. P: We can not only see the beauty of nature in the form of floral and faunal diversity, but can also experience peace in the sylvan surroundings.

Q: A dense collection of trees, plants and other vegetation makes up a forest.

R: Forests are home to a great variety of wildlife such as animals, birds, reptiles and insects.

S: Forests are beautiful natural settings where we can go and experience nature in its splendid expression.

[SSC CGL Tier II 19 February, 2018]

- (a) QRSP (b) PQRS
(c) QSRP (d) SRPQ

Q216. P: Honesty is an important principle that must govern our lives.

Q: Honesty is reflected in our words and deeds.

R: When we speak the truth we state the facts as they are.

S: We may find it convenient to avoid telling the truth, but if we are honest we should say the truth whatever may be the repercussions.

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- (a) SRQP (b) SPQR
(c) QRPS (d) PQRS

Q217. P: We can be kind to human beings who need our help.

Q: Kindness is a quality that human beings show in various ways.

R: We can also be kind to other life forms like dogs, cats and other pets and domesticated animals, and to wildlife like birds and animals.

S: We can be kind to our family members, relatives, friends and neighbours.

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- (a) QPSR (b) QPRS
(c) PQSR (d) PQRS

Parajumbles

Q218. P: If we spend the twenty-four hours that we have in a day in an efficient way we can be successful in completing the tasks and achieving our goals for the day.

Q: If we wish to succeed in achieving our short term and long term goals we need to manage our time effectively.

R: If we waste our time on vain activities we either get stressed out doing the tasks we need to do or fail to do what needs to be done.

S: We all have the same number of hours at our disposal each day.

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- (a) PRSQ (b) RPSQ
(c) RSQP (d) SPRQ

Q219. P: But when it comes to negative human rights reports or one on the environment, it rubbishes them.

Q: This kind of behaviour isn't going to solve the problem.

R: Every government is quick to accept reports that give it a pat on the back – as the Indian government was after the latest ease of doing business report.

S: No government likes negative reports on its performance.

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- (a) RSPQ (b) PRSQ
(c) SRPQ (d) RPSQ

Q220. P. Accommodation and food were given free.

Q. This was held in a hostel for poor students built by a philanthropist.

R. A few years ago, I was the chief guest at a small function.

S. But the inmates of the hostel had to bear other expenses like clothing and toiletries.

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- (a) RQPS (b) QRPS
(c) PQRS (d) QRSP

Solution and detailed explanation to previous year questions.(Q1 to Q220)

Q1. (c) CBDA

Sentence C says that Growth of population refers to the change in the number of inhabitants of a country and Sentence B states that this change can be expressed in two ways. B will follow C.

Sentence D says about these two ways. So, D will follow B.

Option (c) CBDA is the correct answer.

Q2. (a) BDCA

Sentence B says that the general human tendency is to find fault in the policies and Sentence D states that so people openly criticize and condemn the policy makers. D will follow B.

Sentence C describes that they blamed the government for their slow progress. C will follow D.

Option (a) BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q3.(a) CDAB

Sentence C says that I am going to jungle safari. Sentence D states that My friend told me that the jungle is beautiful these days. D will follow C.

Sentence A asks Can I borrow your camera?

and Sentence B says that I will give it back to you next week.

Option (a) CDAB is the correct answer.

Q4.(c) BCAD

Sentence B says that a change that is conducive to happiness may be termed as progress. Sentence C says that different people find happiness in different things. C will follow B.

Sentence A states that nevertheless, sound health, economic security and mental satisfaction are desired by all

So, A will follow C. Option (c) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Parajumbles

Q5.(c) DACB

Sentence D says that Physical strength is the ability to cope with a physically challenging task.

Sentence A states that It requires physical endurance. So, A will follow D.

Sentence C says about the strength of character is a personality and Sentence B states that Truly strong personalities meet challenges of life bravely. Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q6.(d) CBDA

Sentence C says that Bheema spotted a rising disc shaped object. Sentence B says that at first, he thought it was a stuck kite.

B will follow C. Sentence D states that it started rising higher and emitted light, he was shocked.

And D will be followed by A which says that he then called out to the people. So, Option (d) CBDA is the correct arrangement.

Q7.(c) DCBA

Sentence D in introductory sentence about Rama, sentence C states that she needed financial support to complete her graduation. C will follow D.

Sentence B says that she engaged herself in 'earn while you learn' scheme. So, B will follow C. Option (c) DCBA is the correct option.

Q8.(c) BACD

Sentence B is a question, and sentence A gives its answer. So, A will follow B.

Sentence C states that take your umbrella, it is going to rain and Sentence D says that "Yes, definitely. We will.

Option (c) BACD is the correct sequence.

Q9.(c) CBAD

Sentence C says that the Indian Government has announced certain facilities. Sentence B states that it will import technologically advanced medical instruments and provide them to entrepreneurs. B will follow C.

Sentence A says that they can then purchase them on subsidized rates with additional loan facilities. A will follow B. Option (c) CBAD is the correct sequence.

Q10. (c)

Sentence C says that children as well as teenagers are tempted towards junk food. Sentence A states its reason. So, A will follow C.

Sentence D says that it has no or negligible nutritional value and sentence B states that it leads to poor health.

Option (c) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q11.(c) BADC

Sentence B says that Vaikom Muhammad Basheer was a Malayalam fiction writer and Sentence A states that he was forced to live in a house where his large family lived. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that apart from family members, myriads of domestic animals also treated the house as their own. D will follow A. Option (c) is the correct sequence.

Q12.(a)

Sentence D says that the curies had to work in extreme poverty. Sentence A states that even the most ill-equipped laboratory would have been better than their shed.

Sentence C says that their mind was set upon the discovery of radium. C will follow A.

Option (a) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q13. (b)

Sentence C says about many talented people in ancient Greece and Sentence A states that Aesop was one of them who lived in Greece about 2500 years ago. A will follow C.

Sentence D says about Aesop that he was very ugly, he had a very clever brain. So, D will follow A.

Option (b) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q14. (a)

Parajumbles

Sentence D says that Sanjay is my best friend and sentence A states that he is a gifted volleyball player. A will follow D.

Sentence B says that he does not play international matches and sentence C states the reason for that. C will follow B.

Option (a) DABC is the correct sequence.

Q15.(c) DACB

Sentence D says that one of the hardest things I've had to do was to learn how to swim and Sentence A states that I thought it was an important skill I should learn. A will follow D.

Sentence C says that I also thought it would be a good exercise. So, C will follow A. Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q16.(d) BADC

Sentence B says that Hinamatsuri is a celebration of the girls and Sentence A states that During the celebration, many people display 'Hina' dolls. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that these dolls represent royal representatives and sentence C states that these royal-looking dolls are dressed in the clothing of the Heian period C will follow D.

Option (d) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q17. (c) ACBD

Sentence A says that there are many gadgets that are operated by a remote control and Sentence C says that when a button is pressed on the remote control, the chip sets off an electromagnetic vibration. C will follow A.

Sentence B states that this produces an infra-red beam and Sentence D says that the beam carries a coded signal.

Option (c) ACBD is the correct sequence.

Q18.(c) Sentence B says that all parts of the earth are surrounded by air

Sentence A states that it is called the atmosphere. A will follow B.

Sentence C says that Living beings breathe in and breathe out the air all the time.

Sentence D states that the process is called respiration. D will follow C. Option (c) BACD is the correct sequence.

Q19.(d) DACB

Sentence D is the initiating sentence about a war fought between French and the Germans. Sentence A states that war had taken place along the Western Front. So, A will follow D.

Sentence C states that this front was a line of trenches. C will follow A. Option (d) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q20. (d) BADC

Sentence B says that Napoleon had to cross the Alps and sentence A states about the mountain range (Alps) So, A will follow B.

Sentence D says that someone told Napoleon that the task was impossible and sentence C is that reply of Napoleon that 'impossible' did not exist for him. So, C will follow D.

The correct sequence would be -BADC.

Q21.(c) DACB

Sentence D says that people buy lotteries and Sentence A states that these lotteries are organised by the State Governments. So, A will follow D.

Sentence C says that Crores of rupees are offered as prizes and sentence B states that millions of poor people waste their money.

Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q22(a) CABD

Sentence C says that a tsunami is made up of a series of very long waves and Sentence A states that these (waves) are generated by a violent undersea disturbance. So, A will follow C.

Sentence B will be followed by Sentence D as it says that once generated, they travel outward on the ocean surface. Option (a) CABD is the correct sequence.

Parajumbles

Q23.(c) BADC

Sentence B says that Technology is growing very fast day by day and Sentence A states that It provides training for the development of oral and aural skills and is a great supplement to classroom teaching. A will follow B. Sentence D says that it can not be substituted for the conventional method of language teaching. D will follow A.

So, (c) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q24.(a) CBDA

Sentence C says that a soldier died fighting in the battlefield and Sentence B states that the district collector announced a gallantry award and financial aid for his family. B will follow C.

Sentence D says that the money was promptly disbursed from the Prime Minister's Relief Fund. D will follow B. So, option (a) CBDA is the correct sequence

Q25. (b) DACB

Sentence D says that researchers have long agreed that anger hurts your health. Sentence A states that It(anger) hurts the heart. A will follow D.

Sentence C is a question and Sentence B is its answer. B will follow C. Option (b) DACB is the correct answer.

Q26. (c)BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q27.(a) BADC

Sentence B says that it was a fine spring morning and sentence A states that I took a deep breath and inhaled the air. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that the freshness in the air drew my feet towards a garden. Sentence C describes the garden. C will follow D.

Option (a) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q28. (a) 'CBDA' is the correct sequence

Q29. (b) DCBA

Sentence "C" talks about 35 snakes and sentence "B" states that they are not venomous. Clearly B will follow C. Going through options only option B follows this sequence.

Q30. (c) BADC

Sentence B states that A whale died on Saturday and sentence A states that its necropsy was performed. Clearly B should be followed by A.

"D" states the reason for its death found after necropsy. Clearly D will follow A. So the correct sequence should be BADC.

Q31. (b) BADC

Sentence "A" talks about that sort of pollution and Sentence A states that Environmental groups have tagged the Philippines as one of the world's biggest ocean polluters. Clearly A will follow B.

Sentence B, A and D are about the Philippines and Sentence D talks about Thailand.

Going through options only option B follows this sequence.

Q32. (a) CBAD

Sentence "C" talks about "Four tonnes of ivory" and Sentence B states that it's the biggest seizure in the country's history. Clearly B will follow C directly.

Going through options only option A follows this sequence.

Q33. (a) CADB

Sentence C states that plastic in oceans causes ecosystem damage and sentence A states that 70% of plastic enters in sentence A. Clearly A will follow C . Going through options only option A satisfies this condition.

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Q34. (d) BADC

Sentence B states that 4 billion people live in water scarce areas and A states that 844 million people don't have access to clean water close to home. D states that the water crisis is getting worse and sentence C states the reason for this water crisis so D should be followed by C. Going through options only option d satisfies this condition.

Q35. (a) ADBC

Sentence D states that 2017 was a good year for mango lovers, sentence B and C state the cause of mango lovers's happiness. So they will follow D. B is the cause of the event discussed in sentence C so B will be followed by C. Only option A follows the given pattern hence option A is the correct answer.

Q36. (a) BADC

Sentence B states that one billion people are suffering from the water crisis. Sentence A states that 600 million of them live in areas of extreme pressure. Clearly A will follow B. "of them" is the keyword here.

Q37.(b) BADC

Sentence B states about the Lunar New Year and sentence A states that thousands of people celebrated it. Clearly A will follow B.

Of all the options , (b) is correct.

Q38.(c) CBDA

Sentence C states that "A large part of Canada is covered with coniferous trees" and sentence B and sentence D state about the Forest products. So they will follow C.

Hence option (c) is the correct answer.

Q39. (c) BADC

Sentence B is the introductory sentence and sentence D states about the crash and it directly follows sentence A. So the series BADC will follow.

Q40.(b) CBAD

C will be the first sentence as it introduces the subject which is dog walking. Then B it gives the reason why dogs are great companions.A changes the tone and talks about the negatives and then further the negatives are mentioned in D

Q41.(c) BADC

Sentence B is the introductory sentence and sentence D states about the crash and it directly follows sentence A. So the series BADC will follow.

Q42. (b) CBAD

C will be the first sentence as it introduces the subject which is dog walking. Then B it gives the reason why dogs are great companions.A changes the tone and talks about the negatives and then further the negatives are mentioned in D

Q43.(b) CBAD

Sentence C states that "Boeing has huge hopes for its 737 aircraft." and sentence B states that Max first started flying commercially in 2017 .So B will follow C and Sentence A will follow sentence B as it says "since then (2017 in Sentence B)". So the sequence CBAD is correct.

Q44. (c) BACD

Sentence B is the introductory sentence and sentence A states that It has been a leading producer... .So A will follow B and Sentence C will follow sentence A as it says " Because of its enormous output,.. So the sequence BACD is correct.

Q45.(b) CBAD

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Sentence “C” talks about people who think and act differently and sentence “B” states that anger and tension are prevalent due to the differences. Clearly B will follow C. Going through options only option B follows this sequence.

Q46. (c) BDCA

Sentence “B” talks about a question and sentence “D” states that This was the question that Darwin asked himself? Sentence C states the answer to the question. Clearly D will follow B and C will follow D. Going through options only option (c) follows this sequence.

Q47.(d) BDAC

Sentence “B” is the introductory sentence and “D” will follow B.
Sentence “C” will follow Sentence A.
Going through options only option (d) follows this sequence.

Q48.(c) CBDA

Sentence C is the introductory sentence about a bell, Sentence B will follow C as it states “but for the students of.”
Of the given choices, only Option (c) is correct.

Q49.(b) BCDA

Sentence B says that The conflict of coexistence that will be followed by sentence C. Sentence D talks about Puducherry and Sentence A states that French Quarter and heritage laden Tamil streets. So, A will follow D. So, Option (b) is correct.

Q50. (d) DACB

Sentence D says that Indian indigo was very expensive and only small quantities reached the European markets and Sentence A states about European cloth manufacturers therefore had to depend on a plant called woad. So, Sentence A will follow Sentence D. Sentence B should be the last one.

Q51.(a) BADC

Sentence B is the initiating sentence, which is directly followed by Sentence A. Sentence D says that Looters fought off the heat and Sentence C states “When the fire dies out” So C will follow D.
Hence, Option (a) is the correct choice.

Q52.(b) DACB

Sentences A, B and C start with a pronoun, so Sentence D is the initiating sentence which says about Mr. Oliver. Only option (a) DBAC and option (b) DACB start with D.
Sentence (c) says that he (Mr. Oliver) felt anger and Sentence (b) states that he (Mr. Oliver) punishes the boy. B will follow C .
So , Option (b) is correct.

Q53. (a) CBDA

Sentence C says that - We spend about one third of our time sleeping and Sentence B starts with However, and it follows C.
Sentence D starts with a pronoun “it” which is used for the body, So D will follow B. So, option (a) is correct.

Q54.(d) DACB

Sentence D states that Under colonial rule, the people had lived in fear of the British government and did not agree with many of the decisions and Sentence A says “But they faced grave danger if they tried to criticize these decisions”. So, A will follow D.
Sentence C says about this situation (danger of criticising) C will follow A. So, option (d) is the correct sequence.

Q55.(a) BCAD

Sentence B is the initiating sentence as all others start with pronouns. Option (b) CDAB and (c) DCAB will be eliminated.

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Sentence C talks about the fires, so C will follow B. And hence, option (a) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q56.(a) DACB

Sentence D is the initiating sentence and sentence A will follow D.

Sentence C says that “ Jessica really felt like maybe she didn’t exist” and it follows Sentence A.

Hence, Option (a) is correct.

Q57.(b) CBAD

Sentence C is the initiating sentence, B follows C. Sentence C states that it is also governed by some well defined principles and sentence A says that the first of these (principles)... So D will follow A. Option (b) is the correct sequence.

Q58.(d) BADC

Sentence B is introductory and Sentence A will follow B. Sentence D says that Learning English, however, is important for practical reasons, and sentence C states about the opportunities, so C will follow D.

Option (d) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q59.(c) DACB

Sentence D says that lyrics are to music what the heart is to the body and Sentence A will follow sentence D.

B starts with “Thus” and it is the conclusion. So, Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q60.(b) CADB

Sentence C is the introductory part which says about a restaurant. Sentence A states that “So, I had thoughts of setting up an Indian restaurant” So, A will follow C.

Sentence D says that he bought an old building (for restaurant) so, D will follow A. Hence, Option (b) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q61.(a) CADB

Sentence C is the initiating sentence and says about the network of stories. Sentence A states that the network of stories is known in academic circles as ‘fiction’ or ‘imagined realities’. A will follow C.

B will follow D. So Option (a) is the correct sequence.

Q62.(b) CDAB

Sentence C is initiating one as it says the first step to prepare kheer. Sentence D will follow C and A will follow D.

So, Option (b) CDAB is the correct sequence.

Q63.(d) CBDA

Sentence C says about a wise man and B states that he (wise man) told a joke. B will follow C and D will follow B. It is a story; every sentence is linked to each other.

So, option (d) is the correct sequence.

Q64.(b) DABC

Sentence D says that Visitors to the busy Karol Bagh market in Delhi were in for a surprise. And Sentence A states that the market which has remained clogged with vehicles was all clear for pedestrians. A will follow D.

Sentence C will follow B.

Q65.(c) CBDA

Sentence C is a question and sentence B says that such questions often baffle you. B will follow C. Similarly sentence D talks about money and its value and sentence A says that Its (money) value is linked to what it is being used for. So, A will follow D. Option (c) CBDA is the correct sequence.

Q66.(b) DABC

Sentence D is initiating sentence which states about a type of hand-painted textile; Kalamkari and sentence A says that only natural dyes are used in Kalamkari. A will follow D

Sentence B says there are two styles and sentence C states the names of the two styles. C will follow B.

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Option (b) DABC is the correct sequence.

Q67.(b) BADC

Sentence B states that Arvind reminded of his daughter in the days after she was born. Sentence A says that He would sit at the edge of her mother's bed (his daughter's). A will follow B. Sentence D is a question, how long an hour actually was. And sentence C is the answer, "an hour was a vast sprawling space. So, C will follow D.

Option (b) is the correct sequence.

Q68.(c) BDAC

Sentence B is the initiating sentence about Kanyakumari. Sentence D is about Laccadive sea, and sentence A says that it (Laccadive sea) is a popular tourist spot. So, A will follow D.

Option (c) BDAC is the correct sequence.

Q69.(a) BDCA

Sentence B is the initiating part. The sentences are linked to each other directly. It is about opening a bank account.

Sentence A says that once the formalities are done, you can start using your account and sentence C states that getting your account opened is just a matter of providing certain details.

So, A will follow C.

Option (a) BDCA is correct.

Q70.(d) CDAB

Sentence C says that the traffic grew and Sentence D states that there was no space on the road any more. So, D will follow C.

Sentence A states about a man on a bike and sentence B says that a car hit him(the man on the bike)

So, B will follow A. Option (d) is the correct arrangement.

Q71. (a) CADB

Sentence C says that woman was walking alone and sentence A states about a woman. Sentence A will follow Sentence C. Sentence D is about the purse and Sentence B says that suddenly a boy ran up behind her and tried to snatch her purse. So, B will follow D. Option (a) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q72.(c) BDCA

Sentence B states about a deer in a metro station, Sentence D says that Nobody knows how it made it into the station. D will follow B.

Sentence A says that it ran away unharmed. And Sentence A will be the last sentence. Option (c) BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q73. (a) DCBA

Sentence D is about flying kites and sentence C says that it (flying kites) is really a thrilling exercise.

So, D is initiating one and C will follow D.

Sentence B says that this pastime is getting out of favour now and sentence A states the reason for sentence B.

Option (a) DCBA is the correct sequence.

Q74.(c) BDCA

Sentence B is the initiating sentence which says about the returning of Aditya and I from the site. And sentence D says that we were driving along National Highway 40. D will follow B. Sentence C says about a point where the road bifurcated, so, C will follow D.

Option (c) is the correct sequence.

Q75. (a) CBDA

Sentence C is about two penguins found a video camera and sentence B states that an expeditioner had left it (camera). So, B will C.

Sentence D says that penguins stared at the camera and in Sentence A it is explained that they stared as they were posing for 'selfies'.

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Option (a) CBDA is the correct sequence.

Q76. (d) DABC

Sentence D is initiating which says about a new safe and vault, Sentence A says that Mr. Adams was very proud of it (vault). A will follow D. Sentence B gives details of vault. So B will follow A.

Option (d) is the correct sequence.

Q77.(c) ACBD

Sentence A says that I caught a snake once.Sentence C states that the snake had been caught by its tail and dropped in the old well. Sentence C will follow Sentence A.

Sentence B says that the well is full of snakes and Sentence D says that we drop it in the well.

Option (c) ACBD is the correct sequence.

Q78. (d) CADB

Sentence C is initiating sentence, states about Romi and his hunger. Sentence A says that some mangoes lying beside him (Romi) A will follow C. Sentence D says about Kamla and Sentence B states that She (Kamla) looked at the mangoes longingly. B will follow D.

Option (d) is the correct sequence.

Q79. (d) BDAC

Sentence B states about a storm and sentence D says that winds struck a sailing ship.

D will follow B. Sentence A states that it (the ship) tossed high on the waves and sentence D says that The helpless people aboard the ship plunged into the sea.

So, Option (d) BDAC is the correct sequence.

Q80. (d) ADBC

Sentence A says that I learnt to push Lily's wheelchair and sentence D states that one afternoon, I wheeled her to the park. So, D will follow A.

Sentence B says that I stopped the chair in front of the pond so, B will follow D.

Option (d) ADBC is the correct arrangement.

Q81. (d) ADBC

Sentence A states about flying kites and sentence D says that it (Flying Kites) was quite popular during the days of the Nawabs. D will follow A.

Sentence B says that this sport involves a lot of risk, sentence C states that one has to be very cautious and skillful.

So, Option (d) ADBC is the correct sequence.

Q82.(d) ACBD

Sentence A talks about the city's only Jewish cemetery and Sentence C says that we were astonished to discover how tiny it was.(Jewish cemetery).C will follow A.

Sentence B says but then, it should not be a surprise. And Sentence D states the reason of no surprise. Option (d) ACBD is the correct arrangement.

Q83. (a) DCBA

Sentence D states about a Chihuahua (Dog) and sentence C says that A police officer on a motorcycle chased the dog. C will follow D.

Sentence B states that police had caught the dog and sentence D says to reunite the dog with his owner.

Option (a) DCBA is the correct arrangement.

Q84. (a) BCAD

Sentence B is about Maya Bay in Thailand and film 'The Beach' and sentence C says that one of the film's actors was Leonardo DiCaprio. C will follow B.

Sentence A states that tourists started coming to the beach there and sentence D states about the number of visitors. So, Option (a) BCAD is the correct sequence.

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Q85. (a) ABCD

Sentence A states that typhoon Lekima made land fall in China's Zhejiang province and sentence B says that this province is often hit with typhoons. B will follow A.

Sentence C says that floods affected almost 5 million people and sentence D says about 1 million people were evacuated.

Option (a) ABCD is the correct sequence.

Q86. Sentence B states that an oil tanker in Tanzania lost control and sentence C says that around 150 people gathered near the tanker. C will follow B.

Sentence A says that after around 20 minutes the tanker caught fire and sentence D says about people died and injured. D will follow A.

Option (b) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q87.(c) DACB

Sentence D states about what minimalists believe and sentence A says that they also believe.. So, A will follow D. Sentence A also says about an advice and sentence C states that they further advise

So, C will follow A. Option (c) DACB is the correct arrangement.

Q88.(c) CDAB

Sentence C states about Goonj, a leading NGO and its scheme. Sentence D says that as part of the scheme, an old lady was given a pair of slippers. So, D will follow C. Sentence B describes as soon as she was given slippers she dance, B will follow D.

Option (c) CDAB is the correct sequence.

Q89.(a) CBAD

Sentence C is the initiating sentence that states about Gautam Bhatia, a leading architect. Sentence B says that he (Gautam) states that in the early 1950's...

So, B will follow C. Sentence A says that the home then (in 1950's) was a bungalow. A will follow B. Option (a) CBAD is the correct sequence.

Q90.(a) BACD

Sentence B says that about two decades ago, becoming careful about sugar was only for diabetics. Sentence A states that but today... So, A will follow B.

Sentence C describes how zero on sugar becomes a trend and Sentence D is about advice from doctors. D will follow C.

Option (a) BACD is the correct sequence.

Q91.(b) CBDA

Sentence C states about Louis Armstrong, a jazz musician and sentence B says that as a child he always landed in trouble. B will follow C. Sentence D states once he found a pistol and sentence A says "this resulted in his going to jail" So, A will follow D. Option (b) is the correct sequence.

Q92. (b) BADC

Sentence B states about Edgar Allan Poe, a famous author. Sentence A says about his death. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that he had gone missing on Oct 3, 1849. And Sentence C states that he died on Oct 7. So, C will follow D.

Option (b) BADC is the correct arrangement.

Q93.(b) CBDA

Sentence C is about the migration of the Monarch butterfly.

Sentence B says that Each Autumn, millions of Monarch butterflies leave their breeding grounds and sentence D explains that they travel over 3000 miles to reach their winter habitat in Mexico. So, C is the initiating sentence and D will follow B which in turns follow C. Therefore, Option (b) CBDA is the correct sequence.

Q94.(d) CBAD

Sentence C says that the Discover Scuba Diving tour starts with a 30 minute lesson and Sentence B states more

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about this 'dry' lesson. B will follow C. Sentence A says about the next step and sentence D concludes. So, Option (d) CBAD is the correct arrangement.

Q95.(c) CADB

Sentence C says that a Satyajit Ray film was solely his film and Sentence A states that he was also good at delegating work. So, A will follow C. Sentence D further says about delegation, so Option C CADB is the correct arrangement.

Q96.(c) DACB

Sentence D says about three crocodiles and sentence A says that One of the crocodiles was four feet long and almost six years old.

A will follow D. Sentence C states about an announcement and Sentence B says what happened after that announcement.

So, Option (c) DACB is the correct option.

Q97.(d) BADC

Sentence B says about whodunit, a kind of detective story and sentence A describes that its chief feature, A will follow B.

Sentence D says that the reader deduces and tries to identify the criminal before the climax. So, D will follow A. Option (d) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q98.(c) CADB

Sentence C is an introductory sentence about Zuni, a language of tribes. Sentence A states, "these tribes believe.." So, A will follow C.

Sentence D says that the tribes had been able to preserve their language and Sentence B states that this language is an "isolated" language. B will follow D. Option (c) CADB is correct sequence.

Q99. (b) CDBA

Sentence C is an introductory sentence as it tells us what the writer has learnt. And what he has learnt if in the rest of the three sentences. B and D will go together as they both are about things that are not important. B will be used after D as B has the keyword also. Finally A will be the last sentence as that tells us about what is actually important. Option (b) CDBA is the correct arrangement.

Q100.(b) CDBA

Sentence C states about a play and sentence D says that this (the play) unique collaboration is a tribute to the playwright Girish Karnad. D will C. Sentence B states that the play has been divided into segments of 10 minutes each and A is about those allotted minutes... So, A will follow B. Option (b) CDBA is the correct arrangement.

Q101.(a) DCBA

Sentence D states that the setting is very important while writing a story, sentence C further describes to make it (Setting) more specific. C will follow D. Sentence B gives an example and A says about giving some vivid details of the city.

So, Option (a) DCBA is correct.

Q102.(d) CBAD

Sentence C is an initiating sentence, it states about a question of getting timely health care in an emergency.

Sentence B says that A cardiac arrest needs revival within 4 minutes and A states "therefore an advanced ambulance needs to reach the patient". A will follow B.

Sentence D states that even in Delhi, a patient does not get emergency care. D will follow A.

So, Option (d) is correct.

Q103.(b) BDCA

Sentence B is about an American research study and sentence D states that this study has been published in JAMA Dermatology. So, D will follow B.

Sentence C suggests to consume a diet with fruits and vegetables

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And sentence A tells which fruits are rich source of vitamin A. So, A will follow C. Option (b) BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q104.(b) BDCA

Sentence B is the introduction to a book, sentence D says that the story is about a tiger who pops by for tea. D will follow B.

Sentence C will follow D as it states that he (the tiger) ends up making a delightful nuisance of himself.

So, Option (b) BDCA is the correct arrangement.

Q105. (d) DBAC

Sentence D is the introductory sentence about Charlie Chaplin, Sentence B states about his childhood with his mother. B will follow D. Sentence A says that using his mother's show-business contacts, Charlie became a professional entertainer in 1897. So, A will follow B. Option (d) DBAC is the correct sequence.

Q106. (d) BCDA

Sentence B says that Ravi and Sunil decided to hold a meeting and sentence C states that the meeting lasted for four hours. C will follow B. Sentence D says about its(the meeting's) purpose. D will follow C.

Option (d) BCDA is the correct sequence.

Q107.(d) ADCB

Sentence A state about a story of an Indian sage and sentence D says that the sage listened unperturbed till the man ran out of words. D will follow A. Sentence C is about a question asked by the sage and its reply. Sentence B describes what the sage wanted to explain.

Option (d) ADCB is the correct arrangement.

Q108.(b) DACB

Sentence D states about a bank that gave stock options and sentence A says that it was called the 'take ownership' programme. A will follow D.

Sentence C will follow Sentence A as it states that they behaved like owners. So, Option (b) DACB is the correct arrangement.

Q109. (d) DACB

Sentence D states about the std. operating hour of PSBs. Sentence A says that this move(operating hours) is a part of the (EASE) 2.0. Agenda. A will follow D.

Sentence C states more about the working hours under EASE agenda. C will follow A.

Option (d) DACB is the correct arrangement.

Q110.(b) BADC

Sentence B says about the finding of a new report, sentence A describes the report in the study. A will follow B.

Sentence D states that these later maturing teens do catch up with early maturing teens and sentence C contradicts Sentence D. So, Option (b) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q111.(b) ADCB

Sentence A states about cancer as the most stressful experiences and sentence D tells about support groups that help cancer patients. So, D will follow A. Sentence C says that the groups are gaining popularity these days.. C will follow D.

So, option (b) is the correct option.

Q112.(b) CDAB

Sentence C is the introductory part which says that success in life is just like baking a cake and sentence D states about the right ingredients and recipe. So, D will follow C.

Sentence A states about finest quality and right proportions of the ingredients and sentence B concludes the para. So, Option (b) CDAB is correct.

Q113.(a) BDCA

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Sentence B says about a sound sleep and sentence D states about regulating the times you go to bed. D will follow B. Sentence C tells some favourable conditions required for the sound sleep.

Option (a) BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q114. (a) CDBA

Sentence C is the introductory part of the para which is about making chocolate chip brownies and sentence D and sentence B are the steps of the recipe. Sentence A is the last part. So, Option (a) CDBA is the correct sequence.

Q115.(d) CADB

Sentence C says about Nidhi Jain-an unschooling parent and sentence A states that she started the Udaipur-based organisation. A will follow C. Sentence D tells about the organization, and B elaborates further. So, Option (d) is the correct sequence.

Q116. (b) CDBA

Sentence C says that on Sept. 22, 2018 Sunita Williams talked to families and space enthusiasts about space travel. Sentence D tells where she was speaking. D will follow C. Sentence B says that Williams was introduced at the festival by former NASA astronaut Mike Massimino. So, B will follow C. Option (b) CDBA is the correct sequence.

Q117.(c) BADC

Sentence B states that hair loss can be traced to an increase of DHT and sentence A says that DHT drastically increases collagen production in the hair follicle. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that when too much collagen lines the interior of the follicle, it narrows the pores. So, D will follow B. Option (c) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q118.(d) DABC

Sentence D states that parenting is among the most difficult and demanding tasks and sentence A says that it (parenting) requires continuous learning and sacrifices. So, A will follow D.

Sentence B says what to do to raise well behaved and responsible children. B will follow D.

Option (d) DABC is the correct sequence.

Q119. (a) BCAD

Sentence B says that once Tenali Raman wanted to visit the Kaali temple and sentence C says that It was quite dark by the time Tenali reached the temple... C will follow B. Sentence A states that Kaali Ma appeared before him (Tenali Raman) So, Option (a) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q120. (c) CABD

Sentence C says that a father wanted to inculcate a sense of responsibility and sentence A states what he does. A will follow C. Sentence B says that the boy realised his mistake. So, B will follow A.

Option (c) CABD is the correct sequence.

Q121. (a) DBCA

Sentence D states about the delay in possession of homes and sentence B says that delay has extended to almost six years or more. Sentence C says that in the absence of a regulator the builder-buyer battle appeared one-sided. Sentence A tells that now the real estate sector has got its own regulator. A will follow C certainly. So Option (a) DBCA is the correct sequence.

Q122.(a) DBAC

Sentence D says that Holzman, a well known chef, started his career at the age of 15 and sentence B says at 19, he enrolled in the Culinary Institute of America. B will follow D.

Sentence A says that something wasn't quite right with Holzman and sentence C says that he wanted to do something different with it. C will follow A.

Option (a) DBAC is the correct sequence.

Q123. (a) BCAD

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Sentence B is the initiating sentence states that the prisoners wanted to display their artwork inside the prison and sentence C says that they took the help of volunteers from the School of Art.

So, C will follow B.

Sentence A states about the art school gallery in the prison and Sentence D says that interested prisoners could study there .

So, D will follow A. Option (a) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q124. (d) BACD

Sentence B states that not all prisoners are hardcore criminals.

Sentence A further explains that most of them are in jail because of their circumstances. So, A will follow B.

Sentence C says that they deserve rehab. So, C will follow B.

Option (d) BACD is the correct arrangement.

Q125. (a) BADC

Sentence B says that Akbar was in the habit of putting riddles and sentence A states that he often asked questions. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that it took much wisdom to answer these questions, so D will follow A. Option (a) BADC is the correct answer.

Q126.(b) ADBC

Sentence A says that a hunter was ready to go hunting and sentence D states that before departing, he went to see his little baby. D will follow A. Sentence B says about the blanket and sentence C says he thought the blanket was not warm enough. C will follow B. Option (b) ADBC is the correct arrangement.

Q127. (d) BCDA

Sentence B is an initiating sentence that states about a novel by Charles Dickens. The only option starts with B is the correct sequence.

Q128. (a) BCDA

Sentence B is about Pip, an orphan and sentence C says that the convict scares Pip into stealing food and a file. C will follow B.

Sentence D states that Pip steals a file. So, D will follow C.

Option (a) BCDA is the correct sequence.

Q129. (c) ADBC

Sentence A states about a poor little girl. Sentence D says that her friend invited her. D will follow A.

Sentence B is about her shoe that was worn out and sentence C states she went to a cobbler. So, C will follow B.

So, ADBC is the correct arrangement.

Q130. Sentence B says about arrival in Bangkok and temples and sentence D states that We visited numerous temples that day. D will follow B.

Sentence A says they all began to blur in our memories but sentence C says about one temple which left an indelible impression. So, C will follow A. Option (d) BDAC is correct.

Q131(a) ADBC

Sentence A says about an old apple tree and sentence D states that children loved to play around the tree. D will follow A.

Sentence B says that the adults also sat in the shade and sentence C says that they (adults) remembered that they too had played.

C will follow B. Option (a) ADBC is the correct sequence.

Q132 (a) CBDA

Sentence C states about Mark Eklund, sentence B says that he (Mark Eklund) was in third grade. B will follow C.

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Sentence D says that his happy-to-be-alive attitude made even his occasional mischievousness delightful but sentence A says that Once Mark disturbed the whole class with his pranks. So, CBDA is the correct arrangement.

Q133. (a) ADBC

Sentence A is the introductory sentence which says Once Oliver made a big snowman and sentence D says that it (snowman) was as big as him. D will follow A. Sentence B says that the fat snowman wore an old top. B will follow D. Option (a) ADBC is the correct sequence.

Q134.(d) BDAC

Sentence B says that Indian education has its roots in the ancient ages and sentence D states about the Gurukul system in the ancient age. D will follow B. Sentence A says that the subjects taught were varied from Sanskrit to Mathematics. So, A will follow D. Option (d) BDAC is the correct sequence.

Q135. (c) BCAD

Sentence B says that at 9 am the great rocket lifted in the air and sentence C states that it quickened to a speed of 17,500 miles an hour. C will follow B. Sentence A says that at this speed the rocket soon attained the height of 190 miles. B will follow C. Option (c) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q136.(b) ADBC

Sentence A says that On April 12, Gopal rose at 5:30 am
Sentence D states that he put on his track suit and walking shoes.
D will follow A. Sentence B says that then he drove to the Joggers Park. B will follow D. Option (b) ADBC is the correct sequence.

Q137.(d) DBCA

Sentence D says that my friend Todd owes me a dollar and sentence B says he has owed it to me. B will follow D.
Sentence C says that he has forgotten that he owes me a dollar. So C will follow B. Option (d) DBCA is the correct sequence.

Q138. (a) BDAC

Sentence B says about computers and Sentence D states that they (Computer) can not do so. D will follow B.
Sentence A says that they have no mind of their own. A will follow D. Option (a) BDAC is the correct sequence.

Q139.(b) CABD

Sentence C says that watching television continuously is very harmful and sentence A says that children are the most adversely affected. A will follow C.
Sentence B says that their eyesight goes weak. B will follow A.
Option (b) CABD is the correct sequence.

Q140.(a) BADC

Sentence B states about the men gathered in Dubai and sentence A says that they had come from different parts of the city. A will follow B. Sentence D states that but, all of them had one thing in common. D will follow A. Option (a) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q141.(c) DACB. Sentence D states about Ann Thompson who was practicing ski run and sentence A says that she hoped to win an Olympic medal. A will follow D. Sentence C says that she didn't know it would be her last run ever and sentence B tells that she had a terrible accident. So, B will follow C. Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q142. (c) BADC

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Sentence B states about DNA code and sentence A says that this code contains information. A will follow B. Sentence D says about the unique genetic material in the code and sentence C says that If this genetic material is altered, it would alter the organism. C will follow D. Option (c) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q143.(b) CBAD

Sentence C states that Prague is known for its striking red roofs and sentence B states that a huge fire engulfed the city. B will follow C.

Sentence A says that the fire destroyed many buildings. A will follow B. Option (b) CBAD is the correct sequence.

Q144(c) DACB

Sentence D says about child care in the country and sentence A states that India is the home of the malnourished child. A will follow D. Sentence C says about the number of reasons for malnutrition and sentence B describes some reasons.

So, Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q145. (b) BDCA

Sentence B says that there were two kinds of newspapers and sentence D states about the first set. D will follow B.

Sentence C says about the second part, so C will follow B.

Option (b) BDCA is the correct sequence.

Q146. (c) DACB

Sentence D is a question - How did people clean their teeth before the toothbrush was invented? And sentence A gives the answer - chew sticks. So, A will follow D. Sentence C states more about the sticks. So, C will follow D. Option (c) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q147 (b) BADC

Sentence B says that Esha had heard from her parents about a blackout and sentence A states that her father had been stuck. A will follow B. Sentence D says about her mother's story. D will follow A. Option (b) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q148(c) BADC

Sentence B states about Greyhound racing is a popular spectator sport, sentence A says that when their short racing careers are over, greyhounds are adopted as household pets. A will follow B.

Sentence D says that unfortunately, many people hesitate to adopt a retired racing greyhound. D will follow A. Option (c) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q149 (b) CBDA

Sentence C says that I returned home with my pockets full of my earnings and sentence B tells that all the money soon vanished. B will follow C. Sentence D says that my grandmother was happy that I had become responsible and sentence A states that title did she (the grandmother) know..

So, Option (b) is the correct arrangement.

Q150.(b) DCBA

Sentence D states about the uniformed men and women. Sentence C says that they make countless sacrifices. C will follow D. Sentence B states that we often fail to appreciate these sacrifices. Option (b) DCBA is the correct sequence.

Q151 (a) CADB

Sentence C says that John hated finishing things and loved starting them and Sentence A states that he had gotten into a million activities and hobbies. Sentence D says that but he never stuck with any of them for long. So, Sequence CAD is correct.

Q152.(b) DACB

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Sentence D is initiating sentence. Sentence A says that the trend was to go to the west for medical facilities and sentence C states that the trend has reversed and India is being chosen. So, C will follow A. Option (b) DACB is the correct sequence.

Q153. (b) CBDA

Sentence C is the introductory sentence about Mohan. Sentence B states that He and his wife were always ready to help. B will follow C. Sentence D describes their neighbourly kindness. So, CBDA is the correct arrangement.

Q154.(c) BDAC

Sentence B states that all kids want to be older and sentence D says that bikes offer them a chance to be independent. D will follow B. Sentence A says that for them, it's like a magic carpet, their version of a car. Option (C) BDAC is the correct sequence.

Q155. (c) CABD Sentence C states that the Bantrys wake to find the body of a young woman in their library. Sentence A says about the same woman. A will follow C. Sentence B asks Who is she. Sentence D states about the mystery. So, the option (c) CABD is the correct sequence.

Q156.(d) CDAB

Sentence C says that Dorababu made a little space for me on the bench on which he was sitting and sentence D states that he greeted me. D will follow C. Sentence A says that his affectionate greeting was surprising. A will follow C. Option (d) CDAB is the correct sequence.

Q157.(d) DABC

Sentence D is the initiating sentence, it states about the time when gold and silver were first found. Sentence A says that the first person who thought of trading must have been a clever person. And Sentence B says that He must have found them easy to carry and exchange for goods. So, B will follow A. DACB is the correct Sequence.

Q158.(c) CABD

Sentence C says that Krishna had confined himself to the four walls of the house and sentence A states that But now that his father had asked him to fetch some cheroots. A will follow C. Sentence B says that he was ashamed of being seen outdoors and sentence D states that he was wondering how to get past the school unnoticed. D will follow B. CABD is the correct option.

Q159. (a) CADB

Sentence C states that early man lived in the fear of animals, sentence A says that today man makes animals do what he likes. So, A will follow C. Sentence D says that some he tames and sentence B says that others he eats. Option (a) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q160.(a) DBCA

Sentence D is the introductory sentence about job longevity in the past. Sentence B says that median tenure for employees below the age of 30 is just two years and Sentence C says that young people today are tempted to switch jobs quickly. So, C will follow B. Option (a) DBCA is the correct sequence.

Q161. (c) CADB

Sentence C is the introductory sentence about the jasmine plant and telling the price the writer charged. Next will be A as it tells us about what the writer should have charged. A says that double the amount should have been charged and that is mentioned in D so D will be the third sentence and last will be sentence A. Option (c) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q162. (b) CDBA

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Sentence C says that I used to pester my parents for toy cars and Sentence D states that one day he got an old tricycle. D will follow C. Sentence B says that he used to ride it during playtime. B will follow D. Option (b) CDBA is the correct sequence.

Q163. (b) CBAD

Sentence C says about the intelligence of man and Sentence B states that intelligence made him cleverer and stronger than enormous animals. B will follow C. Sentence A says that man's intelligence grew so did his power. Sentence D states he combines intelligence with the power. Option (b) CBAD is the correct sequence.

Q164. (c) BADC

Sentence B is a question, and Sentence A is its answer. So, A will follow B. Sentence C is the answer to the question asked in Sentence D. C will follow D. Option (c) BADC is the correct sequence.

Q165.(d) CDAB

Sentence C says that my grandmother is an active eighty year old and Sentence D states that She begins her morning with meditation. D will follow C. Sentence A says that then she does some gardening. A will follow D. Option (d) CDAB is the correct sequence.

Q166.(d) BCDA

Sentence B says about the first great discovery(fire) and Sentence C says that in olden times fires were made by rubbing two flints against each other till a spark. C will follow B. Sentence D says that spark set fire to dry straw, leaves or wood. D will follow C. So, Option (d) BCDA is the correct sequence.

Q167.(d) ADBC

Sentence A says that we reached a three-road junction and Sentence D states that a barking dog began to chase the bike for some distance. D will follow A. Sentence B states that I was worried it might pounce on us. B will follow D. Sequence should be ADBC.

Q168. (a) CADB

Sentence C says that the street came alive and Sentence A states that baskets and carts flooded the street. A will follow C. Sentence D says that from one end to the other cries of the vendors rent the air. D will follow A. Option (a) CADB is the correct sequence.

Q169.(d) BCDA

Sentence B states about the neolithic man and his animal skin cloth, sentence C says that he used flax which had a good fibre for making cloth. So, C will follow B. Sentence D states about the cloth made of flax during those days and Sentence A says that today flax is used to make fine linen fabric. A will follow D. Sequence BCDA is the correct sequence.

Q170.(d) BCAD

Sentence B is an introductory sentence about Mountain gorillas. Sentence C says that only two groups of mountain gorillas remain. C will follow B. Sentence A is about one group and Sentence D is about another group. Option (d) BCAD is the correct sequence.

Q171. (c) DBAC

Sentence D states that there are billions of mobile phones and Sentence B says that they have been in use in the country for over two decades. B will follow D. Sentence A is about mobile phone users and Sentence C states that Mobile companies are bringing out phones with new features for these users. C will follow A. Option (c) DBAC is the correct sequence.

Q172.(a) PRSQ

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“But” and “On the other hand” are important keywords for this parajumble.

First we will talk about the ads that we see everywhere so P will be the first option. These ads are of alcohol and tobacco.

Since S has used the phrase on the other hand it will follow option R.

Finally Q will be the last sentence.

Q173. (b) SQPR

The para jumble talks about economic reforms so S will be the first sentence, you will be the next one as it begins with some of its effects..... R begins with at the same time so R will be used after P.

Q174. (d) RPSQ

R and P Will go together because both of them talk about political awakening. In sentence P we talk about the political awakening of women so that will be the second sentence after R. R will be the first sentence as it introduces the topic. S Will be the third sentence as it uses the pronoun “they” which refers to women already mentioned in the second sentence (P). Finally Q will be the last sentence.

Q175.(c) SQRP

In this question we can pair the sentences. S and Q will go together. And R and P will go together. The first sentence will be S because it clearly States what the para jumble is about. It states that a coalition government can run smoothly like a single party government then what is required for the coalition government to run smoothly is mentioned in sentence Q. It says the only requirement..... What are the requirements? They are mentioned in sentence R and P. So the order will be SQRP.

Q176. (c) QPSR

In sentence P “also” is an important keyword. In sentence R “these” is an important keyword. Sentence R clearly says “these are little words”. It is referring to the words mentioned in sentence S. So S will be immediately followed by R. The passage is about good manners so Q will be the introductory line. Next will be P because it tells from where else we can learn good manners and uses the word also. S and R will be the third and fourth sentence. So the order is QPSR.

Q177. (d) QRSP

Q will be the first sentence as it introduces the subject which is that man cannot live alone. The same thought process is continued in the next sentence in R, so R will be the second sentence which talks about with whom a man needs to live. S will be the third sentence which tells us about the way man needs to build relationships with other people and finally P will be the last sentence which tells us how these relationships have to be maintained.

Q178. (a) PQRS

Sentence Q talks about a Universal phenomenon. What is this Universal phenomenon? It is mentioned in sentence P (superstitions) so sentence Q will follow P. Sentence S begins with nor which means it is continuation of a thought. The thought is mentioned in sentence R. So R will be followed by S. The right order will be PQRS

Q179. (d) PRSQ

The first sentence P introduces us to the subject with which the para jumble deals. Next will be R which tells us about the impact of Science and education on superstitions. Sentence S talks about the compulsions of modern life and how superstitions are no more followed. An example of how superstitions are coming to an end is given in sentence Q. So Q will follow S. The right order will be PRSQ.

Q180. (b) RPSQ

Sentence P has “all these in the beginning”. We need to question what is these referring to. So it cannot be the first sentence. Similarly sentence S has “these changes” in the beginning. It cannot be the first sentence either because we do not know what these changes refer to. In sentence P it begins with these influences. We do not know what the influences are. So P, S and Q can't be the first sentence. We are left with R only. That will be the first sentence which is there is option B. The right order will be RPSQ.

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Q181. (b) RPSQ

R will be the first sentence as it introduces us to what the parajumble deals with. (Social Morality and well being of the society). Next will be P as it tells us what is necessary to maintain the wellbeing of the society. The same thoughts of P are carried on in S and then finally Q. So the order will be RPSQ.

Q182. (a) RPSQ

Sentences R introduce the topic with which the para jumble deals. Sentence S and Q are connected as they both talk about deterrence. Q will be used after S. sentence P will be used after R. So the order will be RPSQ.

Q183. (c) PQRS

Here 3 sentences that is P, Q and R have the same tone and thought so they will go together. In Sentence S the tone is completely changed and it talks about the present times so that will be the last sentence. Among the three sentences P, Q and R the first one will be P as it talks about a time in the past. P also contains the noun "people" which has been referred to as "they" and "them" in Q and R. Q will be the second sentence which talks about the programs and R will be the third sentence which talks about not watching the programs. So the sequence will be PQRS.

Q184. (d) QPRS

Sentence P contains the pronoun he so it cannot be the first sentence. Similarly R contains the pronoun him so R cannot be the first sentence. Sentence S contains the pronoun "he". All these three cannot be the first sentence. These pronouns refer to the noun Siddhartha which is available in sentence Q. So Q will be the first sentence as noun is used before a pronoun. Q is available as the first sentence only in option d. So Q will be the first sentence followed by what Siddhartha wanted to do which is in sentence P. So P will be the next sentence. Sentence R talks about his decision to leave the palace and sentence S tells us what he finally did before leaving the palace. So the order will be QPRS.

Q185. (a) QPSR

Q will be the first sentence as it talks about violence. It will be followed by P as in P various forms of violence are mentioned. Next will be S in which a new dimension to violence is mentioned. and finally R will be the last sentence. So the order will be QPSR.

Q186. (c) RQSP

In the given question we can form two pairs of sentences clearly. R and Q will go together as they talk about a degree of consensus. R will be used before Q. Similarly S and P will be paired together as they talk about phonological skills. So the correct order will be RQSP.

Q187. (b) RPSQ

P, S and Q will go together as all three of them talk about Liberalisation. The it in Q refers to liberalisation. In P the important keyword is then. Then the liberalisation process becomes inevitable. When does it become inevitable? That is mentioned in R which will be the first sentence followed by P. P will be followed by S and finally Q. So the order will be RPSQ.

Q188. (a) QSRP

In Sentence P they have been used which is an important keyword. It has been used for followers. In sentence S and R the keyword is this meditation. Which meditation is being referred to here. It is the meditation mentioned in Sentence Q. So Q will appear before S and R hence Q will be the first sentence. Q will be followed by S and then R and finally P.

Q189. (d) RPSQ

P and S will go together as both the sentences talk about what the older generation feels. R will be the first sentence as it clearly mentioned what the parajumble is about (what the older generation feels). Next sentence will be P in which the older generation has been referred to as "they". P will be followed by S. Q will be the last sentence as it tells us what the younger generation feels.

Q190. (b) SRQP

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This para jumble is based on time sequence. Clearly S will be the first sentence as it mentions about the first hydro generating unit in India. P will be the last sentence as it talks about hydro projects which are now under execution. R will be the second sentence as it covers hydro schemes post independence. R will be followed by Q.

So the order will be SRQP.

Q191. (d) SRQP

The Parajumble is about the Great Depression in America and its consequences. S will be the first sentence which tells us how the Great Depression began i.e. it began with overproduction and low prices in the agricultural sector. R will be the next sentence because it explains why there was overproduction. Then next sentence will be Q which tells us the consequences of overproduction. P will be the last sentence. So the order will be SRQP.

Q192. (c) PRSQ

P is the first part which briefly introduces the passage.

Next is R immediately followed by S. 'These nobles' are the nobles who governed the provinces.

Next will be Q which tells why the nobles lack the sense of national loyalty.

The answer is (c) PRSQ.

Q193. (d) SRQP

S is the first part which tells that the passage is about Communalism.

Next will be R which talks on the same tone as that of S i.e, what communalism is not about.

Next will be Q followed by P which tells how communal feelings develop.

The answer is (d) SRQP

Q194.(a) QPSR

Q is the beginning part which brings forth the subject of the passage.

Next will be P which complies with the first part.

Next will be S followed by R which present the measures to be followed to fight these hardships.

The answer is (a) QPSR

Q195. (b) PQRS

P is the first part which contains the central idea of the passage.

Next will Q immediately followed by R which tells how the world has shrunk into a Global Village.

With PQR in the beginning the only option is (b).

The answer is (b) PQRS

Q196 (a) PQRS

P is the first part immediately followed by Q. 'They' pronoun is used for children.

Next will be R followed by S which brings forth the importance of good manners in children.

The answer is (a) PQRS.

Q197. (a) QPSR

Q is the first part immediately followed by P which tells why our country needs to set up an action plan on a war-footing.

Next will be S which tells how NSC has an agenda to draw up plans.

With QPS beginning, the option is (a).

The answer is (a) QPSR.

Q198. (c) SPQR

S is the first part which presents the subject of the passage.

Next will be P followed by Q which characterizes human behaviour.

The answer is (c) SPQR.

Q199. (d) RPQS

R is the first part which introduces the central idea of the passage.

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Next will be P immediately followed by Q and S. It states how British rule was marked by modernization of India.

The answer is (d) RPQS.

Q200. (b) RPSQ

R is the first part immediately followed by P which defines history.

Next will be S followed by Q which tells about tracing the past.

The answer is (b) RPSQ.

Q201. (d) RPSQ

R is the first part which tells that the passage is about the widened generation gap.

Next will be P which presents the steps to be taken by the elders to bridge this gap.

Next will be S followed by Q which tells about the steps taken by youth to come halfway.

The answer is (d) RPSQ.

Q202. (b) SPQR

S is the first part which tells that science has been the greatest boon to man.

Next will be P followed by Q and R which tell about the evolution of science.

The answer is (b) SPQR.

Q203.(c) QPRS

Q is the first part immediately followed by P which tells about The Ramayana.

Next will be R followed by S which tell about the book and its importance.

The answer is (c) QPRS.

Q204. (b) RQSP

R is the first part immediately followed by Q which tells about egocentric fixation and its negative state.

Next will be P followed by S which tell what it results in and how meditation can help overcome such state.

The answer is (d) RQPS.

Q205. (c) QSPR

Q is the first part which tells about youth's frustration.

Next will be S immediately followed by P. The factors of youth's frustration are enlisted here.

The answer is (a) QSPR.

Q206.(a) QPRS

Q is the first part which introduces the central figure of the passage.

Next will be P immediately followed by R and S which describes his struggle against apartheid in South Africa.

R will be followed by S. It first describes what apartheid is and then tells about his struggle.

The answer is (c) QPRS.

Q207. SPRQ

S is the first part which introduces the central idea of the passage.

Next will be P followed by R which lays down the contrast between the dependence of agriculture on climate in the least developed and developing countries.

Next will be Q which presents the likelihood that agriculture may remain vulnerable to climate change in years to come.

The answer is SPRQ.

Q208. (a) PSRQ

P is the first part. The passage is about Freedom of Speech.

Next will be S immediately followed by R and Q which tell what can be the consequences of imposing restriction on what one speaks.

The answer is (a) PSRQ.

Q209. (a) PSRQ

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P is the first part which tells about the ascent of the ranking of the millennials.

Next will be S which tells about the ranking of the former captain.

Next will be R followed by Q about how a female sports person could make a place in top 15. The answer is (a) PSRQ.

Q210. (c) QSRP

Q is the first part followed by S which describes the height component of the Tsunami wave. Next will be R followed by P which tell why these waves go unnoticed in the open ocean. The answer is (c) QSRP.

Q211.(a) QPSR

Q is the first part which introduces the theme of the passage.

Next will be P. 'This discipline' refers to the field of psychology.

Next will be S followed by R which elucidate the concepts and approaches used by psychologists.

The answer is (a) QPSR

Q212. (a) QPSR

Q is clearly the introductory statement as it mentions what the parajumble is about- causes of global warming.

This is followed by P as it talks about the main cause. If it is known that Q is the first statement, the only correct option is a.

Q213. (c) RPQS

R is clearly the introductory statement as it mentions what the parajumble is about- importance of health. P follows after R because it is a corollary to the first statement, and after that will be Q, because it tells us how being physically fit benefits us. S is a more general and concluding statement so it will be the last sentence.

But if we know R is the first sentence, we need not analyse the rest. The only correct option where R is the first sentence is c.

Q214. (b) QSRP

In this question we can pair the sentences. Q and S will go together, and R and P will go together. The first sentence will be Q because it clearly states what the para jumble is about- girls' education. How educated women lead a better life than uneducated ones is mentioned in S, so S will come next. R is the next sentence as it gives another reason why education is important. P mentions how all these previously mentioned factors can help make a better society, so it will be the last sentence.

Q215. (a) QRSP

In this question we can pair the sentences. Q and R will go together, and S and P will go together. The first sentence will be Q because it tells us that the parajumble is about forests, and also defines the word. It will be followed by R. Both S and P are about experiencing the beauty of nature, but S will come third, as it continues the topic in discussion i.e. forests or flora, and P talks about nature in the form of both flora and fauna, so it will be last.

Q216. (d) PQRS

P is clearly an introductory statement, and tells us that the para jumble is about honesty. Q is the next sentence as it talks about how one's honesty is reflected. Among R and S, R will be the third sentence, because it is a follow up of statement Q. It tells us how honesty is reflected in our words- how we speak. S gives the final detailed explanation of the previously mentioned statements, so it is the last.

Q217. (a) QPSR

Q is an introductory statement as it tells us that the parajumble is about kindness. P will clearly be the next sentence as it talks about kindness towards all human beings. These human beings include family, friends etc which is mentioned in statement S, so it will be third. R states how kindness can also be shown towards other life forms, so S will be the last one.

Q218. (d) SPRQ

In this question we can pair the sentences. S and P will go together, and R and Q will go together. The first sentence will be S because it clearly states what the para jumble is about. It states that we have the same number

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of hours in a day, and P mentions spending those 24 hours in an efficient way, so it comes second. Among the given options, S and P are the first and second sentences respectively only in option d, so that is the answer.

Q219. (c) SRPQ

In this question, we can work backwards. Q is clearly the last sentence because it appears in the last in all options. Q states that this kind of behaviour is not going to solve the problem. This behaviour must be a negative one, which is in statement P.

Among the remaining two, statement S will be the first statement of the parajumble as it is an introductory statement, while R is a follow up on it, as the government quickly accepted reports that are positive, like the one of ease of doing business. But it rubbished the negative human rights report, so P will be the next statement. Q will be the last sentence, because merely rubbishing a report is not going to solve the problem. Affirmative action must be taken.

Q220. (a) RQPS

Sentence R is the introductory part and it should be directly followed by Sentence Q.

Sentence P states about the free things given in the hostel, it should be followed by sentence S as it starts with "BUT" and says about the non-free items.

TEST 1

Q221. 1. In London there is a popular public park called Hyde Park.

P. He may succeed in attracting an audience.

Q. Anyone who wants to make a speech can do so in Speaker's Corner.

R. In this park, there is a place known as 'Speaker's Corner'.

S. On Sunday afternoons, we can find many such people there.

6. They will best end up on soap boxes and speaking away on various subjects.

(a) RPQS (b) QPRS

(c) RQPS (d) QPSR

Q222. 1. It is shocking to read that many more cigarette brands are going to be marketed in India.

P. Aren't these two at cross purposes?

Q. On the one hand, the Government declares 'no smoking' zones.

R. The proposal appears to be awaiting the Government's approval.

S. On the other, it entertains unhealthy proposals like this.

6. There is a need for review of Government policy.

(a) RQSP

(c) QSPR

(b) RPQS

(d) PQSR

Q223. 1. A man who climbs a mountain faces several dangers.

P. A cylinder of oxygen can be very expensive.

Q. The atmosphere at such a great height contains less oxygen than in the plains and therefore he may find it difficult to breathe.

R. Yet another danger is the avalanche's huge mass of snow sliding down the mountain and the mountaineer may get swept off.

S. This means that the mountaineer has to carry his own supply of oxygen in a cylinder.

6: It is a proof of the man's indomitable courage that in spite of all these dangers, he continues to climb the highest mountains in the world.

(a) QSPR

(c) QSRP

(b) SRPQ

(d) PSRQ

Q224. 1: After the Chipkoo Movement

P. that peasants and tribals

Q. In the responsible management

R. it was demonstrated

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S. had a greater stake
6. of Nature than did supposedly sophisticated city dwellers.
(a) QRPS (b) RPSQ
(c) RPQS (d) QPSR

Q225. 1. Sometimes you can figure out
P. of the rest of the sentence
Q. or from the meaning
R. its place in the story or in the sentence
S. an unfamiliar word from its context
6. even though you may never have seen the word before.
(a) RSPQ (b) SRQP
(c) QPRS (d) PRQS

Q 226. 1. Even today in many countries.
P. neglected and there are far
Q. women continue to be
R. who have had the benefit of
S. fewer women than men
6. education and vocational training.
(a) PRQS (b) QPSR
(c) SQRP (d) RQPS

Q227. 1. Carl Sagan
P. the severity of the problem
Q. says that we do not fully understand
R. that the next generations may be badly affected
S. in his essay
6. and that the only solution is international cooperation.
(a) SRPQ (b) SQRP
(c) SPRQ (d) SQPR

Q228. 1. Each
P. if it was working
Q. had to be tested to be sure
R. parts of the rocket
S. of the many
6. perfectly
(a) RSPQ (b) RQSP
(c) PRQS (d) SRQP

Q229. 1. The life of the honeybee colony centres around the activities of its single queen.
P. Fertilization of these eggs takes place before they are deposited in the cells.
Q. When the eggs hatch into larvae, they are looked after and fed by the worker bees.
R. During the summer months spends most of her time laying eggs in the wax cells of her honey comb
S. The honeybee does this by releasing sperm from her storages as which were filled at the time of her mating of flights.

6. A new worker bee emerges three weeks after the egg was laid.
(a) RSQP (b) RPSQ
(c) SPRQ (d) SRPQ
Q230. 1. George Eliot sees
P. family life
Q. and mutually caring relationships
R. human relationships
S. as the centre of
6. as the centre of life itself.
(a) PQSR (b) RQSP
(c) RPQS (d) PSRQ

Q231. 1. As the girl grew up, she became prettier and prettier
P. She began to be treated worse than any servant
Q. After household work she would sleep among the cinders.
R. And the prettier she became, the more the sisters hated her.
S. She was compelled to eat scraps of left over.
6. This habit earned her the nickname Cinderella.
(a) PQRS (b) RPSQ
(c) QPRS (d) PQSR

Q232. 1. Actually for him
P. was more important than
Q. the development
R. into a free man
S. of the Indian
6. the freeing of India.
(a) QSRP (b) SRQP
(c) PRQS (d) RSQP

Q233. 1. Continuing reports from doctors
P. how people live and what they eat
Q. who are measuring the incidence of heart attacks
R. disclose the pattern linking
S. all over the world
6. with the number of heart attacks they have.
(a) QSRP (b) PSRQ
(c) RQPS (d) SPRQ

Q234. A. to understand
B. to many people
C. threatening and even impossible
D. grammar appears
(a) CABD (b) BDCA
(c) DACB (d) ADDB

Q235. A. a lazy sulky
B. the rascal is
C. him at arms length
D. good for-nothing, keep
(a) BADC (b) DCAB

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(c) ADCB (d) CDBA

Q236. A. into the office
B. someone broke
C. highly confidential letters

D. and stole some
(a) CABD (b) ABCD
(c) BADC (d) BDCA

Q237. A. the public

B. aim is to educate
C. the NGOS's

D. about the danger of smoking
(a) CBAD (b) ABDC
(c) BADC (d) CADB

Q238. A. although a great scientist
B. Einstein was weak in arithmetic
C. right from his school days
D. it has been established that
(a) ADBC (b) DABC
(c) DCBA (d) DBCA

Q239. A. people blame others for their misdeeds
B. of the present-day-World arise
C. most of the troubles
D. from the fact that instead of doing their duty
(a) CBDA (b) DCBA
(c) ABDC (d) CBAD

Q240. A. his writings are so philosophical
B. to read between the lines
C. that it is sometimes difficult
D. and find out what he wants to convey
(a) ACBD (b) ABCD
(c) BCAD (d) BDAC

TEST 2

Q241. A. choice of goals that are not
B. wisdom is equally needed
C. only beneficent but also attainable
D. in private life in the
(a) BDAC (b) ADCB
(c) ABCD (d) CBDA

Q242. A. to raise their status
B. from others
C. and to gain acceptance
D. people follow fashion
(a) DBCA (b) ABCD
(c) BCAD (d) DACB

Q243. A. have some influence on
B. alter much of his natural bent
C. no doubt, education and surroundings
D. the direction of a man's "life; but they do not
(a) CADB (b) DACB
(c) CBAD (d) ADBC

Q244. A. reasons for this failure
B. one of the principal
C. dare not take risks
D. is that many people
(a) BADC (b) CBAD
(c) ACBD (d) BDAC

Q245. A. whole of last year-
B. twice
C. during the
D. I only went fishing
(a) CADB (b) BADC
(c) ACBD (d) DCAB

Q246. A. a valuable aid to education
B. the cinema offers
C. not only amusement
D. but is also
(a) DABC (b) BCDA
(c) BDAC (d) CBDA

Q247. A. well skilled in his job
B. he is a capable person.
C. but his roughness of a rustic nature
D. devalues his achievements
(a) BCDA (b) ADBC
(c) CDBA (d) BACD

Q248. A. just to prove
B. disparaging each new production
C. no one liked their caustically
D. the playwright's worthlessness
(a) CBAD (b) DBAC
(c) CDAB (d) ADBC

Q249. A. inside the auditorium
B. other people
C. apart from us
D. there were several
(a) CDBA (b) ABDC
(c) CBDA (d) BDAC

Q250. A. for some time
B. which is troublesome
C. the weather becomes cool and pleasant
D. though there is humidity in it
(a) DBAC (b) ACBD
(c) CBAD (d) CADB

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Q251. A. has only spread to other parts of the world recently

B. mango has been commercially cultivated

C. for many years, although its cultivation

D. in the Indo-Burma Malay region of southeast Asia

- (a) ADBC (b) DACB
(c) BDCA (d) BADC

Q252. A. he did not take revenge on Ravi

B. though he had

C. as he was magnanimous

D. done great harm to him

- (a) CABD (b) ADCB
(c) BCAD (d) DACB

Q253. A. can make Indian farmers active

B. growth of industries,

C. throughout the year

D. in cities around the villages

- (a) BADC (b) CADB
(c) DCAB (d) BDAC

Q254. 1 : Ashoka was successful

P : by the cruelty and horrors of war

Q : he was so disgusted

R : in his military operations

S : and alone among conquerors

6 : that he renounced it.

- (a) R S Q P (b) P S Q R
(c) S Q P R (d) P Q S R

Q255. 1 : She had understood

P : so she withdrew herself from the ordinary people

Q : like a curse to her father's house

R : that God sent her

S : from her earliest childhood

6 and tried to live apart.

- (a) S R Q P (b) P R Q S
(c) Q S P R (d) Q P R S

Q256. 1 : Science does not merely add new truths

P : destroys some old truths, and

Q : discovers new truths that

R : thereby upsets the way of

S : to old ones, it also

6 : men's thinking and their lives.

- (a) QSRP (b) RPSQ
(c) PSRQ (d) SPQR

Q257. 1: An outstanding feature of this century has been

P : living conditions of the

Q : the improvement of the income and

R : greater security and education which

S : working man leading to

6 : has meant greater political power.

(a) PSQR

(b) RSPQ

(c) QPSR

(d) SPRQ

Q258. 1 : Hobbies can fill our spare

P : physical fatigue, and

Q : moments with enjoyment

R : and pleasure, they also relieve

S : mental tiredness and

6 : do not hinder our regular work.

(a) RQPS

(b) QRSP

(c) SQPR

(d) SQPR

Q259. 1. Speech was the first means of conveying information

P. Thirdly printing helped in dissemination of knowledge in a permanent form.

Q. Then writing as a means introduced a capacity for storing information.

R. Computer is the only medium that can not only store but analyse information to make decision.

S. However, all these are passive media.

6. Therefore, computer is hailed as the fourth information revolution.

(a) QPSR

(b) PQSR

(c) QRPS

(d) QPRS

Q260. 1. Phobic reactions are strong irrational fears of specific objects or situations

P. But there is no objective danger

Q. For example, when a person is extremely fearful of birds, snakes, heights or closet places, does the label phobia applied to the person's fear and avoidance?

R. He usually recognizes that his fear is irrational

S. A person suffering from phobic neurosis knows what he is afraid of

6. But he cannot control it.

(a) QPSR

(b) SRQP

(c) SQPR

(d) RSQP

TEST 3

Q261. 1. Many kinds of ants are blind.

P. For these blind ants, the senses of touch and smell are of help.

Q. As they run along the ground, small humps of earth keep them from seeing land marks.

R. The sense of smell is located in the antennae or feelers.

S. Do you know how they find their way home.

6. You could have noticed that these feelers are always moving.

(a) SQPR

(b) RQPR

(c) PRQS

(d) SPRQ

Q262. 1. Hailstones consist of many onion-like layers of ice.

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P. The process continues until the hailstone is too heavy to be lifted and then it drops to the earth.

Q. In certain weather conditions small ice crystals drop to form a crystal.

R. some of the moisture freezes on to the crystals forming another layer.

S. Updrafts carry the hailstones and when it drops another layer is formed.

6. That is how hailstones are formed.

- (a) QPRS (b) QPSR
(c) QRSP (d) QSRP

Q263. 1. In this life there are no gain without pains,

P. No victory is a real triumph unless the foe is worthy

Q. Life, indeed, would be dull if there were no difficulties

R. Both winner and loser enjoy a game most if it is closely contested to the last

S. Gainers lose their zest if there is no real struggle

6. Whether we like it or not, life is one continuous competition.

- (a) PQRS (b) QSRP
(c) QRSP (d) RSPQ

Q264. 1. It's the beauty myth

P. and self-hatred as she tries to fulfill society's impossible

Q. that traps the modern woman in an endless

R. obsession with physical perfection

S. spiral of hope, self-consciousness,

6. Definition of "the flawless beauty."

- (a) QRSP (b) RQSP
(c) SPQR (d) SQRP

Q265. 1. Those dark blue eyes were

P. spoke of a tiredness

Q. but her skin was looser and more lined

R. as piercing as ever

S. than I remembered and her stooped shoulders

6. that was bone-deep.

- (a) PRSQ (b) SQRP
(c) RPQS (d) SQRP

Q266. 1. Can any one

P. falsehood triumph

Q. and let

R. for a long time

S. suppress truth

6. permanently?

- (a) RQSP (b) QPRS
(c) SRQP (d) PRQS

Q267. 1. The man

P. and no one passing him in the street

Q. was singularly inconspicuous

R. who was called Alfred Nobel

S. would have given him

6. another look.

- (a) RQPS (b) QPSR
(c) PSQR (d) SPRQ

Q268. 1. The commonest form of non motorised transport is the bicycle.

P. All one has to do is to hop on to it and pedal off.

Q. It takes only a short time for an average person to master it.

R. Also, except for inner tubes, and tyres, maintenance is seldom required.

S. The bicycle is a very simple machine to use.

6. No wonder millions of people ride bicycles all over the world.

- (a) PRQS (b) PSQR
(c) SRQP (d) SQRP

Q269. 1. Surgeons are next only to god.

P. As such they become demigods in the eyes of their patients and their families.

Q. And as the saying goes, cleanliness is next to godliness.

R. They give a new lease of life to people who are in their deathbeds.

S. Further a surgeon's work warrants cleanliness in every aspect.

6. Because of this purity which the surgeon sees everywhere he tends to be pure in his heart too.

- (a) PQRS (b) RSPQ
(c) RPSQ (d) QPRS

Q270. 1. A panther it is reported broke into a house yesterday attracted by the smell of the cattle in the shade close by.

P. Just as the panther was about to leap on him he shot out of his bed and jumped onto a cupboard of heavy steel.

Q. The neighbours heard his cries and broke open the door.

R. It strayed into the house where a boy, Sitaram, was sleeping alone.

S. He heard sounds and woke up, took the torch from under the pillow, shone it in the direction of the sound and saw the green eyes of the wild beast.

6. By then, the panther had escaped through the open window.

- (a) PRQS (b) RSPQ
(c) RPQS (d) QRPS

Q271. 1. There is an uncontrolled growth of periodicals and magazines.

P. Many readers are not capable of selecting the best books out of the many.

Q. In fact, bad stuff is more attractive to read.

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R. Therefore, in confusion, people may read bad stuff.

S. This quantitative growth is perhaps not the one required for the society.

6. Selection of good books is the most important task.

- (a) PSQR (b) SRPQ
(c) SPRQ (d) PQSR

Q272. 1. Caring for our elders has always been a key value in our culture.

P. We also feel greatly blessed if we get an opportunity to live with them.

Q. Always remember, that this sacred duty is a part of our religious outlook.

R. We consider it a privilege to have our parents and grandparents living with us.

S. Besides we believe that taking care of them in their old age is a sacred duty.

6. Seeking the blessings of elders is a common practice in our country.

- (a) QPSR (b) PRQS
(c) SRQP (d) RPSQ

Q273. 1 : There are people

P : to be able to say

Q : not because they enjoy the book

R : who read a book

S : but because they want

6 : that they have read it.

- (a) P S Q R (b) S Q P R
(c) R S P Q (d) R Q S P

Q274. 1 : For some people patriotism

P : today man belongs to the whole world

Q : it should be condemned because

R : type of patriotism is an evil and

S : means hatred for other countries, but this

6 : as much as to any one country.

- (a) S R Q P (b) P Q S R
(c) R S P Q (d) Q P S R

Q275. 1 : India has been a land

P : but in the sense that learning has always been very highly valued

Q : not indeed in the sense that education has been universal

R : and the learned man has been held in higher esteem

S : of learning throughout the ages

6 : than the warrior or the administrator.

- (a) P Q S R (b) R Q P S
(c) R S Q P (d) S Q P R

Q276. 1 : Those that have seen the Hindus

P : have naturally no more doubt

Q : of the existence of other persons

R : among them in their own country

S : of their existence than they have

6 : whom they have met.

- (a) P S Q R (b) R Q P S
(c) P S R Q (d) R P S Q

Q277. 1 : As my jogging-enthusiast sister

P : was often bothered by neighbourhood dogs

Q : with a stick in hand,

R : her husband started to accompany her on a bicycle,

S : on her daily run,

6 : to ward off any attackers.

- (a) SPQR (b) PSRQ
(c) RPQS (d) PRSQ

Q278. 1. Generally speaking,

P. for me by those who have invited me or

Q. follow programmes that have been worked out

R. who offer themselves as guides and usually in such cases

S. the journeys that I undertake for the purpose of publicity

6. I find the things I have to do wearisome.

- (a) RPQS (b) SQPR
(c) QRPS (d) PRSQ

Q279. 1. Local industries often

P. protest against the high salaries

Q. that this will unreasonably raise

R. arguing vehemently

S. offered by multinational firms

6. all wages to an excessive level

- (a) RQPS (b) PSRQ
(c) SRQP (d) PRSQ

Q280. 1. Although fruits can no longer grow once picked,

P. taking in oxygen and

Q. they continue to respire for sometime

R. giving off carbon dioxide

S. just as human beings do

6. when they breathe.

- (a) QPRS (b) SQPR
(c) RPQS (d) PRSQ

TEST 4

Q281. 1. The multi sourcing of

P. financial mess with

Q. coins led to a

R. using their own mix of

S. different mints

6. metals and alloys.

- (a) QPSR (b) PSRQ
(c) RPQS (d) SQPR

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Q282. 1. It may seem odd
P. one should only read
Q. but people read for such a
R. to have to insist that
S. because one liked it
6. variety of reasons.

- (a) QPSR (b) RSPQ
(c) SPRQ (d) RPSQ

Q283. P- It had been umpteen years since we had seen each other.

Q- One dull dark day in autumn, I was travelling on horseback through a dreary stretch of countryside.

R- This was the house of Roderick Usher, who had been my childhood pal.

S- At night fall, I came in sight of the house of Usher

- (a) PQSR (b) PSQR
(c) QSRP (d) QRSP

Q284. P- According to various estimates, between 1942 and 1944 there were approximately 400 victims of this practice daily in Warsaw alone, with numbers on some days reaching several thousands.

Q- A common German practice in occupied Poland was to round up random civilians on the streets of Polish cities.

R- For example, on 19th September 1942 close to 3000 men and women were transported by train to Germany – they had been caught in the massive round-ups all over Warsaw the previous two days.

S- The term, "lapanka" carried a sardonic connotation from the word's earlier use for the children's game known in English as "tag".

- (a) SQRP (b) SRPQ
(c) QSPR (d) QPRS

Q285. We have seen that, when
X-think of it as losing its parts and shrivelling to a point

Y-occupy any portion of space, we need not

Z-we deny that a mental image can

- (a) ZXY (b) YZX
(c) YXZ (d) ZYX

Q286. Another major difference

X-seven planets around the star

Y-system is the tight packing of the

Z-in comparison with the solar

- (a) ZYX (b) ZXY
(c) YZX (d) YXZ

Q287. P: In other countries which are populated by 'haves', frustration is among them also because they do "haves".

Q: In some countries, frustration exists because these countries are populated by "have-nots".

R: Frustration is a global cancer.

S: It has spared no country.

- (a) RSQP (b) SQRP
(c) PSRQ (d) QRPS

Q288. P: The real purpose underlying this maxim lies in its utility in the worldly sense.

Q: He has within him a spirit which is ever exhorting him to cut down his needs and learn to be happy with what he has.

R: Man is something much greater than an intelligent being using his intellect to make newer inventions from time to time.

S: It tells us to be up and doing, not to be passive in our attitude to life.

- (a) PRQS (b) QPSR
(c) RQPS (d) SRPQ

Q289. P- However, our environment also needs some help from all of us to get maintained as usual to nourish our

lives forever and to never ruin our lives.

Q- It gives us all things which we need to live our life on this planet.

R- It provides us a better medium to grow and develop.

S- An environment includes all the natural resources which surround us to help in a number of ways.

- (a) PQRS (b) QPSR
(c) SRQP (d) QSPR

Q290. P- The starting point can be the experience of a minority within society generally or even the experience of a group of people within a progressive social movement which does not live up to its progressive agenda in every respect.

Q- Within (or after) postmodernism a grand unifying theory no longer seems possible. This does not exclude the possibility or the necessity of dialogue.

R- The starting points of social criticism can be very different and the different forms of socialism never has a monopoly on Social Criticism.

S- Nevertheless most social critics still consider the Critique of capitalism to be central.

- (a) PRQS (b) RPQS
(c) RQPS (d) PSRQ

Q291. P- To those who have known comfort, discomfort is a real torture.

Q- Comfort is now one of the causes of its own spread.

R- The more comfort is brought into the world, the more it is likely to be valued.

S- It has now become a physical habit, a fashion, an ideal to be pursued for its own sake.

- (a) QRSP (b) QPRS
(c) QPSR (d) QSRP

Q292. P- In that frame of mind, we have little sense of identity, safety or security.

Q- Courage is required to explore our secret life because we must first withdraw from the social mirror, where we are fed positive and negative feedback continuously.

S- As we get used to this social feedback, it becomes a comfort zone.

R- And we may opt to avoid self examination and idle away our time in a vacuum of reverie and rationalization.

- (a) QSRP (b) QRSP
(c) SQRP (d) SRQP

Q293. P- And if I think about something which didn't happen I start thinking about all other things which didn't happen.

Q- But there is only ever one thing which happened at a particular time and a particular place.

R- And there are an infinite number of things which didn't happen at that time and that place.

S- A lie is when you say something happened which didn't happen.

- (a) QSRP (b) SQPR
(c) SRQP (d) SQRP

Q294. P- The magnitude of the interdependence depends on the technique of production causing the shifts in the food supply curve.

Q- Interdependence of food and labour market is important for the development process.

R- Similarly, an upward shift in the food supply curve shifts up the food demand curve.

S- An upward shift in the food supply curve would simultaneously result in an upward shift in the labour demand curve.

- (a) QSPR (b) QPRS
(c) PSRQ (d) SPQR

Q295. P-But he did not know how to find one at that hour.

Q-It was his first visit to the city and he didn't know where to go.

R-Mohanlal's train was late and it reached Kolkata a little after midnight.

S-He thought he would go to a choultry where he would not have to pay rent.

- (a) PSQR (b) QRSP
(c) RQSP (d) RSQP

Q296. P-And slowly, you reach the pinnacle of self-awareness, experiencing a unity with all life.

Q-If you transform your energy positively, it naturally becomes compassion and love.

R-Once you experientially are a part of everything then nobody needs to teach you morality.

S-Then you can do something to improve the situation, but without anger.

- (a) PQRS (b) QPRS
(c) RQPS (d) RSPQ

Q297. P: He raised his voice against idol-worship.

Q: People are generally very open and accept social changes with a positive attitude.

R: Swami Dayanand Saraswati is remembered with reverence and affection among the social reformers of the nineteenth century.

S: India is a country which respects spiritualism much more than materialism.

- (a) QRSP (b) PRSQ
(c) RSPQ (d) SQRP

Q298. P: For that we need people who possess not only high skills but high values as well.

Q: So the need of the hour is not only skill-based education but also value-inspired and value-based education.

R: When we talk of investing in education, a question arises as to what kind of education needs to be given to the youngster.

S: Our aim is to evolve not only an affluent society, but an egalitarian, just, humane and compassionate society.

- (a) SPRQ (b) PRQS
(c) RQSP (d) RSPQ

Q299. P- Granted, political defection is increasingly less an act of ideological defiance than one of pure opportunism.

Q- Yet, for all its flaws, the current law recognizes and respects one fundamental principle: The right to dissent.

R- A blanket ban on defection will weaken rather than strengthen democracy, in whose name it is being sought to be imposed.

S- Granted also that it is illogical to allow a third of the party to split but not in a lesser number.

- (a) RPSQ (b) PSRQ
(c) RSPQ (d) PRSQ

Q300. P- As difficult as it may be to recognize what it is inside us that is making us respond with negativity, that is the path towards forgiveness.

Q- This will automatically change your relationship with the other person and you will feel much better.

R- We need to recognize our reaction to the other person as a mirror of something in ourselves.

S- Whatever, the issues might be, once you have discovered them, you can work on forgiving yourself.

- (a) SQRP (b) SRQP
(c) RQPS (d) RPSQ

Detailed Solution of test 1 to test 4

(Q 221 to 300)

Q221. (c) RQPS

R will be the first part. "In this park" refers to Hyde Park.

R will be immediately followed by Q. It tells that anyone who wants to make a speech can do so in the Speaker's corner. With RQ beginning we have option (c)

So the answer is (c) RQPS

Q222. (a)RQSP

R will come first because it talks about the proposal of marketing more cigarette brands in India.

Q will be immediately followed by S. And after QS will come P as it talks about their being at cross purposes.

So the answer is (a) RQSP

Q223. (a)QSPR

Q will come at first. It talks about the danger of less oxygen. Next will be S followed by P which says that the mountaineer has to carry his own cylinder which can be expensive.

Then will be R which describes another danger of avalanches.

So the answer is (a) QSPR

Q224.(b)RPSQ

First will be R immediately followed by P (it tells what was demonstrated)

Next will be S immediately followed by Q.

So the answer is (b) RPSQ

Q225. (b)SRQP

S will be the first part. It tells what is figured out.

With S beginning we have option (b) and the rest fit in well in it.

So the answer is (b) SRQP

Q 226. (b)QPSR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject of the sentence and is followed by a verb.

With Q beginning we have only option (b)

So the answer is (b) QPSR

Q227. (d) SQPR

S will come first. S completes the subject.

Next will be Q which contains the verb immediately followed by P. It completes the phrase "understand the severity"

With SQP in the beginning we have option (d).

So the answer is (d) SQPR

Q228. (d) SRQP

S, the first part immediately followed by R completes the subject of the sentence.

Next will be Q, the verb followed by P.

So the answer is (d) SRQP

Q229. (b) RPSQ

R will be the first part. Here "her" refers to the single queen.

Next will be P as we go on talking about the eggs which were also mentioned in R.

With RP beginning we have (b) option.

So the answer is (b) RPSQ

Q230. (d) PSRQ

P will be the first part.

Next will be S followed by R.

With PSR beginning we have option (d)

So the answer is (d) PSRQ

Q231. (b) RPSQ

R will be the first part because the prettier she became, the more her sisters hated her.

With R beginning we have option (b)

So the answer is (b) RPSQ

Q232. (a) QSRP

Q will be the first part.

Next will be S immediately followed by R. It talks about the development of an Indian into a free man.

So the answer is (a) QSRP

Q233. (a) QSRP

Q will be the first part as the relative pronoun "who" links it with the doctors.

With Q beginning we have option (a). Also other parts fit in well in this option.

So the answer is (a) QSRP.

Q234. (b) BDCA

C will be immediately followed by A.

D has to come prior to C

With DCA in sequence we have option (b) BDCA

Q235. (a) BADC

D will immediately be followed by C. It completes an idiom "Keep him at arm's length".

B will come the first as it contains the subject of the sentence.

So the answer is (a) BADC

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Q236. (c) BADC

B will immediately be followed by A. With “broke”, the preposition used is into.

And, D will immediately be followed by C.

So the answer is (c) BADC

Q237. (a) CBAD

C will be the first part of the sentence followed by B which contains the verb.

Next will be A (educate whom - the public) followed by D

So the answer is (a) CBAD

Q238. (b) DABC

B will be immediately followed by C

D will be the first part of the statement and will be immediately followed by A.

So the answer is (b) DABC

Q239. (a) CBDA

C will be the first part of the sentence followed by B.

D will come the next and will be followed by A. Here “their” refers to people.

So the answer is (a) CBDA

Q240. (a) ACBD

B will be immediately followed by D.

A will immediately be followed by C. With so comes that.

And, A will be the first part of the sentence.

So the answer is (a) ACBD

Q241. (a) BDAC

B will be the first part of the sentence. Beginning with A we have only option (a), so all the parts fit in well in this option.

So the answer is (a) BDAC

Q242. (d) DACB

D will be the first part of the sentence

A will be immediately followed by C.

So the answer is (d) DACB

Q243. (a) CADB

C will come the first followed by A. With education and surroundings we will have plural verb.

With CA beginning we have only option (a)

So the answer is (a) CADB

Q244. (a) BADC

B which comes the first will be immediately followed by A.

Then comes D which contains the verb of the sentence.

With BAD beginning we have option (a)

So the answer is (a) BADC

Q245. (a) CADB

C will be the first part followed by A. During refers to the span of the whole last year.

Next comes D immediately followed by B.

So the answer is (a) CADB

Q246. (b) BCDA

C will be immediately followed by D (With not only.....but also is used)

B will be the first part of the sentence.

So the answer is (b) BCDA

Q247. (d) BACD

B will be immediately be followed by A. Here “his” refers to “the person”

C will be immediately followed by D.

So the answer is (d) BACD

Q248. (a) CBAD

C will be the first part of the sentence.

With C beginning we have option (a) and (c)

Since these parts fit in well in (a), so the answer is (a) CBAD

Q249. (a) CDBA

D will be immediately followed by B. “Several other people” is a complete phrase.

With DB in sequence we have only option (a)

So the answer is (a) CDBA

Q250. (d) CADB

C will be immediately be followed by A

D will be immediately followed by B. Here due to humidity the weather becomes troublesome.

So the answer is (d) CADB

Q251. (c) BDCA

B which comes first because here we are talking about Mango will be immediately followed by D.

And C will be immediately followed by A.

So the answer is (c) BDCA

Q252. (a) CABD

Magnanimous means a person with “a big heart”.

First will be A immediately followed by C.

B will immediately be followed by D

So the answer is (a) CABD

Q253. (d) BDAC

B will come first followed by D .

Next will be A which is the verb in the sentence

With BDA in the beginning we have only option (d)

So the answer is (d) BDAC

Q254. (a) R S Q P

Ashoka was successful in his military operations and alone among conquerors

he was so disgusted by the cruelty and horrors of war that he renounced it.

After successful in is the correct preposition. So the sequence should start with r. So a is the correct choice.

Q255. (a) S R Q P

She had understood from her earliest childhood that God sent her like a curse

to her father's house so she withdrew herself from the ordinary people and tried to live apart.

She understood

First, from where then, understood what. So the sequence starts with s then followed by R.

Q256. (d) SPQR

Science does not merely add new truths to old ones, it also destroys some old truths, and

discovers new truths that thereby upsets the way of men's thinking and their lives.

After the preposition (of) we cannot use verb+s/es or another preposition (to, thereby) so r that ends with of will come at last. Only option d ends with r. So it is the answer.

While reading the question in s: it was read 'the old ones' instead of 'to old ones'

Q257. (c) QPSR

An outstanding feature of this century has been the improvement of the income and living conditions of the working man leading to greater security and education which has meant greater political power.

Students should be advised to make a pair which facilitates the task. Here p and s make a pair.

Living(verb + ing working as an adjective) is not used as a verb here so it cannot be used after been. So the sequence must start with q. There is only one option that starts with q.

Q258. (b)

Q R S P Hobbies can fill our spare moments with enjoyment and

pleasure, they also relieve mental tiredness and physical fatigue, and do not hinder our regular work.

You are advised to make a pair to solve these arrangement questions.

Like in this question you can easily make out that r and s will go together. There is only one option like this that is b.

Q259. (a) QPSR The correct sequence will be-

Speech was the first means of conveying information. Then writing as a means

introduced a capacity for storing Information.Thirdly printing helped in dissemination

of knowledge in a permanent form. However, all these are passive media.Computer

is the only medium that can not only store but analyse information to make decisions.

Therefore, computers are hailed as the fourth information revolution.

Q260. (a)QPSR The correct sequence will be-

Phobic reactions are strong irrational fears of specific objects or situations.

For example, when a person is extremely fearful of birds snakes, heights or

closet places, the label phobia applied to the person's fear and avoidance? But there is no objective danger.

A person suffering from phobic neurosis knows what he is afraid of. He usually recognizes that his fear is irrational But he cannot control it. The sentence 1

ends with irrational fears of specific objects or situations. Here the obvious question comes what are the fears/ phobias. It is mentioned in the option Q.

There is only one option that starts with Q. So A is the correct choice.

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Q261. (d) SPRQ The correct sequence will be-

Many kinds of ants are blind. Do you know how they find their way home.For these blind ants, the senses of touch and smell are of help. The sense of smell is located in the antennae or feelers.As they run along the ground, small humps of earth keep them from seeing landmarks. You could have noticed that these feelers are always moving.

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Q262. (a) QPRS The correct sequence will be-

Hailstones consist of many onion-like layers of ice. In certain weather conditions small ice crystals drop to form a crystal. The process continues until the hailstone is too heavy to be lifted and then it drops to the earth. some of the moisture freezes on to the crystals forming another layer. Updrafts carry the hailstones and when it drops another layer is formed. That is how hailstones are formed.

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Q263. (a) PQRS The correct sequence will be-

In this life there is no gain without pains .No victory is a real triumph unless the foe is worthy. Life, indeed, would be dull if there were no difficulties

.Both winner and loser enjoy a game most if it is

closely contested to the last. Gainers lose their zest if there is no real struggle. Whether we like it or not, life is one continuous competition.

Q264. (a) QRSP

It's the beauty myth, that traps the modern woman in an endless obsession with physical perfection spiral of hope, self-consciousness, and self-hatred as she tries to fulfill society's impossible definition of "the flawless beauty." A myth is likely to trap or entangle one so the sentence should start with Q. There is only one option here that starts with Q. Endless is an adjective which must be followed by a noun (obsession- abstract noun). It must be followed by R. Myth- that is not true

Obsession- an idea that constantly preoccupies one's mind

Spiral- winding and twisted in a curvy shape

Q265. (c) RPQS

Those dark blue eyes were as piercing as ever spoke of a tiredness but her skin was looser and more lined then I remembered and her stooped shoulders that was bone-deep.

piercing- shrewd, discerning, perceptive, observant
Grammatically were cannot be followed by but (Q) and than (S). So option B and D gets eliminated.

Meaning wise, piercing is an adjective which is aptly suitable for the word eyes. So the sentence must start with R. So C is the correct answer.

Q266. (c) SRQP

Can anyone suppress truth for a long time and let falsehood triumph permanently?

Here one is used as a subject which must be followed by its action (verb- suppress). So the sentence should start with S. There is only one option here that starts with S and that is C.

Q267. (a) RQPS

The man who was called Alfred Nobel was singularly inconspicuous and no one passing him in the street would have given him another look.

B cannot be the answer as Him (possessive case) cannot be followed by who
inconspicuous- not clear.

Q268. (d) SQRP CORRECT ORDER The commonest form of non motorized

transport is the bicycle. The bicycle is a very simple machine to use. It takes only a short time for an average person to master it. Also, except for inner tubes, and tyres, maintenance is seldom required. All one has to do is to hop on to it and pedal off. No wonder millions of people ride bicycles all over the world

Q269. (c)

RPSQ CORRECT ORDER Surgeons are next only to god. They give a new lease of life to people who are in their death beds. As such they become demigods in the eyes of their patients and their families. Further a surgeon's work warrants cleanliness in every aspect. And as the saying goes, cleanliness is next to godliness. Because of this purity which the surgeon sees every where he tends to be pure in his heart too.

Demigod- a man having partial divine status who is greatly admired or respected, warrant- justification or authority for an action, belief, or feeling

First, we must have to find out the reasons why doctors are next to god. The reason being their ability to save the lives of the patients. So the sequence must start with R

Secondly, as they heal critical diseases too, they become demigods. So RP is the correct sequence.

Thirdly, Here we can use further and mention another important aspects of a doctor's work. So RPS is the correct sequence.

Q270. (b) Broke into- enter forcefully

beast- a dangerous quadruped animal

First the panther will enter the house. Then we need to mention the potential danger of the incident. That is the life of a boy is at stake. So The sequence should start with R.

Once we have mentioned the boy sleeping then we should state then the boy woke up by the cries of the wild beast. So RS is the correct sequence at the moment.

Then we should state the preventive measures that were taken.

Q271. (d) PQSR CORRECT ORDER There is an uncontrolled growth of periodicals and magazines. Many readers are not capable of selecting the best books out of the many. In fact, bad stuff is more attractive to read. This quantitative growth is perhaps not the one required for the society.

Therefore, in confusion, people may read bad stuff. Selection of good books is the most important task. Sentence 1 is the cause and P is its effect. So the sentence should start with P. Hence option B and C gets eliminated.

Sentence Q further discusses that even more vividly why selecting good books are so difficult with another fact.

The sequence must be PQ.

The sentence S means that although there is a surge in the market of periodicals and magazines yet very few of them are of good quality which is bad for

society. So, in deteriorated condition people are forced to read stuff that is not good.

So, Option D- PQSR is the alternative to be chosen.

Q272. (d) RPSQ CORRECT ORDER Caring for our elders has always been a key value in our culture. We consider it a privilege to have our parents and grandparents living with us. We also feel greatly blessed if we get an opportunity to live with them. Besides we believe that taking care of them in their old age is a sacred duty. Always remember that this sacred duty is a part of our religious outlook. Seeking the blessings of elders is a common practice in our country.

The sentence 1 states that we care for our elders. Now we should look for the facts that support the statement.

P, R and S are some logics that support the fact. But P contains also so it cannot come at first place.

S contains besides (in addition to) it also may not come at first place because then the question arrives in addition to what?

So the sequence must start with R. There is only one option that starts with R. So option D is the correct alternative.

Q273. (d) R Q S P There are people who read a book not because they enjoy the book but because they want to be able to say that they have read it

People should be followed by who so option A and B get eliminated. Generally say is followed by the statement. That is the joiner that joins the verb say and the statement of the speaker. So the sequence must end with P. There is only one option that validates the fact and that is D.

Q274. (a) SRQP For some people patriotism means hatred for other countries, but this type of patriotism is an evil and it should be condemned because today man belongs to the whole world.

The sentence S somehow describes the meaning of patriotism (or blind patriotism). So the sequence must start with S and there is only one option starting with S. So, A is the correct choice.

Q275. (d) SQPR India has been a land of learning throughout the ages not indeed in the sense that education has been universal but in the sense that learning has always been very highly valued and the learned man has been held in higher esteem. The sense of part 1 is somehow incomplete and the part S completes its meaning. So, the sequence must start with S.

Besides since there is a mention of the word than (comparative degree) in part 6 it must be

preceded by R which contains the adjective higher in comparative form

So the sequence must start with S and end with R. There is only one option in this pattern and D is the correct option.

Q276. (d) RPSQ Those that have seen the Hindus among them in their own country have naturally no more doubt of their existence than they have of the existence of other persons whom they have met.

The joiner whom, who etc is used in case of persons. So the sequence must end with Q. So option A and B gets eliminated. Afterwards if we check the options, Option C gets eliminated. Besides, if we make pair P and S make a suitable pair as part S mentions about the doubt.

Q277. (b) PSRQ

As my jogging-enthusiast sister was often bothered by neighbourhood dogs on her daily run, her husband started to accompany her on a bicycle, with a stick in hand, to ward off any attackers Part 1 contains a subject so the following part must contain its verb which is present in part P and the sister is bothered by dogs while she goes on her daily run. So the Correct sequence is PS.

Stick is a weapon that can be used to ward off attackers. So the sequence must end with Q. So, B is the obvious choice.

Q278. (b) Generally speaking, the journeys that I undertake for the purpose of publicity follow programmes that have been worked out for me by those who have invited me or who offer themselves as guides and usually in such cases I find the things I have to do wearisome.

If we follow the rule- the subject should precede the verb, the question is easily solvable.

As all the options begin with different parts. So, students will only have to find out the starting sentence.

Q279. (b) Local industries often protest against the high salaries offered by multinational firms arguing vehemently that this will unreasonably raise all wages to an excessive level.

Often is an adverb that is generally followed by the present form of a verb. So P will start the sequence.

S is the correct pair of P. So, PS is the correct form and B is the answer.

Q280. (a) Although fruits can no longer grow once picked, they continue to respire for some time, taking in oxygen and giving off carbon dioxide just as human beings do when they breathe. Although it

denotes contradictory sense. The part Q gives us the contradictory sense. So the sequence must start with Q and A is the correct choice. Since all the options start with different parts, students should only find out the starting phrase.

Q281. (a) The multi sourcing of coins led to a financial mess with different mints using their own mix of metals and alloys.

If we try to form a pair with Q, P is the obvious choice as a should be followed by a noun or (an adj+ a noun).. There is only one pair that contains QP. So the correct choice will be A. Hence, it is proved that These questions can be solved in multiple methods. So students should not get panicky.

Q282. (d)

It may seem odd to have to insist that one should only read because one liked it but people read for such a variety of reasons.

If we try to form the pair with R, we cannot put Q after it as that(joiner) and but(conjunction) does not fit together. That + because is also incorrect as both are joiners. that+ variety of reasons(6- end part) makes the sense incomplete. Hence P is the correct pair of R. So RP is only there in option D and it is the answer.

Q 283. (c) QSRP

Q will be starting part of the statement as it starts with the introductory line. Next will be S immediately followed by R. Here, 'this house' refers to the house of the usher.

Next will be P which tells that it had been years since the traveller and usher saw each other.

The answer is (c) QSRP

Q 284. (c) QSPR

Q will be the first part immediately followed by S which tells what the German practice was about.

Next will be P followed by R which tells that the number of victims rose to thousands.

The answer is (c) QSPR

Q 285. (d) ZYX

Z will be the first part which tells what has been seen. Next will be Y followed by X. The phrase 'need not' is followed by a verb.

The answer is (d) ZYX

Q 286. (a) ZYX

Z is the first part which tells the difference between which entities.

Next is Y which completes the term 'solar system'.

Next is X which tells that seven planets tightly pack around the star.

The answer is (a) ZYX

Q287. (a) RSQP

R is the first part which tells what the passage is about.

Next will be S. Since frustration is a global cancer it has spared no country.

With RS beginning the only option is (a) RSQP

Q288. (c) RQPS

R is the first part immediately followed by Q. Here, 'he' refers to the man.

Next will be P followed by S which tell the real purpose behind the spirit.

The answer is (c) RQPS

Q289. (c) SRQP

S will be starting part of the statement as it contains the subject 'an environment'.

Next will be R immediately followed by Q which tells in what ways is the environment useful to us.

Next will be P which brings forth our duty towards environment conservation.

The answer is (c) SRQP

Q290. (b) RPQS

R will be the first part immediately followed by P which tells about the starting points of social criticism.

Next will be Q followed by S Here the two parts are related by an adverb 'nevertheless'.

Q291. (d) QSRP

Q will be the introductory line of the statement which tells what the passage is about.

Next will be S followed by R. Here, 'it' refers to comfort.

With QSR beginning, there is only option (d)

The answer is (d) QSRP

Q292. (a) QSRP

Q will be the starting statement as it gives an idea about the passage.

Next will be S which further elaborates about the social feedbacks.

With QS beginning we have only option (a)

The answer is (a) QSRP

Q293. (d) SQRP

S is the first part which contains the introductory part of the passage.

Next will be Q which is related to the first part by a conjunction 'but'

Next R is followed by P which elaborate the things that didn't happen.

The answer is (d) SQRP

Q294. (a) QSPR

Q, will be the first part which briefly introduces the passage briefly.

Next will be S followed by P which states the interdependence of the food and labour demand curve.

With QSR at the beginning the only option is (a)

The answer is (a) QSPR

Q295. (c) RQSP

R is the first part in which the protagonist of the passage is introduced.

Next will be Q followed by S. Since he didn't know where to go he thought of going to a choultry.

Next will be P. Here, 'find one' refers to finding a choultry.

The answer is (c) RQSP

Q296. (b) QPRS

Q will be the first part immediately followed by P which tells how to adopt these ideologies in life.

Next will be R followed by S which tell how you can improve the situation when you experience everything.

The answer is (b) QPRS

Q297. (d) SQRP

R will be immediately followed by P. 'He' refers to Swami Vivekananda.

Among the given options R is immediately followed by P only in option (d).

The answer is (d) SQRP

Q298. (d) RSPQ

R will be immediately followed by S which describes what type of education needs to be imparted to the youngsters.

Next will be P followed by Q which tells how an egalitarian, just, humane and compassionate society be evolved.

Q299. (a) RPSQ

R will be the first part which tells what the passage is about.

Next will be P followed by S which tell the flaws in the current law.

With RPS in the beginning the option is (a)

The answer is (a) RPSQ

Q300. (d) RPSQ

R is the first part which tells that the passage is about our reaction towards another person. Next will be P

followed by S which tell the ways how the reactions can be controlled. Next will be Q which tells that following those steps would change the relationship with another person.

The answer is (d) RPSQ

TEST 5

Q301. P- The aim must be to ensure that our country does not experience either paucity or a-surfeit of trained manpower in any specific segment of our economy.

Q- When we set about the task of higher education, we should be absolutely clear in our perception of the goals of education in the specific context of our nation's development.

R- No doubt, one of the important aims of education would be to create the required range and nature of trained manpower assessed to be needed by different sectors of national growth.

S- The entire educational apparatus must be geared progressively to fulfill the requirements of different phases of our growth in every sector primary, secondary and tertiary.

(a) SQPR (b) QRSP
(c) SRQP (d) PSQR

Q302. P- Bureaucratic cultures can smother those who want to respond to shifting conditions.

Q- Arrogant managers can over evaluate their current performance and competitive position, listen poorly and learn slowly.

R- And the lack of leadership leaves no force inside these organizations to break out of the morass.

S- Inwardly focused employees can have difficulty seeing the very forces that present threats and opportunities.

(a) PRQS (b) SPQR
(c) RQPS (d) QSPR

Q 303. Then there came faint rays of primrose
X-light that changed presently to golden
Y-bars, through which the dawn
Z-glided out across the desert

(a) ZYX (b) XYZ
(c) ZXY (d) YZX

Q 304. It seemed to them far easier to conceive
X-that the water had gone down, than
Y-that solid land had risen
Z-upward into its present position

(a) XYZ (b) ZYX
(c) ZXY (d) YZX

Q305. It was three o'clock in the afternoon

X-find our bearers

Y-before we woke, to

Z-preparing to return

- (a) YXZ (b) XZY
(c) XYZ (d) ZYX

Q306. Now the first and most

X-strata of marine origin occur above the

Y-simple appearance is where

Z-level of the sea in horizontal position

- (a) XZY (b) YXZ
(c) XYZ (d) ZYX

Q307. P: He was a funny looking man with a high, bald, dome shaped head, a face very small in comparison and a long wavy beard.

Q: He didn't work at his trade a stonemason, more than what was necessary to keep his wife and three boys alive.

R: His unusual features were standing a joke among his friends.

S: He was a poor man an idler.

- (a) PRQS (b) QPSR
(c) RQPS (d) SRPQ

Q308. P: When all the credit worthy people were given loans to a logical limit, they ceased to be a part of the market.

Q: Even this would have been understandable if it could work as an eye opener.

R: Owing to the materialistic culture elsewhere, it was possible to keep selling newer products to the consumers despite having existing ones which served equally well.

S: They were lured through advertising and marketing techniques of 'dustbinisation' of the customer; and then finally, once they became ready customers, they were given loans and credits to help them buy more and more.

- (a) PRQS (b) RSPQ
(c) QSPR (d) RPQS

Q309. P: And the victims are likely to be the poorest of the poor as well as the very sources of water-rivers, wetlands and aquifers.

Q: In India, water conflicts are likely to worsen before they begin to be resolved.

R: Till then they pose a significant threat to economic growth, security and health of the ecosystem.

S: Water is radically altering and affecting political boundaries all over the world, between as well as within countries.

- (a) SQPR (b) PRQS
(c) QRPS (d) PSQR

Q310. P: For one, very few entrepreneurs are willing to take on a new outsource, unless it comes with a guarantee of a certain level of sales.

Q: This invariably acts as an incentive for outsources to be lax in developing the business.

R: Despite being the dominant partner in the relationship, the outsourcer doesn't always have all the advantages.

S: The trade refers to it as the minimum guarantee clause, which means that if a outsource is unable to reach an anticipated sales level, he will be compensated for the balance amount.

- (a) PRQS (b) SPQR
(c) QSPR (d) RPSQ

Q311. P- It would be better to speak of uniformities of nature.

Q- Law of nature are not commands but statements of facts.

R- This would do away with elementary fallacy that a law implies a law given.

S- The use of the word law in this context is rather unfortunate.

- (a) QSRP (b) SQRP
(c) QSPR (d) SQPR

Q312. P- When the game of life is finally over there is no second chance to correct our errors.

Q- Time is the greater equalizer of all mankind.

R- Time offers opportunity but demands a sense of regard.

S- It has taken away the best and the worst of us without regard to either.

- (a) QSRP (b) RSQP
(c) PQRS (d) RSPQ

Q313. P: It has been the handmaid of the ruling class.

Q: Therefore, ever since the dawn of civilization, persons in power have always tried to supervise or control education.

R: Education is an instrument which imparts knowledge and therefore, indirectly controls power.

S: It is an old saying that knowledge is power.

- (a) SQPR (b) PRQS
(c) SRQP (d) PSQR

Q314. P: This is despite the fact that there is a rampant migration of rural families to urban centres.

Q: Generally the gains of being a unit of the urban population are less than the disadvantages and risks that are inbuilt in urban life.

R: Rural population still dominates the urban population as far as the number is considered.

S: India is a country of villages.

- (a) QRSP (b) RPQS
(c) SRQP (d) QPRS

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Q315. Evidently it was too
X-of a deadly-looking cobra or
Y-two we saw no reptiles
Z-dry for game, and with the exception
(a) YZX (b) YXZ
(c) XZY (d) ZXY

Q316. Some of these
X-height of more than
Y-2000 feet above the sea
Z-rocks rise to the
(a) YZX (b) ZXY
(c) YXZ (d) XZY

Q317. P- They never desert us even when all fair weather friends have deserted us.
Q- Books are never failing friends.
R- They dispel the dark clouds of gloom from our minds and increase our happiness if we are already happy.
S- Through the ages, the scriptures and other great books have provided immeasurable solace to the wounded and strife torn humanity.
(a) QRSP (b) PRSQ
(c) RSPQ (d) QPRS

Q318. P- When the robber was near her bed, she stood up suddenly, 'brandishing the knife.'
Q- One night the robber did enter her room but Lakshmi did not make any sound.
R— She just kept a tight hold of the knife and pretended to be sound asleep.
S- The robber was taken aback and with a loud cry, he ran out.
(a) SQRP (b) PRQS
(c) QRPS (d) PSQR

Q319. P: It isn't bragging about how great you are.
Q: It's not about thinking you're perfect because nobody is but knowing that you're worthy of being love and accepted.
R: Self esteem is how much you value yourself and how important you think you are.
S: It's how you see yourself and feel about your achievements.
(a) SQRP (b) RQSP
(c) RSPQ (d) SRQP

Q320. P: Most of them are combinations of hydrogen and carbon in varying proportions.
Q: Crude mineral oil comes out of the earth as a thick brown or black liquid with a strong smell.
R: It is a complex mixture of many different substances, each with its own individual qualities.

S: Such hydrocarbons are also found in other forms such as bitumen, asphalt and natural gas.
(a) QPRS (b) PQRS
(c) PQSR (d) QRPS

Q321. P- On the earth, liquid forms and solid forms (ice/snow) predominate.
Q- The water cycle has two distinct branches: the atmospheric branch and the terrestrial branch.
R- Water plays a versatile role in the functioning of the biosphere.
S- In the atmospheric, water exists mainly in gaseous form.
(a) RSPQ (b) RQSP
(c) RPSQ (d) RQPS

Q322. P- For however elusively, it still knew of harbours and anchors, of homes to which to return, and of barns in which to store the harvest.
Q- The works of the early Renaissance and the poetry of Shakespeare vibrate with the compassion for live experience in danger of dying from exposure and neglect.
R- Yes, it was a genius of courage, not of desperate audacity.
S- In this compassion was the creative genius of the age.
(a) SQRP (b) PRSQ
(c) QSRP (d) RSPQ

Q323. P: While the Soviet Government bought grain and other foreign consumer goods to be sold in domestic markets at heavily subsidized rates, Russia rejected socialism.
Q: The oil industry was the prime target of a sweeping privatization drive launched after the break-up of the Soviet Union.
R: The Russian government has failed to do for its people even a fraction of what the Soviet Union, with twice the population, did with the revenue generated from oil.
S: However, not all Russian have been rolling in oil wealth.
(a) QSRP (b) PRQS
(c) RQSP (d) RSPQ

Q324. P: The recent reduction in interest rates in the US and the injection of liquidity have resulted in investors seeking new avenues such as commodity markets, in view of the turbulence in financial markets and the low returns in treasuries.
Q: The relatively easy liquidity and low interest rates, by themselves, make holding of inventories attractive and thus induce volatility in commodity markets.

R: The financialization of commodity trade and current extraordinary conditions in global financial markets could have influenced the spurt in prices.

S: The weakening of the US dollar is also advanced as a reason for the recent volatility in commodity markets, including food items.

- (a) PRQS (b) SPQR
(c) QSPR (d) RPQS

Q325. P: Yet making loans to poor people is hardly a Poverty cure.

Q: Segmenting the industry, might be worthwhile if it allows more of the poor to get access to credit.

R: Multinational corporations could take the top microfinance institutions to the next level, and the remainder could take the responsibility of development groups and regional banks.

S: Property rights and the role of law matter too.

- (a) PRQS (b) QRPS
(c) SPQR (d) RSPQ

TEST 6

Q326. P: But the scenario has quite changed now-a-days by allocating a special budget of funds for security.

Q: In the last ten years, budget towards the development of military forces is higher when compared to others.

R: India earlier days gave more importance to the development of industry and less importance to other departments.

S: This is because of the frightening increase in terrorism all around the world especially emerging after the 9/11 terror attack in U.S.

- (a) PRQS (b) SPQR
(c) QSPR (d) RPSQ

Q327. P- A sensitive mind easily absorbs the vibrations emanating from the thought of the people it associates with.

Q- We often say that a person is known by the company he keeps.

R- The violent can be made calm by exuding thought of love and compassion.

S- Visits to holy places are considered good because the good thoughts of the holy people gathered there and the ensuing vibrations definitely affect one in a positive fashion.

- (a) RQPS (b) QRSP
(c) PQRS (d) SRQP

Q 328. P- Epistemological idealists (such as Kant) might insist that the only things which can be directly known for certain are ideas.

Q- The approach to idealism by Western philosophers has been different to that of Eastern thinkers.

R- In much of Western thought (though not in such major Western thinkers as Plato and Hegel) the ideal relates to direct knowledge of subjective mental ideas, or images.

S- It is then usually juxtaposed with realism in which the real is said to have absolute existence prior to and independent of our knowledge.

- (a) RQPS (b) PQSR
(c) PRQS (d) QRSP

Q329. P: If all the requirements of the villages are satisfied there by itself, then the peasants will usefully utilize their spare time.

Q: Let us consider the village artisans.

R: This will also provide employment to all the educated people of the villages.

S: Having discussed the problems and requirements of rural life.

- (a) SQPR (b) PRQS
(c) QRPS (d) PSQR

Q330. P: Practical farming includes knowledge of fruit and vegetable farming.

Q: These schools need not necessarily have their own farms because the village itself will provide ample field work facilities.

R: Agriculture should be made compulsory in higher secondary schools; alternatively, the urban students can be taught town-planning, industrial planning etc.

S: Therefore, at this stage, only theoretical education for the village students would suffice.

- (a) QRSP (b) RPQS
(c) RSPQ (d) QPRS

Q331. The burning sun

X-our very

Y-seemed to be sucking

Z-blood out of us

- (a) XZY (b) XYZ
(c) ZYX (d) YXZ

Q332. I hear the sound

X-his tool raised

Y-of the blow while I see

Z-above his head

- (a) XZY (b) XYZ
(c) YXZ (d) ZYX

Q333. Children are sensitive

X-to what happens around them and are

Y-enthusiastic about working on

Z-plays that reflect their lives

- (a) ZYX (b) XYZ
(c) ZXY (d) YZX

Parajumbles

Q334. But this does not mean
X-phenomena to the body
Y-is a meaningless expression
Z-that the reference of mental

- (a) YZX (b) ZXY
(c) YXZ (d) XZY

Q335. The space in front of the large
X-hut was empty, but
Y-placed several stools
Z-before it were

- (a) XYZ (b) XZY
(c) ZYX (d) ZXY

Q336. From our common experience
X-of the relation of the
Y-mental he starts out
Z-physical and the

- (a) XYZ (b) XZY
(c) ZYX (d) ZXY

Q337. As for ourselves, we
X-combing our hair
Y-a good wash and
Z-were contented with

- (a) ZXY (b) YZX
(c) YXZ (d) ZYX

Q338. If there is a
X-corresponding sensation
Y-kind, there has to be a
Z-change in brain activity of a certain

- (a) ZXY (b) ZYX
(c) YZX (d) YXZ

Q339. "Phew," said I, grabbing
X-cheerfully round my head
Y-at the halo of flies
Z-which buzzed

- (a) YZX (b) YXZ
(c) XZY (d) XYZ

Q340. The investigations of the
X-peculiar place in the economy of the body
Y-physiologist and the psychologist
Z-have revealed that the brain holds a

- (a) YXZ (b) XZY
(c) XYZ (d) YZX

Q341. It was a somewhat
X-carried it off as
Y-trying ordeal, but we
Z-best as we could

- (a) YXZ (b) XZY
(c) XYZ (d) ZYX

Q342. The considerations which
X-are set forth in our
Y-lead us to refer ideas to the brain
Z-physiologies and psychologies

- (a) YXZ (b) YZX
(c) XYZ (d) ZYX

Q343. We entered, and
X - had been assigned
Y - to each of us
Z - found that a hut

- (a) YZX (b) YXZ
(c) ZXY (d) XZY

Q344. The resulting brain change is
X-concomitant of
Y-the sensation
Z-regarded as the true

- (a) ZYX (b) YXZ
(c) XZY (d) ZXY

Q345. Then the gigantic figure
X-alarming spectacle
Y-slipped off the tree and stood
Z-up before us, a truly

- (a) YZX (b) YXZ
(c) XZY (d) XYZ

Q346. We admit as much
X-that it is related to the body
Y-when we say that the mind
Z-is immaterial, and yet hold

- (a) YXZ (b) XZY
(c) YZX (d) XYZ

Q 347. Three times this was
X - only be compared to the deepest notes of thunder
Y - shock with the noise, that can
Z - repeated, and each time the earth

- (a) ZXY (b) YZX
(c) ZYX (d) YXZ

Q348. The causes and their
X - in the same series
Y - one order, they stand
Z - effects belong to the

- (a) ZXY (b) YZX
(c) YXZ (d) ZYX

Q349. They had been thrown
X-upon their own exertions at an
Y-battle to fight with poverty and ignorance
Z-early age, and had a hard

- (a) XZY (b) YXZ
(c) ZYX (d) XYZ

Q350. The unstated assumption is
 X-conceding spatial autonomy
 Y-that the grant of a different time
 Z-zone is only the first temporal step towards
 (a) ZXY (b) XZY
 (c) YXZ (d) YZX

TEST 7

Q351. The room which yielded so
 X-the fourth floor of a
 Y-boarding-house in Bleecker Street
 Z-much satisfaction to the two boys was on
 (a) XZY (b) YXZ
 (c) ZXY (d) ZYX

Q352. By the time government
 X-offices or educational institutions
 Y-open, many daylight
 Z-hours are already lost
 (a) YZX (b) ZXY
 (c) XYZ (d) XZY

Q353. They had seen enough of the
 X-them to come a step farther
 Y-desert already, and no number
 Z-of knives would have tempted
 (a) YXZ (b) YZX
 (c) XZY (d) XYZ

Q354. Such are the strata which we
 X-species as those now living in the Mediterranean
 Y-meet with in the south of Sicily, filled
 Z-with shells for the most part of the same
 (a) YXZ (b) XZY
 (c) XYZ (d) YZX

Q355. At length, about an hour later, we
 X-spied a little pile of boulders rising
 Y-this we dragged ourselves
 Z-out of the plain, and to
 (a) XYZ (b) ZYX
 (c) XZY (d) ZXY

Q356. Secondly, it is consistent
 X-with human experience that
 Y-places and be depressed in others
 Z-land should rise gradually in some
 (a) XYZ (b) ZYX
 (c) ZXY (d) XZY

Q357. There was no need to
 X-set a watch, for we had nothing
 Y-to fear from anybody or
 Z-anything in that vast untenanted plain

(a) ZYX (b) ZXY
 (c) YZX (d) XYZ

Q358. This idea, however startling it may at
 X-first appear, is quite in accordance, as
 Y-before stated, with the analogy of changes
 Z-now going on in certain regions of the globe
 (a) ZYX (b) XYZ
 (c) ZXY (d) YZX

Q359. I've taken out my
 X-and stay poised and vigilant
 Y-earbuds so I can
 Z-listen for announcements
 (a) ZXY (b) YZX
 (c) XZY (d) YXZ

Q360. In the Northeast, the sun
 X-sets by four in the evening
 Y-morning and in winter it
 Z-rises as early as four in the
 (a) XYZ (b) YZX
 (c) ZYX (d) ZXY

Q361. The truth about these
 P-communities is that
 Q-they deserve to die
 R-dysfunctional, downscale
 (a) PQR (b) QPR
 (c) RPQ (d) RQP

Q362. Do not be anxious about
 P-thanksgiving, present your requests to God
 Q-and petition, with
 R-anything, but in every situation, by praye
 (a) PRQ (b) PQR
 (c) QRP (d) RQP

Q363. You fail to
 P- what someone is born,
 Q- recognize that it matters not
 R- but what they grow to be!
 (a) QPR (b) PR
 (c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q364. The wide world is all
 P- cannot for ever fence it out
 Q- about you: you can fence
 R- yourselves in, but you
 (a) PRQ (b) QRP
 (c) RQP (d) RPQ

Q365. Today, however, when one in four rural
 Indians
 P-in identifying the poor are far greater
 Q-is poor, our chances of being wrong

R-and one in six urban Indians

- (a) PRQ (b) RQP
(c) QRP (d) QPR

Q366. In that case,

P-put together the best gender-just
Q-practices from all Personal Laws
R-a Uniform Civil Code would simply

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) RQP (d) PQR

Q367. Williamson shoveled scorn on

P - the low-income white Republican voters who

Q - were most responsible for the rise of Trump

R - as he saw it

- (a) PRQ (b) RQP
(c) QPR (d) QRP

Q368. Amartya Sen lays claim

P-to a history of writing

Q-some of the finest research papers

R-that have been published

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RQP (d) QPR

Q369. His exact date of birth is not known

P - but it is believed that he was born in

Q - late May and later on he decided to celebrate May
29 as his birthday,

R - as this was the date he climbed Everest

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QRP (d) RPQ

Q370. Today, less privileged white

P - Americans are considered to be

Q - and pathologists predominates

R - in crisis, and the language of sociologists

- (a) PRQ (b) QPR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q371. The white American underclass is in thrall

P-and used heroin needles

Q-to a vicious, selfish culture

R-whose main products are misery

- (a) PQR (b) QRP
(c) RPQ (d) RQP

Q372. But the most important thing is,

P- I'll always be

Q- even if we're apart

R- with you

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PQR (d) RQP

Q373. In punishment for the uprising,

P- called tributes, to participate

Q- each of the twelve districts must provide

R- one girl and one boy,

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) RQP (d) QRP

Q374. The twenty four tributes

P- that could hold anything from a

Q- will be imprisoned in a vast outdoor arena

R- burning desert to a frozen wasteland

- (a) PQR (b) PRQ
(c) QPR (d) RQP

Q375. The arbitration

P- dented China's interests

Q- in multiple ways

R- award has, nevertheless,

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

TEST 8

Q376. Senior officials

P. to negotiate a solution

Q. readiness

R. have signalled China's

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q377. This alone

P-should alert us to what

Q-is actually about

R-the demand for a Uniform Civil Code

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QRP (d) RPQ

Q378. Ironically, in spite of a decline in poverty,

P-the proportion of

Q-the population receiving welfare

R-benefits has risen sharply

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q379. Unelected Governors

P- relating to state administration

Q- were never envisaged

R- as wielding significant powers

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) RQP (d) QRP

Q380. India must,

P- to a competitive advantage, and nutrition and
health

Q- convert its young population

R- are foundational to that outcome

- (a) PQR (b) PRQ

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(c) QPR

(d) RQP

Q381. It is a truth universally
P-acknowledged that a single
Q-man in possession of a good
R-fortune must be in want of a wife
(a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q382. Your absence has

P-gone through me
Q-through a needle
R-like thread

(a) PRQ

(b) PQR

(c) QPR

(d) RPQ

Q383. Tenzing Norgay created history

P-to conquer Mount Everest
Q-became the first men
R-on May 29, 1953, when he and Sir Edmund Hillary

(a) QRP

(b) QPR

(c) PRQ

(d) RQP

Q384. All tyrants realize that,

P-victims, there is sure to be one who
Q-rises against them and strikes back!
R-one day, amongst their many

(a) RQP

(b) PQR

(c) RPQ

(d) QRP

Q385. The Finance Minister, under

P- whose supervision this
Q- has not made any definite statement
R- has taken place,

(a) RPQ

(b) QRP

(c) PRQ

(d) QPR

Q386. This too, is a classic

P "stock versus flow" problem, where
Q focusing only on the latter
R completely distorts the picture

(a) QRP

(b) RPQ

(c) PRQ

(d) PQR

Q387. We need not

P-order to nurture true cosmopolitanism
Q-burden of loving each other in
R-place on ourselves the unbearable

(a) QRP

(b) RQP

(c) PRQ

(d) PQR

Q388. They are even poorer

P-failure will deprive
Q-them of jobs altogether
R-than farmers; and crop

(a) RPQ

(b) RQP

(c) PQR

(d) QPR

Q389. Thus

P-a developing economy also needs
Q-to have some notion of external balance
R-at the very least

(a) RPQ

(b) RQP

(c) PQR

(d) QPR

Q390. Gone are the days

P-about foreign trade and payments
Q-and not really worried
R-when we could think of ourselves as a closed
economy

(a) QRP

(b) RQP

(c) PRQ

(d) PQR

Q391. A saint or a satyagrahi

P-freezing her acts of goodness
Q-is often put on a pedestal
R-in time

(a) PQR

(b) PRQ

(c) QPR

(d) RQP

Q392. Gandhi often

P-was unnecessary violence
Q-withdrew from an act of Satyagraha if he
R-felt there

(a) PRQ

(b) PQR

(c) RQP

(d) QRP

Q393. The first clue

P - to the nature of this agenda
Q - lies in the origin of
R - the smart city idea itself

(a) RPQ

(b) QPR

(c) QRP

(d) PQR

Q394. One year after its official launch,

P - while expectations
Q - has largely escaped political scrutiny
R - have been scaled down, the rhetoric

(a) QPR

(b) RPQ

(c) PRQ

(d) PQR

Q395. An engineer building a bridge

P- find easy to comprehend
Q- picks the best plan
R- and not the one that motorists

(a) RQP

(b) RPQ

(c) PRQ

(d) QRP

Q396. To begin with,

P-is not that they are 'unsmart'
Q-the problem with Indian cities
R-but that they are dysfunctional

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q397. There was a second part

P - are ambivalent about

Q- many people

R - of her decision which

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q398. He would often

P - Brahmacharya if his protests were not functioning the way

Q - he expected

R - critique his own life of

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q399. Aggregate levels of under nutrition in India

P-remain shockingly high, despite the impressive

Q-stunting in the last decade

R-reduction in

- (a) PRQ (b) QPR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q400. Imagine the government

P-were an investor,

Q-trying to maximize India's long-run

R-economic growth

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QRP (d) RPQ

Detailed solution test 5 to test 8 (Q 301 to 400)

Q301. (b) QRSP

Q is the first part which tells that the passage is about the goals of education.

Next will be R which further elaborates the goal of education.

With QR at the beginning we have only option (b)

The answer is (b) QRSP

Q302. (d) QSPR

Q will be the first part immediately followed by S and P which brings forth the prevailing work environment in various organizations.

R will be at the last. Here, 'these organizations' refer to the mentioned organizations.

The answer is (d) QSPR

Q303. (b) XYZ

X will be the first part. Faint rays of what?.....of primrose light.

Glided across means to move in a smooth, effortless manner.

Next will be Y followed by Z. The dawn glided across the desert.

The answer will be (b) XYZ

Q304. (a) XYZ

X will be the first part immediately followed by Y which differentiates between the level of water and solid land.

Y will be followed by Z. When anything rises it moves upward.

So the answer is (a) XYZ.

Q305. (a) YXZ

Y is the first part. Before we woke is preceded by time.

Next will be X followed by Z. Bearers (noun) will be followed by a verb (preparing).

The answer is (b) YXZ

Q306. (b) YXZ

Y is the first part. The adjective first and most will be followed by a noun (simple appearance).

Next will be X followed by Z. Above what?.....above the sea level.

The answer is (b) YXZ

Q307. (a) PRQS

P is the first part immediately followed by R which tells the physical characteristics of the man. Next will be Q followed by S which tell that the man was too poor and could earn only to keep his family alive.

The answer is (a) PRQS

Q 308. (b) RSPQ

R is the first part which describes the market strategy.

Next will be S. Here, 'they' refers to the customers.

Next P will be immediately followed by Q. What worked as an eye opener?.....That credit worthy people ceased to be a part of the market.

The answer is (b) RSPQ

Q309. (a) SQPR

S will be the first part which introduces the passage.

Next will be Q which brings forth the conditions prevailing in India.

Next will be P followed by R which tells how water scarcity affects the nations.

The answer is (a) SQPR

Q310. (d) RPSQ

R will be the first part immediately followed by P which tells the advantages of an outsourcer.

Next will be S followed by Q. What acts as an incentive for an outsourcer?.....compensation for the balance amount.

The answer is (d) RPSQ

Q311. (c) QSPR

Q will be the first part immediately followed by S which tells about the law of nature.

Next will be P followed by R which tells about speaking on the uniformities of nature.

The answer is (c) QSPR

Q312. (a) QSRP

Q is the first part followed by S which tells how time is the greater equalizer of mankind.

Next will be R followed by P which tells how time offers opportunity.

The answer is (a) QSRP

Q313. (c) SRQP

S is the first part immediately followed by R which tells how knowledge and education are related.

Next will be Q followed by P which tell the reason why people in power have always tried to control education.

The answer is (c) SRQP

Q314. (c) SRQP

S is the first part immediately followed by R which tells why India is a country of villages. Next will be Q followed by P. Here, 'this' refers to the statement given in part Q. The answer is (c) SRQP

Q315. (d) ZXY

Z will be the first part. Too is used before dry (adjective) to emphasize a negative meaning.

Next will be X. Exception is followed by 'of'.

With ZX beginning we have option (d)

The answer is (d) ZXY

Q316. (b) ZXY

Z is the first part. 'These' pronoun is used for rocks (plural noun).

Next will be X followed by Y. 'Than' is used here to compare two heights viz. Height of rocks and 2000 ft. above the sea level.

The answer is (b) ZXY

Q317. (d) QPRS

Q will be the introductory line, followed by P which tells why books are said to be never failing friends.

With QP beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) QPRS

Q318. (c) QRPS

Q is the first part which introduces an anecdote.

Next will be R. Lakshmi did not make any sound and pretended to sleep.

Next will be P followed by S. Seeing the knife the robber ran out.

The answer is (c) QRPS

Q319. (c) RSPQ

R is the first part immediately followed by S which tells what the passage is about.

Next will be P followed by Q which further elaborates self esteem.

The answer is (c) RSPQ

Q320. (d) QRPS

Q is the first part which introduces the topic discussed in the passage.

Next is R immediately followed by P. 'Them' pronoun is used for 'many different substances'.

With QRP in the beginning we have only option (d).

The answer is (d) QRPS

Q321. (b) RQSP

Q part is immediately followed by S and P which describe the two branches of atmosphere respectively.

With QSP together the option is (b).

The answer is (b) RQSP.

Q322. (c) QSRP

Q is immediately followed by S. 'This compassion' refers to the compassion for life experience in danger. Next will be R. Here, 'creative genius' is the genius of courage.

The answer is (c) QSRP.

Q323. (a) QSRP

Q is the first part which is about the privatization of the oil industry.

Next is S immediately followed by R which tells the Russian govt. has failed to roll oil wealth to the public.

The answer is (a) QSRP

Q324. (d) RPQS

R is the first part which brings forth the factors affecting global market conditions.

Next is P immediately followed by Q and S which describes the reasons of decline in the commodity market.

The answer is (d) RPQS

Q325. (b) QRPS

Q is the first part immediately followed by R which tells how the industry is segmented into segments which are elaborated in part R.

Next will be P which shows contrast that despite the segmentation of the financial industry, making loans to the poor is not achieved.
The answer is (b) QRPS

Q326. (d) RPSQ

R is the first part immediately followed by P which distinguishes between the earlier and the current scenario. Next is S which explains the reason why a special budget is allocated for security. The answer is (d) RPSQ.

Q327. (a) RQPS

Q is immediately followed by P which substantiates the saying.
Next will be S which supports the part Q of the passage.
With QPS together, we have only option (a).
The answer is (a) RQPS

Q328. (d) QRSP

Q is the first part which contains a brief introduction of the passage.
Next will be R immediately followed by S which explain the ideology of western philosophers. Next is P which tells the opinion of their Epistemological counterparts.
The answer is (d) QRSP.

Q329. (a) SQPR

S is the first part immediately followed by Q. After discussing the problems and requirements of rural life, what will be done next?.....village artisans will be considered.
Next will be P followed by R which enlist the benefits when the requirements of the villagers are fulfilled.
The answer is (a) SQPR

Q330. (b) RPQS

R is the first part which tells what the rural and urban curriculum should comprise.
Next will be P followed by Q which tells what farming includes.
The answer is (b) RPQS

Q331. (d) YXZ

The subject of the sentence will be followed by the main verb which is in part Y.
Next will be X followed by X. Sucked what?.....our very blood.
The answer is (d) YXZ

Q332. (c) YXZ

Y is the first part which tells which sound was heard.

Next will be X followed by Z which tells that the tool was raised above his head.
The answer is (c) YXZ.

Q333. (b) XYZ

X is the first part which tells children are sensitive to what.
Next will be Y where the helping verb 'are' is followed by the adjective 'enthusiastic'.
Next will be Z. Children are enthusiastic working on what?.....on plays.
The answer is (b) XYZ

Q334. (b) ZXY

Z is the first part which contains the conjunction 'that' and tells what it does not mean.
Next will be X. Mental phenomenon' is a complete phrase.
Next will be Y which contains the verb followed by the subject of the sentence.
The answer is (b) ZXY

Q335. (b) XZY

X is the first part. Large is an adjective used before hut (noun).
Next will be Z followed by Y. Here, 'were' (plural) is used for plural nouns (several stools).
The answer is (b) XZY

Q336. (b) XZY

X is the first part which begins with 'of'. It tells the experience of what?.....of the relationship.
Next will be Z immediately followed by Y. Physical and mental are joined by the conjunction 'and'. The answer is (b) XZY

Q337. (d) ZYX

Z is the first part. We (subject) will be followed by a verb.
Next will be Y followed by X where the two given tasks are joined using the conjunction 'and'.
The answer is (d) ZYX

Q338. (b) ZYX

Z is the first part. The article in the first part will be followed by a noun.
Again Y will be followed by X. The article 'a' will be followed by the noun 'corresponding sensation'.
The answer is (b) ZYX

Q339. (a) YZX

Y is the first part since it starts with the preposition 'at'. Grabbing at what?.....at the halo of flies. Next will be Z. The pronoun 'which' is used for the flies which make a buzzing sound. With YZ beginning, we have only option (a)

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The answer is (a) YZX

Q340. (d) YZX

Y is the first part. Investigations of whom?.....of physiologist and the psychologist.

Next will be Z. Investigations (plural) will be followed by a plural verb (have).

With YZ beginning we have only option (d).

The answer is (d) YZX

Q341. (a) YXZ

Y is the first part. The adverb somewhat is followed by the phrase 'trying ordeal'.

Next will be X followed by Z. The structure **as...as** is used to compare things that are of similar proportion.

The answer is (a) YXZ

Q342. (a) YXZ

Y is the first part which contains the main verb of the sentence.

Next will be X which contains the plural verb (are) to be used for considerations (plural noun).

With YX beginning we have option (a)

The answer is (a) YXZ

Q343. (c) ZXY

Z is the first part. 'Entered and' will be followed by a verb in tense to satisfy parallelism in the sentence.

Next will be X immediately followed by Y. Assigned to whom?.....to each of us.

The answer is (c) ZXY

Q344. (d) ZXY

Z will be the first part. 'Is' helping verb will be followed by the main verb.

Next will be X. The adjective (true) has to be followed by a noun (concomitant).

Concomitant means naturally accompanying or associated.

Next will be Y. Brain changes are associated with what?.....with the sensation.

The answer is (d) ZXY

Q345. (a) YZX

Y is the first part of the sentence which contains the verb followed by the subject.

Next will be Z. Stood where?.....stood up before us.

Next will be X. The adverb 'truly' is used before the phrase 'alarming spectacle'.

The answer is (a) YZX

Q346. (c) YZX

Y is the first part which tells what we admit.

Next will be Z. Mind (noun) is followed by the verb (is immaterial).

With YZ beginning, we have only option (c)

The answer is (c) YZX

Q347. (c) ZYX

Z is the first part. Here, the helping verb 'was' is immediately followed by the main verb 'repeated'. Next will be Y where the noun 'the earth' is followed by the verb 'shock'.

With ZY beginning, the only option is (c)

The answer is (c) ZYX.

Q348. (d) ZYX

Z is the first part. The effects of what?.....of the causes.

Next will be Y. The causes and their effects belong to whom?.....to the one order.

Next will be X. Where do they stand?.....in the same series.

The answer is (d) ZYX

Q349. (a) XZY

X is the first part which contains the preposition 'upon' to be followed by the verb. Thrown where?....upon their own exertions. Next will be Z immediately followed by Y. The adjective 'hard' is followed by a noun 'battle'

The answer is (a) XZY

Q350. (d) YZX

Y is the first part which tells what the unstated assumption is.

Next will be Z 'different time zone' is the right phrase.

With YZ beginning the only option is (d).

The answer is (d) YZX.

Q351. (c) ZXY

Z is the first part. It completes the phrase 'so much' which means indicating a particular but unspecified quantity.

Next will be X which tells where the room was situated.

The answer is (c) ZXY

Q352. (c) XYZ

X is the first part which completes the subject 'government offices or educational institutions'.

Next will be Y immediately followed by Z. The noun 'hours' is preceded by the adjective 'daylight'.

The answer is (c) XYZ

Q353. (b) YZX

Y is the first part. Enough of what?.....of the desert.

Next will be Z. 'Number of knives' forms a complete phrase.

With YZ beginning the only option is (b)

The answer is (b) YZX

Q354. (d) YZX

Y is the first part which contains the verb to be followed by the noun 'we'.

Next will be Z. Strata is filled with what?.....with the shells of the same species as those now living in the Mediterranean.

So next will be X.

The answer is (d) YZX

Q355. (c) XZY

X is the first part which contains the verb to be followed by the subject of the sentence. Next will be Z. Rising where?.....out of the plain. With XZ beginning there is only option (c)

The answer is (c) XZY.

Q356. (d) XZY

X is the first part which tells that 'human experience' is consistent.

Next will be Z followed by Y which describes the elevation of land at the two places.

The answer is (d) XZY.

Q357. (d) XYZ

X is the first part because the infinitive 'to' is followed by a verb.

Next will be Y followed by Z. 'anybody' and 'anything' are joined using the conjunction 'or'. The answer is (d) XYZ

Q358. (b) XYZ

X is the first part. The phrase 'at first' means at the beginning.

Next will be Y immediately followed by Z. What was going on?.....analogy of changes.

The answer is (b) XYZ

Q359. (b) YZX

Y is the first part which tells what he took out.

Next will be Z immediately followed by X which tells why he did so.

The answer is (b) YZX

Q360. (c) ZYX

Z is the first part which contains the verb followed by the subject.

Next will be Y followed by X that sun rises in the morning and sets in the evening.

The answer is (c) ZYX.

Q361. (c) RPQ

Here R will come at first immediately followed by P which tells the truth about downscale communities.

Next will be Q which tells the truth that they deserve to die.

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q362. (d) RQP

R will be the first part immediately followed by Q and P which tell how to present requests to God.

Q363. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part which tells where he fails.

Next will be P followed by R

The answer is (a) QPR

Q364. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part immediately followed by R in which it tells that one can fence oneself in.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q365. (b) RQP

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q which contains the verb 'is'.

The answer is (b) RQP

Q366. (a) RPQ

R will be the first part which completes the subject

Next will be P followed by Q which talks about the gender just laws.

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q367. (a) PRQ

Williamson shoveled scorn on will be followed by P, the low-income white Republican voters who, Which will be immediately followed by R and Q at last.

Q368. (b) PQR

First part of the statement will be P, Q in middle and R, that have been published at last as it completes the statement.

Q369. (b) PQR

P will come first as it contains the conjunction and completes the former part. Q second and R at last which tell the day he chose as his birthday.

The answer is (b) PQR

Q370. (a) PRQ

Today, less privileged white will be followed by P, Americans who are considered to be in crisis, P will be immediately followed by R and Q at last.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q371. (b) QRP

Q will come at first immediately followed by R which tells the American underclass is in thrall due to vicious culture. With QR beginning we have only option b.

The answer is b. QRP

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Q372. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part followed by P and R which tell that they would always be together despite being apart.

The answer is a. QPR

Q373. (d) QRP

R will be immediately followed by P. The participating boy and girl were called tributes.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q374. (c) QPR

Q will be the first part of the sentence, with P second and R at last which tell about the arena that could hold so many things.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q375.(a) RPQ

R will become the first part of the sentence which talks about an award.

Next will be P in middle and Q at last which tell about the effect of the award on China's interest.

Q376.(b) RQP

R will be the first part of the sentence followed by Q and P which talk about China's readiness to negotiate a solution.

The answer is (b) RQP

Q377.(a) PRQ

This alone will be followed by P, so P will be the first part of the statement.

Next will be R followed by Q which tells what it is alert for.

The answer is option a. PRQ

Q378.(b) PQR

P will be the first part immediately followed by Q. Proportion of what?...Population receiving welfare benefits.

The answer is option b. PQR

Q379.(d) QRP

Unelected governors are the subject of the statement which will be followed by a helping verb which is in Q, so Q will be the first part of the statement, R second and P last.

Q380.(c) QPR

Q will be the first part of the sentence which tells what India must do.

Next will be P followed by R which tell that nutrition and health are foundations of that outcome.

The answer is (c) QPR.

Q381.(b) PQR

P will be the first part of the sentence immediately followed by Q which contains the numeral adjective before man.

The answer is option b PQR

Q382.(a) PRQ

P will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be R immediately followed by Q which gives the connection between a thread and a needle.

The answer is option a PRQ

Q383.(d) RQP

R will be the first part of the sentence which takes the preposition 'on' and connects it to the first part of the sentence.

Next will be Q followed by P. They created history by becoming the first man to climb Mount Everest.

The answer is option d RQP

Q384.(c) RPQ

R will be immediately followed by P because Many will take a plural noun.

Next will be Q which completes what is being said.

The answer is option c. RPQ

Q385.(c) PRQ

P will be the first part of the sentence. Here 'whose' refers to the Finance Minister.

Next will be R followed by Q.

With P beginning we have only option c.

The answer is c PRQ

Q386.(d) PQR

P will be the first sentence which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by R which tells that focussing on the latter completely distorts the picture.

The answer is option d. PQR

Q387.(b) RQP

R will be the first part immediately followed by Q. Unbearable will take a negative word i.e. burden.

With RQ beginning we have only option (b)

The answer is (b) RQP.

Q388.(a) RPQ

R will be the first part of the sentence which will take a comparative word.

Next will be P followed by Q. What will happen by crop failure?.....It would deprive them of jobs.

Q389.(a) RPQ

R will be the first part of the sentence which takes the phrase 'at the last' after thus.

Next will be P followed by Q which tells what a developing economy needs.

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q390.(b) RQP

R will be the first part as when it refers to the days.
Next will be Q followed by P which tells about what it is not required to be worried about.
The answer is (b) RQP.

Q391.(c) QPR

Q will be the first part which takes a verb.
Next will be P followed by R which tells how a saint is put on a pedestal.
The answer is (c) QPR

Q392. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which takes the verb to tell what Gandhiji did.
Next will be R followed by P which tell why he withdrew Satyagraha.
The answer is (d) QRP

Q393.(d) PQR

P will be the first part which completes the subject of the sentence.
Next will be Q which contains the verb.
The answer is option d PQR

Q394.(c) PRQ

P will be the first part immediately followed by R. Expectations (plural) will take a plural verb. And R will be followed by Q. Rhetoric being singular will be followed by a singular verb(has). The answer is option c. PRQ

Q395. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which takes a singular verb (picks) for the noun engineer.
Next will be R followed by P because motorists (plural) take a plural verb find.
The answer is (d) QRP

Q396.(c) QPR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.
Next will be P followed by R which describes the problem with the Indian cities.
The answer is (c) QPR

Q397.(d) RQP

R will be the first part which completes the subject.
Next will be Q followed by P. The noun many people being plural will be followed by a plural verb.
The answer is (d) RQP

Q398.(c) RPQ

R will be the first part immediately followed by P. Life of what?.....Brahmacharya.

Next will be Q which tells the protests were not functioning as expected.
The answer is (c) RPQ.

Q399.(a) PRQ

P will be the first part which takes the verb 'remain' after the subject in the first part.
Next will be R. The adjective 'impressive' in P will be followed by a noun (reduction) in R.
Next will be Q. Reduction in what?.....stunting.
The answer is (a) PRQ

Q400. (b) PQR

P will be the first part. In imaginative sentences were is used.
Next will be Q followed by R. Maximize what?.....Economic growth.
The answer is (b) PQR

Test 9

Q401. Their judgment can be

P-easily swayed by false
Q-propaganda, as is being done
R-right now across the country
(a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q402. Although no convincing

P-arguments were made against
Q-was commotion in the House
R-the amendment, there
(a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q403. It is a good sign

P- that the ratio remains the same despite
Q-the revenue base coming down because
R-of increased devolution to States
(a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q404. India is extremely short

P- of water, and there will be even less
Q- is taken out
R- of it as groundwater
(a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q405. Technology for

P-tracking droughts has
Q-grown in leaps and bounds
R-forecasting and
(a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

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Q406. The NSG

P- of nuclear trade, spelt out in its guidelines and trigger-lists

Q- covering every aspect

R- has already made its rules,

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q407. He spent a third

P - was of any consequence

Q - made sure that none of them

R - of the time describing his tax proposals, but

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q408. The yatra focussed

P - for poor and

Q - marginalised communities

R - on access to development and dignity

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q409. Statistics show

P - figures over the last three decades

Q - in several parts of India

R - a steady rise in the turnout

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q410. A dissent in a court

P - the intelligence of a future day

Q - to the brooding spirit of law, to

R - of last resort is an appeal

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q411. It is not uncommon

P-to push for public expenditure

Q-at a time

R-when private investment sentiment is weak

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q412. District judges

P-in far-flung districts

Q-and gag orders

R-have been authorising mass blocking of online content

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q413. A significant number

P-in the rural nonfarm sector

Q-to be created

R-of these jobs will have

(a) QRP

(b) RQP

(c) PRQ

(d) PQR

Q414. By doing so, it

P-brought it closer

Q-to cultural and social life

R--has redefined politics and

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q415. Taken together, this

P gives a total global

Q stockpile of almost 1,900 tons of

R nuclear weapons usable material

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q416. The loss of these

P young, and often

Q make us ponder

R bright, people must

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q417. Earlier its forays

P-were concentrated on ancient

Q-and medieval India

R-in history

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q418. Guardians of

P-the tyranny of the state

Q-four square against

R-intellectual liberty must stand

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q419. The pesticides

P-are more harmful than

Q-those used in many other parts of the world

R-used in India

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q420. The last issue

P - can bend policy by virtue of its control over its users

Q - how a powerful monopoly

R - we need to examine is

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q421. To write in plain vigorous language

P-one has to think fearlessly, and if

Q-one thinks fearlessly

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R-one cannot be politically orthodox

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q422. Elections are likely to be held

P-in 2017 once law and order

Q-time frame has been set

R-is restored though no

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q423. The essay is about

P-namely,

Q-what its title says,

R-the enemies of intellectual liberty

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q424. It was never meant

P-upon fundamental rights

Q-to become a tool

R-to broaden the scope of restrictions

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q425. Therefore, perhaps

P-on ensuring learning standards

Q-there is a case

R-to introduce some clauses

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q426. Public interest litigation,

P-presently serves a role distinctly opposed

Q-therefore,

R-to the rationale behind its fashioning

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q427. It is becoming

P-increasingly clear that anyone

Q-of freedom, justice and equality is seen as a threat

R-who dares to raise issues

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q428. Further negotiations

P-are necessary

Q-to reach a common understanding

R-to enable implementation

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q429. The atmosphere

P-is against them, but there appears

Q-in their administrations

R-to be fight left

- (a) QPR (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q430. The idea was

P-to spend as little money

Q-while avoiding loss of lives

R-as possible

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QRP (d) PRQ

Q431. In some seats, the

P-winning margin, thereby

Q-votes for NOTA have been larger than the

R-determining the result

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q432. They not only

P-tech activists on to the streets

Q-ran an innovative and creative campaign, but

R-were also able to bring

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q433. It is high time

P-about the cost and

Q-the government started thinking

R-quality of power supply

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q434. For India, therefore,

P-a priority along with nuclear safety

Q-nuclear security is not a new objective,

R-but has always been

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q435. This means that for

P-making a significant dent

Q-have to grow at a faster rate

R-in poverty, rural incomes

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q436. To have succumbed to their

P-blackmail was not an instance of

Q-making pragmatic political

R-concessions; it was one of capitulation

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q437. Whether the emergence

P-will change the ugly dynamic

Q-of these popular protests

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R-in Brazil is to be seen

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q438. After walking around

P-to quench their thirst

Q-a bit, the women searched

R-for a hand pump

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q439. It is hard to

P- of some

Q- miss the political significance

R- of these beneficiaries

- (a) PQR (b) RQP
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q440. But while the defeat made

P as it was no longer in currency.

Q news, the issue on which

R it was based failed to resonate

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QRP

Q441. A truly free nation will

P-will fail in the marketplace of ideas

Q-destruction as a bad idea that

R-confidently view even its advocated

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q442. I am not demanding

P-a set of ethical scripts whose

Q-political possibilities could be played out

R-a census of atrocity but

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q443. There is never

P - behind the persistence of such problem; it always has

Q - a single factor

R - to be a nexus of forces

- (a) QPR (b) PRQ
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q444. If society considers this

P-to wonder if society itself is normal

Q-to be normal or treats it with

R-indifference, one has

- (a) PRQ (b) QRP
(c) RQP (d) RPQ

Q445. However the major drawback

P-of this process is that

Q-there is no legally binding

R-outcome at the end of six years

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q446. No democracy

P-can survive without the

Q-philosophical imagination

R-roots of such an ethical and

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q447. Despite this high level political

P-have achieved little

Q-these summits

R-attention, and fanfare,

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q448. They also need help

P-rains have failed, and

Q-agricultural production will fall drastically

R-just now, because

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q449. This may sound like

P-the actual problem

Q-at the scale of

R-a lot, until one tools

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q450. He must actually announce

P-how he intends to bring

Q-the businessman to book

R-a plan of action detailing

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

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Q451. There must be more oversight

P-which this is done

Q-and much more accountability

R-in the manner in

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q452. This is where clear,

P-well-publicized editorial guidelines are

Q-precisely formulated, and

R-badly needed in Indian newsrooms

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

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Q453. I am raising these questions

P-are early warning signs

Q-of a deeper crisis

R-because such events

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RP (d) QRP

Q454. Even the knowledge

P-for less disastrous policies

Q-the Census would make

R-of elementary facts from

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q455. Even more astonishingly,

P-he cast as "beautiful"

Q-he went on to

R-describe the vote

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q456. Hit hard by austerity measures

P-government, they lead

Q-of the Conservative

R-lives embedded in anxiety

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q457. They are sophisticated enough

P-to know that Free Basics

Q- the things they really want to access

R-would not offer them any of

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q458. Of these,

P-mostly two have proved

Q-to be bones of contention

R-between the two parties

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q459. It is the right to privacy

P- inside out on a whim

Q- that prevents the police

R- from turning our homes

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q460. Recent reports say

P- economy in terms of

Q- India has become the world's fastest-growing

R- GDP growth, overtaking China

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q461. Imagine what this can do

P-the news industry in our part of the world

Q-for trust in, and engagement

R-with, professional journalism and

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q462. Truth was

P-to lead to a breach of peace as a false one

Q-no defence since

R-a true defamatory statement was as likely

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q463. India should not be in a hurry

P-to ratify the Agreement

Q-until there is clarity

R-on the U.S. position

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RQP (d) QPR

Q464. The party has not just

P-vacated space for other

Q-being steadily hollowed out ideologically

R-political parties, but it is also

- (a) PRQ (b) RQP
(c) QPR (d) QRP

Q465. If per capita income is taken

P-as the measure then we are

Q-away from 'great power' status

R-still some distance

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q466. India has already made

P-substantial concessions

Q-to enable a consensus

R-for the Paris pact

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q467. One will need to watch what

P. happens in the United States

Q. presidential elections

R. after the forthcoming

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q468. Three examples will

P-suffice as evidence

Q-of her backsliding

R-on longheld positions

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

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Q469. It is a pity that
P-such violence hardly
Q-comes within the
R-purview of the law

- (a) QRP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q470. The more technologically
P-advanced and wired a
Q-vulnerable it is to a cyber attack
R-nation is, the more

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) QPR

Q471. The architecture
P-was designed to promote
Q-of the Internet
R-connectivity, not security

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q472. It secured support from
P-government, a significant development in itself
Q-other sections of the
R-Opposition, and defeated the

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q473. Every government wants
P-all, they have so many votes
Q-to shower favours on
R-farmers; after

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q474. Due to poor organic matter
P-in soil is below the required
Q-incorporation, organic carbon
R-level in most parts of India

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q475. Out-of-the-box statecraft
P-economic growth
Q-would bring dividends
R-In peace of mind, savings and

- (a) RQP (b) QRP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q476. Is our national identity
P-needs to be shrouded in a
Q-of such a loose character that it
R—cloak of anodyne conformity?

- (a) QPR (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) PRQ

Q477. This is what comes
P-who sits below the finance Minister
Q-and not consulting the economist
R-out of not knowing economics

- (a) QRP (b) RQP
(c) PRQ (d) PQR

Q478. The pith helmets
P-gone, but the blood
Q-has never dried
R-may have long

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q479. It is for the government,
P-especially one with such a
Q-significant majority, to have the
R-intelligence and leadership to think long term

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q480. There is a deeper
P-fissure here that goes
Q-from western theory
R-beyond explanations

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q481. At one level,
P-the law in understanding
Q-such cases of violence
R-one senses the limits of

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q482. It is the right to
P-who see us at our most vulnerable
Q-the indiscretions of doctors
R-privacy that protects us from

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q483. The fundamental cause of
P-modern world the stupid are cocksure
Q-the trouble is that in the
R-while the intelligent are full of doubt

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q484. It ignores the real victim,
P-of getting justice
Q-often compelling him/her
R-to find extralegal methods

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

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Q485. It is a crisis which

P-unless policymakers

Q-exercise some intelligence

R-will get even worse

- (a) RPQ (b) RQP
(c) PQR (d) QPR

Q486. In Tamil nadu,

P-cows and bulls are worshipped and celebrated

Q-on Maattu Pongal,

R-and the finale is Jallikattu

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RPQ

Q487. They have now

P-by a paternalistic state

Q-of goods mandated

R-been turned into consumers

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q488. Elections globally

P-dominated by numbers, percentages

Q-and tallies

R-can be dry affairs

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q489. We should learn our lesson

P-from this history and stay away

Q-of our neighbours

R-from interfering in the messy domestic politics

- (a) PRQ (b) PQR
(c) QPR (d) RPQ

Q490. Public goods are

P-important as they

Q-mitigate the impact of

R-income poverty and inequality

- (a) QRP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q491. This may be essential at

P-where the market fails to deliver

Q-swath of an economy

R-times, but there is a wide

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q492. We must urgently

P-ethics that respects, and responds

Q-humanely to, the strangers in our cities

R-and consciously develop a new

- (a) RQP (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QPR

Q493. It may not be a simple

P-someone does stand to gain

Q-by keeping farmers divided

R-case of "divide and rule", but

- (a) QPR (b) PQR
(c) RPQ (d) QRP

Q494. Rewarding an encroacher on public

P-reward to a pickpocket

Q-site is like giving a

R-land with free alternative

- (a) QRP (b) QPR
(c) PRQ (d) RQP

Q495. The question

P-are on the right path

Q-is whether we

R-to the goal

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q496. Ensuring security

P-harder than hacking into a system

Q-of data, information, and

R-communication is considerably

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q497. Do people take

P-rejection of every candidate?

Q-the trouble to go and

R-vote only to register their

- (a) RQP (b) RPQ
(c) PRQ (d) QRP

Q498. The reference

P-is simultaneously a matter

Q-to the size of a vulnerable community

R-of legal as well as political and ethical perspective

- (a) RPQ (b) QRP
(c) QPR (d) PRQ

Q499. 1. Smoke billowed up between the planks.

P. Passengers were told to be ready to quit the ship.

Q. The rising gale fanned the smouldering fire.

R. Everyone now knew there was a fire on board.

S. Flames broke out here and there.

6. Most people bore the shock bravely.

- (a) SRQP (b) QPSR
(c) RSPQ (d) QSRP

Q500. 1. Adult education is essential for Democracy of India.

P. The number of grown up illiterates is great.

Q. All college and senior School students should come forward to educate the illiterates.

R. They should visit villages in the summer vacation.
S. Each one will teach one there.
6. This will remove illiteracy and strengthen our democracy.
(a) PQRS (b) PRQS
(c) SQRP (d) QRPS

**Detailed solution test 9 and test 10
(Q 401 to 500)**

Q401. (d) PQR
P will be the first part followed by Q. What happened to the judgement?.....Easily swayed....By what?.....False propaganda.
The answer is (d) PQR

Q402.(c) PRQ
P will be the first part. Here convincing is the adjective used for arguments.
Next will be R followed by Q. 'There' will be followed by a verb 'was'.
The answer is (c) PRQ

Q403.(d) PQR
P will be the first part as it starts with connecting word that.
Next will be Q. Despite is not followed by of.
The answer is (d) PQR

Q404. (c) PRQ
P will be the first part. India is short of what?.....groundwater.
R will be followed by Q. What is taken out?...Groundwater.
The answer is (c) PRQ

Q405. (c) RPQ
R will be first part immediately followed by P which are joining by a conjunction 'and'
Next will be Q. The helping verb 'has' will be followed by the main verb grown.
The answer is (c) RPQ

Q406. (d) RQP
The NSG is the subject of the statement, which will immediately be followed by a helping verb which is in R.
With R beginning we have only option (d)
The answer is (d) RQP

Q407. (d) RQP
R will be the first part. A third of what?.....Of time
With R beginning, we have only option (d)
The answer is (d) RQP

Q408. (c) RPQ
R will be the first part which tells yatra focussed on what?
Next will be P followed by Q which are connected by 'and'
The answer is (c) RPQ

Q409. (a) RPQ
R will be the first part which tells what the statistics show.
Next will be P. Turnout is an adjective used for noun figures.
With RP beginning we have only option (a)
The answer is (a) RPQ

Q410. (b) RQP
R will be the first part which completes the subject.
Next will be Q followed by P which tell what the appeal is about.
The answer is (b) RQP

Q411. (b) PQR
It is not uncommon will be immediately by P as it starts with 'to' which completes the statement. Next will be Q followed by R because when will be preceded by time.
The answer is (b) PQR

Q412. (a) PRQ
P will be the first part which will complete the subject.
Next will be R which has a plural helping verb.
With PR beginning we have only option (a)
The answer is (a) PRQ

Q413. (b) RQP
R will be the first part. The preposition 'of' expresses the relation between the number and jobs. Next will be Q followed by P. These jobs will have to be created in the rural sector. The answer is (b) RQP.

Q414. (a) RPQ
R will be the first part immediately followed by P which tells what it had done.
Next will be Q which tells what was it brought closer to.
The answer is (a) RPQ

Q415. (b) PQR
P will be the first part which contains the verb.
Next will be Q followed by R. Stockpile of what?.....Nuclear weapons.
The answer is (b) PQR

Q416. (a) PRQ

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P will be the first part immediately followed by R which completes the subject and states the qualities of people.

Next will be Q which contains the verb of the sentence.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q417. (a) RPQ

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P immediately followed by Q. Ancient and Medieval, two parts of the history are connected using a conjunction and.

Q418. (b) RQP

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by P. Stand against what?..... tyranny.

The answer is (b) RQP

Q419. (c) RPQ

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P immediately followed by Q which compares the pesticides of two regions of the world.

Q420. (d) RQP

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by P which forms a meaningful sentence.

The answer is (d) RQP

Q421. (b) PQR

P will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by R which tells the other condition.

The answer is (b) PQR

Q422. (a) PRQ

P will be the first part which tells when the elections will be held.

Next will be R followed by Q which states the condition of time frame.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q423. (c) QPR

Q will be the first part which tells that the essay is about its title.

Next will be P followed by R which further names its title.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q424. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells what was never meant.

Next will be R followed by P which talks about the restrictions on fundamental rights.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q425. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part followed by R which tells what the case is about.

Next will be P which tells the clauses are about what.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q426. (a) QPR

Q will come at first which contains the adverb after the first part of the sentence.

Next will be P followed by R. Opposed is followed by 'to' which compares two different aspects.

The answer is (a) QPR

Q427. (c) PRQ

P will be the first part which tell it is becoming what?.....clear

Next will be R because anyone will be followed by a pronoun 'who'

With PR beginning we have only option (c)

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q428. (d) PQR

P will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be Q followed by R which tell why negotiations are necessary.

The answer is (d) PQR

Q429. (c) PRQ

The atmosphere is a subject, so it will be followed by a helping verb and it is in part

P, is against them.

Next will be R which tells what appears?.....a fight.

With PR beginning, we have only option (c)

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q430. (d) PRQ

P will be the first part which tells what the idea was.

Next will be R. Here the correct phrase is "as little as"

With PR beginning we have only option (d) PRQ

The answer is (d) PRQ

Q431. (c) QPR

Q will be the first part immediately followed by P which draws a difference between the votes received by NOTA against the winning margin. Next will be R. As a result of this difference, the result is determined.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q432. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells what they did.

Next will be R which contains "Not only..but also" form

With QR beginning we have only option (d)

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The answer is (d) QRP

Q433. (c) QPR

Q will be the first which tells it is high time for what?...

Next will P followed by R. Cost and Quality are connected using the conjunction 'and'

The answer is (c) QPR

Q434. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part followed by R. Nuclear security is not new but has always been a priority.

With QR beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) QRP

Q435. (a) PRQ

P will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be R followed by Q. Here, incomes (plural) will be followed by a plural verb 'have'.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q436. (b) PQR

P will be the first part which completes the subject and also contains the verb.

Next will be Q. 'Instance of' will be followed by the verb 'making'

With PQ beginning we have only option (b)

The answer is (b) PQR

Q437. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P followed by R. What will those protests do?.....change the ugly dynamic in Brazil.

The answer is (a) QPR

Q438. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be R followed by P. The hand pump was searched for water.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q439. (c) QPR

Q will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be P followed by R which completes the phrase 'of some of these beneficiaries'

The answer is (c) QPR

Q440. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells what the defeat made.

Next will be R followed by P which tells why the issue failed to resonate.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q441. (d) RQP

R will be the first part which contains the verb to be followed after the first part.

Next will be Q followed by P which tells why it is a bad idea.

The answer is (d) RQP

Q442. (c) RPQ

R will be the first part followed by P which tells what is demanded and what is demanded.

Next will be Q which tells about the political possibilities of ethical scripts.

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q443. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part followed by P which completes the subject.

Next will be R which contains the helping verb for the sentence.

The answer is (a) QPR

Q444. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells about the consideration of the society.

Next will be R. How is it treated?.....with indifference.

With QR beginning, the option is (b)

The answer is (b) QRP

Q445. (d) PQR

P will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by R which tells what the drawback is.

The answer is (d) PQR

Q446. (c) PRQ

P will be the first part which contains the verb followed by the first part.

Next will be R followed by Q. Here the two imaginations are joined using the conjunction 'and'

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q447. (b) RQP

R will be the first part. The noun will be preceded by an adjective.

Next will be Q followed by P. These summits (plural) will be followed by a plural verb, 'have'

The answer is (b) RQP

Q448. (a) RPQ

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P followed by Q which gives the reason for help and its outcome.

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q449. (b) RQP

R will be the first part. It tells what it sounds like.

Next will be Q followed by P. 'At the scale of' will be followed by a noun.

The answer is (b) RQP

This may sound like it will be immediately followed by R, a lot, until one looks, and next to R will be Q, and P will come at last as it makes the statement meaningful and completes it.

Q450. (a) RPQ

R will be the first part which tells what he must announce.

Next will be P followed by Q which tells what the plan was about.

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q451. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part. Here the nouns are joined using a conjunction 'and'

Next will be R followed by P. 'Which' refers to the manner in which it is done.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q452. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part immediately followed by P. Here the three nouns are joined using the conjunction, 'and'.

Next will be R which contains the verb.

The answer is (a) QPR

Q453. (c) RPQ

R will be the first part which tells why the questions were being raised.

Next will be P because events (plural) will be followed by a plural verb.

With RP beginning we have only option (c)

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q454. (d) RQP

R will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q. Facts from where?....from the Census.

With RQ beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) RQP

Q455. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells what he did astonishingly.

Next will be R immediately followed by P. Here, the vote is regarded 'beautiful'

The answer is (d) QRP

Q456. (c) QPR

Q will be immediately followed by P. Conservative Government is a complete phrase.

Q is followed by P only in option (c)

The answer is (c) QPR

Q457. (c) PRQ

P will be the first part as enough is an adverb followed by 'to'.

Next will be R. Here, free basics will be followed by the verb 'would'

Next will be Q. 'Any of the things' form a complete phrase.

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q458. (d) PQR

P will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be Q followed by R. What he proved?.....to be a bone of contention between the two parties.

The answer is (d) PQR

Q459. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part. Here, that refers to the right to privacy.

Next will be R. What is he preventing police from?.....from turning our homes inside out.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q460. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part which tells what the reports said.

P will be next. The adjective 'fastest growing' will be followed by a noun 'economy'.

With QP beginning we have only option (a)

The answer is (a) QPR

Q461. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be R followed by P. Here, the nouns are joined using a conjunction.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q462. (a) QRP

Q will be the first part which completes the subject and specifies the reason behind the fact.

Next will be R followed by P which tells that the statement was likely to lead to a breach of peace.

The answer is (a) QRP

Q463. (b) PQR

P will be the first part. India should not be in a hurry for what?.....to ratify the agreement.

Next will be Q followed by R. Clarity regarding the U.S position.

The answer is (b) PQR

Q464. (a) PRQ

P will be the first part followed by R. Other is followed by a plural noun and hence it is followed by R.

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With PR beginning we have only option (a).
The answer is (a) PRQ

Q465. (a) PRQ

R will be immediately followed by Q. Distance is followed by away.

With RQ together, the only option is (a).

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q466. (b) PQR

P will be the first part. What has India made?.....substantial concessions.

Next will be Q followed by R. Made concessions for what?.....to enable a consensus.

The answer is (b)PQR

Q467. (c) PRQ

R will be immediately followed by Q. Forthcoming is the adjective used for presidential elections.

R is followed by Q only in option (c)

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q468. (d) PQR

P will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be Q which tells the evidence of what.

With PQ beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) PQR

Q469. (d) PQR

P will be the first part. 'That' pronoun is used to refer to what the pity is.

Next will be Q. Hardly adverb is followed by the verb 'comes'

With PQ in the beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) PQR

Q470. (c) PRQ

P will be the first part followed by R. Here the technological advancement of the nation is described. Next will be Q which tells about the interdependence of advancement and cyber attacks.

The answer is (c) PRQ

Q471. (a) QPR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P which contains the verb.

Next will be R which tells the architecture was to promote connectivity.

The answer is (a) QPR

Q472. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part immediately followed by R. From whom the support is secured?.....other sections of the opposition.

Next will be the government. was defeated.

The answer is (b) QRP

Q473. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part which tells what the government. wanted to do it.

Next will be R. Favour showered on whom?.....on farmers.

Next is P which gives the reason behind showering the favours.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q474.(c) QPR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P followed by R. Here, the statement is about 'the required level' of soil.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q475. (b) QRP

Q will be the first part which contains the verb.

Next will be R followed by P where the nouns are connected using the conjunction 'and'

The answer is (b) QRP

Q476.(a) QPR

Q will be the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P which contains the verb.

Next will be R, Shrouded means to be wrapped hence it will be followed by a piece of cloth (cloak).

The answer is (a) QPR

Q477. (b) RQP

Q will immediately be followed by P because 'who' pronoun is used to refer to the economist.

With QP together we have only option (b)

The answer is (b) RQP

Q478. (a) RPQ

R will be the first part. Here helmets (plural) will be followed by a plural verb (have).

Next will be P followed by Q. Blood being in singular will take a singular verb.

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q479. (b) PQR

P is the first part which completes the subject.

Next is Q which talks about the government's significant majority.

With PQ beginning the only option is (b)

The answer is (b) PQR

Q480. (a) PRQ

P is the first part. Here, deeper is the adjective used for fissure.

Next will be R followed by Q which tells that it is beyond the explanation from western theory.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q481. (c) RPQ

R is the first part which tells what happens at that level.

Next will be P followed by Q which tells that such cases of violence have to be understood.

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q482. (d) RQP

R will be the first part, Which right?...Right to Privacy.

Next will be Q followed by P. Here, who refers to the doctors.

The answer is (d) RQP

Q483. (c) QPR

Q is the first part. Cause of what?.....of trouble.

Next will be followed by R which states the difference between the stupid and the intelligent.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q484. (d) QRP

Q will be immediately followed by R which tells him he is compelled to find extralegal methods.

Next R will be followed by P. Methods of what?.....of justice.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q485. (a) RPQ

R is the first part which contains the verb after the subject.

Next will be P followed by Q. The noun 'policymakers' being plural is followed by exercise (plural verb).

The answer is (a) RPQ

Q486. (b) QPR

Q is the first part followed by P which tells about the celebrations and processions on the occasion of Mattu Pongal.

Next is R which tells that celebration is called Jallikattu.

The answer is (b) QPR

Q487. (d) RQP

R is the first part which completes the verb of the sentence.

R will be followed by Q. Consumer of goods is a complete phrase.

With RQ beginning the only option is (d)

The answer is (d) RQP

Q488. (c) RPQ

P is immediately followed by Q. Numbers, percentages and tallies are the criteria for elections.

P and Q are together only in option (c)

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q489. (a) PRQ

P will be the first part. Lesson has to be learnt from history.

Next P will be followed by R. Here it is told to stay away, so it should be followed by something undesirable.

The answer is (a) PRQ

Q490. (b) PQR

P is the first part. Here, 'they' refers to public goods.

Next will be Q followed by R. 'Mitigate' means to lessen something adverse. So it will be followed by adversities i.e poverty and inequality.

The answer is (b) PQR

Q491. (d) RQP

R will be the first because the preposition 'at' will be followed either by a place or time.

With R beginning we have only option (d)

The answer is (d) RQP

Q492. (c) RPQ

R will be the first part which contains two adverbs joined using the conjunction 'and' followed by the main verb.

Next will be P followed by Q. Responds to whom?.....to the strangers.

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q493. (c) RPQ

R is the first part. Here, 'simple' is an adjective used for the case.

Next will be P followed by Q which states that someone can gain by keeping the farmers divided.

The answer is (c) RPQ

Q494. (d) RQP

R will be the first part. An encroacher is someone who takes another's possession.

Here someone is taking the public land .

Next will be Q followed by P. Offering him an alternative site is compared to giving a reward to a pickpocket.

The answer is (d) RQP

Q495. (c) QPR

The question being singular should be followed by a singular verb. Hence first part is Q

Next will be P followed by R. We (plural) will be followed by a plural verb (are).

The answer is (c) QPR

Q496. (d) QRP

Q will be the first part immediately followed by R which tells the security of what has to be ensured.

Next will be P. The adverb considerably will be followed by a comparative noun.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q497. (d) QRP

Q is the first part. What people take?.....trouble to go and vote

Next will be R followed by P. What has to be registered?.....rejection of the candidates.

The answer is (d) QRP

Q498. (c) QPR

Q is the first part which completes the subject.

Next will be P followed by R. Simultaneously means at the same time. This is a matter of legal, ethical and political perspective.

The answer is (c) QPR

Q499. (d) QSRP

Gale means 'wind' and hence the gale fanned the smoldering fire. Due to this flames broke out here and there.

Seeing the flames everyone knew that there was fire on the board. Hence the passengers were told to be ready to quit the ship. Point No. 6 can be the last sentence only when people are being talked about before it.

So the answer is (d) QSRP

Q500. (a) PQRS

In (R) 'they' pronoun refers to the college and senior school students. Hence arrangement has to be QR.

Also in (S) 'there' refers to some place and this place is 'villages'. Hence order would be QRS.

Each one Teach One will remove illiteracy and strengthen the democracy

And talking about (P) Adult education is necessary because the number of illiterates has grown up.

This forms the order of the statements PQRS