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## Section: English Language

Q. 1 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

## Variance

Ans

1. Convention
2. Equal
3. Harmony
4. Intellectual
Q. 2 Select the most appropriate synonym of the highlighted word He is inclined to stay with the present organisation.
Ans
5. struggled
6. mystified
7. motivated
8. declined
Q. 3 Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence.

One should work hard than others to succeed.
Ans

1. harder than
2. hardest that
3. harder to
4. hard to
Q. 4 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in active voice. Pygmalion was written by GB Shaw.
Ans
X1. GB Shaw was writing Pygmalion.
5. GB Shaw was written by Pygmalion.

X 3. Pygmalion wrote GB Shaw.
4. GB Shaw wrote Pygmalion.
Q. 5 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.
There is many ways / to make / a stranger feel / welcome in the community.
Ans
$\chi$ 1. welcome in the community
2. There is many ways
$\times$ 3. a stranger feel
$\times$ 4. to make
Q. 6 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
X1. Acquaint
2. Mamorial

X 3. Guarantee
$\times 4$. Monotonous
Q. 7 Select the option that will improve the underlined part of the given sentence. Robin has less marbles than George.
Ans
$\times 1$. enough marbles
$\times$ 2. lower marbles
X 3. few marbles
4. fewer marbles
Q. 8 In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank. The minute you start and tolerating
, it becomes the new norm and the slide begins and therefore, we must constantly $\qquad$ to give our best and be recognised, not simply aim to do just enough to $\qquad$ that we don't get

Ans und out.
Х1. compelling, excellence, strike, encourage
2. compromising, mediocrity, strive, ensure

⒊ conjecturing, transcendence, strum, envision

- 4. contradicting, distinction, stink, endeavour
Q. 9 Select the correct homonym from the given options to fill in the blank. Which does the minister take to reach the Assembly?
Ans
$\times 1$ riot
$\times 2$ rot
$\times 3$. root

4. route
Q. 10 Select the sentence which has no spelling error.

Ans $\times 1$. Gupta empire posed a competetoin to the invaders in ancient India.
2. Neeta represented Global School in the state level debate competition.
$\times 3$. There is a high market compettion due to the advent of online shopping.
Х 4. The cooking compitition was judged by the head chef of Garland Hotels.
Q. 11 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
One who is well-versed in the knowledge of plants
Ans
$\times 1$. Florist
X 2. Gardener
X 3. Vegetarian
4. Botanist
Q. 12 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
X 1. Opportunity
2. Warrant

- 3. Conversation

4. Collaegue
Q. 13 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Win laurels
Ans

1. To gain honour
2. To be decisive
3. To change
4. To punish
Q. 14 Select the most appropriate meaning of the highlighted idiom.

The youth involved in the accident escaped by the skin of his teeth.
Ans

1. Barely managed to escape
2. Very arrogant
3. Always taking calculated decisions
4. Deficiency of funds
Q. 15 Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select 'No substitution required'. The teacher said, "the sun raises in the east every day".
Ans
$\times 1$. the sun will rise in the east
5. the sun rises in the east
$\times$ 3. the sun rises at the east
X 4. No substitution required
Q. 16 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
$\times 1$. Equine
X 2. Equilateral
3. Equillibrium

Х4. Equanimity

## Q. 17 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans 1. Encouregement
$\times 2$. Achievement
X 3. Advertisement
4. Environment
Q. 18 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank. Ramu went with his friends on a trip to $\qquad$ new paths.
Ans
1 1. determine
X2. deploy
<3. invent
4. explore
Q. 19 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underline segment in the given sentence.
I was carried by her rapturous song.
Ans

1. carried off
2. carried away
3. carried of
4. carried to
Q. 20 Identify the option that arranges the given parts in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
a) Non-verbal communication is a means
b) This is possible by using visual clues
c) By which you are able to communicate without speaking
d) Such as facial expressions, eye-contact, postures, gestures etc.

Ans

1. a,c,b,d
< 2. b,d,c,a
X 3. d, c,a,b
<4. a,b,c,d

## Comprehension:

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the options given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.
Tree plantation is the (1) $\qquad$ of transplanting saplings or seeds to maximise the amount of greenery and focus on promoting (2)
fruitful (3) ! Not only is it (4) $\qquad$ beneficial for this planet, but it also contributes to
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ (5)

SubQuestion No : 21
Q. 21 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.1.

Ans
X 1. Aspect
2. Process
$\times 3$. Tool
$\times 4$. Mechanism

## Comprehension

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fruitful (3) $\qquad$ ! Not only is it (4) beneficial for this planet, but it also contributes to helping create an environmentally friendly place to live, as trees help reduce pollutant (5)

SubQuestion No : 22
Q. 22 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.2.

Ans
$\times 1$. vegetation
2. afforestation
$\times$ 3. land reservation
4. deforestation

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helping create an environmentally friendly place to live, as trees help reduce pollutant (5) $\qquad$ .

SubQuestion No : 23
Q. 23 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.3.

Ans
X1. plan
$\times 2$ Labour
X 3. Order
4. Endeavour

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helping create an environmentally friendly place to live, as trees help reduce pollutant (5)

SubQuestion No : 24
Q. 24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No. 4 .

Ans

1. ecologically
2. physically
< 3. Socially
3. economically

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fruitful (3) $\qquad$ Not only is it (4) beneficial for this planet, but it also contributes to helping create an environmentally friendly place to live, as trees help reduce pollutant (5) .

SubQuestion No : 25
Q. 25 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank No.5.

Ans
Х1. problem
2. concentration
$\times 3$. method
< 4. calculation

## Section : General Intelligence

Q. 1 Which of the following numbers will replace the question mark (?) in the given series? 17, 20, 60, 64, 256, 261, 1305,?

Ans
X1. 1346
$\times 2.1361$
X 3.1284
4. 1311
Q. 2 Select the option that represents the correct order of the given words as they would appear in an English dictionary.
1.Beginner
2.Beheld
3.Beggar
4.Belief
5.Behind

Ans
X 1.1,3,2,5, 4
X 2. 3, 2, 1, 5, 4
3. $3,1,2,5,4$

X4.1,3,5,2, 4
Q. 3 Seven friends P, Q, R, S, T, U and V, each has a different age. $P$ is older than only $U$ and $R$. $R$ is older than $U$. $Q$ is older than $S$ but younger than $T$. $T$ is not the oldest among all. The age of how many persons is between the ages of $Q$ and $R$ ?
Ans
$\times 1.0$
2.2
$\times 3.3$
$\times 4.1$

Q． 4 In a certain code language，＇Read the code＇is coded as＇18 20 3＇，＇Decode the code＇is coded as＇4 203 ＇and＇code is easy＇is coded as＇ 395 ＇．How will＇make one code＇be coded in that language？
Ans
$\times 1.19185$
$\times 2.121315$
2． 13153
$\times 4.125$

Q． 5 Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when the mirror is placed at MN as shown．
$\left.r 7 h f 39\right|_{N} ^{M}$
Ans
x1．9 \＆f तry
$\times 29 \varepsilon$ पГァ

x4eとtトrı

Q． 6 Select the Venn diagram that best represents the relationship between the following classes．
Doctors，Fathers，Mothers
Ans


2

$\times 3$.

$\times 4$.

Q. 7 Select the correct combination of mathematical signs to replace the * signs and to balance the given equation. 78*43*2*56*27*4
Ans
X $1 .+,=,+, \times,-$
Х $2 .-,-,=,+, x$
X $3 .-, x,=,+, x$
4. $+, x,-,=, x$
Q. 8 Select the correct combination of mathematical signs to replace the * signs and to balance the given equation.
230 * 1 * 5 * 16 * 41 * 21
Ans
$\times 2 .+, \div, \times,-,=$
X3.,,$-+ \div, \times,=$
人4. $\div,+,-, \times,=$
Q. 9 Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when the mirror is placed at MN as shown.
bsg $\left.379\right|_{N} ^{M}$
Ans
$x$ - $\mathrm{e} 7 \mathrm{\varepsilon}$ g d
x2. $6 \angle \varepsilon$ \& $s q$
จ $\mathrm{e} \Gamma \varepsilon$ gटd
$x 4$ er3gsd
Q. 10 Select the correct combination of mathematical signs to replace the * signs and to balance the given equation.
41*4*39*73*25*4*30
Ans
X $1 .-, \times,+,=, \div,+$
2. $x,+,-,=, \times,+$

X $3 . \div,+,=, \times,-,+$
X4.,$-=,+, \times,-, \times$
Q. 11 The second number in the given number-pairs is obtained by performing certain mathematical operation(s) on the first number. The same operation(s) are followed in all the number-pairs EXCEPT one. Find that odd number-pair.
Ans
X1.4:48
X2.6:180
$\times 3.8: 448$

- $4.9: 639$
Q. 12 Select the option that represents the letters that, when placed from left to right in the blanks, will complete the letter series.
_ PNIEX_NIEYPN_EZP_I_
Ans
1.IE W P N

X2.NIEWP
3.WPINE
4. EWPNI
Q. 13 Select the option that is related to the fifth term in the same way as the second term is related to the first term and the fourth term is related to the third term. BROWSER : SERWBRO :: CAPTURE : URETCAP :: DESKTOP : ?

Ans
X 1. SEDKTOP
2. TOPKDES

X 3. TPOKEDS
<4. TOPKSED
Q. 14 Select the correct combination of mathematical signs to sequentially replace the * signs and to balance the given equation. 93*65*3*56*14*40
Ans
1.,,$-+ \times, \div,=$

ㄱ․ $\times,+,-, \div,=$
$\times 3 .+,-, \div, \times,=$
人4.,,$+- \times, \div,=$
Q. 15 The second number in the given number pairs is obtained by performing certain mathematical operation(s) on the first number. The same operation(s) are followed in all the number pairs, except one. Find that odd number pair.
Ans
1.6:36
$\times 2.2: 15$
X 3.3:20
$\times 4.5: 30$
Q. 16 If I denotes ' $\div$ ', $J$ denotes ' $x$ ', $K$ denotes ' - ' and $L$ denotes ' + ', then what will come in place of '?' in the following equation? 42 L 18 K ( 7 J 4) L (21 I 3) J 9 L 22 = ?
Ans

- 1.117
$\times 2.120$
$\times 3.114$
$\times 4.127$
Q. 17 Select the option that represents the letters that, when sequentially placed from left to right in the blanks below, will complete the letter series.
_ $a_{-}$WaLW_L_WaL_a_aW_L
Ans

1. WLaaLWLa
2. WLaaaWLa

X3.WLaaaWLW
4. LLaaaWLa
Q. 18 A paper is folded and cut as shown. How will it appear when unfolded?


Ans

$\stackrel{|c c c c|}{0} 0 \cdot 0$
Q. 19 Select the correct mirror image of the given combination when the mirror is placed at XY as shown.

ZWT135 $\left.\right|_{\text {Y }} ^{\text {X }}$
Ans
X1. ZMLIES
×2. §\&TLMZ
จ З. く६ITWS
4. SWTI \& 己
Q. 20 How many squares are there in the given figure?


Ans
$\times 1.20$
2. 18
$\times 3.12$
$\times 4.24$
Q. 21 A paper is folded and cut as shown below. How will it appear when unfolded?


Ans

Q. 22 Select the option that is related to the fifth term in the same way as the second term is related to the first term and fourth term related to third term.
14:21::6:9::12:?
Ans
$\times 1.24$
$\times 2.35$

- 3.18
<4. 20
Q. 23 If 20 July 2021 was Tuesday, then what was the day of the week on 28 November 2021?

Ans1. Sunday
2. Tuesday
3. Monday
4. Saturday
Q. 24 In a certain code language, 'RACE' is written as 'AREC', and 'PEAK' is written as 'EPKA'. How will 'CORE' be written in that language?
Ans
$\times 1$. OERC
$\times 2$. ECRE
$\times 3$ EORC
4. OCER
Q. 25 If ' $A$ ' denotes ' + ', ' $B$ ' denotes ' $x$ ', ' $C$ ' denotes ' - ' and ' $D$ ' denotes ' $\div$ ', then what will come in place of '?' in the following equation?
71 A 3 B 2 C 6 B ( 65 D 13) C 7 B4 = ?
Ans
$\times 1.18$
2. 19
$\times 3.44$
4. 14

Section : Quantitative Aptitude
Q. 1 The difference between a number and the square root of the number is 2 . The number is:
Ans $\times 1.1$
$\times 2.2$
$\times 3.3$

- 4.4
Q. 2 If $a^{2}-4 a+1=0$, then the value of $a^{2}+a+\frac{1}{a}+\frac{1}{a^{2}}$ is:

Ans
$\times 1.10$
$\times 2.1$

- 3.18
$\times 4.16$
Q. 3 If $\left(x-\frac{1}{x}\right)=\frac{7}{3}$, whiat is the value of $\left(x^{3}-\frac{1}{x^{3}}\right)$ ?

Ans
$\times 1.19 \frac{20}{27}$
2. $19 \frac{19}{27}$
$\times 3.19 \frac{7}{9}$
$\times 4.19 \frac{2}{3}$
Q. 4 If the average marks of three batches of $\mathbf{3 0 , 5 0} 5$ and 70 students is 55,70 and 70 respectively, then the average marks of all the students is:
Ans

1. 67
2. 66.50
3. 69
4. 68.75
Q. 5 Which of the following options is divisible by 11 ?

Ans 1.28171
<2. 27667
3. 29817
4. 28196
Q. 6 Compute the compound interest on ₹ 8,400 for one and half years at $12 \%$ rate of interest per annum, compounded half yearly.
Ans
X 1. ₹ $3,276.40$
< 2. ₹ $2,948.60$
< 3. ₹ 3401.30
4. ₹ $1,604.50$
Q. 7 Triangles $A B C$ and $P Q R$ are similar to each other. If $\mathrm{m}(\overline{B C})=5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{~m}(\overline{Q R})=12.5 \mathrm{~cm}$, and $\mathrm{m}(\overline{P Q})=$ 6.25 cm , find $\mathrm{m}(\overline{A B})$.

Ans
$\times 1.6 \mathrm{~cm}$
2. 2.5 cm
$\times 3.6 .25 \mathrm{~cm}$
X4. 10 cm
Q. 8 If $x: y=1: 2$, find the value of $(2 x+4 y):(x+4 y)$.

Ans 1.10:9
<2.8:7
$\times 3.5: 4$
$\times 4.9: 8$
Q. 9 The speed of a train is $108 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$. The distance covered by the train in 11 seconds will be:
Ans $\times 1.620 \mathrm{~m}$
$\times 2.540 \mathrm{~m}$
$\times 3.440 \mathrm{~m}$
, 4.330 m
Q. 10 The base of a 12 m -high wooden solid cone has a circumference of 44 m . Find its volume.
(use $\pi \frac{22}{7}$ )
Ans

- $1.616 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
$\times 2.535 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
$\times 3.702 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
$\times 4.456 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
Q. 11 A man takes 16 days to complete a project. A woman does the same work in 12 days. They started the work together on alternate days and the man worked on the first day. How much time will they take to complete the work?
Ans

1. $\frac{58}{4}$ days
2. $\frac{55}{4}$ days
< 3. $\frac{33}{4}$ days
3. $\frac{61}{4}$ days
Q. 12 Find the area of the triangle whose sides are $5 \mathrm{~cm}, 12 \mathrm{~cm}$ and 13 cm .

Ans
V $1.30 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
$\times 2.33 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
X $3.15 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
$\times 4.25 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
Q. 13 The value of $\tan 48^{\circ} \cdot \tan 23^{\circ} \cdot \tan 42^{\circ} \cdot \tan 67^{\circ}$ is

Ans
$\times 1.0^{0}$
$\checkmark 1$

- 3. $\frac{1}{2}$

4. $\sqrt{3}$
Q. 14 Study the given pie-chart and answer the question that follows.

The pie-chart shows the data for A, B, O, AB blood groups of 240 donors.


The ratio of the donors of blood group ' $O$ ' to the average of the donors of groups ' $A$ ' and ' $A B$ ' is:
Ans
$\times 1.1: 3$
2. 1:1

X $3.1: 2$
$\times 4.2: 1$
Q. 15 The table below provides information about the distribution of students from three diffreat schools who are enrolled with three diffrent coaching centres in a town.

| Coaching Centre | Total no. of students whe <br> have enrolled in the <br> coaching centre | Percentage of students <br> who have enrolled in the <br> given coaching centre <br> from difterent schools |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | L | M | N |
| P | 70 | 30 | 22 | 15 |
| Q | 50 | 32 | 24 | 29 |
| R | 300 | 25 | 34 | 18 |

$35 \%$ of the students in Coaching centre R are female. $20 \%$ of the female students enrolled with centre R are school M. What is the number of male students from school. M who lave emolled with Coachiug centre R ?

Ans
$\times 1.78$
$\times 2.90$
$\times 3.80$

- 4.81
Q. 16 Rohan scored 70 and 75 marks in the first two tests. How many marks should he score in the third test to get an average of 70 marks?
Ans
$\times 1.68$
< 2.70
X 3.72 .5

4. 65
Q. 17 Harsh purchased a scooter for ₹ 48,000 . He sold it at a loss of $15 \%$. With that money he purchased another scooter and sold it at a profit of $22.5 \%$. What is his overall loss/profit percentage?
Ans
5. Profit 4.125\%

人 2. Profit 2.25\%
3. Loss 4.125\%
4. Loss $2.25 \%$
Q. 18 The marked price of a toy was ₹ 4,875 . Successive discounts of $28 \%$ and $30 \%$ were offered on it during a clearance sale. What was the selling price of the toy?
Ans

1. ₹2,457
< 2. ₹2,047.50
< $3 . ₹ 2,057.50$
2. ₹2,467
Q. 19 Find the sum of money which when increased by $15 \%$ becomes ₹ 19,320 .

Ans

1. ₹16,800
2. ₹ 16,000
< 3. ₹ 17,000
3. ₹ 17,800
Q. 20 After successive discounts of $25 \%$ and $10 \%$ a shirt was sold for ₹ 480 . What was the original price of the shirt (Nearest to a ₹)?
Ans
X 1. ₹723
X2. ₹ 720
4. ₹711
< 4. ₹708
Q. 21 The mean of three numbers $\frac{\mathrm{a}}{3}, \mathrm{~b}$ and c is the same as the mean of the numbers $\frac{b}{3}, \frac{c}{3}$ and x . The value of 3 x is (where $\mathrm{a}, \mathrm{b}, \mathrm{c}$ are positive numbers):
Ans
$\times 1 . b+c$
5. $a+2 b+2 c$
$\times 3$. a
$\times 4 . a+3 b+3 c$
Q. 22 In a class, the ratio of the number of boys to that of the girls is $11: 9.30 \%$ of the boys and $20 \%$ of the girls passed an exam. Find the percentage of students who passed the exam.
Ans
$\times 1.3 .92 \%$
$\times 2.20 \%$
X $3.24 .5 \%$
6. $25.5 \%$
Q. 23 If the ratio of the volumes of two cones is $11: 16$ and the ratio of the radii of their bases is $3: 4$, then the ratio of their heights will be:
Ans
7. $11: 9$
8. $4: 11$

X $3.3: 16$
<4.9:11
Q. 24 The number 2143251 is divisible by:

Ans
$\times 1.13$
$\times 2.17$
$\times 3.3$

- 4.7
Q. 25

In a school, a survey is taken on sports loving children as given in the following table. Any student who loves one sport is understood to dislike the other sport. What is the difference between the number of boys and the number of girls in the school?

|  | Cricket | Soccer |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Boys | 542 | 438 |
| Girls | 358 | 372 |

Ans
$\times 1.66$
2. 250
$\times 3.125$
<4.84

[^0]Q. 1 Guru Padmaja Reddy was awarded the Padma Shri in 2022 for her contributions to which of the following dance forms?
Ans
$\times 1$. Odissi
X 2. Kathak
X 3. Bharatanatyam
4. Kuchipudi
Q. 2
's 'The Year of the Runaways' follows the lives of three migrant workers who flee India to look for work in England.
Ans
< 1. Neel Mukherjee
2. Sunjeev Sahota
$\times$ 3. Shashi Tharoor
$\chi 4$. Khushwant Singh
Q. 3 Who among the following was popularly known as 'Gurudev' for his expertise in binding together elements of Indian classical music and folk pieces to suit the western tunes entailed with precision along with his expertise in other art domains?
Ans

1. Rabindranath Tagore

X 2. Abanindranath Tagore
X 3. Hemanta Mukherjee
X 4. Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay
Q. 4 As of December 2021, how many sports infrastructure projects of various categories have been sanctioned in the North Eastern Region under the 'Khelo India' scheme?
Ans
$\times 1.45$
$\times 2.57$

- 3.62
$\times 4.69$
Q. 5 Which state has the highest length (in km ) of national highways as per the data of 2017?
Ans $\times 1$. Uttar Pradesh
X 2. Madhya Pradesh
X 3. Karnataka

4. Maharashtra
Q. 6 Identify the INCORRECT pair with respect to the substances and their specific heat capacity $\left(\mathrm{J} \mathrm{kg}^{-1} \mathrm{~K}^{-1}\right)$ at room temperature and atmospheric pressure.
Ans
X 1. Aluminium - 900.0
5. Water- 1200
6. Carbon - 506.5
7. Tungsten - 134.4
Q. 7 demand for money arises mainly due to the uncertainty of future receipts and expenses.
Ans

- 1. Transactions
$\times 2$. Generic
$\times$ 3. Speculative

4. Precautionary
Q. 8 'In The Afternoon of Time: An Autobiography' was written by which of the following Indian poets of the 20th century?
Ans
5. Harivansh Rai Bachchan

X 2. Kuvempu
< 3. Rahat Indori
4. Sahir Ludhiyanvi
Q. 9 The Asian Games 2022 will be organised in which of the following countries?

Ans $\times 1$. Qatar
2. China
3. Japan

X 4. South Korea
Q. 10 What was the theme for the International Day for Older persons 2021?

Ans $\times 1$. Senior Citizens in Virtual Reality
$\times 2$. Intergenerational Learning
X 3. Closing the Generation Gap, Virtually
4. Digital Equity for all Ages
Q. 11 The Eld's deer subspecies, which is classified as endangered in the IUCN Red List, is found only in the:
Ans
$\times 1$. Hemis National Park in Ladakh
X 2. Ranthambore National Park in Rajasthan
3. Keibul Lamjao National Park in Manipur
$\times$
4. Pench National Park in Madhya Pradesh
Q. 12 Which of the following is a group of primitive vertebrates having a large jawless sucking mouth, no limbs or paired fins and a completely cartilaginous skeleton with a persistent notochord?

Ans

1. Cyclostomata
(2. Aschelminthes

X 3. Hemichordata
4. Arthropoda
Q. 13 The South Indian film dance choreographer, K Shivashankar, won which of the following prestigious awards in 2010 for the best choreography in the Telugu film Magadheera?
Ans

1. National Film Award
2. Filmfare Award
3. International Film Academy Award
4. Guild Award
Q. 14 Mohanan Chandrasekaran, an awardee of Madras Music Academy's Sangeetha Kalanidhi, is a $\qquad$ player of Carnatic classical music.
Ans
$\times 1$. Flute
5. Violin
6. Mridangam
7. ghatam
Q. 15 Who among the following dancers is the first transwoman to receive a Padma Shri Award for her contribution to Indian Classical dance?
Ans
8. Narthaki Nataraj
9. Yamini Natrajan

X 3. Savitri Devi
4. Padma Valli
Q. 16 How many members of the Legislative Council are there in the state of Karnataka?

Ans
$\times 1.68$
$\times 2.78$
จ 3.75
X4. 100
Q. 17 The particles of which metal on heating to the boiling point of $357^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ go from liquid state to gas state?
Ans

1. Mercury

X 2. Copper
X 3. Bronze
4. Gallium
Q. 18 Sonal Mansingh is a prominent Indian classical dancer who specialises in $\qquad$ -
Ans $\times 1$. Bharatanatyam and Kuchipudi
2. Bharatanatyam and Odissi
3. Bharatanatyam and Kathak
4. Manipuri and Odissi
Q. 19 Who is the author of the famous Marathi novel 'Mrityunjay'?

Ans $\times 1$. Bhalchandra Nemade
2. Shivaji Sawant
3. Ranjit Desai
4. Vishnu Khandekar
Q. 20 Ustad Zakir Hussain, Ustad Allah Rakha, Ustad Sabir Khan, Pt. Kishan Maharaj are known for which of the following instruments?

Ans
$\times 1$. Mandolin
X 2. Surbahar
X 3. Mohan Veena
4. Tabla
Q. 21 Who is NOT an awardee of the Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award 2021?

Ans
X 1. Manpreet Singh
X 2. Sumit Antil
X 3. Krishna Nagar
4. Mandeep Singh
Q. 22 Ustad Amir Khan belonged to which of the following Gharanas?

Ans
X1. Gwalior
2. Indore

X 3. Maihar
X 4. Bhopal
Q. 23 Lake Baikal, the world's largest freshwater lake (by volume) and the world's deepest lake with a depth of 1620 m ( 5315 ft ), is located in which country?
Ans

1. Russia

X 2. Tanzania
X 3. Canada
X4. Uganda
Q. 24 What do you call the water holding compounds produced in large quantities by marine brown and red algae?

Ans
$\times 1$. Lipids
X 2. Carbohydrates
3. Hydrocolloids
4. Gelatin
Q. 25 Which of the following countries will host the FIFA World Cup in 2026?

Ans
1 1. India and Sri Lanka
2. The USA, Canada, Mexico
$\times$ 3. South Africa
X 4. Brazil


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