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STUDY MATERIAL

Based on the material given below a contest will be held on 29.01.2020(Wednesday).

ENGLISH

1. Comets are luminous celestial bodies moving around the sun. If any comet is sighted, it is believed that it signals the death of a royal figure. It is considered a superstition. The Blind Belief is called _____.
a. false belief b. superstition c. wrong belief d. bad signal
2. 'Putting liquid into the body' is _____.
a. Injencion b. Injection c. Injunction d. Conjunction
3. Find out the right one _____.
a. comparision b. comparson c. comparison d. comparsion
4. There are in all 12 tenses.
5. Which of the following is correctly spelt?
a. Congugation b. Conjugation c. Conjukation d. Conjagation
6. Which of the following is related to future perfect?
a. shall b. will c. will have d. none of these
7. Say true or false:
a. There is no verb without a tense - False
b. There is no tense without a verb - True
c. 'Been' is used in Perfect Tense - False
d. 'Had' is used in a Perfect tense - True
8. 'Identify the orphans' (odd ones) in the following sets.
a. Whole, hole, stole, whale - stole
b. Simple, rich, costly, poor - simple
c. am, have, had, is - had
9. Homophones
Ware - article for sale
Wear - to put on
Knot - tied up rope
Not - to indicate denial
Cease - stop
Seize - to catch hold
Cite - quote
Site - a place
10. We must **raise** our voice against **rise** in **price** of **rice**. (price, rice, rise, raise)
11. Some boys are worried about **their** future, but none of **them** has faith in **his** efforts as one of them stated that people mock at **him**. (them, his, him, their)
12. Snatch: a. **didn't brought** b. didn't cut c. didn't fit
13. Put in the correct preposition.
My friend is good **at** playing volley ball. (at/on/since)
14. Select the correct sentence:
a. People must vote for elections compulsorily
b. People must vote in elections compulsorily
c. People must vote from elections compulsorily
b. People must vote elections compulsorily.
15. Words to use instead of "VERY"
1. Very noisy - Deafening 2. Very often - Frequently
3. Very old - Ancient 4. Very open - Transparent
5. Very perfect - Flawless 6. Very poor - Destitute
7. Very pretty - Beautiful 8. Very quick - Rapid
9. Very Rainy - Pouring 10. Very rich - Wealthy
11. Very serious - Grave 12. Very quite - Hushed

TEST OF REASONING

1. Multimedia - _____ cannot be written from this.
a. Mould b. Medium c. Terminal d. Oriental
2. Find the odd one.
a. Romanie b. Poland c. France d. London
3. Which one of the following is the same as liver, heart and kidney?
a. Lungs b. Blood c. Nose d. Brain
4. Ear: Music : Nose: ?
a. Face b. Smell c. Breathe d. Voice
5. 'Food' is to 'hunger' as 'sleep' is to _____.
a. dream b. weariness c. night d. heath
6. 'Ointment' is for 'burn' as 'consolation' is for _____.
a. grief b. tears c. happiness d. joy
7. 'Museum' is 'related' to 'curator' in the same way as 'prison' is related to _____.
a. manager b. monitor c. warden d. jailor
8. 3, 5, 10, 12, 24, 26, _____? a. 28 b. 30 c. 52 d. 48
9. Select the pair in which the numbers are similiary related in 12:144.
a. 22:64 b. 20:400 c. 15:135 d. 10:140 (Hint: The relationship of x:x²)
10. Find the missing term 21, 25, 33, 49, 81.
a. 145 b. 129 c. 113 d. 97
11. Which pair is different from the rest? a. 2,8 b. 4, 16 c. 5,25 d. 8, 64
12. If '-' means multiplied by, 'x' means plus, '+' means divided by and 1 '-' means minus then. 14 - 10 x4, 16 + 8 is _____. a. 134 b. 142 c. 6 d. -2
13. Which of the following statement is false?
a. There is no largest whole number.
b. There is no whole number between two consecutive whole number.
c. 1 is the smallest whole number
d. Each whole number has its successor.
14. A person saves Rs. 6000 in one year. How much does he save in one month? Ans: Rs. 2000
15. Which of the following is a prime number? a. 57 b. 111 c. 169 d. 193

CURRENT AFFAIRS

1. Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) Gen Bipin Rawat was the head of the newly created Department of Military Affairs (DMA).
2. MANI (Mobile Aided Note Identifier) App was launched by RBI to help visually impaired people to identify denomination of currency notes.
3. Manoj Mukund Naravane was the chief General of Army.
4. Sunil Arora is the Chief Election Commissioner of India.
5. WHO (World Health Oraganisation) has designated 2020 as International Year of Nurse and Midwife.
6. Henrietta Holsman Fore is the Executive Director of UNICEF.
7. The head quarters of Mastercard is located in New York (U.S.A)
8. "Fit youth, Fit India" was the theme of the 23rd edition of the National Youth Festival (NYF) 2020.
9. On January 14, 2020 the Agricultural Scientist Prof M. S Swaminathan was awarded the "Muppavarapu Venkaiah Naidu": National Award.
10. Indian Grand Master Koneru Humpy claimed the 2019 Women's World Rapid Chess Champion Title.
11. The Union Finanace Minister Nirmala Sitharaman will be presenting the Union Budget 2020-21 on February 1, 2020.
12. Football player Mbappe named as the most valuable player at €265 million CIE Football observatory.
13. Fourth Investment proposals worth Rs. 6608 crore approved in Tamil Nadu.
14. Fourth Armed Forces Veteran's Day is observed on Jan 14.

15. A.P Maheshwari appointed as the new Deputy Director General of CRPF.

G.K.

1. Biography of Dr. A.P.J Abdul Kalam is _____.

a. Discovery of India b. Towards freedom c. Eternal Quest d. Glimpses of world history

2. The Auto – biography of Adolf Hitler is _____.

a. Mein Kampf b. The magical moment c. Victory of ever d. German kingdom

3. 'Bill Gates' was born on _____.

a. October 25th 1955 b. November 15th 1955 c. October 28th 1955 d. December 27th 1955

4. Nick name of Sunil Gavaskar is _____.

a. Turbanator b. Flying Fish c. Prince of Mumbai d. Little Master

5. The complete works of William Shakespeare is published by _____.

a. BMC Publishing company b. GKB Publishing Ltd
c. KP. Thompson Publishing Press d. CRW Publishing Ltd

6. The works of Rabindranath Tagore consist of _____ and _____.

a. Production and Direction b. Poems and Novels
c. Mechanical and Direction d. All the above

7. William Wordsworth period is from _____.

a. 7th April 1770 – 23rd April 1850 b. 29th May 1770 – 21st April 1851
c. 31st May 1771 – 30th Oct 1853 d. 8th April 1770 – 23rd April 1850

8. The first person to Row three oceans (Indian Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Pacific Ocean) is

Ans: Erden Eruk.

9. 'Bonsai' is the art of Growing trees.

10. Aadhar is a 12 digit individual identification number issued by the Government.

11. Which of the following actors is best known as "Superman"?

a. James Reeve b. Christopher Reeve c. Arnold Schwarzenegger d. Jackie chan

12. The country with most TV stations Russia.

13. The tulip flowers, famous for their beauty, originally come from Turkey.

14. Cricket bats are made from the barks of Willow tree.

15. Which form of language can be read left to right as well as from right to left? Hieroglyphics

SOCIAL

1. Name the semi closed water body where salt and fresh water meet.

Estuary.

2. Name the underground layer where water is found?

Aquifer.

3. Which of the following is not a desert found on the earth?

Stony desert

4. What do we call the steep under water Valleys?

Trenches

5. Copper was the first metal used by New Stone Age Man.

6. The first animal tamed by primitive man was

Dog.

7. Harappa in Sindhi means 'Buried city'.

8. When was the excavation of Indus Valley Civilization done?

1921

9. Pulakesin – II was the greatest ruler of Early Western

Chalukyas.

10. Who wrote Siddhanta Shiromani, a book on astronomy?

Bhaskaracharya

SCIENCE

1. Ampere is a measure of electrical current.

2. Celsius is a unit of temperature. It was named after Andres Celsius.

3. Fahrenheit is a unit of temperature and named after Daniel Gabriel Fahrenheit.

4. The law of gravitation - Isaac Newton.

5. The law of heredity - Gregor Mendel.

6. The theory of evolution - Charles Darwin.

7. Thermometer : Temperature Barometer : Air pressure

8. What is the medium of infection of hepatitis or jaundice? Water

9. What is the colour of the gas carbon monoxide? Colourless

10. Who is known as the 'father of Genetics'? Gregor Mendel

11. What is bagasse derived from? Sugarcane

12. Where do you find hemoglobin? **Blood**

13. Which is the largest bone in our body? **Thigh bone**

14. Which vitamin is good for bones? **Vitamin D**

15. The most abundant element in the earth's atmosphere is **Nitrogen**.

TAMIL

1. நல்வழி என்ற நூலின் ஆசிரியர் யார்?

அ. ஓளவையார் ஆ. கபிலர் இ. பரணர் ஈ. ஒட்டக்கூத்தர்

2. குறிஞ்சி நிலத்திற்குரிய கடவுள் யார்?

அ. வருணன் ஆ. முருகன் இ. துர்க்கை ஈ. சிவன்

3. "பகுத்தறிவுப் பகலவன்" எனப் போற்றப்படுபவர் யார்?

அ. அறிஞர் அண்ணா ஆ. காமராசர் இ. பெரியார் ஈ. வாலி

4. இருண்ட வீடு என்ற நூலின் ஆசிரியர் யார்?

அ. பாரதியார் ஆ. பாரதிதாசன் இ. கண்ணதாசன் ஈ. சுரதா

5. "ஆ" என்பது கீழ்காண்பவைகளில் எதைக் குறிக்கின்றது?

அ. குதிரை ஆ. பசு இ. சிங்கம் ஈ. மயில்

6. தமிழுக்கு கிடைத்த முதல் இலக்கணம் எது?

அ. அகத்தியம் ஆ. நன்னூல் இ. தொல்காப்பியம் ஈ. யாப்பிலக்கணம்

7. 'யாரும் ஊரே யாவரும் கேளிர்' என்று கூறியவர்?

அ. திரு. வி. க ஆ. கணியன் பூங்குன்றனார் இ. கம்பர் ஈ. பாரதியார்

8. 'புரட்சிக்கவி' என்ற கவிதை நூலின் ஆசிரியர்?

அ. பாரதிதாசன் ஆ. பாரதியார் இ. கண்ணதாசன் ஈ. வாணிதாசன்

9. 'சுரதா' என்று அழைக்கப்படுபவர்?

அ. இராசகோபாலன் ஆ. திரு. வி. க இ. நாமக்கல் கவிஞர் ஈ. ரா. பி. சேதுபிள்ளை

10. கண்ணதாசன் இயற்பெயர்?

அ. இராமையா ஆ. முத்தையா இ. சுப்பையா ஈ. கண்ணையா

11. "விருட்சம்" என்பதன் பொருள்?

அ. பறவை ஆ. விலங்கு இ. தாவரம் ஈ. மரம்

12. "கருவாச்சி காவியம்" என்ற நாவலின் ஆசிரியர்?

அ. வாலி ஆ. வைரமுத்து இ. கண்ணதாசன் ஈ. பாரதியார்

13. 'நீராருங் கடலுடுத்த' பாடலை இயற்றியவர் _____.

அ. மகாவித்துவான் சுந்தரனார் ஆ. மீனாட்சி சுந்தரனார்

இ. மனோன்மணியம் பெ. சுந்தரனார் ஈ. வே. சுந்தரனார்

14. புறநானூற்றைப் பிரிக்கும் முறை _____.

அ. புற + நான்கு + நூறு ஆ. புறம் + நான்கு + நூறு

இ. புறம் + நானூறு ஈ. புற + நானூறு

15. வரைவு என்பது எதனை குறிக்கும் சொல்?

அ. திருமணம் ஆ. நலுங்கு இ. வரவேற்பு ஈ. கச்சேரி