

PART A

1 X 10 = 10 MARKS

Q1. Read the following sentence and then choose the incorrect answer

Both the manager and director (a)/wear present (b)/in the dinner hosted by Mohan.(c)

- (a) The "a" part is incorrect
- (b) The "b" part is incorrect
- (c) The "c" part is incorrect
- (d) No part of the sentence is correct

Q2. Which of the following idioms aptly expresses the idea of two persons disliking each other?

- (a) There's no love lost between the two
- (b) There's an apple of discord the two
- (c) There's bone of contention between the two
- (d) None of these

Q.3 Through thick and thin means

- (a) Under all conditions
- (b) In fair weather
- (c) In adverse circumstances
- (d) at no cost

Q.4. Choose the appropriate word to fill in the blank in the following sentences

How an ordinary man can have an easy - - - - - to the throne?

- (a) access
- (b) accession
- (c) ascent
- (d) access

Q.5. Which of the following can fill in the blank in

"An - - - - - method of controlling indiscipline"?

- (a) effective
- (b) efficient
- (c) efficacious
- (d) none of these

Q.6 Complete the following by choosing the right word:

The use of books examination is - - - - -

- (a) unlawful
- (b) illicit
- (c) illegal
- (d) illegitimate

Q.7 Which of the following pairs is odd one

- (a) Cow, Calf
- (b) Cat, Kitten
- (c) Dog, Bitch
- (d) Mare, foal

Q.8 "To bring to light" means

- (a) to turn on the light
- (b) to disclose
- (c) to expose to light
- (d) none of these

Q.9 "Flesh and blood" means

- (a) a human being
- (b) an animal
- (c) a bird
- (d) human nature

Q.10. Which one of the following expressions will aptly express the meaning "to distinguish oneself"?

- (a) to overreach oneself
- (b) to make one's mark
- (c) to be on top of the world
- (d) none of these

PART B

1 X 15 = 15 MARKS

Q 11. Choose a one word substitute for the following from the choices given:

1. To issue a thunderous verbal attack? –
(a) Languish (b) Animate (c) Fulminate (d) Invigorate
2. One who is honorably discharged from service?
(a) Retired (b) Emeritus (c) Relieved (d) Emancipated
3. Present opposing arguments or evidence?
(a) Criticize (b) Rebuff (c) Reprimand (d) Rebut
4. The policy of extending a country's Empire and influence?
(a) Communism (b) Internationalism (c) Capitalism (d) Imperialism
5. Of outstanding significance?
(a) Monumental (b) Rational (c) Ominous (d) Evident
6. Code of diplomatic etiquette and precedence?
(a) Statesmanship (b) Formalism (c) Hierarchy (d) Protocol
7. A fixed orbit on Earth in relation to Space?
(a) Geological (b) Geo-synchronous (c) Ge-centric (d) Geo-stationary
8. That which cannot be believed?
(a) Incredible (b) Incredulous (c) Implausible (d) Unreliable
9. Murder of a brother?
(a) Fratricide (b) Patricide (c) Regicide (d) Homicide
10. A voice loud enough to be heard?
(a) Laudable (b) Audible (c) Applaudable (d) Oral
11. The part of the government concerned with the making of rules?
(a) Court (b) Tribunal (c) Bar (d) Legislature
12. Something that relates to everyone in the world?
(a) General (b) Common (c) Usual (d) Universal
13. To walk with regular or slow steps is to?
(a) Limp (b) Stride (c) Pace (d) Advance
14. A style full of words?
(a) Verbose (b) Pedantic (c) Rhetorical (d) Abundant

15. A school boy who cuts class frequently is a?
(a) Defeatist (b) Sycophant (c) Truant (d) Martinet.

PART C

1 X 5 = 5 MARKS

Q12 CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANALOGY:

1. Cup: Lip:: Bird : ?
A) Bush B) Grass C) Forest D) Beak
2. Ornithologist : Bird :: Archealogist : ?
A) Islands B) Mediators C) Archealogy D) Aquatic
3. Peacock: India:: Bear : ?
A) Australia B) America C) Russia D) ENGLAND
4. In each of the following questions, five words have been given out of which four are alike in some manner, while the fifth one is different. Choose the word which is different from the rest.
A) Gangtok B) Singhbhum C) Hyderabad D) Chennai E) Bhubaneshwar
5. Choose the word which is different from the rest.
A) Wheat B) Paddy C) Jowar D) Mustard

PART D

2 X 5 = 10 MARKS

1. Who is the author of the book 'Nineteen Eighty Four'?
A) Thomas Hardy B) Emile Zola C) George Orwell D) Walter Scott
2. Who wrote the famous book - 'We the people'?
A) T.N.Kaul B) J.R.D. Tata C) Khushwant Singh D) Nani Palkhivala
3. The lead character in the film 'The Bandit Queen' has been played by
A) Rupa Ganguly B) Seema Biswas C) Pratiba Sinha D) Shabana Azmi
4. The famous character 'Pickwick' was created by
A) Steven Spielberg B) Leo Tolstoy C) Walt Disney D) Charles Dickens
5. What is common between Kutty, Shankar, Laxman and Sudhir Dar?
A) Film Direction B) Drawing Cartoons C) Instrumental Music D) Classical Dance

PART E

1/2 X 10 = 5 MARKS

IDENTIFY THE BRAND LOGOS





















PART F – THEMATIC APPRECIATION

(10 MARKS)

Interpret the pictures by creating a story describing the situation of the persons in the picture in terms of (1) current situation (what is happening at the moment? (2) thoughts and feelings of the characters. (3) preceding events (what led to the event shown in the picture and (d) outcome

Picture 12M : A man with his hand raised is standing above a boy who is lying on a bed with his eyes closed.

