

SNAP 2018 Memory Based Question Paper PDF

SECTION A

ANALYTICAL & LOGICAL REASONING

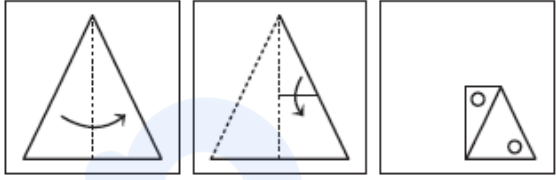
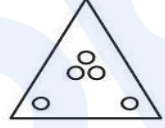
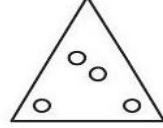
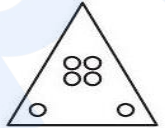
1. Three lamps A, B and C are covered by clothes absorbing water, petrol and oil respectively. Which of the following alternatives best represent the situation.
 - (a) A-off, B-glows and C-off
 - (b) A-off, B-glows and C-glows
 - (c) A-glows, B-glows and C-off
 - (d) All off
2. A direction pole was situated on the crossing. Due to an accident the pole turned in such a manner that the pointer which was showing East, started showing South. One traveler went to wrong direction thinking to be West. In what direction actually he was travelling?
 - (a) East
 - (b) South-West
 - (c) North
 - (d) South
3. There are three cartons, exactly one of which has money. On each box there is a statement, exactly one of which is true.

Box 1 - The money is in this box.

Box 2 - The money is not in this box.

Box 3 - The money is not in Box 1.

Which box has money?

 - (a) Box 1
 - (b) Box 2
 - (c) Box 3
 - (d) Can't be determined
4. In a row of boys facing North, A is 16th from the left and C is 16th from the right end. B, who is 4th to the right of A, is 5th to the left of C in the row. How many boys are there in the row?
5. What will come in place of question mark (?) in the given series?
5, 9, 16, 29, 54, ?
 - (a) 200
 - (b) 103
 - (c) 106
 - (d) 154
6. Sunil is the son of Keshav. Simran, Keshav's sister, has a son Maruti and daughter Sita. Prem is the maternal uncle of Maruti. How is Sunil related to Maruti?
 - (a) Cousin
 - (b) Uncle
 - (c) Brother
 - (d) Nephew
7. Three identical cones with base radius ' r ' are placed on their bases so that each one is touching the other two. The radius of circle whose boundary touches the centre of these cones is
 - (a) smaller than r
 - (b) equal to r
 - (c) greater than r
 - (d) depends on the height of cones.
8. A piece of paper is folded and cut as shown below in the question figures. From the given answer figures, indicate how it will appear when opened?
Question Figures

 - (a) 
 - (b) 
 - (c) 
 - (d) 
9. A total of 32 players participated in a single tennis knockout tournament. What is the total number of matches played in the tournament. No match ends in a tie (knockout means if a player loses, he is out of the tournament)?
10. **Direction:** In the following question, two statements are given below a question. You have to decide whether the data given in the statement is sufficient to answer the question.

Among six people A, B, C, D, E and F each having a different height who is the second tallest?

 - I. Only two people are shorter than D. Only two people are taller than A. E is shorter than C. D is taller than F.
 - II. Only three people are shorter than A. B is shorter than D but not the shortest. C is the tallest amongst them.
 - (a) The data in both Statements I and II together are necessary to answer the question
 - (b) The data in Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question while the data in Statement I alone are not sufficient to answer the question.
 - (c) The data even in both Statements I and II together are not sufficient to answer the question
 - (d) The data either in Statement I alone or Statement II alone are sufficient to answer the question

11. Direction: In the following question, three statements are given below a question. You have to decide whether the data given in the statement is sufficient to answer the question.

Among six people P, Q, R, S, T and V, each lives on a different floor of a six storey building having its six floors numbered one to six (the ground floor is numbered 1, the floor above it, number 2 and so on and the topmost floor is numbered 6). Who lives on the topmost floor?

- I. There is only one floor between the floors on which R and Q live. P lives on an even numbered floor.
 - II. T does not live on an even numbered floor. Q lives on an even numbered floor. Q does not live on the topmost floor.
 - III. S lives on an odd numbered floor. There are two floors between the floors on which S and P live. T lives on a floor immediately above R's floor.
- (a) Statements I and II are sufficient
 - (b) Statements I and III are sufficient
 - (c) Statements II and III are sufficient
 - (d) All the statements are necessary

12. Six lectures are scheduled in a week starting from Monday and ending on Sunday of the same week. Computer Science is not on Tuesday or Saturday. Finance is immediately after Operations. Statistics is not on Friday and there is one day gap between Statistics and Marketing. One day prior to the schedule of Economics there is no lecture (as that day is the off day) and Monday is not the off day. Which lecture is scheduled on Monday.

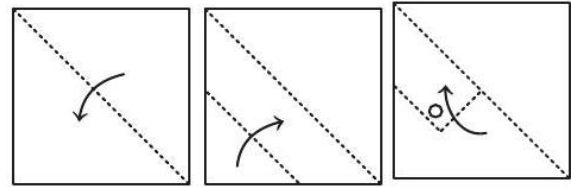
- (a) Operations
- (b) Statistics
- (c) Computer Science
- (d) Marketing

13. Ritika starts from her house and walks 30 km Southwards, then travels 8 km to the right and then 10 km towards the right, then again travels 20 km towards right and then 36 km towards the left. How far is she from her house and in which direction?

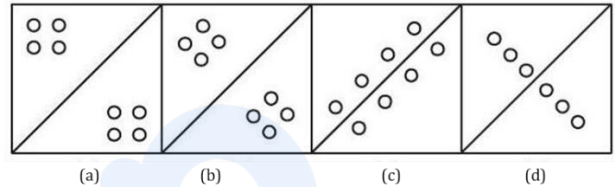
- (a) 20 km, North-East
- (b) 20 km, North
- (c) 20 km, East
- (d) 20 km, South-East

14. A piece of paper is folded and cut as shown below in the question figures. From the given answer figures, indicate how it will appear when opened.

Question Figures



Answer Figures



- (a) (a)
- (b) (b)
- (c) (c)
- (d) (d)

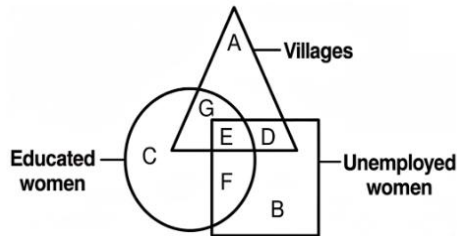
15. Direction: In the following question, three statements are given below a question. You have to decide whether the data given in the statement is sufficient to answer the question.

Point D is in which direction with respect to point B ?

- I. Point A is to the West of point B. Point C is to the North of point B. Point D is to the South of point C.
- II. Point G is to the South of point D. Point G is 4 m from point B. Point D is 9 m from point B.
- III. Point A is to the West of point B. Point B is exactly mid way between points A and E. Point F is to the South of point E. Point D is to the South of point F.

- (a) Only I is sufficient (b) I and II are sufficient
(c) Only III is sufficient (d) All are necessary

16. Direction: Study the diagram given below to answer the question.



Educated unemployed women in villages are represented by which letter?

17. What will come in place of question mark (?) in the following series?

Z, Y, X, V, S, ?

- (a) O (b) N
(c) P (d) M

18. Three pendulums of length 25 cm, 36 cm and 49 cm are displaced from their equilibrium position. Which of them will move slowest?

- (a) with length 25 cm
(b) with length 36 cm
(c) with length 49 cm
(d) All will move with same speed

19. What will come in place of question mark (?) in the given series?

16, ?, 68, 88

- (a) 06 (b) 18
(c) 63 (d) None of these

20. If pig : farrow and lion : cub, then bear : ?

- (a) Kit (b) Squeaker
(c) Shoat (d) Cub

21. What will come in place of question mark?

2	3	-5	2	-10	6
11	5	-12	-2	?	-10

- (a) -70 (b) -106
(c) -15 (d) -90

22. What will come in place of question mark?

5	12	7
3	242	7
9	14	21

23. In a certain code language 'MASTER' is coded as '79 7 115 121 31 109'. How will 'LAUGH' be coded using the same pattern.

- (a) 73 7 68 97 48 (b) 73 7 127 43 49
(c) 125 97 63 4 16 (d) 63 84 69 72 8

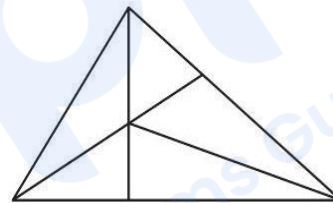
24. The calendar for the year 1996 is same for which year?

- (a) 2024 (b) 2017
(c) 2004 (d) 1998

25. In a certain code language 'January' is written as '10125' and 'June' as '10605'. How will July be written in same language?

- (a) 108735 (b) 101783
(c) 10673 (d) 10725

26. Count the number of triangles in the given figure.



- (a) 10 (b) 12
(c) 16 (d) 18

27. Five girls are sitting on a bench to be photographed. Seema is to the left of Rani and to the right of Bindu. Mary is to the right of Rani. Reeta is between Rani and Mary. Who is second from left in photograph?

28. Who among the following sits on the extreme ends of the row?

- (a) E, Q (b) B, P
(c) D, P (d) D, T

29. Who among the following likes violet colour?

- (a) P (b) R
(c) Q (d) T

30. Who among the following sits second to left of T ?

- (a) S (b) P
(c) R (d) Q

31. Who among the following sit opposite to C ?

- (a) P (b) Q
(c) R (d) S

32. Who among the following likes cream colour?

- (a) A (b) B
(c) C (d) D

33. Who among the following is sitting between A and D ?

- (a) E
- (b) C
- (c) B
- (d) The one who likes pink colour

34. Which of the following colour is liked by ?

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|------------|------------|
| (a) Yellow | (b) White |
| (c) Blue | (d) Violet |

35. Who among the following sits second to the left of P ?

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| (a) Vacant seat | (b) Q |
| (c) S | (d) E |



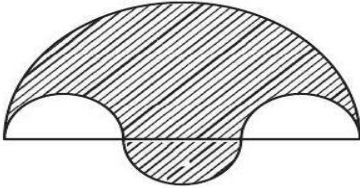
SECTION B

GENERAL AWARENESS

36. Recently who among the following has been appointed as a Chief Technology and Product Officer (CTPO) in chqbook.com?
- (a) Sachin Arora (b) Parag Agrawal
(c) Dr. V Narayanan (d) Vineeth Joshi
37. Nobel Peace Prize of 2018 was presented to
- (a) Paul Romer and William Nordhaus
(b) Denis Mukwege and Nadia Murad
(c) George Smith, Frances Arnold Cregwinter
(d) James Pallison
38. Government of India allowed 100% FDI in which sector?
39. The Statue of Unity, recently inaugurated in State of Gujarat is related with which personality?
- (a) Deen Dyal Upadhyay
(b) Mahatma Gandhi
(c) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
(d) Subhash Chandra Bose
40. Who among the following is former and current CEO and MD of IDBI bank respectively?
- (a) Mahesh Kumar Jain and B Sriram
(b) Rana Kapoor and Arjit Basu
(c) Shika Sharma and Shyamala Gopinath
(d) Amitabh Chaudhary and Chanda Kochhar
41. Under which Provision of RBI Act government can issue direction to the RBI?
- (a) Section 17 (b) Section 7
(c) Section 10 (d) Section 15
42. Recently Assembly Election were held in which state?
- (a) Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Nagaland, Rajasthan and Telangana
(b) Chhattisgarh, Uttar Pradesh, Mizoram, Rajasthan and Andhra Pradesh
(c) Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Meghalaya, Gujarat and Odisha
(d) Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Mizoram, Rajasthan and Telangana
43. Which among the following is first Holographic phone launched recently?
- (a) Red Hydrogen One (b) Blue Hydrogen One
(c) Red Nitrogen One (d) Black Nitrogen One
44. Facebook acquired which of the following video editing company?
- (a) Kyro digital (b) Spark house
- (c) Fayteq (d) Spin creative
45. Who won Champion of Earth award along with the Emmanuel Macron?
46. Name the political party established by Kamal Haasan.
47. Mobile food delivery market place Food Panda is acquired by
- (a) Uber Eats (b) Zomato
(c) Swiggy (d) Ola
48. Biggest Health Sector Scheme launched by the GOI is
- (a) Rastriya Swasth Bima Yojana
(b) Ayushman Bharat
(c) Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Scheme
(d) National Organ Transplant Programme
49. More Aditya Birla Group's food and grocery retail chain will be acquired by
- (a) Flipkart (b) IKEA
(c) Samara and Amazon (d) Snapdeal
50. Currently which company is the largest manufacturer of chip in the world?
- (a) Qualcomm (b) Toshiba
(c) Intel (d) Samsung
51. At present who is Vice-Chairman of University Grants Commission?

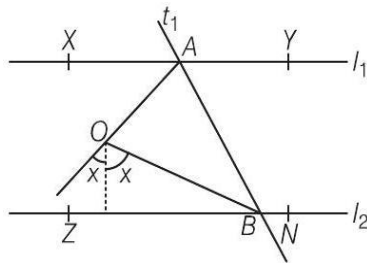
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52. New SUV launched by Tata and Jaguar, Land Rover is
(a) Creta (b) Harrier
(c) Compass (d) XUV500
53. Which Bollywood actor has signed an agreement to become Brand Ambassador of Dish TV DTH Company?
(a) Ranveer Singh
(b) Salman Khan
(c) Ayushman Khurana
(d) Rajkumar Rao
54. Who won the Ramon Magsaysay Award 2018?
55. Who has been appointed as a Chief Economic Advisor of India?
(a) N K Singh
(b) Krishnamurti Subramaniam
(c) Mahesh Kumar Jain
(d) Amitabh Kant
56. Which city of Indonesia Hosted 2018 Asian Games?
(a) Palembang and Makassar
(b) Jakarta and Bondung
(c) Bondung and Makassar
(d) Jakarta and Palembang
57. Krishi Kalyan Abhiyaan was launched by Ministry of Agriculture and farmers welfare in
(a) 4th month of 2018 (b) 7th month of 2018
(c) 6th month of 2018 (d) 12th month of 2018
58. What is India's rank in UN World Happiness Index?
(a) 133 (b) 122
(c) 110 (d) 100
59. How many seats Indian National Congress won in Chhattisgarh Assembly Election?
(a) 58 (b) 61
(c) 65 (d) 68
60. 2018, Nobel Prize for economics was awarded to how many person?
(a) One (b) Three
(c) Two (d) Four

SECTION C
MATHEMATICS

61. The taxi in a city comprise of a fixed charge together with the charge for the distance covered. For a journey of 10 km, the charges paid is ₹150 and for a journey of 15 km, the charge paid is ₹220. What will a person have to pay for travelling a distance of 25 km ?
 (a) ₹400 (b) ₹360
 (c) ₹280 (d) ₹500
62. In the given figure, the boundary of shaded region consists of four semi-circular arcs, three smallest being equal. If the diameter of the largest is 14 cm and that of the smallest is 3.5 cm. Calculate the area of shaded region.
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- (a) $110.25\pi \text{ cm}^2$ (b) $360\pi \text{ cm}^2$
 (c) $26.275\pi \text{ cm}^2$ (d) $22.97\pi \text{ cm}^2$
63. How many six lettered words can be formed starting with M, from the word 'CUSTOM'?
- (a) 110 (b) 64
 (c) 216 (d) 120
64. Output is produced according to $Q = (a - 4L)6$, where 'L' is the quantity of labour input and 'a' is the quantity of capital input. Then, which of the following alternative is correct?
 (a) Output decreases as labour increases
 (b) Output increases as labour increases
 (c) Output decreases as capital increases
 (d) None of the above
65. Sonali and Meenal appear in an interview for two vacancies in the same post. The probability of Sonali's selection is $\frac{1}{7}$ and the probability of Meenal's selection is $\frac{1}{5}$. What is the probability that only one of them is selected?
 (a) $\frac{1}{7}$ (b) $\frac{2}{7}$
 (c) $\frac{3}{4}$ (d) $\frac{4}{5}$
66. A cylinder of diameter $8\sqrt{3}$ units is taken out from a cone of base diameter $16\sqrt{3}$ units and height 30 units. If the height of cylinder is $\frac{2}{3}$ rd of the height of cone, then find the volume of the remaining part of cone.
- (a) $1920\pi \text{ unit}^3$ (b) $1000\pi \text{ unit}^3$
 (c) $960\pi \text{ unit}^3$ (d) $27000\pi \text{ unit}^3$
67. In how many ways can the letters of word "ASTRONAUT" be arranged?
 (a) 362880 (b) 10000
 (c) 90720 (d) None of these
68. In a 4 km race, Anu defeats Banu by 600 m. Banu give Cairra a start of 200 m and then both ends the race at the same time. How much start should Cairra get from Anu to end the race at the same time?
 (a) 800 m (b) 700 m
 (c) 500 m (d) 400 m
69. A can complete a work in 10 days, B can do the same piece of work in 15 days. If they both work together for 4 days, then fraction of work left is
 (a) $\frac{1}{3}$ (b) $\frac{2}{7}$
 (c) $\frac{2}{3}$ (d) $\frac{5}{7}$
70. Simplify the given expression
 $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots = ?$
 (a) $\frac{2^n - 1}{2^{n-1}}$ (b) $\frac{2^{n-1} - 1}{2^{n-2}}$
 (c) $2 - 2^n$ (d) $\frac{2^n - 1}{2^n}$
71. An elevator starts with 5 passengers and stops at 8 different floors of the building. Find out the probability of all the 5 passengers alighting at different floors.
 (a) $\frac{101}{512}$ (b) $\frac{105}{512}$
 (c) $\frac{107}{512}$ (d) $\frac{109}{512}$
72. If 'h', 'c' and 'v' represents height of cone, curved surface area of cone and volume of cone respectively, then the value of $3\pi v h^3$ is
 (a) $c^2 h^2 - 9v^2$ (b) $c^2 v^2 h^2$
 (c) $\pi c^2 h^2 v$ (d) None of these
73. If 20% of $x = y$, then $y\%$ of 20 is equal to
 (a) 20% of x (b) 16% of x
 (c) 10% of x (d) 4% of x
74. If $f(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$, the ratio of x to $f(y)$, where $y = f(x)$ is
 (a) $x : y$
 (b) $x^2 : y^2$
 (c) $1 : 1$
 (d) $(x + 1) : (x - 1)$

75. Find the value of $\log \tan 1^\circ + \log \tan 2^\circ + \dots + \log \tan 89^\circ$.
 (a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ (b) 25
 (c) 0 (d) 1
76. If $\log_{10} 11 = a$, then $\log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{110}\right)$ is equal to
 (a) $a + 1$ (b) $-(a + 1)$
 (c) a (d) $a - 1$
77. The price of corn increases by 20% also the expenditure to bring corn from to marked increases by 5%. By how much per cent should a family decrease its consumption so as to keep their budget same?
 (a) $11\frac{1}{9}\%$ (b) 13%
 (c) $9\frac{1}{9}\%$ (d) 25%
78. The cost of a TV is 150% the cost of a fridge. The cost of fridge is what per cent of the cost of TV and fridge?
 (a) 45% (b) 60%
 (c) 25% (d) 40%
79. 20 students collected ₹10000 each 50% of the amount is invested in riskless government securities while the remaining in equities. The return on riskless government securities is 7.8% per annum. If the gain is equally divided among them, then value of gain per student is
 (a) ₹390 (b) ₹440
 (c) ₹500 (d) ₹780
80. An umbrella is made by stitching 10 triangular pieces of cloth of two different colours, each piece measuring 20 cm, 50 cm and 50 cm. How much cloth of each colour is required for the umbrella?
81. The number of ways that 5 Marathi, 3 English and 3 Tamil books be arranged if the books of each language are to be kept together is
 (a) 5820 (b) 25920
 (c) 29520 (d) 27840
82. The difference between compound interest and simple interest for a certain sum of money for 2 yr is ₹50, the rate of interest being 5% per annum. If the same sum is invested for 3 yr at 5% per annum compound, it will become.
 (a) ₹22475.50 (b) ₹23750
 (c) ₹24000 (d) ₹23152.50
83. Given, 5 different green dyes, 4 different blue dyes and 3 different red dyes, the number of combination of dyes which can be chosen taking at least one green and one blue dye is
 (a) 3600 (b) 3720
 (c) 3800 (d) 3600
84. Sumit has to multiply a certain number by 25, but he multiplied it with 34 and the resultant is 405 more than the original result. Find the answer Sumit arrived at
 (a) 1000 (b) 1125
 (c) 1600 (d) 1530
85. Excluding stoppages, the speed of the bus is 50 km/h and including stoppages, it is 40 km/h. For how many minutes does the bus stop per hour?
86. If taxes are 125% of prices, then average of taxes for given prices is " 35,34,35.5,37, 37.5 and 38 ".
 (a) 36.17 (b) 40.20
 (c) 45.20 (d) 43.17
87. If $R_c = m \ln \left[1 + \frac{R_m}{m}\right]$, then value of R_m is
 (a) $m[e^{R_c/m} - 1]$ (b) 0
 (c) 1 (d) $\frac{R_c}{m} \left[\ln \left(\frac{1}{m}\right)\right]$
88. Simplify, $(a - b)^3 + (b - c)^3 + (c - a)^3$.
 (a) $3(a - b)(b - c)(c - a)$
 (b) $3abc$
 (c) 0
 (d) 1

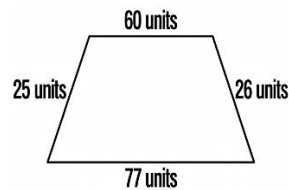
89. Given, $l_1 \parallel l_2$ and $\angle XAB = 140^\circ$ also, OA and OB are angle bisector of $\angle XAB$ and $\angle ZBA$ respectively, then find the value of x .



90. The sides of a rectangular field are in the ratio 2:7, also the perimeter of field is 360 m, then the length and breadth of the field are
- (a) 40,140 m
(b) 140,20 m
(c) 30,210 m
(d) 20,140 m

91. Simplify, $\frac{4^2 \times 2^{n+1} - 4 \times 2^n}{4^2 \times 2^{n+2} - 2 \times 2^{n+2}}$.

92. Find the area of the given figure.



- (a) 1600 unit² (b) 576 unit²
(c) 1507 unit² (d) 1644 unit²
93. If $q = 1$, then $(p + q)^3 - (p - q)^3 - 6q(p^2 - q^2)$ is equal to
- (a) 0 (b) 1
(c) 6 (d) 8
94. What will be the numerical value of MMXVIII
95. 250 boxes of each type of dimensions $25 \times 20 \times 5$ and $15 \times 12 \times 5$ are to be covered with wood. An additional 5% of total surface area is required to cover the box with wood. If the cost of wood is ₹4/m², then total cost is
- (a) ₹ 6640000 (b) ₹ 2084100
(c) ₹ 2184000 (d) ₹ 1247000

SECTION D

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Directions (Q.96-Q.100): Read the following passage and answer the questions that follows.

Since the collective culture of an organisation is an aggregate of what is common to all of its group and individual mindsets, organisation transformation entails changing the minds of hundreds or thousands of people. Consultants Lawson and Price, listed four conditions as essential for changing mindsets, the employees must believe in the overall purpose behind the change, reporting structures, operational processes and measurement procedures must be consistent with the behaviour that people are asked to embrace, employees need to be trained to adopt to new environment and apart from top management, 'role models' at every level also need to embrace the new **dogma**. Considering the difficulties in changing mindset of existing people, most Indian organisations have found it prudent to drop them under Voluntary Retirement Schemes (VRS) and recruit new people with positive attitude to change. But this cannot be a pattern to manage change, one day or other, existing people need to be retrained to manage change. Dwelling further on our reluctance to change, Foster and Kaplan referred to 'Cultural lock-in', the inability to change the corporate culture even in the face of clear market threats. The heart of the problem is the formation of hidden sets of rules or 'mental models', that once formed are extremely difficult to change. 'Mental models' are the core concepts of the corporation, the beliefs and assumption, the cause and effect relationships, the guidelines for interpreting language and signals, the stories repeated within the corporate walls. 'Mental models' are invisible in the corporation, they are neither explicit nor examined but they are pervasive. When well crafted, 'mental models' allow management to anticipate the future and solve problems.

But once constructed, 'mental models' become self-reinforcing, self-sustaining and self-limiting.

96. According to the passage

- A. For an organisation to be successful, it is essential to hire like minded people.
- B. The best way to deal with staff who refuse to change their mindset is by not touting them as role models for the organisation.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) Only A (b) Only B
- (c) Both A and B (d) Neither A nor B

97. On the basis of the passage,

- A. For an organisation to redefine itself, it has to first re-evaluate its employees.
- B. For an employee to become an integral part of an organisation, he has to subscribe to the views and ideology of the organisation.
- C. Top management executives are the sole drivers for reinventing an organisation.
- D. Now-a-days, employees can function without depending on a 'key figure' to emulate.

Which of the statements given above is / are correct?

- (a) Both A and B (b) Both C and D
- (c) Only B (d) Only C

98. Consider the following with regards to resistance to change.

- A. It is difficult for some people to think out of the box.
- B. Some people resist new information and prefer to rely on past practices to conduct business.
- C. Their cultural background predisposes them to shy away from risks.
- D. Radical thinkers are not rewarded in today's corporate culture.
- E. The Voluntary Retirement Scheme is used by some organisations to breathe new life into the organisation.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) A, B and E (b) A, B, C, D and E
- (c) B, C and D (d) C, D and E

99. What can be a suitable title of the passage?

- (a) Essentials of changing mindset
- (b) Changing mindset of employees - A difficult task
- (c) Importance of mental models
- (d) Collective culture of an organization

100. What does the word 'Dogma' means as given in the passage?

- (a) Conviction or belief (b) A law
- (c) Self-confidence (d) Virtues

Directions (Q.101-Q.106): Read the passage given below and answer the question that follow.

The cyber-world is ultimately ungovernable. This is alarming as well as convenient, sometimes, convenient because alarming. Some Indian politicians use this to great advantage. When there is an obvious failure in governance during a crisis they deflect attention from their own incompetence towards the ungovernable.

So, having failed to prevent nervous citizens from fleeing their cities of work by assuring them of proper protection, some national leaders are now busy trying to prove to one another and to panic-prone Indians, that a mischievous neighbour has been using the internet and social networking sites to spread dangerous rumours.

And the centre's automatic reaction is to start blocking these sites and begin elaborate and potentially endless negotiations with Google, Twitter and Facebook about access to information. If this is the official idea of prompt action at a time of crisis among communities, then Indians have more reason to fear their protectors than the nebulous mischief-makers of the cyber-world.

Wasting time gathering proof, blocking vaguely suspicious websites, hurling accusations across the border and worrying about bilateral relation; are ways of keeping busy with inessentials because one does not quite know what to do about the essentials of a difficult situation. Besides, only a fifth of the 245 websites blocked by the Centre mention the people of the North-East or the violence in Assam.

And if a few morphed images and spurious texts can unsettle an entire nation, then there is something deeply wrong with the nation and with how it is being governed. This is what its leaders should be addressing immediately, rather than making a **wrong-headed** display of their powers of censorship.

It is just as absurd and part of the same syndrome, to try to ban Twitter accounts that parody despatches from the Prime Minister's Office. To describe such forms of humour and dissent as 'misrepresenting' the PMO-as if Twitterers would take these parodies for genuine despatches from the PMO-makes the PMO look more ridiculous than its parodists manage to using the cyber world for flexing wrong muscles is essentially not funny. It might even prove to be quite dangerously distracting.

101. According to the passage, the cyber world is

- (a) beyond the imagination of people
- (b) outside the purview of common people
- (c) not to be governed
- (d) ungovernable

102. The author is of the opinion that

- (a) the centre should start negotiations with Google, Twitter and Facebook
- (b) the centre should help the citizens evacuate their city
- (c) the centre should not block the sites
- (d) the centre should arrest the guilty

103. Which of the following is closest to the meaning of 'nebulous'?

- (a) Confused
- (b) Vague
- (c) Iridescent
- (d) Glowing

104. The author's seriousness regarding the situation can best be described in the following sentences. Pick the odd one out.

- (a) Our leaders should display their powers of censorship when needed
- (b) If this is the official idea of prompt action at a time of crisis among communities, then Indians

have more reason to fear their protectors than the nebulous mischief-maker of the cyber-world

- (c) The politicians deflect attention from their own incompetence
- (d) If a few morphed images and spurious texts can unsettle an entire nation, then there is something deeply wrong with the nation

105. Find the antonym of the word-'wrong-headed' from the options given

- (a) Silly
- (b) Sane
- (c) Instable
- (d) Insensible

106. The author warns us against

- (a) not playing false with the citizens
- (b) dangers inherent in the cyber-world
- (c) not using the cyber-world judiciously
- (d) not protecting the citizens from dangerous politicians

107. Choose the synonym of the word 'Inexplicable'.

- (a) Unconnected
- (b) Chaotic
- (c) Unaccountable
- (d) Confusing

108. Choose the synonym of the word, 'Prerogative'.

- (a) Privilege
- (b) Request
- (c) Desire
- (d) Command

109. Directions: Choose the appropriate antonyms of the given words.

Camouflage

- (a) Exhibit (b) Demonstrate
(c) Reveal (d) Parade

110. Directions: Choose the appropriate antonyms of the given words.

Scurrilous

- (a) Decent (b) Relevant
(c) Accurate (d) Useful

111. Directions: In the given questions, choose the odd word out of the given options.

- (a) Bicker (b) Quarrel
(c) Wrangle (d) Inveigle

112. Directions: In the given questions, choose the odd word out of the given options.

- (a) Counsel (b) Direct
(c) Suggest (d) Advise

113. Directions: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in brackets.

While she (stroll) in the garden, she came across her old friend.

114. Directions: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in brackets.

I wish I (study) sincerely to clear the exam.

115. Direction: Improve the sentence by using appropriate grammatical structure.

Unless efforts are made and the population growth had stabilised, environmentalists predict a world wide starvation by 2020 AD.

- (a) Efforts are made and the population growth is stabilised
(b) Efforts are made and the population growth stabilises
(c) Efforts is made and the population growth stabilises
(d) Efforts are made and the population growth has stabilized

116. Direction: Find the correct match of the grammatical function with the usage of the word round.

- (i) The Earth is **round**.
(ii) Will you come **round** to our house this evening.
(iii) The child's eye **rounded** with excitement.

(iv) Indians won the first **round** of the Tennis cup.

- (a) Preposition, Verb, Noun, Adjective
(b) Adjective, Preposition, Verb, Noun
(c) Noun, Adjective, Verb, Preposition
(d) Verb, Noun, Adjective, Preposition

117. Rearrange the following sentence fragment (P, Q, R and S) to make meaningful sentences.

India has been a land than the warrior or the administrator.

(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 through the ages.

- (a) PQSR (b) RQSP
(c) RSQP (d) SQRP

118. India has a vibrant space science programme The growth of space industry in India.

(P) the Indian space science programme has been working.

(Q) formulating an industrial participation policy towards

(R) covering astronomy, astrophysics, and space science

(S) with cooperative Indian industries and has been

- (a) SQPR (b) PQRS
(c) QPRS (d) RPSQ

119. Directions: Choose the correct sentence in Indirect speech of the sentence in Direct speech.

He said, "Garima wants to take up a job."

- (a) He said that Garima wants to take up a job.
- (b) He told that Garima wanted to take up a job.
- (c) He said that Garima wanted to take up a job.
- (d) He said that Garima has wanted to take up a job.

120. Directions: Choose the correct sentence in Indirect speech of the sentence in Direct speech.

He said, "Be quiet and listen to my words."

- (a) He urged them to be quiet and listen to his words.
- (b) He said they should be quiet and listen to his words.
- (c) He requested them to be quiet and listen to my words.
- (d) He urged them and said be quiet and listen to words.

121. Directions: Identify the meaning of the given idiom from the given options.

To cut the crackle

- (a) to humiliate
- (b) to annoy someone
- (c) to act in a friendly way
- (d) to stop talking nonsense

122. Directions: Identify the meaning of the given idiom from the given options.

A Jaundiced Eye

- (a) jealousy
- (b) a generous view
- (c) angry
- (d) prejudiced view

123. Directions: Fill in the blanks with appropriate part of speech -

You must comply the rules laid down by the committee.

- (a) at
- (b) in
- (c) with
- (d) for

124. Directions: Fill in the blanks with appropriate part of speech -

Walk carefully you should fall.

- (a) besides
- (b) nevertheless
- (c) should
- (d) lest

125. Directions: Write one word for the given sentence.
A person who constantly thinks he is sick is a

126. Directions: Write one word for the given sentence.

An orator's speech which is high flown and pretentious is called

127. What will be the plural of Blitz.

- (a) Blitxen
- (b) Blitzs
- (c) Blilzes
- (d) Blitze

128. Direction: Identify the correct Proverb.

- (a) A rolling stone collects no moss
- (b) A rolling stone gathers no moisture
- (c) A rolling stone gathers no moss
- (d) A rolling stone creates no moss

129. Choose the correct past participle of verb forego.

- (a) forego
- (b) foregone
- (c) forgo
- (d) forewent

130. Rearrange the following words to make a meaningful sentence.

is (1)/ a (2)/ tribute (3)/ children's (4)/ day (5)/ to (6)/ childhood (7)/ celebration (8).