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**Q.1** In 2025, which state launched the 'Yashoda Yojana' in Koraput to provide care and protection for parentless, single-parented or neglected children and link them to educational benefits?

Ans A). Andhra Pradesh                      B). Jharkhand                      C). Odisha                      D). Chhattisgarh

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.2** What was India's overall unemployment rate for people aged 15 and above in August 2025, according to the Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS)?

Ans A). 5.6%                      B). 5.1%                      C). 4.8%                      D). 6.2%

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.3** In the context of the three major phases of disaster management, which of the following actions is mismatched with the phase named?

Ans A). Pre-disaster: rehabilitation and recovery of victims  
B). Post-disaster: capacity-building for future resilience and strengthening coping mechanisms  
C). During disaster: evacuation of people, setting up shelters and relief camps  
D). Pre-disaster: preparing vulnerability zoning maps and spreading public awareness

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.4** The National Makhana Board, announced in the Union Budget 2025-26, was officially launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in September 2025 at which of the following places?

Ans A). Bharuch                      B). Dhanbad                      C). Purnea                      D). Kanpur

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.5** The Mudumal Megalithic Menhirs, which have been added to the tentative list of UNESCO World Heritage Sites from India in 2025, are located in \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans A). Kerala                      B). Tamil Nadu                      C). Telangana                      D). Karnataka

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.6** Which state's government launched India's first ride monitoring service, T-Safe, by police, for women, on 12 March 2024?

Ans A). Tripura                      B). Andhra Pradesh                      C). Tamil Nadu                      D). Telangana

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.7** Who among the following was awarded the Verchol Dalit Literary Award for the year 2025?

Ans A). P Sivakami                      B). Toral Jatin Gajarawala                      C). Yogesh Maitreya                      D). Yashica Dutt

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.8** Which of the following is a religious dance festival of Meghalaya?

Ans A). Saga Dawa                      B). Moatsu Mong                      C). Kang Chingba                      D). Nongkrem

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.9 Who among the following secured a gold medal for India in the Paris Paralympic Games, 2024?**

- Ans A). Navdeep Singh      B). Mona Agarwal      C). Nishad Kumar      D). Preethi Pal

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.10 What did the Supreme Court order a father to pay in respect of a divorced wife for their daughter's marriage expenses in a September 2025 judgment?**

- Ans A). ₹12.5 lakh      B). ₹10 lakh      C). ₹5 lakh      D). ₹7.5 lakh

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.11 The Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Act, 2025, regulates which sector?**

- Ans A). Offline card games      B). Free-to-play mobile games only      C). Fantasy sports only      D). Real-money online games and esports

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.12 Which of the following is NOT in India's 'Very High Damage Risk Zone' for earthquakes?**

- Ans A). Dharamshala (Himachal Pradesh)      B). Kashmir Valley (Jammu & Kashmir)      C). Kachchh (Gujarat)      D). Latur (Maharashtra)

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.13 Kamalini Dutt, who passed away in April 2025, was noted for her contributions to which of the following?**

- Ans A). Bharatnatyam      B). Baul music      C). Traditional sculpture      D). Shadow puppetry

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.14 \_\_\_\_\_ is a rich source of iodine.**

- Ans A). Puffed rice      B). Refined sugar      C). Wheat      D). Seafood

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.15 The foundation stone of the country's first Pradhan Mantri Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel (PM MITRA) Park was laid in which district, in September 2025?**

- Ans A). Seoni      B). Dhar      C). Datia      D). Betul

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.16 In 2025, India tested its most advanced missile, the ET-LDHCM (developed under DRDO's secretive Project Vishnu), which can \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Ans A). fly at Mach 8 and hit targets 1500 km away      B). fly at Mach 2 speed with a three-hundred-kilometre range capability  
C). fly at Subsonic cruise with one-thousand-kilometre range capability      D). fly at Mach twelve speed with five-thousand-kilometre reach

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.17 The compass needle behaves as a tiny \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Ans A). resistor      B). magnet      C). conductor      D). insulator

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.18 What key reform did the Waqf (Amendment) Act, 2025, introduce?**

- Ans A). Mandated women's representation      B). Abolished waqf tribunals      C). Transferred all Waqf properties to district magistrates  
D). Allowed non-Muslims to create waqf

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.19 At the 64<sup>th</sup> National Inter-State Senior Athletics Championships held in August 2025, which athlete broke the men's 400 m national record?**

- Ans A). Animesh Kujur      B). Rajesh Ramesh      C). Vishal Thennarasu Kayalvizhi      D). Muhammed Anas Yahiya

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.20 The Tarpa dance is performed by which tribal community in Maharashtra?**

- Ans A). Bhil      B). Santhal      C). Gond      D). Warli

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.1 Karan and Arjun started a business together. Karan invests ₹74,000 more than Arjun for 6 months, while Arjun invests for 7 months. Out of a total profit of ₹4,698, Karan's share exceeds Arjun's by ₹1,566. Find the amount invested by Karan.**

- Ans A). ₹1,29,500      B). ₹1,29,670      C). ₹1,29,593      D). ₹1,29,329

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.2 The profit made on a product is 38%. What is the loss percentage (rounded off to two decimal places) incurred on the sale if the figures of both cost price and selling price are interchanged?**

- Ans A). 30.17%      B). 26.67%      C). 30.44%      D). 27.54%

**Correct Answer: D**

<p><b>Q.3</b> The radius of a spherical gas balloon increases from 14 cm to 21 cm as air is being pumped into it. Find the ratio of surface areas of the balloon in the two cases.</p>	<p>Ans A). 4 : 9</p>	<p>B). 1 : 3</p>	<p>C). 4 : 3</p>	<p>D). 2 : 3</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: A</b></p>
<p><b>Q.4</b> A can finish a task in 12 days, and B can finish the same task in 16 days. They work on alternate days starting with A, however, on every fifth day, C steps in and works for that day alone and so on. C can finish the task in 18 days. How many total days will it take to complete the task?</p>	<p>Ans A). <math>14\frac{2}{5}</math> days</p>	<p>B). <math>14\frac{1}{5}</math> days</p>	<p>C). <math>14\frac{3}{4}</math> days</p>	<p>D). <math>14\frac{1}{4}</math> days</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: D</b></p>
<p><b>Q.5</b> The average marks in English scored by the students of a class in an exam were 46. If 4 of these students who actually scored 15, 13, 9 and 11 are not counted, the average marks for the class in the exam would have been 54. Find the number of students in the class.</p>	<p>Ans A). 27</p>	<p>B). 21</p>	<p>C). 17</p>	<p>D). 24</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: B</b></p>
<p><b>Q.6</b> A and B complete a work in 6 days. If A alone can do it in 7 days, then B alone can do <math>\frac{1}{3}</math> of the same work in ____ (days).</p>	<p>Ans A). 42</p>	<p>B). 14</p>	<p>C). 28</p>	<p>D). 56</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: B</b></p>
<p><b>Q.7</b> The original price of a music set is ₹8,700. The price is discounted by 10% and then raised by 10%. What is its new price (in ₹)?</p>	<p>Ans A). 8,613</p>	<p>B). 7,913</p>	<p>C). 8,113</p>	<p>D). 9,113</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: A</b></p>
<p><b>Q.8</b> A driver covers the first part of a journey at 80 km/hr for 2 hours and the second part at 60 km/hr for 1.5 hours, and the third part is covered in 1 hour by a reduced speed. If the average speed for this journey is 66 km/hr, what is the speed of the driver for the third part of the journey?</p>	<p>Ans A). 41 km/hr</p>	<p>B). 47 km/hr</p>	<p>C). 43 km/hr</p>	<p>D). 45 km/hr</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: B</b></p>
<p><b>Q.9</b> A skill development institute offers three courses: Alpha, Beta and Gamma. In the previous month, the number of enrollments were as follows: Alpha: 9,000 students Beta: 11,000 students Gamma: 7,000 students In the current month, the enrollments in Alpha increased by 25%, enrollments in Beta decreased by 10% and enrollments in Gamma increased by 30%. The institute earns ₹50 per Alpha enrollment, ₹65 per Beta enrollment and ₹80 per Gamma enrollment. However, the institute introduced a 7% promotional discount on Gamma course fee in the current month. By what percentage has the company's total earnings increased compared to the previous month? (Round off the answer to two decimal places.)</p>	<p>Ans A). 11.21%</p>	<p>B). 8.15%</p>	<p>C). 9.16%</p>	<p>D). 10.03%</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: C</b></p>
<p><b>Q.10</b> The marked price of a laptop is ₹70,000. A dealer provides a festive discount of 12%, followed by a loyalty discount of 5%, and 3% discount as a weekend offer. What is the final price to a loyal customer if he purchases the laptop during a weekend in festive season?</p>	<p>Ans A). ₹59,595.8</p>	<p>B). ₹56,764.4</p>	<p>C). ₹55,370.5</p>	<p>D). ₹51,904.7</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: B</b></p>
<p><b>Q.11</b> The circumference of the base of a solid right circular cylinder is 132 cm and its height is 70 cm. What is the volume (in <math>\text{cm}^3</math>) of the cylinder?</p> <p>(Take <math>\pi = \frac{22}{7}</math>)</p>	<p>Ans A). 96,109</p>	<p>B). 96,440</p>	<p>C). 96,704</p>	<p>D). 97,020</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: D</b></p>
<p><b>Q.12</b> A man sold an article for ₹462 after giving two successive discounts on its marked price of ₹1,320. The first discount was d% of the marked price and the second discount was equal in rupees to the first discount amount. Find the value of d.</p>	<p>Ans A). 30.3</p>	<p>B). 37.2</p>	<p>C). 32.5</p>	<p>D). 29.3</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: C</b></p>
<p><b>Q.13</b> In a 600-metre race, a person A gives another person B a head start of 5 seconds and 50 metres. If A runs at 6 m/s and B at 5 m/s, who wins and by how many metres?</p>	<p>Ans A). A wins by 34 metres</p>	<p>B). B wins by 28 metres</p>	<p>C). B wins by 20 metres</p>	<p>D). A wins by 25 metres</p> <p><b>Correct Answer: D</b></p>

**Q.14** Due to water crisis, 38% of the initial population left the town, and 50% of the remaining population left the town for pursuing jobs. If presently 4450 people inhabit the town, what is the ratio of initial population to present population?

- Ans A). 107 : 87                      B). 103 : 85                      C). 100 : 31                      D). 106 : 83

Correct Answer: C

**Q.15** Simplify:  $\sqrt{3 + \sqrt{26 + \sqrt{93 + \sqrt{47 + \sqrt{4}}}}}$

- Ans A). 1                      B). 7                      C). 9                      D). 3

Correct Answer: D

**Q.16** Suresh and Kamal started a business together. Suresh invested ₹12,000 for 9 months, and Kamal invested ₹9,000 for the entire year. If the total profit at the end of the year was ₹8,400, what was Kamal's share in the profit?

- Ans A). ₹2,800                      B). ₹4,200                      C). ₹4,800                      D). ₹3,600

Correct Answer: B

**Q.17** If the volume of a cube is  $15,625 \text{ m}^3$ , then find the lateral surface area of the cube in  $\text{m}^2$ .

- Ans A). 2493                      B). 2503                      C). 2500                      D). 3750

Correct Answer: C

**Q.18** Two positive numbers differ by 2639. When the greater number is divided by the smaller number, the quotient is 2 and the remainder is 130. What is the HCF of the greater of the two given numbers and 4745?

- Ans A). 14                      B). 11                      C). 13                      D). 12

Correct Answer: C

**Q.19** A solid metal sphere of radius 10 cm is melted and recast into hollow spherical shells with outer radius 3 cm and inner radius 2 cm. How many such complete shells can be formed if 15% of the metal is wasted during recasting?

- Ans A). 42                      B). 46                      C). 45                      D). 44

Correct Answer: D

**Q.20** In what ratio must a grocer mix two varieties of rice costing ₹297 and ₹167 per kg, respectively, to get a mixture of rice worth ₹256 per kg?

- Ans A). 43 : 90                      B). 89 : 41                      C). 51 : 94                      D). 39 : 178

Correct Answer: B

**Q.1** Seven boxes, C, D, E, M, N, O and U, are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order. Only one box is kept above O. Only U is kept between O and D. Only N is kept below E. M is kept at one of the positions above C. How many boxes are kept between M and C?

- Ans A). Two                      B). Four                      C). Three                      D). One

Correct Answer: C

**Q.2** What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

52 64 79 97 118 ?

- Ans A). 145                      B). 12                      C). 150                      D). 142

Correct Answer: D

**Q.3** What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series?

187 175 160 141 117 ?

- Ans A). 85                      B). 92                      C). 87                      D). 89

Correct Answer: C

**Q.4** Each of the digits in the number 6482357 is arranged in descending order from left to right. What will be the sum of the digits which are fifth from the left and fourth from the right in the new number thus formed?

- Ans A). 11                      B). 12                      C). 9                      D). 10

Correct Answer: C

**Q.5** If + means -, - means ×, × means ÷ and ÷ means +, then what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

$64 + 18 \times 6 \div 5 - 3 = ?$

- Ans A). 85                      B). 80                      C). 70                      D). 76

Correct Answer: D



**Q.14** A, B, C, D, E, F and G are sitting around a circular table facing the centre. C sits third to the left of A. G sits second to the left of D. Only A sits between E and G. B is not an immediate neighbour of C. How many people sit between A and C when counted from the left of C?

Ans A). 3                                      B). 2                                      C). 4                                      D). 1

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.15** Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-cluster pairs are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which is the letter-cluster pair that DOES NOT belong to that group?

(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)

Ans A). NK-FG                                      B). IF-AW                                      C). UR-MI                                      D). BY-TP

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.16** Refer to the following letter and symbol series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) R L Z T @ \$ O D U % W N # \* K X V £ Y A & Q P S (Right)

How many such letters are there that are immediately preceded by a symbol and also immediately followed by another letter?

Ans A). Four                                      B). Five                                      C). Six                                      D). Three

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.17** In a certain code language, 'LOVE' is coded as '2795' and 'VOTE' is coded as '7258'. What is the code for 'T' in the given code language?

Ans A). 8                                      B). 5                                      C). 7                                      D). 2

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.18** Refer to the following letter and symbol series and answer the question that follows. Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) E A # / @ Q # M D N C \$ O G ^ # # Y F Q W (Right)

How many such letters are there, each of which is immediately preceded by a symbol and also immediately followed by a symbol?

Ans A). Two                                      B). Three                                      C). Four                                      D). One

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.19** Six people, A, B, C, S, T and U, are sitting in a row facing north. Only two people sit to the right of A. Only two people sit between C and A. Only two people sit between S and B. S sits to the immediate right of C. U sits to the immediate right of B. How many people sit between T and U?

Ans A). Three                                      B). Two                                      C). One                                      D). Four

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.20** In a certain code language,

A + B means 'A is the mother of B',  
A - B means 'A is the brother of B',  
A x B means 'A is the wife of B',  
A % B means 'A is the father of B' and  
A # B means 'A is the daughter of B'.

How is K related to Y if 'Y % E x L % P - K x G'?

Ans A). Son's daughter                                      B). Brother's daughter                                      C). Daughter's daughter                                      D). Wife's mother

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.1** Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

(P) One way to do this is by using public transportation instead of private cars.  
(Q) Additionally, adopting renewable energy sources can significantly cut down on pollution.  
(R) Many people around the world are now focused on reducing their carbon footprints.  
(S) This shift not only helps the environment but also contributes to reducing traffic congestion.

Ans A). RQPS                                      B). RPSQ                                      C). RSQP                                      D). RPQS

**Correct Answer: B**



**Q.12** Select the most appropriate punctuation mark to fill in the blank.

Ram's sister \_\_\_\_\_ Sohini, met us the other day.

- Ans A). No punctuation mark      B). Comma (,)      C). Hyphen (-)      D). Ellipsis (. . .)

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.13** Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the correct order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.

- A. Well-acquainted with the philosophical literature of his day and of antiquity, he left behind a rich philosophical legacy in his declarations, presidential messages and addresses, public papers, numerous bills, letters to philosophically minded correspondents (Adams especially), and his only book, Notes on the State of Virginia.  
 B. Scholars in general have not taken seriously Thomas Jefferson (1743–1826) as a philosopher, perhaps because he never wrote a formal philosophical treatise.  
 C. Scrutiny of those writings reveals a refined political philosophy as well as a systemic approach to a philosophy of education in partnership with it.  
 D. Yet Jefferson was a prodigious writer, and his writings were suffused with philosophical content.

- Ans A). DBAC      B). ACDB      C). CADB      D). BDAC

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.14** Select the most appropriate meaning of the given proverb.

Even a worm will turn.

- Ans A). Even the strongest person will agree if praised too much.      B). Even the laziest person will work if rewarded with sweet gifts.  
 C). Even the most patient person will resist if pushed too far.      D). Even the happiest person will cry if treated too kindly.

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.15** Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

The coach said, “\_\_\_\_\_ Don't waste time.”

- Ans A). Hurry up, boys!      B). Hurry up boys      C). Hurry up, boys.      D). Hurry up boys.

**Correct Answer: A**

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

In the digital economy, data has emerged as a valuable 1. \_\_\_\_\_, often compared to oil in terms of its strategic importance. Companies that can effectively collect and 2. \_\_\_\_\_ data gain a competitive advantage. However, the ethical handling of information remains a contentious issue, especially when personal privacy is 3. \_\_\_\_\_ in the name of profit. Governments worldwide are now working to 4. \_\_\_\_\_ regulatory frameworks that ensure transparency and 5. \_\_\_\_\_ trust.

**SubQuestion No : 16**

**Q.16** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

- Ans A). fuel      B). burden      C). currency      D). liability

**Correct Answer: C**

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**SubQuestion No : 17**

**Q.17** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

- Ans A). ignore      B). interpret      C). manufacture      D). restrict

**Correct Answer: B**

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**SubQuestion No : 18**

**Q.18** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

- Ans A). disregarded      B). compromised      C). concealed      D). withheld

**Correct Answer: B**

**Comprehension:**

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**SubQuestion No : 19**

**Q.19** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

Ans A). establish                      B). confront                      C). abolish                      D). dismantle

**Correct Answer: A**

**Comprehension:**

In the following passage, some words have been deleted. Read the passage carefully and select the most appropriate option to fill in each blank. Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

In the digital economy, data has emerged as a valuable 1.\_\_\_\_\_, often compared to oil in terms of its strategic importance. Companies that can effectively collect and 2.\_\_\_\_\_ data gain a competitive advantage. However, the ethical handling of information remains a contentious issue, especially when personal privacy is 3.\_\_\_\_\_ in the name of profit. Governments worldwide are now working to 4.\_\_\_\_\_ regulatory frameworks that ensure transparency and 5.\_\_\_\_\_ trust.

**SubQuestion No : 20**

**Q.20** Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

Ans A). foster                      B). disregard                      C). rebuild                      D). debate

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.1** Which event marked the first major use of Swadeshi and Boycott as political tools?

Ans A). Rowlatt Act protests                      B). Partition of Bengal                      C). Surat split                      D). Jallianwala Bagh massacre

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.2** Which Constitutional Amendment Act added the 11<sup>th</sup> Fundamental Duty?

Ans A). 101<sup>st</sup> Amendment Act, 2016                      B). 44<sup>th</sup> Amendment Act, 1978                      C). 42<sup>nd</sup> Amendment Act, 1976                      D). 86<sup>th</sup> Amendment Act, 2002

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.3** Which city was the capital of British India before it was shifted to Delhi in 1911?

Ans A). Bombay (now Mumbai)                      B). Lahore                      C). Calcutta (now Kolkata)                      D). Poona (now Pune)

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.4** Which of the following rivers is NOT one of the three major rivers responsible for forming the Great Indian Plains?

Ans A). Ganga                      B). Indus                      C). Narmada                      D). Brahmaputra

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.5** Which among the following Central Public Sector Enterprises is NOT a Maharatna?

Ans A). Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited                      B). Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited                      C). Hindustan Aeronautics Limited  
D). Indian Oil Corporation Limited

**Correct Answer: B**

**Q.6** Under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA), how many days of wage employment is guaranteed to each rural household in a financial year, as of March 2025?

Ans A). 80 days                      B). 150 days                      C). 100 days                      D). 120 days

**Correct Answer: C**

**Q.7** On which committee's recommendation was the Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) in India established?

Ans A). Sarkaria Commission                      B). Balwant Rai Mehta Committee                      C). Punchhi Commission                      D). Santhanam Committee

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.8** The founder of the Mughal Empire in India was:

Ans A). Shah Jahan                      B). Akbar                      C). Humayun                      D). Babur

**Correct Answer: D**

**Q.9** Which of the following is the primary economic activity supporting rural settlements in India?

Ans A). Agriculture                      B). Manufacturing                      C). Trade                      D). Services

**Correct Answer: A**

**Q.10 Which Article of the Constitution of India guarantees the Right to Equality in India?**

Ans A). Article 19                      B). Article 14                      C). Article 21                      D). Article 12

**Q.11 Which statement best describes the Montane forest vegetation above 3,600 metres in India?**

Ans A). Tundra mosses and lichens dominate                      B). Dense teak and sal grow tall                      C). Tropical creepers cover slopes  
D). Deciduous trees thrive in clusters

Correct Answer: A

**Q.12 Which Article of the Indian Constitution states that 'there shall be a Council of Ministers to aid and advise the President'?**

Ans A). Article 78                      B). Article 72                      C). Article 76                      D). Article 74

Correct Answer: D

**Q.13 In which year was the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act (FRBM) enacted to ensure fiscal discipline in India?**

Ans A). 2003                      B). 1991                      C). 1996                      D). 2007

Correct Answer: A

**Q.14 Which inhabited island lies farthest south in the Lakshadweep archipelago?**

Ans A). Minicoy                      B). Agatti                      C). Kavaratti                      D). Andrott

Correct Answer: A

**Q.15 Which of the following was the chief collector of revenue in the Mauryan administration?**

Ans A). Amatya                      B). Samaharta                      C). Sannidhata                      D). Dhamma Mahamatta

Correct Answer: B

**Q.16 Which Article of the Indian Constitution guarantees the Right to Life and Personal Liberty to Indian citizens?**

Ans A). Article 32                      B). Article 19                      C). Article 21                      D). Article 14

Correct Answer: C

**Q.17 Which among the following Industrial Policy Resolutions formed the basis of the Second Five Year Plan?**

Ans A). Industrial Policy Resolution of 1948                      B). Industrial Policy Resolution of 1952                      C). Industrial Policy Resolution of 1956  
D). Industrial Policy Resolution of 1954

Correct Answer: C

**Q.18 Which statement best explains the economic critique of colonialism by early nationalists?**

Ans A). They promoted armed resistance against the British.                      B). They highlighted how British rule drained India's wealth.  
C). They rejected Western education completely.                      D). They demanded immediate Swaraj.

Correct Answer: B

**Q.19 Which of the following statements best explains how burning fossil fuels affects the global climate?**

Ans A). Releases water vapour that cools Earth                      B). Produces dust, blocking all sunlight                      C). Quickly reduces natural carbon cycles  
D). Adds greenhouse gases, trapping more heat

Correct Answer: D

**Q.20 Which among the following industries is related to the Sircilla Tragedy?**

Ans A). Jute manufacturing industry                      B). Powerloom textile industry                      C). Handloom weaving industry                      D). Small-scale garment industry

Correct Answer: B