Industrial Relations & Personnel Management

TEST OF PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH

I. Synonym Test

*In each of the following questions (1 to 5), one word (given in capital letters) is followed by four alternative words. Choose the word that has most nearly the **same meaning** as the word in capitals.*

1. ABASE

   A. Humble   B. Estimate   C. Elope   D. Dislike

2. ACCEDE:

   A. compromise   B. Consent   C. Correct   D. Modify

3. DWINDLE:

     A. combine   B. spin   C. abscond   D. lessen

4. EMBROIL:

   A. cherish   B. praise   C. entangle   D. assure

5. INSIPID:

   A. lucid   B. bland   C. witty   D. talkative

II. Antonym Test

In each of the following five questions (6 to 10), one word (given in capital letters) is followed by four alternative words. Choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the word in capitals.

6. ADULATION:

   A. purity   B. brightness   **C**. criticism   D. opposition

7. AMBLE

   A. steal   B. stride   C. browse   D. repel

8 BENIGN

   A. malignant   B. blessed   C. tangible   D. peaceful

9. CARPING

   A. illegal   B. rapid   C. funny   D. uncritical

10. DEBACLE

   A. refusal   B. progress   C. vertical   D. untidy

III. Idioms and Phrases

In each of the following five questions (11-15 an idiom/phrase (given in italic letters) is followed by four alternative meanings. Choose the alternative that has most nearly the same meaning as the idiom/phrase.

11. At daggers drawn

A. real cause   B. to be puzzled   C. at enmity   D. at friendship

12. *Chewing the cud*

A. accusing other on   B. crying over spilt milk   C. forgetting things   D. to muse

13. *Turn out crabs*

A. end in failure   B. to be successful   C. to bring up crabs   D. to be victorious

14. *to bury the hatchet.*

A. to keep a secret wealth   B. to make peace   C. to fool someone   D. to bury the

15. *a snake in the grass*

A. cowardly and brutal   B. an unreliable and deceitful person

C. a hidden enemy   D. low and mean

IV. FILL IN THE BANKS

In the following questions (16 to 20), out of the four alternatives choose the word/phrase for the blank space that best fits the meaning of the sentence as a whole.

16. The recently opened training centre will create new elite _____ of professionals.

   A. cadet   B. cadre   C. discipline   D. persona

17. The co-founder of the firm decided to _____ his position and step down
A. abandon   B. resign   C. abdicate   D. repudiate

18. In the race to win the director's favour, he is _____ his colleagues.

   A. gaining on   b. closing with   C. hitting upon   D. turning up

19. After working continuously for fifteen days I am too _____ for as picnic.

       A . worked upon   b. cast down   C. picked up   D. done in

20. The subject of 'sex equality' seems to _____ in every discussion session in college

       A. crop up   B. harp on   C. burst out   D. zero in

TEST OF QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE

21. The product of two numbers is 120 and the sum of their squares is 289. The sum of the number is:

   A. 20   B. 28   C.2 4   D. 23
22. The sum of three numbers is 136. If the ratio between first and second number is 2:3 and that between second and third is 5:3, then the second number is:

   A. 40   B. 60   C. 48   D. 72
23. A person's present age is two-fifth of the age of his mother. After 8 years, he will be one-half of the age of his mother. How old is the mother at present?

   A. 32 years   B. 36 years
   C. 48 years   D. 40 years
24. In an election involving two candidates, 68 votes were declared invalid. The winning candidate secures 52% and wins by 98 votes. The total number of votes polled was:

    A. 2518   B. 2862
    C. 2540   D. 2158

25. In an examination, the average for the entire class was 80 marks. If 10% of the students scored 95 marks and 20% scored 90 marks, what was the average mark of the remaining students of the class?

A. 65   B. 75   C. 70   D. 80

26. The sale price of an article including sales tax is Rs. 616. The rate of sales tax is 10%. If the shopkeeper has made a profit of 12%, then the cost of price of the article is:

A. Rs. 515   B. Rs. 560   C. Rs. 500   D. Rs. 520

27. 'A' sells a bicycle to 'B' at a profit of 20%. 'B' sells it to 'C' at a profit of 25%. If C pays Rs. 225 for it, what is the cost price of the bicycle for 'A'?

A. 120   B. 130   C. 145   D. 150

28. Two numbers are in the ratio of 3:5. If 9 are subtracted from each, the new numbers are in the ratio of 12:23. The smaller number is:

A. 27   B. 33   C. 49   D. 45

29. A, B, C subscribe Rs. 50,000 for a business. A subscribes Rs. 4,000 more than B and B, Rs. 5,000 more than C. If the total profit earned is Rs. 35,000, what is the share of C?

A. Rs. 8,400   B. Rs. 11,400
C. Rs. 12,600   D. Rs. 9,800

30. The cost of 16 packets of salt, each weighing 900 grams is Rs. 28. What will be the cost of 27 packets, if each packet weights 1 kg.?

A. Rs. 54.50   B. Rs. 56.50   C. Rs. 64.75   D. Rs. 52.50

31. If 18 binders bind 900 books in 10 days, how many binders will be required to bind 660 books in 12 days?

A. 10   B. 12   C. 11   D. 15

32. 12 buckets of water fill a tank when the capacity of each bucket is 12.5 litres. How many buckets will be needed to fill the same tank, if the capacity of each bucket is 10 litres?

A. 18   B. 16   C. 20   D. 15

33. A man completes a journey in 10 hours. If he has travelled first half of the journey at 12 kmph and second half at the rate 24 kmph, what is the distance he travelled?

A. 220 km   B. 160 km   C. 230 km   D. 240 km

34. A goods train running at a speed of 72 kmph crosses a 250 m long platform in 26 seconds. What is the length of the goods train?

A. 230 m   B. 250 m   C. 280 m   D. 270 m

35. The cost or cultivating a square field at the rate of Rs. 135 per hectare is Rs. 1215. The cost of putting a fence around it at the rate of 75 paise per metre would be:

A. Rs. 810   B. Rs. 900   C. Rs. 750   D. Rs. 1200

Study the following table to answer the questions 36 to 40.

EXPENDITURE OF A COMPANY (IN LAKH RUPEES) PER ANNUM OVER THE GIVEN YEARS

Year	Item of Expenditure				
	Salary	Fuel and Transport	Bonus	Interest on Loans	Taxes
1998	288	98	3.00	23.4	83
1999	342	112	2.52	32.5	108
2000	324	101	3.84	41.6	74

| 2001 | 336 | 133 | 3.68 | 36.4 | 88 |
| 2002 | 420 | 142 | 3.96 | 49.4 | 98 |

36. The ratio between the total expenditure on Taxes for all the years and the total expenditure on Fuel and Transport for all the years respectively is approximately:

      A. 4 : 7   B. 10 : 13   C. 15: 18   D. 5: 8

37. The total expenditure of the Company over these items during the year 2000 is:

A. Rs. 544.44 lakh   B. Rs. 501.11 lakh
C. Rs. 446.46 lakh   D. Rs. 478.87 lakh

38. What is the average amount of interest per year which the Company had to pay during his period?

A. Rs. 32.43 lakh   B.Rs. 33.72 lakh
C. Rs. 34.18 lakh   D. Rs. 33.66 lakh

39. Total expenditure on all these items is 1998 was approximately what per cent of the total expenditure in2002?

      A.   62%   B. 66%   C. 69%   D. 71%

40. The total aDmount of bonus paid by the Company during the given period is approximately what per cent of the total amount of salary paid during this period?

      A. 0.1%   B.0.5%   C. 1%   D. 1.25%

TEST OF REASONING

41. If the English alphabet is written in reverse order, then which letter will be 6th of the right of P?

A. V   B.W   C.K   D. J

42. If the first and seventh letters of the word 'BUREAUCRATIC' are interchanged, also the second and eight and so on, then which would be the fifth letter from the left?

A. T   B. I   C. C   D. A

43. As 'Disease' is related to 'Pathology', in the same way, 'Planet' is related to:

A. Astronomy   B. Astrology   C. Satellite   D. Solar system

44. In a certain code PROVIDE is written as OSNWHED, then in the same code MORNING is written as:

      A.LPQOHOF   B.LPQOOHF   C. LPOQHOF   D. LQPOFOH

45. In a certain code '721' means 'good college life'; '526' means 'you is good' and '257' means 'life is good', then which of the following is used for the word 'you'?

A. 5   B. 7   C. 6   D. 2

46. If water is called food, food is called tree, tree is called sky, sky is called wall, and then from where do we get fruits?

      A.Tree   B. wall   C. water   D. sky

47. Ram remembers that he met his sister Sarita on Saturday after 13th of a month. If the first day of the month was Tuesday, then on what date did he meet his sister?

A. 19th   B. 20th   C. 19th   D. 17th

48. In the following number series how many 3's are there which are not followed by 7 but preceded by 6?

2 3 7 4 3 5 6 3 7 4 6 3 8 9 6 3 5 1 8 3 7 2 4 2 8 6 3 9

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

49. Introducing Suresh, Sneha said "The father of his brother is the only son of my grandmother". How is Sneha related to Suresh?

A. Sister   B. Cousin   C. Mother   D. Daughter

50. Which will be the third word when the following words are arranged according to the dictionary pattern?

A. Amorphous   B. Amphibian   C. Ambivalent   D. Amphitheatre

51. Suresh is heavier than Anil, but not than Raju. Anil is heavier than Jayesh. Krishna is heavier than Suresh, but lighter than Raju. Who is the heaviest?

A. Anil   B. Krishna   C. Raju   D. Suresh

Read the following information carefully and answer the questions from 52 to 55

(i)   A, B, C, D, E, and F, are six members of a family.

(ii)   There are two couples in the family

(iii) C is the mother of A and F

(iv)   A is the grandson of B

(v)   There are total three ladies in the family.

52. Which of the following is a couple?

A. E and F   B. B and D   C. E and B   D. A and F

53. Who is the wife of E?

A. B   B. C   C. D   D.F

54. How is B related to F?

A. sister   B. grandmother   C. wife   D. aunt

55. Which of the following groups are ladies?

A. B, D and E   B. A,F and B   C. D, C and F   D. B, C, and F

56. A man travelled 25 km towards the West, and then he turned to his left and moved 20 km. Then he turned to his left and moved 25 km. After this he turned to his left and moved 35 km. How far is he from his starting point?

A. 40 km   B. 20 km   C. 15 km   D. 30 km

57. Which one of the following does not belong to the group of others?

A. LKIGF   B. RQDML   C. HGECB   D. YXVSR

58. In a class of girls, rank of Zeenat is 11th from the top and Divya is 2nd from the bottom. There are 5 girls in between them. How many girls are there in the class?

A. 16   B.17   C. 18   D. 19

Choose the right choice to fill-up the blanks in the following two questions 59 and 60:

59. ALBC, CLDC, ____, GLHC

A. ELFC   B.OLPC   C. PLMC   D. KLLC

60. AZA, BWD, CRI, DKP, ____

A. ECZ   B. EYC   C. EBY   D. EXC

GENERAL KNOWLWDGE

61. Pithampur, where Asia's longest high-speed test track- NATRAX has been inaugurated, is located in which state?

A. Tamil Nadu   B. Madhya Pradesh   C. Maharashtra   D. Gujarat

62. When is the National Doctor's Day observed every year in India?

A. July 1   B. July 5   C. July 10   D. July 15

63. India and which neighbouring country exchange list of lists of civilian prisoners and fishermen in their custody every year on 1st January and 1st July?

A. China   B. Bangladesh   C. Sri Lanka   D. Pakistan

64. Abhimanyu Mishra, who was recently in news, is associated with which of the following games?

A. Badminton   B. Judo   C. Chess   D. Basketball

65. Who among the following has become the Brand Ambassador for Khadi Praktritk Paint, India's first paint made from cow dung.

A. Nitin Gadkari   B. Piyush Goyal   C. Smriti Irani   D. Ramesh Pokhriyal

66. In which of the following states the 52nd International Film Festival of India is scheduled to be held in November 2021?

A. Goa   B. Karnataka   C. Assam   D. West Bengal

67. Recently launched "NIPUN Bharat Initiative" is related with which of the following?

A. Personal Accident Insurance Cover

B. Road safety

C. To improve literacy and numeracy in children

D. Digital empowerment of every citizen

68. Which Union Ministry is set to launch 'Jaan Hai To Jahaan Hai' Covid vaccination awareness campaign?

A. Health Ministry   B. Rural Development Ministry
C. Social Justice Ministry   D. Minority Affairs Ministry

69. Where is the headquarters of the National Cadet Corps located?

A, Mumbai   B. Cochin   C. New Delhi   D. Pune

70 Which Indian state is the first to launch the online flood reporting system?

A. Odisha   B. Assam   C. West Bengal   D. Kerala