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## TEST T2-3-E

**Time Allowed: 90 MINUTES**  
**Maximum Marks: 100**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MARKS OBTAINED :** \_\_\_\_\_

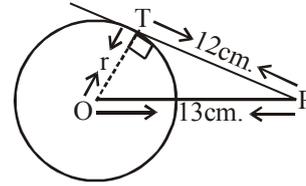
**EXAM CENTRE. :** \_\_\_\_\_

**REMARKS :** \_\_\_\_\_

### QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE

- The internal measurements of a box with lid are  $115 \times 75 \times 35 \text{ cm}^3$  and the wood of which it is made is 2.5 cm thick. Find the volume of wood.  
(a) 82,125  $\text{cm}^3$       (b) 70,054  $\text{cm}^3$   
(c) 78,514  $\text{cm}^3$       (d) 75,054  $\text{cm}^3$   
(e) None of these
- The water from a roof, 9 sq metres in area, flows down to a cylinder container of 900  $\text{cm}^2$  base. To what height will the water rise in cylinder if there is a rainfall of 0.1 mm ?  
(a) 1 cm      (b) 0.1 metre  
(c) 0.11 cm      (d) 10 cms  
(e) None of these
- A rectangular tank is 225 m by 162 m at the base. With what speed must water flow into it through an aperture 60 cm by 45 cm that the level may be raised 20 cm in 5 hours ?  
(a) 5000 m/hr      (b) 5400 m/hr  
(c) 5200 m/hr      (d) 5600 m/hr  
(e) None of these
- The length of a cold storage is double its breadth. Its height is 3 metres. The area of its four walls (including the doors) is 108  $\text{m}^2$ . Find its volume.  
(a) 215  $\text{m}^3$       (b) 216  $\text{m}^3$   
(c) 217  $\text{m}^3$       (d) 218  $\text{m}^3$   
(e) None of these
- A boat having a length 3 m and breadth 2 m is floating on a lake. The boat sinks by 1 cm when a man gets on it. The mass of man is :  
(a) 12 kg      (b) 60 kg  
(c) 72 kg      (d) 96 kg  
(e) None of these
- The radius of the wheel of a bus is 70 cms and the speed of the bus is 66 km/h, then the r.p.m. (revolutions per minutes) of the wheel is  
(a) 200      (b) 250  
(c) 300      (d) 330  
(e) None of these
- The cross section of a canal is a trapezium in shape. If the canal is 7 metres wide at the top and 9 metres at the bottom and the area of cross-section is 1280 square metres, find the length of the canal.  
(a) 160 metres      (b) 172 metres  
(c) 154 metres      (d) 150 meters  
(e) None of these
- A rectangular paper, when folded into two congruent parts had a perimeter of 34 cm for each part folded along one set of sides and the same is 38 cm when folded along the other set of sides. What is the area of the paper?  
(a) 140  $\text{cm}^2$       (b) 240  $\text{cm}^2$   
(c) 560  $\text{cm}^2$       (d) 135  $\text{cm}^2$   
(e) None of these
- The length and breadth of the floor of the room are 20 feet and 10 feet respectively. Square tiles of 2 feet length of different colours are to be laid on the floor. Black tiles are laid in the first row on all sides. If white tiles are laid in the one-third of the remaining and blue tiles in the rest, how many blue tiles will be there?  
(a) 16      (b) 24  
(c) 32      (d) 48  
(e) None of these

10. Four equal circles are described about the four corners of a square so that each touches two of the others. If a side of the square is 14 cm, then the area enclosed between the circumferences of the circles is :
- (a)  $24 \text{ cm}^2$  (b)  $42 \text{ cm}^2$   
 (c)  $154 \text{ cm}^2$  (d)  $196 \text{ cm}^2$   
 (e) None of these
11. A rectangular plate is of 6 m breadth and 12 m length. Two apertures of 2 m diameter each and one apertures of 1 m diameter have been made with the help of a gas cutter. What is the area of the remaining portion of the plate?
- (a) 68.5 sq. m. (b) 62.5 sq m  
 (c) 64.5 sq. m (d) None of these  
 (e) None of these
12. Four sheets  $50 \text{ cm} \times 5 \text{ cm}$  are arranged without overlapping to form a square having side 55 cm. What is the area of inner square so formed?
- (a)  $2500 \text{ cm}^2$  (b)  $2025 \text{ cm}^2$   
 (c)  $1600 \text{ cm}^2$  (d)  $2400 \text{ cm}^2$   
 (e) None of these
13. A conical vessel of base radius 2 cm and height 3 cm is filled with kerosene. This liquid leaks through a hole in the bottom and collects in a cylindrical jar of radius 2 cm. The kerosene level in the jar is
- (a)  $\pi \text{ cm}$  (b) 1.5 cm  
 (c) 1 cm (d) 3 cm  
 (e) None of these
14. In a triangle ABC, points P, Q and R are the mid-points of the sides AB, BC and CA respectively. If the area of the triangle ABC is 20 sq. units, find the area of the triangle PQR
- (a) 10 sq. units (b) 5.3 sq. units  
 (c) 5 sq. units (d) 4.2 sq. units  
 (e) None of these
15. A triangle and a parallelogram are constructed on the same base such that their areas are equal. If the altitude of the parallelogram is 100 m, then the altitude of the triangle is :
- (a) 100 m (b) 200 m  
 (c)  $100\sqrt{2} \text{ m}$  (d)  $10\sqrt{2} \text{ m}$   
 (e) None of these
16. The number of tangents that can be drawn to two nonintersecting circles is :
- (a) 4 (b) 3  
 (c) 2 (d) 1  
 (e) None of these
17. A point P is 13 cm. from the centre of a circle. The length of the tangent drawn from P to the circle is 12cm. Find the radius of the circle.



- (a) 8 cm (b) 4 cm  
 (c) 5 cm (d) 7 cm  
 (e) None of these
18. If the angles of a triangle are in the ratio 5 : 3 : 2, then the triangle could be :
- (a) obtuse (b) acute  
 (c) right (d) isosceles  
 (e) None of these
19. In a triangle ABC, the lengths of the sides AB, AC and BC are 3, 5 and 6 cm, respectively. If a point D on BC is drawn such that the line AD bisects the angle A internally, then what is the length of BD ?
- (a) 2 cm (b) 2.25 cm  
 (c) 2.5 cm (d) 3 cm  
 (e) None of these
20. The perimeters of two similar triangles ABC and PQR are 36 cm, and 24 cm, respectively. If PQ = 10 cm, then the length of AB is :
- (a) 16 cm (b) 12 cm  
 (c) 14 cm (d) 15 cm  
 (e) None of these
21. The length of a ladder is exactly equal to the height of the wall it is resting against. If lower end of the ladder is kept on a stool of height 3 m and the stool is kept 9 m away from the wall the upper end of the ladder coincides with the tip of the wall. Then, the height of the wall is
- (a) 12m. (b) 15m.  
 (c) 18m. (d) 11 m.  
 (e) None of these
22. If one of the diagonals of a rhombus is equal to its side, then the diagonals of the rhombus are in the ratio:
- (a)  $\sqrt{3} : 1$  (b)  $\sqrt{2} : 1$   
 (c) 3 : 1 (d) 2 : 1  
 (e) None of these



23. In a triangle ABC, the internal bisector of the angle A meets BC at D. If  $AB = 4$ ,  $AC = 3$  and  $\angle A = 60^\circ$ , then the length of AD is
- (a)  $2\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $\frac{12\sqrt{3}}{7}$   
 (c)  $15\sqrt{\frac{3}{8}}$  (d)  $6\sqrt{\frac{3}{7}}$   
 (e) None of these
24. In a circle of radius 17 cm, two parallel chords are drawn on opposite sides of a diameter. The distance between the chords is 23 cm. If length of one chord is 16 cm, then the length of the other one is :
- (a) 15 cm (b) 23 cm  
 (c) 30 cm (d) 34 cm  
 (e) None of these
25. How many sides a regular polygon has with its sum of interior angles eight times its sum of exterior angles?
- (a) 16 (b) 24  
 (c) 18 (d) 30  
 (e) None of these
26. A man can row upstream 36 km in 6 hours. If the speed of man in still water is 8 km/h, find how much he can go downstream in 10 hours.
- (a) 100 km (b) 110 km  
 (c) 90 km (d) 115 km  
 (e) None of these
27. A man can swim in still water at 4.5 km/h, but takes twice as long to swim upstream than downstream. The speed of the stream is
- (a) 3 (b) 7.5  
 (c) 2.25 (d) 1.5
28. A man makes his upward journey at 16 km/h and downward journey at 28 km/h. What is his average speed ?
- (a) 32 km/h (b) 56 km/h  
 (c) 20.36 km/h (d) 22 km/h  
 (e) None of these
29. Two boats, travelling at 5 and 10 kms per hour, head directly towards each other. They begin at a distance 20 kms from each other. How far apart are they (in kms) one minute before they collide?
- (a)  $\frac{1}{12}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{6}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{4}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{3}$   
 (e) None of these
30. Against a stream running at 2 km an hour, a man can row 9 km in 3 hours. How long would he take in rowing the same distance down the stream?
- (a) 9/7 hours (b) 7/9 hours  
 (c) 1.5 hours (d) 3 hours  
 (e) None of these
31. A car covers a distance of 816 kms in 12 hour What is the speed of the car ?
- (a) 60kmph (b) 62kmph  
 (c) 64kmph (d) cannot be determined  
 (e) None of these
32. A bus covers a distance of 2,924 kms in 43 hours What is the speed of the bus?
- (a) 72 kmph (b) 60kmph  
 (c) 68kmph (d) Cannot be determined  
 (e) None of these
33. A train covers a distance of 1560 kms in 26 hours What is the speed of the train?
- (a) 72 kms/hr (b) 62 kms/hr  
 (c) 68 kms/hr (d) Cannot be determined  
 (e) None of these
34. A bus travels at the speed of 49 kmph and reaches its destination in 7 hours What is the distance covered by the bus?
- (a) 343km (b) 283km  
 (c) 353km (d) 245km  
 (e) 340km
35. A car travels a distance of 45 kms at the speed of 15 kmph. It covers the next 50 kms of its journey at the speed of 25 kmph and the last 25 kms of its journey at the speed of 10 kmph. What is the average speed of the car?
- (a) 40 kmph (b) 24 kmph  
 (c) 15 kmph (d) 18 kmph  
 (e) None of these



## REASONING ABILITY

**Directions :** *In each question below a statement is given followed by two courses of action numbered I and II. A course of action is a practicable and feasible step or administrative decision to be taken for follow-up, improvement, or further action in regard to the problem, policy, etc. On the basis of the information given in the statement, you have to assume everything in the statement to be true, and decide which of the suggested courses of action logically follow(s) for pursuing.*

36. **Statement :** Many complaints have been registered lately by commuters regarding unavailability of railway tickets during the peak traveling season.

**Courses of action :**

- I. The commuters should be advised to defer their travel plans till the peak season gets over.
- II. Railways should try to accommodate as many commuters as possible by adding extra coaches to the trains.

- (a) Only I follows.
- (b) Only II follows.
- (c) Either I or II follows.
- (d) Neither I nor II follows.
- (e) Both I and II follow.

37. **Statement :** Leader of a tribal community residing near a proposed highway project has given an application expressing his community's opposition to construction of the highway through their residential area.

**Courses of action :**

- I. Government should convince the tribal community stating the fact that building of the highway would bring development in their area.
- II. Government should immediately stall the highway project in response to the resistance faced by the tribal community.

- (a) Only I follows.
- (b) Only II follows.
- (c) Either I or II follows.
- (d) Neither I nor II follows.
- (e) Both I and II follow.

38. **Statement :** More and more farmers have been shifting to cultivation of export quality rice rather than the rice eaten daily by people as export quality rice helps them earn more profit.

**Courses of action :**

- I. Strict action should be taken against the farmers growing only export quality rice in their fields.
- II. Procurement price of other qualities of rice should be increased so as to make their cultivation a profitable venture as well.

- (a) Only I follows.
- (b) Only II follows.
- (c) Either I or II follows.
- (d) Neither I nor II follows.
- (e) Both I and II follow.

39. **Statement :** According to a recent report, almost 90 % students from a premier collage in India end up settling in foreign countries for nearly thrice the salary drawn in India.

**Courses of action :**

- I. Indian organisations should pay salaries to students from this college which are at par with the foreign organizations.
- II. Signing of a bond which prevents them from taking a job in any foreign country should be made mandatory by the government.

- (a) Only I follows.
- (b) Only II follows.
- (c) Either I or II follows.
- (d) Neither I nor II follows.
- (e) Both I and II follow.

40. **Statement :** The police reported that two armed terrorists had entered the city a couple of days ago.

**Courses of action :**

- I. Police should immediately circulate the photographs of the terrorists using electronic and print media in order to take public's help in nabbing them.
- II. Public should be informed to stay indoors until the terrorists are arrested.

- (a) Only I follows.
- (b) Only II follows.
- (c) Either I or II follows.
- (d) Neither I nor II follows.
- (e) Both I and II follow.



41. **Statement :** Many over-qualified professionals are now opting for lower ranked jobs owing to recession in the market which has made new recruitments almost nil in the recent months.
- Courses of action :**
- I. Over qualified people should not be allowed to undertake jobs which do not suit their academic qualifications.
  - II. Such candidates should be encouraged to postpone undertaking a job until recession subsides.
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.
42. **Statement :** In a mock security drill at the airport, a passenger ignored the instructions of the crew and severely injured his leg while hurrying to get off the plane?
- Courses of action :**
- I. The passenger should sue the airline for negligence.
  - II. The airline should provide immediate medical assistance to the passenger.
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.
43. **Statement :** Illegal construction in the area which attracts thousands of tourists every year has been leading to frequent landslides and floods.
- Courses of action :**
- I. The government should put a ban on all kinds of construction work in the area.
  - II. Tourism in the area should be totally banned until illegal construction work stops completely.
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.
44. **Statement :** Imported fruits which are priced at nearly thrice the regular price have been flooding the market, making fruits out of reach for a middle class household.
- Courses of action :**
- I. The government should regulate the prices of fruits so as to make them affordable to the common man.
  - II. Indian farmers should be encouraged to grow the imported varieties of fruits as these are more popular among the general public:
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.
45. **Statement :** Cell phone users have found that tariff plans are not as attractive as promoted by telecom companies and complained to regulatory authority about the same.
- Courses of Action :**
- I. The regulatory authority should direct telecom companies to be transparent on the tariff structure of all plans.
  - II. The government should restrict the number of telecom companies operating in the country.
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.
46. **Statement :** Heavy rains hit the state during October, just before the State Assembly elections and caused heavy damage to standing crops in most parts of the state.
- Courses of Action :**
- I. Elections should be postponed to give candidates the opportunity to campaign.
  - II. The Government should announce a relief package for those who are affected.
- (a) Only I follows.
  - (b) Only II follows.
  - (c) Either I or II follows.
  - (d) Neither I nor II follows.
  - (e) Both I and II follow.



47. **Statement :** An increasing number of graduates produced by Indian universities are unemployable.  
**Courses of Action :**
- Colleges and Institutes of higher learning should be given greater autonomy to decide course content.
  - World class foreign universities should be encouraged to set up campuses in India.
- (a) Only I follows.  
(b) Only II follows.  
(c) Either I or II follows.  
(d) Neither I nor II follows.  
(e) Both I and II follow.
48. **Statement :** A number of school children in the local schools have fallen ill after the consumption of their subsidised tiffin provided by the school authority.  
**Courses of Action :**
- The tiffin facility of all schools should be discontinued with immediate effect.
  - The government should implement a system to certify the quality of tiffin provided by the school.
- (a) Only I follows.  
(b) Only II follows.  
(c) Either I or II follows.  
(d) Neither I nor II follows.  
(e) Both I and II follow.
49. **Statement :** The dolphin population in India has been decreasing sharply over the past few years.  
**Courses of Action :**
- Dolphins should be declared an endangered species and be bred in aquariums or protected areas.
  - Locals should be enlisted to protect dolphins.
- (a) Only I follows.  
(b) Only II follows.  
(c) Either I or II follows.  
(d) Neither I nor II follows.  
(e) Both I and II follow.
50. How many cubes are there which have no face painted?  
(a) 0 (b) 4  
(c) 8 (d) 16
51. How many cubes have only one face painted?  
(a) 8 (b) 16  
(c) 24 (d) 32
52. How many cubes have less than three faces painted?  
(a) 8 (b) 24  
(c) 28 (d) 48
53. How many cubes are there with three faces painted?  
(a) 4 (b) 8  
(c) 16 (d) 24
54. How many cubes have one face green and one of the adjacent faces black or red?  
(a) 8 (b) 16  
(c) 24 (d) 28
55. From a  $10 \times 10 \times 10$  cube, which is formed by combinations of  $1 \times 1 \times 1$  cubes, a layer of the smaller cubes is removed. What will be the number of  $1 \times 1 \times 1$  cubes present in this new cube?  
(a) 900 (b) 488  
(c) 512 (d) 729

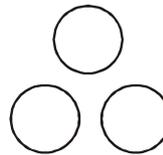
**Directions (Q. 56 to 60) :** Each of the following questions contains three groups of things. You have to choose from the following five diagrams (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e); the diagram that depicts the correct relationship among the three groups of things in each question.



(a)



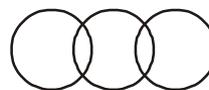
(b)



(c)



(d)



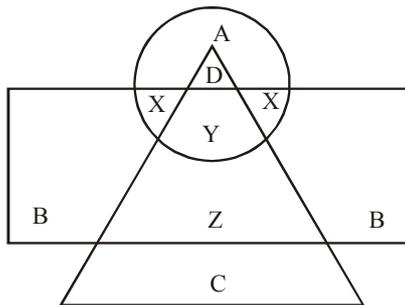
(e)

**Directions (Qs. 18 - 22) :** A cube painted red on two adjacent faces and black on the faces opposite to the red faces and green on the remaining faces, is cut into sixty-four smaller cubes of equal size.



56. Tables, Chairs, Furniture  
 57. Tie, Shirt, Pantaloon  
 58. Dogs, Pets, Cats  
 59. Brinjal, Meat, Vegetables  
 60. Factory, Machinery, Product

**Directions (Q.61-65) :** In the following diagram, the circle represents college Professors, the triangle stands for surgical Specialists, and medical Specialists are represented by the rectangle



61. College professors who are also surgical Specialists are represented by  
 (a) A (b) B  
 (c) C (d) D
62. Surgical Specialists who are also Medical Specialists but not Professors are represented by  
 (a) B (b) C  
 (c) X (d) Z
63. C represents  
 (a) Medical Specialists  
 (b) College Professors  
 (c) Surgical Specialists  
 (d) Medical and surgical Specialists
64. B represents  
 (a) Professors who are neither Medical nor surgical Specialists  
 (b) Professors who are not surgical Specialists  
 (c) Medical Specialists who are neither Professors nor Surgical Specialists  
 (d) Professors who are not Medical Specialists
65. College Professors who are also Medical Specialists are represented by  
 (a) A (b) X  
 (c) Y (d) Z
- Directions (Qs. 66-70) :** Study the following information carefully and answer the questions given below:  
 In a group of five persons A, B, C, D and E :
- B and C are intelligent in Mathematics and Geography
  - A and C are intelligent in Mathematics and History
  - B and D are intelligent in Political Science and Geography.
  - D and E are intelligent in Political Science and Biology.
  - E is intelligent in Biology, History and Political Science.
66. Who is intelligent in Political Science, Geography and Biology ?  
 (a) E (b) D  
 (c) C (d) B
67. Who is intelligent in Mathematics, Political Science and Geography ?  
 (a) A (b) B  
 (c) C (d) D
68. Who is intelligent in Mathematics and History but not in Geography ?  
 (a) C (b) E  
 (c) A (d) B
69. Who is intelligent in Mathematics, Geography and History?  
 (a) E (b) A  
 (c) D (d) C
70. Who is intelligent in Political Science, History and Biology?  
 (a) A (b) B  
 (c) C (d) E



## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

**Directions (Q. 71–85)** Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below it. Certain words are printed in bold to help you to locate them while answering some of the questions.

The Sun, while going on his daily rounds saw a princess and fell in love with her. Whenever he could slip away from the heavens he would take human form and go down to the princess to spend some time with her. The princess too became quite fond of him and would wait for him to come. One day the Sun decided to send her a blood-red ruby as a **token** of his love for her. He put the gem in a silk bag, and calling a crow that was flying past, asked the bird to deliver the gem to his beloved. Crows had milky white feathers in those days and it was considered **auspicious** if a crow came anywhere near you. So the Sun was pleased that he had found a crow to deliver the gem. As the crow sped through the sky with the silken bag, the aroma of food lured him. Looking down the crow saw that a wedding feast was in progress, and immediately it was distracted from its mission. Food was one thing it could never resist !

Alighting on a tree nearby, it hung the bag on a twig and went off to find some food. While the crow was feasting, a merchant passing by saw the bag on the tree, and knocked it down with a pole. When he opened the bag and saw its contents he almost swooned in joy. Quickly pocketing the ruby, he filled the bag with dry cow dung that was lying there, and then **deftly** returned the bag to the branch. It was all done so quickly that the crow missed all the action. After having its fill, it flew up to the tree, and picking up the bag took it to the person it was intended for. The princess was in the garden. When the crow gave her the bag, she took it eagerly, knowing that it was from the Sun. But when she saw its contents she reeled back in shock and anger. Believing that it was the Sun's way of telling her that he did not care for her, she flung the bag away, rushed to her palace, and never came out again. When the Sun learnt of what had happened he was **furious**.

So great was his anger that when he turned his **scorching** gaze on the crow, its feathers were burned black. Its feathers have been black ever since. The ruby did not stay with the man who stole it. It fell out of his pocket and rolled into a deep pit. Men have been trying to dig it out ever since. Many precious

stones have been found in the process, making Myanmar one of the richest sources of rubies and sapphires, but the ruby that the Sun sent to the princess is yet to be found.

71. What did the Sun send for the princess as a token of his love ?
  - (a) He sent her the crow
  - (b) He sent her dry cow dung
  - (c) He sent her a red ruby
  - (d) He gifted her the city of Myanmar
  - (e) None of these
72. Why did the princess fling the gift away ?
  - (a) She did not like rubies
  - (b) The crow was known to bring bad luck
  - (c) She had found cow dung in the bag
  - (d) She thought the Sun was playing a cruel joke on her
  - (e) She had wanted the Sun to personally deliver it
73. What led to the discovery of precious stones in Myanmar?
  - (a) Humans discovered the stones in their search for the lost ruby
  - (b) The crow spread the news of the lost ruby
  - (c) The princess went in search of the lost ruby and discovered other precious stones
  - (d) The merchant went in search of the ruby that fell off his pocket
  - (e) The merchant's clumsiness led to the discovery of precious stones
74. While on its way to the princess, the crow was distracted by—
  - (a) The merchant calling out to him
  - (b) The wedding that was taking place below
  - (c) The ruby that the Sun sent for the princess
  - (d) The temptation of the smell of food
  - (e) The huge crowd at the wedding
75. Why did the Sun send his gift for the princess along with the crow?
  - (a) The princess loved crows
  - (b) The crow was the only bird available at the time
  - (c) The crow was considered to be an auspicious bird
  - (d) The crow knew where the princess lived
  - (e) The Sun trusted the crow



76. The joy of the merchant on finding the ruby was short lived because—  
 (a) He did not succeed in stealing the ruby  
 (b) The ruby fell out of his pocket  
 (c) The crow returned just in time and caught him red handed  
 (d) He soon discovered many more precious stones  
 (e) None of these
77. How did the crow get its black colour ?  
 (a) The crow was punished by the Sun for its clumsiness  
 (b) The crow was burned black by the scorching gaze of the angry Sun  
 (c) The crow was not considered auspicious any more  
 (d) The crow was cursed by the merchant  
 (e) None of these
78. What could be an appropriate title for the story ?  
 (a) The Careless Black Crow  
 (b) Myanmar and its Mineral Riches  
 (c) The Sun and the Princess  
 (d) The Depressed Princess  
 (e) The Sun and the Ruby
79. What was the crow's mission ?  
 (a) To deliver the gift to the princess  
 (b) To attend the wedding  
 (c) To make the Sun angry  
 (d) To keep the princess in her palace  
 (e) To protect the princess from the harmful Sun
80. What message did the princess get after opening the bag ?  
 (a) That the Sun truly loved her  
 (b) That the crow was an evil bird  
 (c) That the crow was playing a joke on her  
 (d) That the Sun did not love her anymore  
 (e) That the cow dung was a token of the Sun's love for her

**Directions (Q. 81–83)** Choose the word which is most nearly the SAME in meaning as the word printed in bold as used in the passage.

81. Token  
 (a) Symbol (b) Insurance  
 (c) Slip (d) Assurance  
 (e) Investment
82. Deftly  
 (a) Skillfully (b) Blindly  
 (c) Eagerly (d) Rightfully  
 (e) Innocently

83. Auspicious  
 (a) Religious (b) Lucky  
 (c) Fulfilling (d) Charming  
 (e) Normal

**Directions (Q. 84–85)** Choose the word which is most OPPOSITE in meaning of the word printed in bold as used in the passage.

84. Scorching  
 (a) Cool (b) Heated  
 (c) Warm (d) Silent  
 (e) Composed
85. Furious  
 (a) Beaming (b) Angry  
 (c) Forgiving (d) Calm  
 (e) Sulking

**Directions:** A sentence has been broken into 4 parts, (a), (b), (c) and (d). Read each sentence to find out whether there is any grammatical error in it. The error, if any, will be in one part of the sentence. The letter of that part is the answer. If there is no error, the answer is 'e'. (Ignore the errors of punctuation, if any).

86. (a) Remember that you are part of  
 (b) the team and your success depends on the support  
 (c) you are able to give and get from your other team members.  
 (d) No error.
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 (b) the team and your success depends on the support  
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 (d) No error.
88. (a) Happily, zoos were  
 (b) unwilling to cooperate  
 (c) in a scheme that was potentially harmful to animal welfare.  
 (d) No error.
89. (a) With little patience  
 (b) you will be able to  
 (c) cross this hurdle.  
 (d) No error.
90. (a) None of the students attending your class  
 (b) answered your questions  
 (c) did they?  
 (d) No error.



**ANSWERS**

1 (a)	2 (a)	3 (b)	4 (b)	5 (b)	6 (b)	7 (a)	8 (a)
9 (a)	10 (b)	11 (c)	12 (b)	13 (c)	14 (c)	15 (b)	16 (a)
17 (c)	18 (c)	19 (b)	20 (d)	21 (b)	22 (a)	23 (b)	24 (c)
25 (c)	26 (a)	27 (d)	28 (c)	29 (c)	30 (a)	31 (e)	32 (c)
33 (e)	34 (a)	35 (e)	36. (b)	37. (a)	38. (b)	39. (b)	40. (a)
41. (d)	42. (b)	43. (d)	44. (a)	45. (a)	46. (e)	47. (e)	48. (b)
49. (a)	50 (c)	51 (c)	52 (d)	53 (b)	54 (b)	55 (c)	56 (d)
57 (c)	58 (e)	59 (b)	60 (d)	61 (d)	62 (d)	63 (c)	64 (c)
65 (b)	66 (b)	67 (b)	68 (c)	69 (d)	70 (d)	71 (c)	72 (c)
73 (a)	74 (d)	75 (c)	76 (b)	77 (b)	78 (c)	79 (a)	80 (d)
81 (a)	82 (a)	83 (a)	84 (a)	85 (d)	86 (a)	87 (a)	88 (c)
89 (a)	90 (c)	91 (a)	92 (b)	93 (a)	94 (a)	95 (d)	96 (a)
97 (a)	98 (d)	99 (b)	100 (b)				

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