

I. Four alternatives are given for each of the following question/incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the correct alternative and write the complete answer along with its letter of alphabet. 4x1=4

1. Choose the appropriate question tag and fill in the blank.

Arpita hardly goes to functions in local area, _____?

- A) do she B) don't she C) does she D) doesn't she

2. Read the conversation and choose the language function for the underlined sentence.

Bhagesh: Hi... Bhavana, be ready to join inter-school tournament.

Bhavana: I'm so sorry. Actually I'm preparing for essay competition.

Bhagesh: It's ok. Best of luck in advance.

- A) advising B) requesting C) agreeing D) disagreeing

3. Fill in the blank choosing the appropriate words:

Sudha: Gouri let's come to watch a movie in the theatre.

Gouri: I am busy now. If I had come to watch a movie I _____ loss the valuable time.

- A) should have B) would have C) wouldn't have D) shouldn't have

4. Read the conversation and choose the Infinitive:

Chetan: Hello Anand, do you want a cup of coffee?

Anand: Ok, let's have together and be ready to visit our remaining friends.

- A) ready B) have C) to visit D) remaining

II. Do as directed:

12x1=12

5. Combine the word in column A with its collocative word in column B:

A

B

vast

(sand, book, ocean, table)

6. Which one of the following words has one syllable?

Little, limit, lucky, scarce.

7. Write the correct form of the word given in bracket:

He had done a _____ (success) venture.

8. Fill in the blank with the correct article.

He is going to visit _____ nearest temple.

9. Identify the part of speech of the underlined word.

He is reading an interesting novel.

10. Fill in the blank using suitable linker.

Shankar is ready to go for a movie, _____ he was busy.

11. Fill in the blank with suitable preposition.

Deepa went to the office _____ meet Dr. Pradeep.

12. Fill in the blank with appropriate tense form of the verb given in bracket.

She _____ (be + prepare) English notes yesterday.

13. Use the word 'brush' as a verb in a meaningful sentence of your own.

14. He is richer than all other men in the village. (Change in superlative degree)

15. Change into passive voice:

Lankesh was driving a new car.

16. Read the following conversation and change the underlined sentence into reported speech:

Teacher: Why are you absent yesterday?

Manoj: I am going to attend my sister's marriage.

III The following paragraph has two errors edit the paragraph and rewrite it. 1x2=2

17. One-day Sardar Patel was arguing an case before the judge with utmost concentration. He still on his feet when an argent telegram was handed over to him. He glanced at the contents folded it and put it in his pocket.

- a) Article to be corrected.
- b) Spelling mistake to be corrected.

IV Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences each: 4x2=8

- 18. What did Baleshwar do as soon as he saw the girl lying next to the tracks?
- 19. Why do you think the Americans wanted to buy Don Anselmo's land?
- 20. How does inspector Patil help Mohan and his family?
- 21. How has Dolma described her preparedness for the task of scaling Mount Everest?

V. Answer the following questions in 5 to 6 sentences: 1x3=3

22. 'Ambedkar was a voracious reader.' Justify the statement.

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow: 1x3=3

23. 'Your office room is very dusty and there may be scorpions behind your law books.'

- a) Whom do 'your' refer here?
- b) Why did Swami make this remark?
- c) What does it show you about his character?

VII. Quote from memory: 1x4=4

24. The quality
..... heaven
Upon
..... takes.

VIII. Answer the following question in about 8 - 10 sentences: 1x4=4

25. Both the narrator and his father were very considerate towards grandma. Justify.