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**GENERAL ENGLISH WITH GENERAL STUDIES**

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1. In which of the following sentence infinitive is used?

- (A) Walking is a good exercise
- (B) Reading story books gives pleasure
- (C) To err is human
- (D) Can you teach painting?

2. Form a new word by blending the words :

Helicopter + Airport

- (A) Airport
- (B) Aerodrome
- (C) Heliport
- (D) Aerocopter

3. Fill in the blanks with suitable article :

Kishore is \_\_\_\_\_ fastest runner in our school. Last week he participated in \_\_\_\_\_ race. He got \_\_\_\_\_ first prize; \_\_\_\_\_ chief guest appreciated him.

- (A) a, the, a, a
- (B) the, a, the, the
- (C) a, an, the, a
- (D) an, the, a, a

4. Identify the sentence :

The nut is too hard to crack

- (A) simple
- (B) complex
- (C) compound
- (D) imperative

5. Match the antonyms under column A with column B.

- | Column A       |  | Column B       |  |
|----------------|--|----------------|--|
| (a) Wisdom     |  | 1. Accepted    |  |
| (b) Generosity |  | 2. Intolerance |  |
| (c) Tolerance  |  | 3. Selfishness |  |
| (d) Refused    |  | 4. Folly       |  |

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|---|-----|-----|-----|
| (a)                                       | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| (A) 1                                     | 2   | 4   | 3   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B) 4 | 3   | 2   | 1   |
| (C) 4                                     | 1   | 2   | 3   |
| (D) 3                                     | 2   | 1   | 4   |

6. Find the correct sentence where the 'present participle form' is used.

- (A) This is a dancing doll
- (B) Seema is crying now
- (C) My mother bought a wet grinder
- (D) These are rotten fruits

7. Match the compound words and mark the correct codes given below :

- |                      |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| (a) Noun + Noun      | 1. duty free        |
| (b) Noun + Verb      | 2. pen friend       |
| (c) Noun + Gerund    | 3. water fall       |
| (d) Noun + adjective | 4. air-conditioning |

- |   | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A) | 2   | 3   | 4   | 1   |
| (B)                                     | 3   | 4   | 1   | 2   |
| (C)                                     | 2   | 3   | 1   | 4   |
| (D)                                     | 1   | 3   | 4   | 2   |

8. Which sentence cannot be changed into passive voice?

- (A) Everyone praised him for his honesty
- (B) They named the baby Lucy in the Church
- (C) Hari is a doctor in America
- (D) Balu kicked the ball towards the wall

9. Which one of the following, indirect speeches is answers to the sentence in direct speech :

Ram said to Seetha, "Please lend me a book".

- (A) Ram requested Seetha to lend him a book
- (B) Ram ordered Seetha to lend him a book
- (C) Ram exclaimed Seetha to lend him a book
- (D) Ram stated to Seetha to lend him a book

10. Complete the sentence choosing an option from those given below :  
Every villager from those two hamlets \_\_\_\_\_ going to the fair today.

- (A) was (B) were  
(C) are  (D) is

11. Which of the following is incorrectly paired?

- (A) On account of - deprived of  
(B) To take a new turn - to begin a new course  
(C) In the midst of - in the middle of  
(D) To bear with - to put up with

12. Re-arrange the following sentence into a meaningful one :

Good habits by / positive people / try / being with / to inculcate.

- (A) Being with good habits by try positive people to inculcate  
(B) Positive people try to inculcate good habits by being with  
 (C) Try to inculcate good habits by being with positive people  
(D) To inculcate positive people try being with good habits by

13. Match the following poetic lines in column A with the poet in column B and select code :

Column A

Column B

- |                                       |                       |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (a) Walk the deck my captain dies     | 1. Douglas Malloch    |
| (b) Be a scrub in the valley          | 2. Lewis Carroll      |
| (c) Is all our life, than but a dream | 3. William Wordsworth |
| (d) Familiar matter of to-day         | 4. Walt Whitman       |

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|---|-----|-----|-----|
| (a)                                       | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A) 4 | 1   | 2   | 3   |
| (B) 3                                     | 4   | 1   | 2   |
| (C) 3                                     | 2   | 1   | 4   |
| (D) 1                                     | 4   | 3   | 2   |

14. If you have tears, prepare to shed them now

You all do know this mantle .....

These are the words of

- (A) Brutus (B) Julius Caesar  
(C) Casca  (D) Mark Antony

15. Name the poet in whose poem the following line occurs.

'We can't all be captains, we've got to be crew'.

- (A) William Shakespeare
- (B) Thomas Hardy
- (C) Annie Louisa Walker
- (D) Douglas Malloch

16. The author of "Making visible the invisible" is

- (A) Kalpana Chawla
- (B) Rex Coker
- (C) Oscar Wilde
- (D) Kalpana Sharma

17. Complete the following poetic lines by choosing the correct option given below.

A child sitting under the Piano in the boom of the tingling \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) rings
- (B) strings
- (C) springs
- (D) brings

18. The distance between Nilgiris and the Himalayas is

- (A) 2400 Km
- (B) 1200 Km
- (C) 4200 Km
- (D) 3200 Km

19. \_\_\_\_\_ suffered from dyslexia and couldn't focus for too long on any one activity.
- (A) Albert Einstein
  - (B) Thomas Alva Edison
  - (C) Agatha Christie
  - (D) Leonardo da Vinci
20. "And hymns in the cosy parlour, the tinkling piano our guide"  
Here the 'parlour' is :
- (A) a room
  - (B) a hotel
  - (C) a beauty clinic
  - (D) a theatre
21. Who among the following wrote the play "The Merchant of Venice"?
- (A) D.H. Lawrence
  - (B) Robert Browning
  - (C) Kalpana Chawla
  - (D) William Shakespeare
22. "I won't look down. No I will not"  
It refers to :
- (A) a tiger
  - (B) an ant
  - (C) a giant
  - (D) a migrant bird
23. "A Race in the Space" tells about
- (A) Kalpana Chawla
  - (B) Rakesh Sharma
  - (C) A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
  - (D) Sunita Williams

24. "The highest result of education is tolerance" — Identify the speaker.
- (A) Annie Louisa Walker
  - (B) Indra Gandhi
  - (C) Helen Keller
  - (D) Sarojini Naidu
25. "Into the dreary desert sand of dead habit"  
These words occur in the poem of
- (A) Shakespeare
  - (B) V.K. Gokak
  - (C) Kamala Das
  - (D) Rabindranath Tagore
26. Gokhale's motivational speech, addressing the students was delivered in Mumbai in July
- (A) 1941
  - (B) 1945
  - (C) 1931
  - (D) 1911
27. Reaping and Singing by herself stop here, or gently pass!  
— Wrote the above poetic lines.
- (A) Norman Nicholson
  - (B) William Shakespeare
  - (C) William Wordsworth
  - (D) Douglas Malloch

28. Kalpana Chawla was born on

- (A) 1<sup>st</sup> July 1950
- (B) 1<sup>st</sup> July 1951
- (C) 1<sup>st</sup> July 1960
- (D) 1<sup>st</sup> July 1961

29. "And in the valleys I have observed your tranquility"

T refers to

- (A) D. H. Lawrence
- (B) Shakespeare
- (C) Wordsworth
- (D) Ghalil Gibran

30. "If you can't be a highway then just be a trail"

The poetic line is from the poem

- (A) You can't be that, no you can't be that
- (B) Where the mind is without fear
- (C) Be the best
- (D) The Solitary Reaper

31. Complete the following poetic line choosing from the option given below.

"There won't be any calendar, there won't be

- (A) last look
- (B) telephone book
- (C) any clock
- (D) plastic hook

32. The children entered the giant's garden through

(A) the rear gate

(B) a little hole in the wall

(C) the main gate

(D) a small gate

33. The repetition of a line or lines through a poem, at given intervals is

(A) an alliteration

(B) an oxymoron

(C) a simile

(D) a refrain

34. Choose the correct meaning of the word Underlined.

"As humble plants by country hedgerows growing that treasure up the rain" What are "humble plants"?

(A) beautiful plants

(B) ordinary plants

(C) extraordinary plants

(D) rare plants

35. In which of the poem do the following lines occur?

"Pining for a new agony, a new birth you blossomed into a nascent loveliness".

- (A) Snake
- (B) The cry of the children
- (C) English words
- (D) Manliness

36. Select the correct answer to complete the sentence from the options given below :

\_\_\_\_\_ is a long and different walk over mountains or through forests.

- (A) Trekking
- (B) Voyage
- (C) Journey
- (D) Migration

37. "Streams will flow through me, I'll be the home of eagles

I'll be full of nooks, crannies, valleys and fountains "

I am going to be \_\_\_\_\_

- (A) an ocean
- (B) a tree
- (C) a range of mountains
- (D) a bush

38. The following poetic lines are from

"We ran as if to meet the moon

That slowly dawned behind the trees"

- (A) Going for water
- (B) Shilpi
- (C) Snake
- (D) "Is life but a dream"

39. \_\_\_\_\_ is the author of the short story "Last Leaf".

- (A) O' Henry
- (B) Oscar Wilde
- (C) Guy de Maupassant
- (D) Pearl S. Buck

40. Planet X was a world of \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) Telepathists and mind-readers
- (B) Spirits and demons
- (C) Supernatural beings
- (D) Wizards and witches

41. The poet who did not win the Nobel Prize is

- (A) R. K. Narayan
- (B) Rudyard Kipling
- (C) Rabindranath Tagore
- (D) Pearl S. Buck

42. Which country does the poet H. W. Long Fellow belong to?

- (A) London
- (B) America
- (C) Africa
- (D) Europe

43. Choose the best answer given below.  
 "The reddest flower would look as pale as snow": The figure of speech used is
- (A) Personification
  - (B) Metaphor
  - (C) Oxymoron
  - (D) Simile

44. Match the following and select the answer from the codes given below:

A				B			
(a)	A Chipko Movement			1.	Charity		
(b)	Tamil Nadu Community Banking			2.	Amirta Devi		
(c)	Anita Khuswaha			3.	Chinnapillai		
(d)	Mother Teresa			4.	Girl star		
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A)	2	3	4	1			
(B)	3	4	1	2			
(C)	4	1	2	3			
(D)	1	2	3	4			

45. Which of the following is not written by an Indian Poet?

- (A) English words
- (B) The Apology
- (C) Punishment in Kindergarten
- (D) My Grandmother's house

46. Choose the correct American English word for the following British English word Autumn.

- (A) Winter
- (B) Fall
- (C) Spring
- (D) Summer

47. Who is the Indian American woman settled in America?

- (A) Edgar. A. Guest
- (C) Sunita Williams
- (B) Nakasha Ahmed
- (D) Robert Frost

48. Match the following words with their meaning and select the answer from the codes given :

- |                |                                 |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| (a) Stew       | 1. Driving or chasing away      |
| (b) Shooing    | 2. A dish of meat cooked slowly |
| (c) Hauls back | 3. A small seed                 |
| (d) Lentil     | 4. Pulls back                   |

- |   | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| (A)                                     | 2   | 4   | 1   | 3   |
| (B)                                     | 1   | 4   | 2   | 3   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (C) | 2   | 1   | 4   | 3   |
| (D)                                     | 3   | 4   | 1   | 2   |

49. The nick name of George Washington carver was

- (A) Brave hero
- (B) George the great
- (C) A challenger
- (D) The plant doctor

50. Which one of the following poems is written by Norman Nicholson?

- (A) A Psalm of Life
- (B) Off to outer space Tomorrow Morning
- (C) Laugh and be Merry
- (D) Earth

51. In whose Biography do you find this statement

"Listen to the sounds of nature. Take good care of our fragile planet"

- (A) Sunita Williams
- (B) Annie Louisa Walker
- (C) Douglas Malloch
- (D) Kalpana Chawla

52. Identify the compound word of "Adjective + Adjective".

- (A) star light (B) flash light  
(C) light sensitive  (D) light green

53. Match the given prefix in column A with the root words in column B to form a new word and mark the correct code.

	Column A		Column B	
(a)	un		1.	operation
(b)	in		2.	able
(c)	non		3.	direct
(d)	post		4.	vegetarian
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
(A)	1	4	2	3
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B)	2	3	4	1
(C)	3	2	1	4
(D)	4	1	3	2

54. Match column A with column B and select the correct code given below :

	Column A		Column B	
(a)	The elephant is bigger than any other animal		1.	superlative
(b)	No other pen is so costly as parker		2.	comparative
(c)	Akbar was the greatest mughal king		3.	positive
(d)	Silk is not as rough as cotton		4.	positive
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
(A)	4	2	1	3
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B)	2	4	1	3
(C)	3	2	4	1
(D)	3	4	1	2

55. Select the correct plural form of 'Alphabet'.

- (A) Alphabets (B) Alphabeta  
 (C) Alphabet (D) Alphabeti

56. Identify the correct sentence :

- (A) Ravi has polished his shoes yesterday
- (B) Spectator have throw the rubbish all over the field
- (C) The police have catch the thief

(D) - Leena has taken her father to the clinic

57. Fill in the blanks with correct preposition from the options given below :

The report has to be submitted ——— a week

(A) on

(B) at

(C) within

(D) of

58. Identify the sentence with 'Adjective'.

(A) Mini arrived late

(B) He ate the whole apple

(C) Ram runs fast

(D) Gopi reads clearly

59. Choose the statement that takes the question tag : 'isn't it'?

(A) This lesson was easy

(B) This lesson is not easy

(C) This lesson is easy

(D) This lesson was not easy

60. Find out the (correct sentence with) suitable verb form from the options given below :

(A) Sachin is playing cricket yesterday

(B) Sachin will be playing cricket yesterday

(C) Sachin has been playing cricket yesterday

(D) Sachin was playing cricket yesterday

61. Choose the correct pair of homophones to complete the following sentence :  
 The thief broke open the \_\_\_\_\_ almira to \_\_\_\_\_ the jewels.
- (A) lone – loan  
 (B) steel – steal  
 (C) bear – bare  
 (D) role – roll

62. Match the following phrases with their meanings and select the answer from the codes given below :

Phrases		Meanings	
(a)	come back to	1.	to lead to a final result
(b)	come down to	2.	to climb
(c)	come along	3.	to return to
(d)	come up	4.	to go with someone

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
(A)	3	4	2	1
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B)	3	1	4	2
(C)	4	3	1	2
(D)	2	4	1	3

63. Match the following words with the suitable meaning and mark the correct code given below :

(a)	Stooping	1.	Making continuous low sound
(b)	Drooping	2.	Expression of pain
(c)	Droning	3.	Closing due to tiredness
(d)	Moaning	4.	Bending forward

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A)	4	3	1	2
(B)	3	1	2	4
(C)	2	1	3	4
(D)	4	2	1	3

64. Find out the correct compound word for Gerund + Noun from the options given below :

(A)	Sun rise	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B)	Washing machine
(C)	Fast food	(D)	Cat walking

65. Identify the poet who wrote the following lines :  
 "If this be error and upon me prov'd  
 I never writ, nor no man ever lov'd."  
 (A) Walt Whitman (B) William Wordsworth  
~~(C)~~ William Shakespeare (D) H.W. Longfellow
66. Read the passage and select the correct statement :  
 "... Music is not part of " arts and entertainment"  
 .... It is not a luxury, a lavish thing..."  
 (A) Music is not essential (B) Music is an entertainment  
 (C) Music is a pastime ~~(D)~~ Music is indispensable
67. Fill in the blank with the correct answer from the following options :  
 "The well was dry beside the door, And so we went with pail and can"  
 These are the lines of  
 (A) D.H. Lawrence (B) Paul Holmes  
 (C) Rudyard Kipling ~~(D)~~ Robert Frost
68. "Rich in traditions the ancient temple town has acquired its very own mythologies, evolving its own customs and festivals"  
 The town mentioned here is  
 (A) Thanjavur (B) Chennai  
~~(C)~~ Madurai (D) Delhi
69. Among the following poems which one is written by Walt Whitman.  
 (A) The Solitary Reaper ~~(B)~~ O Captain! My Captain  
 (C) Be the best (D) Sonnet No : 116
70. Dr. Karl Paulnack, the director of the music division, is a  
 (A) Guitarist (B) Violinist  
~~(C)~~ Pianist (D) Cellist

71. "To India – My Native Land" was written by
- (A) Leslie Norris
  - (B) David Roth
  - (C) Anonymous
  - (D) Henry Louis Vivian Derozio
72. "If the women of Asia wake up they will dazzle the world".  
Who said these words?
- (A) Julius Caesar
  - (B) Jawaharlal Nehru
  - (C) Mother Teresa
  - (D) Mahatma Gandhi
73. The author of "MIGRANT BIRD" is
- (A) Famida. Y. Basheer
  - (B) Robert Frost
  - (C) Elizabeth Barrett Browning
  - (D) Rudyard Kipling
74. Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam served as the 11<sup>th</sup> President of India from the period :
- (A) 2001 to 2006
  - (B) 2002 to 2005
  - (C) 2002 to 2007
  - (D) 2003 to 2008
75. The poem "A Psalm of life" underlines the need of :
- (A) Nationalism
  - (B) Patriotism
  - (C) Optimism
  - (D) Pessimism

76. "Are we discouraged, W?  
Of course we are not O!"  
'O' – here stands for
- (A) Oscar Wilde
  - (B) Orville Wright
  - (C) O' Henry
  - (D) Obama
77. Replace the underlined British word with its American equivalent.  
Vidhya is eating Chips.
- (A) Snacks
  - (B) French Fries
  - (C) Cookies
  - (D) Candies
78. Identify the poetic line that differs from others :
- (A) If you can't be a bush, be a bit of the grass
  - (B) Guesting a while in the rooms of a beautiful inn
  - (C) O ye wheels . . . . stop! Be silent for today!
  - (D) The globe's my world, the cloud is my kin
79. "The feet of God when he journeyed from the East to the West of the Universe".  
Mention the poem in which the above lines appear?
- (A) where the mind is without fear
  - (B) The psalm of life
  - (C) Earth
  - (D) The Apology

80. The poem "Earth" is taken from a collection of poems entitled
- (A) The cry of the children
  - (B) Punishment in Kindergarten
  - (C) The Eye of the Prophet
  - (D) Going for water
81. Alliteration is the use of the same \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ at the beginning of words that are close together.
- (A) Vowels or consonants
  - (B) Letters or sound
  - (C) Syllables or nouns
  - (D) Sounds or syllables
82. \_\_\_\_\_ is a room in a private house for sitting or entertaining visitors.
- (A) Kitchen
  - (B) Rest room
  - (C) Parlour
  - (D) Dining room
83. "He hears the last voice at night". This line occurs in
- (A) A Tiger in the Zoo
  - (B) To India – My Native Land
  - (C) Nine Gold Medals
  - (D) Footprints

84. Match the following British English words in Column A with the relevant American words in Column B

Column A		Column B	
(a)	tap	1.	gasoline
(b)	petrol	2.	fall
(c)	autumn	3.	cab
(d)	taxi	4.	faucet

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A)	4	1	2	3
(B)	1	4	2	3
(C)	1	2	3	4
(D)	3	1	4	2

85. The twin towers of the World Trade Centre in New York USA was attacked and destroyed on

- (A) August 21, 2001
- (B) September 11, 2001
- (C) September 21, 2001
- (D) August 11, 2001

86. Read the passage and select the correct sentence from the options given :

"..... The stronger, the firmer and nobler it is, the better work you will do for the country".

- (A) knowledge makes you do the better work
- (B) character makes you do the better work
- (C) a teacher makes you do the better work
- (D) the Government makes you do the better work

87. Match the following poetic lines in Column A with the poets in Column B and select the correct option :

Column A

Column B

- |   |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| (a) Exult, O shores ! and ring, O bells | 1. William Wordsworth |
| (b) Be the best of whatever you are!    | 2. Lewis Carroll      |
| (c) Echoes fade and memories die        | 3. Douglas Malloch    |
| (d) I saw her singing at her work       | 4. Walt Whitman       |

(a)      (b)      (c)      (d)

- (A) 4      3      2      1
- (B) 3      2      1      4
- (C) 2      1      3      4
- (D) 1      2      3      4

88. Choose the best answer and complete the sentence.

The first collected edition of Shakespeare's sonnets appeared in

- (A) 1609
- (B) 1611
- (C) 1671
- (D) 1680

89. Suddenly ————— sprang up, offering to demonstrate a few magic tricks to the family
- (A) Mom
  - (B) Shelly
  - (C) Celine
  - (D) Hubert
90. Which state does the poet, Kamala Das belong to
- (A) Tamilnadu
  - (B) Kerala
  - (C) Maharashtra
  - (D) Karnataka
91. Pick out William Wordsworth's poem.
- (A) Manliness
  - (B) The Solitary Reaper
  - (C) Migrant Bird
  - (D) Be the Best
92. Choose the option that completes the given sentence :
- H.W. Longfellow's 'A Psalm of life' is taken from
- (A) Hiawatha
  - (B) Voices of the Night
  - (C) Ballads
  - (D) Evangeline

93. 'How I wish I could be like that girl'. This line occurs in "\_\_\_\_\_"

- (A) "The Wooden Bowl"
- (B) "A Mother's Day Gift"
- (C) "The Power of Laughter"
- (D) "The Unforgettable Johnny"

94. Which one of the following is written by Walt Whitman?

- (A) A Psalm of Life
- (B) The Man He Killed
- (C) Sonnet: 116
- (D) O' Captain! My Captain!

95. Match the story title with the characters:-

A		B	
(a) Antonio		1. Farmer	
(b) Kesavan Nair		2. Mercy and Justice	
(c) Phatik Chakravarthi		3. Necklace	
(d) Metilda		4. Holiday	

- |   | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| (A)                                     | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B) | 2   | 1   | 4   | 3   |
| (C)                                     | 4   | 1   | 3   | 2   |
| (D)                                     | 3   | 1   | 4   | 2   |

96. Manohar Devadoss is \_\_\_\_\_ by profession.

- (A) A historian (B) A doctor  
(C) A player  (D) A scientist

97. Match the short stories under Column A with their authors under Column B and choose the correct code

Column A		Column B	
(a) Swept Away		1. O' Henry	
(b) The Last Leaf		2. Oscar wilde	
(c) Caught Sneezing		3. Saki	
(d) The Open Window		4. Susannah Hickling	

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (A) 4	1	2	3
(B) 3	2	1	4
(C) 1	3	2	4
(D) 4	2	1	3

98. The software JAWS can convert any printed material into

- (A) Voice (B) Music  
(C) Book (D) Picture

99. Fill in the blank choosing the correct answer given below :

The three animals complained about the indifference of the Camel to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) God (B) The king of animals  
(C) A Lion  (D) The Djinn

100. 'Egret' is a name of \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) A Dog (B) A Flower  
 (C) A Bird (D) A Plant

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அனுமதிக்கப்பட்டுள்ள நேரம் : 3 மணி]

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வினாக்களுக்கு பதிலளிக்குமுன் கீழ்க்கண்ட அறிவுரைகளை கவனமாகப் படிக்கவும்

## முக்கிய அறிவுரைகள்

- இந்த வினாத் தொகுப்பு ஒரு மேலுறையை (இந்த பக்கத்தை)க் கொண்டுள்ளது. தேர்வு தொடங்கும் நேரத்தில் வினாத்தொகுப்பைத் திறக்கும்படி கண்காணிப்பாளர் கூறும் வரையில் மேலுறையைத் திறக்கக் கூடாது. வினாத்தொகுப்பைத் திறக்கும்படியான செய்கை கண்காணிப்பாளரிடமிருந்து பெற்றவுடன் மேலுறையின் வலதுபுறத்தை கவனமாக கிழித்துத் திறக்க வேண்டும். அதன்பின் கேள்விகளுக்கு விடையளிக்கத் தொடங்கலாம்.
  - இந்த வினாத் தொகுப்பு 200 வினாக்களைக் கொண்டுள்ளது. விடையளிக்க தொடங்குமுன் இவ்வினாத்தொகுப்பில் எல்லா வினாக்களும் விடுபடாமல் வரிசையாக இடம் பெற்றுள்ளனவா என்பதையும், இடையில் ஏதேனும் வெற்றுத்தாள்கள் உள்ளவா என்பதையும் சரிபார்த்துக் கொள்ளவும். ஏதேனும் குறைபாடு இருப்பின், அதனை பத்து நிமிடங்களுக்குள் அறை கண்காணிப்பாளரிடம் தெரிவிக்கவும்.
  - எல்லா வினாக்களுக்கும் விடையளிக்கவும். எல்லா வினாக்களும் சமமான மதிப்பெண்கள் கொண்டவை.
  - உங்களுடைய பதிவு எண்ணை இந்தப் பக்கத்தின் வலது மேல் மூலையில் அதற்கென அமைந்துள்ள இடத்தில் நீங்கள் எழுத வேண்டும். வேறு எதையும் வினாத் தொகுப்பில் எழுதக் கூடாது.
  - விடைகளைக் குறித்துக் காட்ட என, விடைத்தாள் ஒன்று உங்களுக்கு கண்காணிப்பாளரால் தனியாகத் தரப்படும்.
  - உங்களுடைய பதிவு எண், தேர்வு பாடக் குறியீடு மற்றும் வினாத்தொகுப்பு வரிசை எண் (Sl. No.) முதலியவற்றை விடைத்தாளின் இரண்டாம் பக்கத்தில் அவைகளுக்காக அமைந்துள்ள இடங்களில் நீலம் அல்லது கருமை நிற மையுடைய பந்துமுனைப் பேனாவினால் குறித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டும். மேற்கண்ட விவரங்களை விடைத்தாளில் நீங்கள் குறித்துக் காட்டத் தவறினால் தேர்வாணைய அறிவிக்கையில் குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளவாறு நடவடிக்கை மேற்கொள்ளப்படும்.
  - ஒவ்வொரு வினாவும் (A), (B), (C) மற்றும் (D) என நான்கு விடைகளைக் கொண்டுள்ளது. நீங்கள் அவைகளில் ஒரே ஒரு சரியான விடையைத் தேர்வு செய்து விடைத்தாளில் குறித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டும். ஒன்றுக்கு மேற்பட்ட சரியான விடைகள் ஒரு கேள்விக்கு இருப்பதாகக் கருதினால் நீங்கள் மிகச் சரியானது என்று எதைக் கருதுகிறீர்களோ அந்த விடையை விடைத்தாளில் குறித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டும். எப்படியாயினும் ஒரு கேள்விக்கு ஒரே ஒரு விடையைத்தான் தேர்ந்தெடுக்க வேண்டும். உங்களுடைய மொத்த மதிப்பெண்கள் நீங்கள் விடைத்தாளில் குறித்துக் காட்டும் சரியான விடைகளின் எண்ணிக்கையைப் பொறுத்தது.
  - விடைத்தாளில் ஒவ்வொரு கேள்வி எண்ணிற்கும் எதிரில் (A) (B) (C) மற்றும் (D) என நான்கு விடை வட்டங்கள் உள்ளன. ஒரு கேள்விக்கு விடையளிக்க நீங்கள் சரியென கருதும் விடையை ஒரே ஒரு விடை வட்டத்தில் மட்டும் நீலம் அல்லது கருமை நிறமையுடைய பந்து முனைப் பேனாவினால் குறித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டும். ஒவ்வொரு கேள்விக்கும் ஒரு விடையைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்து விடைத்தாளில் குறிக்க வேண்டும். ஒரு கேள்விக்கு ஒன்றுக்கு மேற்பட்ட விடையளித்தால் அந்த விடை தவறானதாக கருதப்படும். உதாரணமாக நீங்கள் (B) என்பதை சரியான விடையாகக் கருதினால் அதை பின்வருமாறு குறித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டும்.
- (A) ● (C) (D)
- நீங்கள் வினாத் தொகுப்பின் எந்தப் பக்கத்தையும் நீக்கவோ அல்லது சிழிக்கவோ கூடாது. தேர்வு நேரத்தில் இந்த வினாத் தொகுப்பினையோ அல்லது விடைத்தாளையோ தேர்வுக் கூடத்தை விட்டு வெளியில் எடுத்துச் செல்லக்கூடாது. தேர்வு முடிந்தபின் நீங்கள் உங்களுடைய விடைத்தாளைக் கண்காணிப்பாளரிடம் கொடுத்து விட வேண்டும். இவ்வினாத் தொகுப்பினைத் தேர்வு முடிந்தவுடன் நீங்கள் உங்களுடன் எடுத்துச் செல்லலாம்.
  - குறிப்புகள் எழுதிப் பார்ப்பதற்கு வினாத் தொகுப்பின் கடைசி பக்கத்திற்கு முன்பக்கத்தை உபயோகித்துக் கொள்ளலாம்.
  - மேற்கண்ட விதிகளில் எதையாவது மீறினால் தேர்வாணையம் முடிவெடுக்கும் நடவடிக்கைகளுக்கு உள்ளாக நேரிடும் என அறிவுறுத்தப்படுகிறது.
  - 101 முதல் 200 வரையிலான வினாக்களில் ஆங்கில வடிவில் கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள குறிப்புகள்தான் முடிவானதாகும்.
  - வினாத் தொகுப்பில் விடையை குறியிடவோ, குறிப்பிட்டுக் காட்டவோ கூடாது.