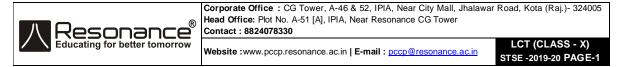


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For Question Nos. 1 & 2 : Choose the correct part of speech of the underlined word:

1.	My parents were widely regarded as an ideal couple.			
	(1) adverb	(2) verb	(3) adjective	(4) noun
	Answer (1)			
2.	Can education destroy	caste?		
	(1) verb	(2) noun	(3) adverb	(4) adjective
	Answer (2)			
For Qu	estion Nos. 3 & 4	: Fill in the blanks with	correct preposition:	
3.	I cut vegetables	a knife.		
	(1) on	(2) with	(3) off	(4) by
	Answer (2)			
4.	He wentYokoha	ama to Vancouver.		
	(1) from	(2) in	(3) by	(4) on.
	Answer (1)			
For Qu	uestion Nos. 5 & 6 Choo	ose the correct sequence	of the following phrases	:
5.	(A) democracy is			
	(B) a Republic as well a	as form		
	(C) quite different from			
	(D) parliamentary gove	rnment.		
	(1) ABCD	(2) BCAD	(3) CDAB	(4) ACBD
	Answer (4)			
6.	(A) on Monday,			
	(B) the parliament was	opened		
	(C) the first session of			
	(D) 11 September 1893	3		
	(1) ABCD	(2) ABDC	(3) ADCB	(4) ACDB
	Answer (3)			



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For Question Nos. 7 & 8: Select the correct order of the sentence:						
7.	the devil	of cold	<u>die</u>		let	
	1	2	3		4	
	(1) 1,2,3,4		(2) 4,1,3,2		(3) 4,3,2,1	(4) 2,1,3,4
	Answer (2)					
8.	<u>all life</u> of	water	the basis	<u>is</u>		
	1 2	3	4	5		
	(1) 3,5,4,2,1		(2) 1,2,3,4,5		(3) 3,2,1,4,5	(4) 4,3,2,1,5
	Answer (1)					
9.	'Exhausted ' m	leans				
	(1) happy		(2) tired		(3) sad	(4) painful
	Answer (2)					
10.	The nearest w	ord to the	meaning of 'co	smos' is	;	
	(1) the earth		(2) the heaven		(3) the sky	(4) the universe
	Answer (4)					
11.	The word oppo	osite to the	e meaning of 's	trength'	is	
	(1) happiness		(2) melancholy		(3) weakness	(4) greatness
	Answer (3)					
12.	The word oppo	osite to the	e meaning of "m	nodern"	is	
	(1) patient		(2) not young		(3) ancient	(4) present
	Answer (3)					
13.	A large pile of	wood for k	ourning a dead	body is		
	(1) pyre		(2) heap		(3) mountain	(4) collection
	Answer (1)					
14.	One who studi	es rocks a	and soil that ma	ike up th	e earth is called	
	(1) zoologist		(2) cardiologist		(3) biologist	(4) geologist
	Answer (4)					
For Question Nos. 15 & 16: Fill in the blanks with correct article:						
15.	I saw	one e	eyed man yeste	erday.		
	(1) an		(2) a		(3) the	(4) x (no article)
	Answer (2)					



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16.	16. Kalidas isShakespeare of Sanskrit literature.						
	(1) the	(2) a	(3) an	(4) x (no article)			
	Answer (1)						
For G	Question Nos. 17 & 20:	Choose the correct form	of verb to fill in the b	blanks:			
17.	When wethe	e bank, it had already clos	sed.				
	(1) reach	(2) are reaching	(3) reached	(4) were reaching			
	Answer (3)						
18.	The moon	round the sun.					
	(1) goes	(2) go	(3) is going	(4) was going			
	Answer (1)						
19.	Rajathe road	when a taxi knocked him	n down.				
	(1) was crossing	(2) is crossing	(3) had crossed	(4) crosses.			
	Answer (1)						
20.	The terrorists	The terroristsfive innocent people last Sunday.					
	(1) kills	(2) kill	(3) killing	(4) killed			
	Answer (4)						
For C	Question Nos. 21 & 22:	Choose the correctly pur	nctuated sentence:				
21.	(1) Granny said don'i	cover your face.					
	(2) "Granny said", do	n't cover your face.					
	(3) Granny said, don	t cover your face?					
	(4) Granny said, "Do	n't cover your face.					
	Answer (4)						
22.	(1) Where is the hear	rt gone?					
	(2) where is the Hear	t gone?					
	(3) Where is the hear	rt gone.					
	(4) where is the hear	t gone?					
	Answer (1)						
For G	Question Nos. 23 & 24:	Fill in the blanks with cor	rect alternative:				
23.	If had gone to Kota, Ithe Chambal Dam.						
	(1) saw	(2) would have seen	(3) see (4) will see			
	Answer (2)						



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24. Were I you, Ithis proposal.								
	(1) would reject	(2) reject	(3) rejected	(4) will reject.				
	Answer (1)							
For Q	For Question Nos. 25 & 26: Choose the right question tag:							
25.	Rashmika is very hon	est,?						
	(1) aren't she	(2) wasn't she	(3) isn't she	(4) weren't she.				
	Answer (3)							
26.	The children fly kites,	?						
	(1) don't they	(2) aren't they	(3) doesn't the	y (4) weren't they				
	Answer (1)							
For Q	uestion Nos. 27 & 28:	Choose the right spelt wo	rd:					
27.	(1) ritaonal	(2) rationel	(3) ratoinal	(4) rational				
	Answer (4)							
28.	(1) cultavation	(2) cultivation	(3) cultivition	(4) cultivation				
	Answer (2)							
For Q	uestion Nos. 29 & 30:	Choose the correct phras	al verb for under	lined words:				
29.	The princess had <u>pos</u>	t <u>poned</u> her decision until	the last moment.					
	(1) put off	(2) put on	(3) put into	(4) put down				
	Answer (1)							
30.	We must <u>trust in</u> God.							
	(1) rely on	(2) rely upon	(3) rely off	(4) rely of.				
	Answer (1)							
For Question Nos. 31 & 32: Choose the correct reported speech:								
31.	"Neeta said to Seeta,'	' Who are you?						
	(1) Neeta said to Seet	ta who are you?						
	(2) Neeta said to Seet	ta who she was.						
	(3) Neeta asked Seeta	a who she was.						
	(4) Neeta told Seeta v	vho she was.						

Answer (3)



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32.	Vidya said to me,	"Thank you".		
	(1) Vidya thanks r	ne.		
	(2) Vidya thanks y	/ou.		
	(3) Vidhya thanke	d you.		
	(4) Vidya told me	thank you.		
	Answer (3)			
For C	Question Nos. 33 &	34: Choose the correct pa	issive:	
33.	Yogita has written	n a poem.		
	(1) A poem has be	een written by Yogita.		
	(2) A poem was w	vritten by Yogita		
	(3) A poem have I	been written by Yogita.		
	(4) A peom is writ	ten by Yogita.		
	Answer (1)			
34.	They help me.			
	(1) I was helped b	by them.		
	(2) I have been he	elped by them.		
	(3) I is helped by t	them.		
	(4) I am helped by	y them.		
	Answer (2)			
For C	Question Nos. 35 & 3	36 : Choose the appropria	ite modals:	
35.	you liv	ve long ! (wish) .		
	(1) can	(2) May	(3) Will	(4) Would
	Answer (2)			
36.	I ran as fast as I	(past ability)	
	(1) would	(2) can	(3) could	(4) will
	Answer (3)			
For C	Question Nos. 37 &	38 : Choose the correct co	onnective :	
37.	had th	e police arrived when the	thieves ran away.	
	(1) Hardly	(2) No sooner	(3) As	(4) Though.



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38.	Radha is richshe is miser.					
	(1) as	(2) so	(3) or	(4) but		
	Answer (4)					
For Q	uestion Nos.	39 & 40 : Choose the correc	t relative pronoun:			
39.	We like the	teachersalways	help the students.			
	(1) whose	(2) who	(3) whom	(4) which		
	Answer (2)					
40.	The bronze	statueI saw in	the musem has been s	tolen.		
	(1) who	(2) whom	(3) whose	(4) which		
	Answer (4)					

