

Combined Higher Secondary Level Examination 2019 Tier I

Section : English Language (Basic Knowledge)

Q.1 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in direct speech.

Bharati told Rakesh to call her when he reached there.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. "Call her when you have reached here", Bharati told Rakesh.
 - ☒ 2. "Call me when you reached there", Bharati says to Rakesh.
 - ☒ 3. "Call him when you are reaching there", Bharati told Rakesh.
 - ☒ 4. "Call me when you reach there", Bharati told Rakesh.

Question ID : 8161612334

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

Q.2 Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiom in the given sentence.

To restart his cash-strapped company he decided to apply for a bank loan.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. expensive
 - ☒ 2. improving
 - ☒ 3. impoverished
 - ☒ 4. expanding

Question ID : 8161612349

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

Q.3 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No improvement.

Gitanjali did not had school yesterday because it was a second Saturday.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. No improvement
 - ☒ 2. does not have
 - ☒ 3. did not have
 - ☒ 4. was not having

Question ID : 8161612345

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

Q.4 Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.

Around one hundred _____ across the world participated in the conference.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. delegates
 - ☐ 2. intelligent
 - ☐ 3. talents
 - ☐ 4. clever

Question ID : 8161612357

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

Champaner-Pavagadh Archaeological Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, is located in Panchmahal district in Gujarat, India. (1)_____ is situated near the historical (2)_____ of Champaner, a city which was founded by Vanraj Chavda, the (3)_____ prominent king of the Chavda Dynasty, in the 8th century. He named it (4)_____ the name of his friend and general Champa, also known later as Champaraj. The heritage site is dotted with forts with bastions ranging (5)_____ the hills of Pavagadh, and extending into the city of Champaner.

SubQuestion No : 5

Q.5 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Which
 - ☒ 2. It
 - ☐ 3. They
 - ☐ 4. That

Question ID : 8161612338

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 6

Q.6 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. garden
 - ☐ 2. fort
 - ☒ 3. city
 - ☐ 4. tower

Question ID : 8161612339

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1

Comprehension:

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SubQuestion No : 7

Q.7 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. more
 - ☒ 2. main
 - ☒ 3. most
 - ☒ 4. chief

Question ID : 8161612340

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 3

Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

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SubQuestion No : 8

Q.8 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. on
 - ☒ 2. from
 - ☒ 3. at
 - ☒ 4. after

Question ID : 8161612341

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4


Comprehension:

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given. Select the most appropriate option for each blank.

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SubQuestion No : 9





Q.9 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

- Ans  1. from
 2. above
 3. away
 4. to

Question ID : **8161612342**
Status : **Answered**
Chosen Option : **1**

Q.10 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

Act of giving up the throne

- Ans  1. Abdication
 2. Abandonment
 3. Renunciation
 4. Resignation

Question ID : **8161612354**
Status : **Answered**
Chosen Option : **1**

Q.11 Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.

A person who is blamed for something that someone else has done

- Ans  1. Competitor
 2. Scapegoat
 3. Enemy
 4. Opponent

Question ID : **8161612353**
Status : **Answered**
Chosen Option : **2**

Q.12 Identify the segment in the sentence, which contains the grammatical error.

Yesterday I searched in every my cupboard for the shirt I couldn't find.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. in every my cupboard
 - ☐ 2. I couldn't find
 - ☐ 3. for the shirt
 - ☐ 4. Yesterday I searched

Question ID : 8161612336
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.13 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

NEAT

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Messy
 - ☐ 2. Sharp
 - ☐ 3. Strong
 - ☐ 4. Clear

Question ID : 8161612347
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 1

Q.14 Select the correctly spelt word.

- Ans
- ☐ 1. Wisdum
 - ☒ 2. Witness
 - ☐ 3. Wimper
 - ☐ 4. Welth

Question ID : 8161612351
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.15 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

RESPONSIBLE

- Ans
- ☐ 1. disresponsible
 - ☐ 2. unresponsible
 - ☐ 3. illresponsible
 - ☒ 4. irresponsible

Question ID : 8161612348
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 4

Q.16 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

MANDIBLE

- Ans ☒ 1. Jaw
☐ 2. Human
☐ 3. Glory
☐ 4. Praise

Question ID : 8161612356

Status : Not Attempted and
Marked For Review

Chosen Option : --

Q.17 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No improvement.

The firing of the missile not only killed innocent persons and also created political furore.

- Ans ☐ 1. No improvement
☒ 2. not only killed innocent persons but also
☐ 3. but killed innocent person and also
☐ 4. not only kill innocent persons and also

Question ID : 8161612346

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.18 Select the most appropriate meaning of the idiom.

Pull yourself together

- Ans ☐ 1. Use a rope ladder
☒ 2. Regain composure
☐ 3. Talk about fitness
☐ 4. Be friendly with everyone

Question ID : 8161612350

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.19 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

Sujata shared the results of her experiment with her colleagues.

- Ans ☐ 1. Her colleagues shared the results of her experiment with Sujata.
☐ 2. The results of her experiment are being shared with her colleagues by Sujata.
☐ 3. The results of her experiment can be shared with her colleagues by Sujata.
☒ 4. The results of her experiment were shared with her colleagues by Sujata.

Question ID : 8161612333

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

Q.20 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options pick the one that gives their correct order.





- A. Then he would give one leap, two leaps, through the snow, and sit up again on his hind legs and look all around.
- B. A grey hare lived in the woods near a village.
- C. Then he would prick up the other, jerk his whiskers, snuff, and sit up on his hind legs.
- D. During the winter, when night came, he would prick up one ear and listen.

- Ans
-  1. BCDA
 -  2. BDCA
 -  3. ABCD
 -  4. CDBA

Question ID : 8161612343
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.21 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.



AURA

- Ans
-  1. Shriek
 -  2. Noise
 -  3. Colour
 -  4. Halo

Question ID : 8161612355
Status : Not Attempted and Marked For Review
Chosen Option : --

Q.22 Given below are four jumbled sentences. Out of the given options pick the one that gives their correct order.

- A. According to the EPR, the corporation expects such manufacturers to develop a collect back system for plastic waste.
- B. The Municipal Corporation has introduced the extended producers responsibility (EPR) for producers and generators of plastic waste.
- C. The producers are persons engaged in manufacture, or import of carry bags, multi-layered packaging and sheets, and persons using them.
- D. They must formulate a plan to collect re-usable waste generated from their products within a prescribed timeframe.

- Ans
-  1. DBCA
 -  2. BCAD
 -  3. CADB
 -  4. ACBD

Question ID : 8161612344
Status : Answered
Chosen Option : 2

Q.23 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Belligerent
 - ☒ 2. Pharmaceutical
 - ☒ 3. Trousseau
 - ☒ 4. Tumultuous

Question ID : 8161612352

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 4

Q.24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

According to experts, some sectors remain _____ during these difficult times, including banking and financial services, FMCG, food and technology.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. redundant
 - ☒ 2. resilient
 - ☒ 3. repentant
 - ☒ 4. repugnant

Question ID : 8161612358

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 2

Q.25 Identify the segment in the sentence, which contains the grammatical error.

Despite of her tiredness Meera went into the kitchen to make some dinner for the children.

- Ans
- ☒ 1. Despite of her tiredness
 - ☒ 2. Meera went into the kitchen
 - ☒ 3. to make some dinner
 - ☒ 4. for the children

Question ID : 8161612335

Status : Answered

Chosen Option : 1