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

Work and domestic $\qquad$ made Kajal short-tempered.

Ans

1. pressures
2. weights
3. gravities
4. forces
Q. 2 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in passive voice.

The invigilator is advising the students not to carry calculators into the examination hall.

Ans $\quad$ 1. The students have been advised not to carry calculators into the examination hall by the invigilator.
X 2. The students were advised not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
X 3. The students were advised the invigilator not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
4. The students are being advised by the invigilator not to carry calculators into the examination hall.
Q. 3 Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank.

India is formally moving ahead to $\qquad$ 21 MIG-29 and 12 Sukhoi-30MKI fighters from Russia along with upgrades of their existing fleets.

Ans
X 1. accomplish
X 2. achieve
X 3. advance
4. procure
Q. 4 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

## Seize

Ans
X1. Snatch
2. Catch
3. Grab
4. Loosen
Q. 5 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Bang for the buck
Ans
$X$ 1. A sorrowful heart
$X$ 2. Dash against something
X 3. Less value for money
4. More value for money
Q. 6 The following sentence has been split into four segments. Identify the segment that contains a grammatical error.

Had you / not reached in time, / we will have / lost our lives.
Ans
$X 1$. Had you
$X$ 2. lost our lives
3. not reached in time
4. we will have
Q. 7 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Generic
Ans
$X 1$. Definite
2. Specific
3. Precise
4. Universal
Q. 8 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution'.

While washing your hands, rub them together for 20 seconds to remove the microbes on them.

Ans
$X$ 1. the microbes on their
$X$ 2. the microbes on those
3. No substitution
$X$ 4. the microbes on they
Q. 9 Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the right order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. When we got near, we saw it was the steam rising from hot springs.
B. We saw in the distance a great column of smoke.
C. We wondered if it came from a chimney or a burning house.
D. We thought of taking a bath in the hot water.

Ans $\quad \times 1$. ACDB
X 2. BCDA
X 3.ABCD
4. BCAD
Q. 10 The following sentence has been divided into parts. One of them contains an error.

Select the part that contains the error from the given options.
You must avoid riding in a crowded bus / or travelling in a metro / during rush hour / as both are quiet unpleasant experiences.
Ans
$X$ 1. You must avoid riding in a crowded bus
$X$ 2. during rush hour
3. as both are quiet unpleasant experiences

X 4. or travelling in a metro
Q. 11 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A herd or flock of animals being driven in a body
Ans $\mathbf{X}$ 1. Throng
$X$ 2. Cluster
X 3. Crowd
4. Drove
Q. 12 Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.

Gradual
Ans

1. Abrupt
$X$ 2. Regular
$X$ 3. Gentle
$\times 4$. Slow
Q. 13 Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If no substitution is required, select 'No substitution'.

The toy drummer plays the drum if you press the button at the back.
Ans

1. played the drum if you are pressing
2. No substitution

X 3. will play the drum if you will press
X 4. playing the drum if you pressed

## Q. 14 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans
X 1. Specified
2. Decrease

Х 3. Creature
4. Pieceful
Q. 15 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A group of three novels or plays, each complete in itself
Ans
X 1. Triplet
Х 2. Triumvir
3. Trilogy

X 4. Trivet
Q. 16 Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.

Regime
Ans
X 1. Space
X 2. Country
3. Rule

X 4. Territory
Q. 17 Select the option that expresses the given sentence in indirect speech.
"Everything is going to be alright," said the doctor.
Ans $\quad$ 1. The doctor said that everything will be alright.
2. The doctor said that everything was going to be alright.

X 3. The doctor said that everything is going to be alright.
4. The doctor said that everything are going to be alright.
Q. 18 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Raise the bar
Ans
Х 1. To raise the price
X 2. To win a competition
> 3. To grow taller
4. To set higher goals

## Q. 19 Select the INCORRECTLY spelt word.

Ans $\quad$ 1. Exterminated
2. Voilence

X 3. Unmanageable
X 4. Wildernesses
Q. 20 Sentences of a paragraph are given below in jumbled order. Arrange the sentences in the right order to form a meaningful and coherent paragraph.
A. But the eagle, in wrath, gave the beetle a flap of his wing, and straightaway seized upon the hare and devoured him.
B. The beetle therefore interceded with the eagle, begging of him not to kill the poor suppliant, and pleaded with him not to kill so small an animal.
C. When the eagle flew away, the beetle flew after him, to learn where his nest was.
D. A hare, being pursued by an eagle, took himself for refuge to the nest of a beetle, whom he begged to save him.
Ans
X 1. CBAD
X 2. DCAB
×3. ACDB
4. DBAC

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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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(2) $\qquad$ 700 to 1,500 metres above sea level. Due (3) $\qquad$ their small size, they can get larger nutrients (4) $\qquad$ regular honeybees. It has a tangy/sour taste and can (5) $\qquad$ your sore throat in a matter of minutes.

SubQuestion No : 21
Q. 21 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 1.

Ans
$X$ 1. through
$\times 2$. with
3. by
$\times 4$. of

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SubQuestion No: 22
Q. 22 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 2.

Ans $X$ 1. midst
$X$ 2. among
3. between

X 4. after

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SubQuestion No : 23
Q. 23 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 3.

Ans
X 1. for
2. to
$\times 3$. at
X4. of

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SubQuestion No: $\mathbf{2 4}$
Q. 24 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 4.

Ans $\quad \times 1$. and
2. than
$X$ 3. then
$X$ 4. though

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SubQuestion No: 25
Q. 25 Select the most appropriate option to fill in blank number 5.

Ans
X 1. appease
X 2. calm
X 3. pacify

- 4. soothe

