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1. पंजीयन सं.
(Reg. No.)

2. पंजीयन वर्ष
(Reg. Year)

3. रोल कोड
(Roll Code.)

4. रोल नं०
(Roll No.)

5. लिपि (Script)

6. तिथि (Date)

7. दिव्यांग
(Divyang)

Yes ☐ No ☐

खण्ड-A						खण्ड-B		
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खण्ड-A कुल प्राप्तांक = योग (क) + योग (ख) =

खण्ड-B कुल प्राप्तांक

खण्ड-C			खण्ड-D			प्राप्तांक :	
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	दहाई	इकाई		दहाई	इकाई	खण्ड-B	→
39			47			खण्ड-C	→
40			48			खण्ड-D	→
41			49			कुल प्राप्तांक =	
42			50			अंकों में	
43			51			शब्दों में	
44			52				
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46			x	x	x		
कुल			कुल				

खण्ड-C कुल प्राप्तांक

खण्ड-D कुल प्राप्तांक

प्रधान परीक्षक का पूर्ण हस्ताक्षर एवं मुहर
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कोड नं०

परीक्षक का पूर्ण हस्ताक्षर एवं मुहर
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कोड नं०

1. Read the passage given below carefully and choose the correct options to answer the questions :

The River Ganga is one of the most important rivers of India. It begins in the Himalayas at a place called Gangotri and flows through many states before reaching the Bay of Bengal. The Ganga provides water for drinking, farming, and industries. Many cities like Varanasi, Patna, and Kolkata are located on its banks. The river is also holy for Hindus, who believe it is a symbol of purity. Every year, thousands of pilgrims visit places along the Ganga to take a holy dip. However, pollution of the river has become a serious problem. The government has started programs like "Namami Gange" to clean and protect the river.

Where does the river Ganga begin ?

- (a) Patna (b) Bay of Bengal (c) Gangotri (d) Kolkata

Correct Answer : (c) Gangotri

2. Which is not a city on the banks of the Ganga ?

- (a) Varanasi (b) Mumbai (c) Kolkata (d) Patna

Correct Answer : (b) Mumbai

3. Why do pilgrims visit the Ganga ?

- (a) For bathing (b) To see mountains (c) To take a holy dip (d) To collect sand

Correct Answer : (c) To take a holy dip

4. What problem is mentioned in the passage ?

- (a) Floods (b) Draught (c) Pollution of the river (d) Lack of water

Correct Answer : (c) Pollution of the river

5. What is the government program to clean the Ganga called ?

- (a) Swachh Bharat (b) Namami Gange
(c) Jal Jeevan Mission (d) Clean India Movement

Correct Answer : (b) Namami Gange

6. Which word in the passage means 'Holy' ?

- (a) Sacred or religious (b) Dirty or polluted
(c) Large or white (d) Dangerous or risky

Correct Answer : (a) Sacred or religious

II. Choose the correct option given in Question Nos. 7-12 and complete the letter given below :

Main Road

Ranchi

11th February, 2026

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The Hindustan Times,

Ranchi.

Sir,

Through the columns of your esteemed newspaper, I wish to express 8 deep concern over the rising number of road accidents in our city. The main reasons behind 9 accidents are overspeeding, violation of traffic rules, use of mobile phones while driving. Poor road conditions make the situation worse. At the same time citizens 10 also realise their responsibility by following traffic rules. I request you to highlight this issue 11 your newspaper so that both the public and the authorities take immediate steps to reduce road accidents and prevent further loss of lives.

Thank you,

Yours 12

Rakesh.

Complete the letter :

- (a) The Principal (b) The Producer (c) The Postmaster (d) The Editor

Correct Answer : (d) The Editor

8. Complete the letter :

- (a) our (b) my (c) his (d) their

Correct Answer : (b) my

9. Complete the letter :

- (a) this (b) that (c) those (d) these

Correct Answer : (d) these

10. Complete the letter :

- (a) must (b) can (c) ought (d) will

Correct Answer : (a) must

11. Complete the letter :

- (a) on (b) at (c) in (d) by

Correct Answer : (c) in

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12. Complete the letter :

- (a) sincerely (b) loving (c) affectionately (d) none of these

Correct Answer : (a) sincerely

III. Choose the correct option and answer the following questions:

13. The passive voice of He teaches English is

- (a) English is taught by him (b) English was taught by him
(c) English is taught by him (d) English has been taught by him

Correct Answer : (c) English is taught by him

14. I met European yesterday.

- (a) some (b) a (c) an (d) none of these

Correct Answer : (b) a

15. They here since 2020.

- (a) has been living (b) have living (c) have been living (d) none of these

Correct Answer : (c) have been living

16. Neither of the stories true.

- (a) has (b) have (c) was (d) were

Correct Answer : (c) was

IV. Read the passage given below and choose the correct options to answer the questions.

Paper has more patience than people, "I thought of this saying on one of those days when I was feeling a little depressed and was sitting at home with my chin in my hands, bored and listless. I started writing in my diary that day.

What does the phrase Paper has more patience than people mean ?

- (a) People are kind (b) Paper does not complain
(c) Paper lasts longer (d) None of these

Correct Answer : (b) Paper does not complain

18. Why was Anne feeling low that day ?

- (a) She was sick (b) She was hungry (c) She was scolded (d) She was depressed

Correct Answer : (d) She was depressed

19. Which word in the passage means tired ?

- (a) Listless (b) Depressed (c) Bored (d) Patience

Correct Answer : (a) Listless

V. Choose the correct option and answer the following questions:

20. What did Lencho compare the raindrops to ?

- (a) Gold coins (b) Gems (c) Silver coins (d) None of these

Correct Answer : (c) Silver coins

21. Why was Valli sad ?

- (a) She saw the dead cow (b) She missed the bus
(c) She saw a bus accident (d) None of these

Correct Answer : (a) She saw the dead cow

22. How did Pranjal and Rajveer visit Assam ?

- (a) By water (b) By air (c) By train (d) By road

Correct Answer : (c) By train

23. Where did Buddha preach his first sermon ?

- (a) Allahabad (b) Benaras (c) Haridwar (d) Gaya

Correct Answer : (b) Benaras

24. The Baker had a peculiar dress known as the

- (a) Apron (b) Uniform (c) Kabai (d) None of these

Correct Answer : (c) Kabai

25. Who is the poet of 'The Ball Poem' ?

- (a) Robert Frost (b) John Berryman (c) William Blake (d) Walt Whitman

Correct Answer : (b) John Berryman

26. Which animal is described as 'noble' in the poem, 'How to Tell Wild Animals' ?

- (a) The Bengal Tiger (b) The Leopard (c) The Asian Lion (d) The Bear

Correct Answer : (a) The Bengal Tiger

27. Which quality made Richard Ebright a successful scientist ?

- (a) Laziness (b) Curiosity and determination (c) Luck (d) Fear of failure

Correct Answer : (b) Curiosity and determination

28. Horrace Danby was allergic to

- (a) flowers (b) perfumes (c) dust (d) none of these

Correct Answer : (a) flowers

29. How is Ausable described physically ?

- (a) Tall and strong (b) Fat and sloppy (c) Young and handsome (d) Short and thin

Correct Answer : (b) Fat and sloppy

30. What was Anil doing when Hari Singh met him ?

- (a) Watching a wrestling match (b) Writing an article
(c) Playing cricket (d) None of these

Correct Answer : (a) Watching a wrestling match

Section – B

(Question Nos. 31 to 38 are Very Short Answer Type Questions and carry 2 marks each. Answer any six of these questions)

Read the passage carefully and answer any six of the following questions :

Tourism is one of the world's largest industries. It creates jobs, supports local businesses and helps people learn about different cultures. Popular tourist places often see rapid growth in hotels, restaurants and shops. However, tourism also has disadvantages. It can harm the environment through littering, pollution and damage to historical sites. In some cases, local traditions are changed to please tourists. Many experts say tourism should be encouraged, but it must be managed carefully. <https://www.jharkhandboard.com>

Q. 31. What are the benefits of tourism ?

Q. 32 What kind of growth is often seen in popular tourist places ?

Q. 33 Mention two disadvantages of tourism.

Q. 34. What happens to local traditions due to tourism ?

Q. 35. What do experts say about tourism ?

Q. 36. Which word in the passage means 'famous' ?

Q. 37. Complete the following sentences :

- i) Tourism is one
- ii) Tourism also has

38. Make sentences with the given words :

- i) Harm
- ii) Rapid

Section C

(Question Nos. 39 to 46 are Short Answer Type Questions and carry 3 marks each. Answer any six of these questions)

39. Fill in the blanks with suitable modals given below :

(must, may, can)

- a) She drive a car.
- b) you succeed in life !
- c) We pay taxes.

40. Transform the following sentences as directed :

- a) I am too tired to dance (Remove 'too')
- b) Everybody knows Gandhiji. (Into Interrogative)
- c) He said to me; "I wrote a letter." (Into Indirect Speech)

41. Read the extract given below and answer the questions that follow :

He should be lurking in shadow,

Sliding through long grass

Near the water hole

Where plump deer pass.

- a) Name the poem from where this extract has been taken.
- b) Who has written these lines ?
- c) Who is 'he' here ?