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1	In which State/Union Territory was India's first multi-sport beach recently inaugurated?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Lakshadweep	b) Andaman & Nicobar Island	c) Goa	d) Daman & Diu	d
2	Match the books with their awards:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Demon Copperhead		i Booker		
	B Prophet Song		ii National Book Award for Fiction		
	C Blackouts		iii Pulitzer		
	D Tell Her Everything		iv The Hindu Literary Prize for Fiction		
	a) A (ii), B (iii), C (i), D (iv)	b) A (iii), B (i), C (ii), D (iv)	c) A (i), B (ii), C (iv), D (iii)	d) A (iv), B (ii), C (i), D (iv)	b
3	What is the theme of 'International Labour Day 2024'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Ensuring safety and health at work in a changing climate	b) All labor that uplifts humanity has dignity and importance	c) Universal Social Protection to End Child Labor	d) Resilient Recovery	a
4	Which of the given options is correct for the relationship between the Assertion (A) and the Justification (B) as provided below: A: Assertion: For good body our body should be exposed to sunlight for some time daily. B: Justification: In the presence of sunlight Vitamin D is formed in the body.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) Both A and B are true but B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	a
5	Which city hosted the World Tamil Diaspora Day celebrations 2024?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Madurai	b) Coimbatore	c) Travancore	d) Chennai	d
6	Which country is credited with having the best education system?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) India	b) Germany	c) The UK	d) Sweden	d
7	Which of the following is true about Atal Innovation Mission (AIM)?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) It is aimed exclusively at	b) Atal Tinkering Labs are	c) It was set up in 2016	d) Mentor India is not a part of AIM	c

	Private and MSME sectors	established to assist learners and researchers who have already graduated			
8	Which of the following gas has a pungent smell? A) Ammonia B) Carbon-di-oxide C) Butane D) Oxygen				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	a
9	Choose the correct option that matches the National Parks with the states where they are situated.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Jim Corbett National Park		i Rajasthan		
	B Gir National Park and Wildlife Sanctuary		ii Uttarakhand		
	C Ranthambore National Park		iii West Bengal		
	D Sundarbans National Park		iv Gujarat		
	a) A-(i), B-(ii), C-(iv), D-(iii)	b) A-(iv), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iii)	c) A-(ii), B-(iv), C-(i), D-(iii)	d) A-(iii), B-(i), C-(ii), D-(iv)	c
10	Which of the following statements is true? A. The Constitution of India was adopted on 25 th November 1949 B. There are 12 schedules in the Indian Constitution C. There were 8 members in the Drafting Committee of the Indian Constitution D. Dr. B. N. Rau was the President of the Drafting Committee				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	b
11	Which of the given options is correct for the relationship between the Assertion (A) and the Justification (B) as provided below: A: Assertion: Cotton is grown on alluvial soil B: Justification: India is located exactly between the tropical latitudes.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) Both A and B are true but B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	c
12	Which of the following books is considered a classic in Magic Realism?				Answer option

	A) One Hundred Years of Solitude B) Middlemarch C) Nineteen Eighty-Four D) A Tale of Two Cities	(a,b,c or d)
	a) A b) B c) C d) D	a
13	What is Green Taxonomy? A) A system for categorizing environmentally friendly investments B) A framework for classifying financial assets based on their colour C) A method for organizing government budgets related to environmental projects D) Emphasizing on plantation drive for industrial purpose	Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A b) B c) C d) D	a
14	Choose the correct option that matches the musical maestros with their instruments of expertise.	
	A Ravi Shankar i Santoor	Answer option
	B Bismillah Khan ii Flute	(a,b,c or d)
	C Shiv Kumar Sharma iii Sitar	
	D Hari Prasad Chaurasia iv Shehnai	
	a) A-(i), B-(ii), C-(iv), D-(iii) b) A-(ii), B-(i), C-(iv), D-(iii) c) A-(iii), B-(iv), C-(i), D-(ii) d) A-(iv), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iii)	c
15	What is to be covered in research in the area of tribal literature? A. Folktales of the tribal communities B. Tribal myths C. Legends in the tribal societies D. Upper caste and forward class people's literature about those uppercaste and forward class people.	Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A,B,D b) B,C,D c) A,C,D d) A,B,C	Answer d
16	What is not True in the context of postcolonial literature? A. It is the literature by people from formerly colonised countries. B. It includes the continent of Antarctica too. C. It exposes cultural imperialism D. It talks against the oppression of the formerly colonised peoples in different parts of the world excluding Antarctica.	Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A b) B c) C d) D	Answer b
17	What is not TRUE in the use of Gay and Lesbian studies in literary research? A.It is cross-disciplinary. B.It covers a wide range of intellectual base. c. Multiple trajectories into this richly varied field are available. D. There is no great meaning in pursuing such research.	Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
18	What is the difference between the largest and smallest value of a dataset? A. Mean B. Median C. Range D. Mode				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer c
19	Which of the following mean the same? 1. Quantitative data 2. Numerical data 3. Qualitative Data 4. Categorical Data A. 1 and 3 B. 1 and 4 C. 1 and 2 D. 2 and 4				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer c
20	Which of the following provides a wider platform for exchange of ideas and issues? A) Research Article B) Workshop mode C) Conference D) Symposium				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	d
21	Which of the following is True? A. Range is calculated as average of squared departures from the variance. B. Variance is calculated as average of squared departures from the mean. C. Mean is calculated as average of squared departures from the variance. D. Range is calculated as average of squared departures from the mean.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer b
22	Which of the following is True in relation to "data"? The word "data" which refers to the information that has been collected from an experiment, a survey, a historical record, etc. is plural of A. data B. datum C. datums D. datam				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer b

23	What do we get when the square root of the variance is taken? A. Standard deviation B. Variance C. Range D. Mean				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer a
24	Which of the following is True? Descriptive Statistics is a method to A. collect and organize sample data taken from a population B. summarize and display sample data taken from a population C. analyze sample data taken from a population D. collect, organize, summarize, display and analyze sample data taken from a population.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
25	What will be the Sample Mean for the Sample Data: 12,18,25,69,45? A. 32 B. 33.80 C. 33 D. 34				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer b
26	What is the mode in the data set 23, 45, 34, 32, 45, 12, 23, 37, 45? A. 23 B. 12 C. 37 D. 45				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
27	Research design can be best understood as: A) a blue print, outline and a guidance B) a blue print, outline and a control C) a blue print, outline and a plan D) a blue print, outline and a strategy				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
28	Why is it important to Refine the Questionnaire? A. to ensure that it is valid and reliable B. to ensure that it is valid C. to ensure that it is reliable D. to ensure that it is not valid and reliable				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer a
29	Which of the following are TRUE in the context of limitations of using open questionnaire? 1. Time-consuming to collect the data 2. Time-consuming to analyze the data 3. Not suitable for less educated respondents 4. Rich qualitative data is obtained				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	<p>A. Only 1 and 2 B. Only 2 and 3 C. Only 2, 3 and 4 D. Only 1,2 and 3</p>				
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
30	<p>Sampling bias occurs when -----.</p> <p>A. the sample size is representative of the entire population B. the sample size is not representative of the entire population C. the sample size is and not representative of the entire population D. the sample size is or not representative of the entire population</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer b
31	<p>What is True in case of variance?</p> <p>A. Using variance means dealing with numbers without any extra operation B. Using variance means dealing with square roots of numbers. C. Using variance means dealing with the sum of numbers. D. Using variance means dealing with squares of numbers.</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
32	<p>To get both quantitative and qualitative data using the mixed questionnaire, what type of questions should be asked?</p> <p>A. Only open-ended questions B. Only closed-ended questions C. A combination of open-ended and closed-ended questions D. Neither open-ended nor closed-ended questions</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer c
33	<p>Which of the following statements is not true in the context of participatory research?</p> <p>A. It recognizes knowledge as power B. It emphasizes on people as experts. C. Its sole purpose is production of knowledge D. It is a collective process of enquiry</p>				Answer option (c) Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
34	<p>Which research method will be most appropriate for a researcher who intends to explore the results of colonialism on native societies?</p> <p>A. Historical Method B. Descriptive survey method C. Experimental Method D. Ex-post-facto method</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	a
35	<p>Which of the following statements is not correct?</p> <p>A. Ethical norms apply to thesis format B. Ethical norms apply to copyright</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	C. Ethical norms apply to patenting policy D. Ethical norms apply to data sharing policies				
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	a
36	Which of the following research type is aimed at addressing a contemporary (research) problem? A. Fundamental Research B. Applied Research C. Action Research D. Experimental Research				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
37	What is the purpose of a research hypothesis? A. To summarize the research findings B. To explain the research methodology C. To predict the outcome of the research D. To describe the research participant				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
38	Which of the following is the correct measure for arriving at the rationale of a research proposal? A. Statement of the problem B. Limitations of the proposed research C. Survey of existing literature D. Adoption of methodology				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
39	Which aspect of research activities is the focus of 'research ethics'? A. Following the prescribed format of a thesis B. Data analysis through qualitative or quantitative techniques C. Defining the population of research D. Evidence based research reporting				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	d
40	Which writer would not be included in research in the area of literature from North East India? A. Temsula Aao B. Robin S. Gangom C. Gopinath Mohanty D. Mamang Dai				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer c
41	Modernist literature when researched into has mostly to consider - ----. A. Contemporary elements B. Capitalism and Industrialisation C. Medieval societal norms D. Multiple narrators, non-linear plot and introspection				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A, B, C	b) B, C, D	c) A, B, D	d) A, C, D	Answer c
42	Language-based classroom research in the wake of NEP2020 has not to prioritise -----.				Answer option

	A. Multilingual classrooms B. Technology-based pedagogical interventions C. Early childhood care and education D. Teacher-centred methods of teaching-learning				(a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
43	When the text analysis is done by looking at it in combination with the economic, social, and cultural context in which the text was produced, _____. A. Literature is studied from cultural studies perspective B. Literature is studied from global studies perspective C. Literature is studied from psychological studies perspective D. Literature is studied from gender studies perspective				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer a
44	What will not be the focus of Indic studies? A. To encourage teaching, learning and pedagogy and research involving Indic studies. B. To encourage study of various Indian knowledge systems. C. To showcase Indian languages and literatures in the global arena. D. To denigrate Indian literature and culture on all international fora				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
45	Which of the following is NOT True in the context of Black literature? A. It is literature created by or for Black people. B. It refers to Indian literature C. It refers to Afro-American literature D. It refers to Afro-Brazilian literature				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer b
46	When did Queer theory arise as an academic discipline? A. In 1990s B. In 1980s C. In 1970s D. In 1960s				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer a
47	What is not true in context of why Ecocriticism is important for research? A.to bring in an interdisciplinary point of view. B.to analyze texts for their focus on environmental concerns. C. to examine various ways literature treats the subject of nature. D. to ensure that it is a sheer waste to study as suggested in A-C above.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d

48	Study of literature characterised by the use of metafiction, unreliable narration, self-reflexivity, intertextuality, and which often thematizes both historical and political issues would come under research of _____ literature. A. Post-post modern B. Post-Truth C. Post-Pandemic D. Postmodern				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	Answer d
49	Which of the given research types describes the present state of affairs as it exists without having any control over variables? A) Analytical research B) Quantitative research C) Applied research D) Descriptive research				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	d
50	Which of the given sequential sets of activities is best for adoption during action research? A) Reflect, Observe, Plan, Act B) Observe, Act, Reflect, Plan C) Act, Plan, Observe, Reflect D) Plan, Act, Observe, Reflect				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	d
51	Francis Bacon's style can be described as:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Aphoristic	b) Discursive	c) Picturesque	d) Bare	a
52	John Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress does not deal with---				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Man's struggle with sin	b) Life as a journey	c) The reality of his time	d) Development in England	d
53	The genius of Charles Lamb as an essayist lies in his power of-				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Describing the beauty of nature	b) Satirizing the society	c) Visualizing memories	d) Philosophizing the ideas	c
54	Which one of the following is the non-fictional work by Virginia Woolf?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) To the Light House	b) Modern Fiction	c) The Wave	d) Orlando: A Biography	b

55	One among the following works is not written by Khushwant Singh-				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Black Jasmine	b) More Malicious Gossip	c) Scandal in the Palace	d) Sex, Scotch & Scholarship	c
56	Find the odd one among the following:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A Story Teller's World	b) The Guide	c) The Dateless Diary	e) A Writer's Nightmare	b
57	Match List- I with List- II according to the code given bellow:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Francis Bacon		i. Reflection on Gandhi		
	B. J S Mill		ii. Civilization and History		
	C. George Orwell		iii. Of Simulation and Dissimulation		
	D. C E M Joad		iv. On Liberty		
	a) A-i, C-ii, D-iii, B-iv	b) C-i, D-ii, A-iii, B-iv	c) D-i, A-ii, C-iii, B-iv	d) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	b
58	Who are the Imaginary members of the "Spectator Club"?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Representatives of Commerce B. The Army C. The Country gentry D. Aristocracy				
	a) A, B & C	b) A & B	c) only A	d) All the above	A
59	<p>Assertion (A): In Charles Lamb's Dream-Children: A Reverie, Children love to listen to stories about their elders, when they were children.</p> <p>Justification (B): To stretch their imagination to the conception of a traditionary great-uncle or grandame, whom they never saw.</p> <p>In the context of the two statements, which one of the following is correct?</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) (A) is correct but (B) is wrong.	b) Both (A) and (B) are correct.	c) (A) is wrong but (B) is correct.	d) Both (A) and (B) are wrong.	b
60	Match List- I with List- II according to the code given bellow:				Answer option

					(a,b,c or d)
	A. Tacitus & Tiberius	i. Of Love			
	B. Antonius & Claudius	ii. Of Custom and Education			
	C. Friar Clement & Ravillac	iii Of Simulation and Dissimulation			
	D. Loma & Apollonius	iv. Of Friendship			
	a) A-i, C-ii, D-iii, B-iv	b) C-i, D-ii, A-iii, B-iv	c) B-i, C-ii, A-iii, D-iv	d) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	c
61	Salman Rushdie's <i>The Jaguar Smile</i> is a –				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Novel	b) Travelogue	c) Memoir	d) Narrative Poem	b
62	R. K Narayan's <i>My Dateless Diary</i> is about his visit to –				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Karnataka	b) U. S.	c) U. K	d) Rural India	b
63	What is considered as the first English comedy?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) <i>Everyman</i>	b) <i>The Spanish Tragedy</i>	c) <i>Gammer Gurton's Needle</i>	d) <i>Doctor Faustus</i>	c
64	Which of the following are true? A: The best known of the Morality plays is <i>Everyman</i> . B: In Morality plays the characters were allegorical personages. C: Morality plays were popular during the Victorian Age. D: To enliven the Morality plays the character of devil was introduced.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B	b) A, B and C	c) B, C and D	d) B and D	a
65	Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Justification B . A: In classic plays time and place must remain the same and whatever action was introduced must take place at the spot where the play began. B: The so-called dramatic unities of time, place and action were strictly observed. In the above statements, choose <i>the most appropriate answer</i> from the options given below.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B are true but B is not the correct explanation of A	b) A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A and B are false	b

66	Match the authors with their works:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Christopher Marlowe		i <i>Volpone</i>		
	B Ben Jonson		ii <i>The Tempest</i>		
	C William Shakespeare		iii <i>Jew of Malta</i>		
D John Webster		iv <i>The Duchess of Malfi</i>			
	a) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	b) A-ii, B-iii, C-i, D-iv	c) A-i, B-iii, C-ii, D-iv	d) A-iii, B-i, C-ii, D-iv	d
67	Name the play by Christopher Marlowe where an ambitious scholar, dissatisfied with traditional forms of knowledge, enters into a pact with the devil.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) <i>Tamburlaine the Great</i>	b) <i>Edward II</i>	c) <i>Doctor Faustus</i>	d) <i>The Jew of Malta</i>	
68	Which of the following are true? A <i>Look Back in Anger</i> is a realist play. B <i>Look Back in Anger</i> is a kitchen sink drama C Jimmy Porter in <i>Look Back in Anger</i> is a content and satisfied individual who never expresses any discontent or frustration with his life. D Following the success of <i>Look back in Anger</i> , the label “Angry Young Man” was applied to young writers who were disillusioned with the traditional British society.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A, B and C are true	b) A, B, and D are true	c) B, C and D are true	d) All the above	
69	In which play do you find the famous Mrs. Malaprop?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) <i>The Rivals</i>	b) <i>She Stoops to Conquer</i>	c) <i>The School for Scandal</i>	d) <i>The Country Wife</i>	
70	Match the authors with their works:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A William Wycherley		i <i>The Rivals</i>		
	B Richard Brinsley Sheridan		ii <i>She Stoops to Conquer</i>		
	C Oliver Goldsmith		iii <i>The Importance of Being Earnest</i>		
D Oscar Wilde		iv <i>The Country Wife</i>			
	a) A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii	b) A-iii, B-iv, C-ii, D-i	c) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	d) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	d
71	Who is the author of <i>The Crucible</i> ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Arthur Miller	b) Edward Albee	c) Tennessee Williams	d) Eugene O’Neill	
72	“To be, or not to be, that is the question:” is taken from the play _____				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) <i>Macbeth</i>	b) <i>King Lear</i>	c) <i>Othello</i>	d) <i>Hamlet</i>	
73	Who has written the verse drama <i>Murder in the Cathedral</i> ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Aldous Huxley	b) T.S.Eliot	c) Christopher Fry	d) John Osborne	

74	Which of the following describes the character of Viola from <i>Twelfth Night</i> ? A She is the duchess of Illyria. B She has a twin brother. C She serves as a page to Duke Orsino. D She falls in love with Countess Olivia.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B	b) A and D	c) B and C	d) C and D	c
75	Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Justification B . A: <i>The Way of the World</i> is a Restoration Comedy. B: It has complex and intricately plotted narratives and it satirizes the manners and mores of the upper classes. In the above statements, choose <i>the most appropriate answer</i> from the options given below.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) A and B are true but B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A and B are false	a
76	What kind of poem is <i>The Rape of the Lock</i> ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) epic poem	b) mock epic poem	c) dramatic monologue	d) lyric	b
77	When was the <i>Lyrical Ballads</i> published?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) 1778	b) 1779	c) 1789	d) 1798	d
78	Which of the following are true? A The term ‘metaphysical poets’ was coined by John Dryden. B The term ‘metaphysical poetry’ was coined by the poet themselves to describe their unique style of writing. C Metaphysical poetry is known for its use of wit, conceits and intellectual exploration in conveying emotional experiences. D John Donne is often considered the foremost figure of the metaphysical poetry.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B	b) B and C	c) C and D	d) A and D	c
79	Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Justification B . A: Andrew Marvell’s ‘To His Coy Mistress’ incorporates the idea of <i>carpe diem</i> . B: Andrew Marvell employs persuasive rhetoric and vivid imagery to urge his hesitant lover to seize the moment and embrace physical intimacy before time and mortality intervene. In the above statements, choose <i>the most appropriate answer</i> from the options given below.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B are true but B is	b) A and B are true and B is	c) A is true but B is false	d) A and B are false	b

	not the correct explanation of A	the correct explanation of A			
80	Match the poets with their works:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Alfred (Lord) Tennyson	i Porphyria's Lover			
	B Robert Browning	ii The Scholar Gipsy			
	C Matthew Arnold	iii Ulysses			
	D Dante Gabriel Rossetti	iv The Blessed Damozel			
	a) A-iii, B-i C-ii, D-iv	b) A-iii, B-iv, C-ii, D-i	c) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	d) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	a
81	Who is the author of the poem <i>Vision of William Concerning Piers the Plowman</i> ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) William Langland	b) John Gower	c) Geoffrey Chaucer	d) Anonymous	a
82	Which of the following are true? A Alliteration is the correspondence or similarity of vowel sounds in words. B Alliteration is the occurrence of the same initial consonant sound in two or more accented syllables. C The following line consists alliteration: "When I do count the clock that tells the time." D The following line consists alliteration: "The light of the fire is a sight."				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and C	b) A and D	c) B and C	d) B and D	c
83	Given below are two statements: One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Justification B . A: John Milton's poetry subserves a moral or spiritual purpose. B: Despite being a Puritan, Milton wrote for the mere pleasure of writing. In the above statements, choose <i>the most appropriate answer</i> from the options given below.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B are true but B is not the correct explanation of A	b) A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	c
84	Match the poets with their works:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Geoffrey Chaucer	i 'Elegy written in a country churchyard'			
	B William Shakespeare	ii 'The Tyger'			
	C William Blake	iii 'Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?'			
	D Thomas Gray	iv <i>The Canterbury Tales</i>			
	a) A-ii, B-iii, C-i, D-iv	b) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	c) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-i	d) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	d
85	Who has written the poem <i>Astrophel and Stella</i> ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Philip Sidney	b) Matthew Arnold	c) Alexander Pope	d) Edmund Spenser	a

86	Which of the following describes the Pre-Raphaelites? A The Pre-Raphaelites owe their name to a school of painting, called the Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood. B The Pre-Raphaelites consisted exclusively of painters. C The Pre-Raphaelites sought for their inspiration from the Middle Ages both in the matter and in the manner of their poetry. D Their poetry is notable for its word-pictures.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and B	b) A, B, and C	c) A, C and D	d) B and C	c
87	The rhyme scheme of English sonnet is _____				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) abab, cdcd, efef, gg	b) ababbcbccd cdee	c) abbaabbacd cdcd	d) abbaabbacd ecde	a
88	Match the poets with their works:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A T.S.Eliot		i Sailing to Byzantium		
	B W.B.Yeats		ii The Waste Land		
	C G.M.Hopkins		iii Musee des Beaux Arts		
	D W.H.Auden		iv The Winhover		
	a) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	b) A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii	c) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	d) A-iii, B-ii, C-iv, D-i	b
89	The word 'lab' is an example of _____.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Compounding	b) Blending	c) Clipping	d) portmanteau	c
90	What is the full form of IPA?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) International Phonetic Alphabet	b. Indian Phonetic Alphabetic	c) International Phonemic Alphabet	d) Indian Phonemic Alphabetic	a
91	Which of the following are components of a curriculum? A Syllabus B Evaluation C Motivation D Intelligence				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	a
92	Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification . In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below. A: Communicative Language Teaching (CLT) prioritizes authentic/ real-life communication in the classroom. B: CLT emphasizes the use of teacher-centred activities, such as grammar exercises and translations.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) Both A and B are true and B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	c
93	Match the following consonant sounds with their manner of articulation:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A /p/		i Lateral		
	B /z/		ii Fricative		
	C /l/		iii Nasal		
	D /m/		iv Plosive		
	a) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b) A-i, B-iv, C-ii, D-iii	c) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	d) A-iv, B-ii, C-i D-iii	d
94	_____ refers to speech sounds made using both lips.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) labio-dental	b) alveolar	c) bilabial	d) palatal	
95	Which of the following statements are true? A) a syllabus specified in terms of tasks is called lexical syllabus B) a syllabus specified in terms of skills is called notional-functional syllabus C) a syllabus specified in terms of situations is called situational syllabus D) a syllabus specified in terms of grammar is called structural syllabus				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	
96	_____ is an instructional practice where a teacher gradually removes guidance and support as students learn and become more competent.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) cascading	b) scaffolding	c) withholding	d) suggestopedia	
97	Match the following:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Suggestopedia		i James Asher		
	B The Silent Way		ii Georgi Lozanov		
	C Community Language Learning		iii Charles A Curran		
	D Total Physical Response		iv Caleb Gattengo		
	a) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b) A-i, B-iv, C-ii, D-iii	c) A-ii, B-iv, C-iii, D-i	d) A-iv, B-ii, C-i D-iii	c
98	Which among the following is not a fricative sound?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) /t/	b) /f/	c) /v/	d) /s/	
99	How many pure vowel sounds are there in English?				Answer option

					(a,b,c or d)
	a) 8	b) 10	c) 12	d)14	c
100	Which of the following are not types of language test? A) t-test B) Chi-square test C) Achievement Test D) Proficiency Test				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	a
101	Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification . In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below. A: It is essential to acknowledge and honour students cultural background and identities in the English language classroom. B: Culturally responsive teaching creates a supportive and inclusive learning environment.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) Both A and B are true and B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	a
102	There are _____ scheduled languages in India.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a)20	b) 22	c)24	d)26	b
103	Which of the following statements are true? A) English is the primary language of communication for the majority of Indians B) English was introduced in India during the British-colonial period C) English became a widely spoken language in India following independence D) English has never been a significant language in India's linguistic landscape				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	b
104	Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification . In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below. A: Proficiency in English enhances the employability of job seekers in India				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	B: English is widely used in administration, education and commerce in India				
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A	b) Both A and B are true and B is not the correct explanation of A	c) A is true but B is false	d) A is false but B is true	a
105	Match the following:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A Gitanjali		i R.K. Narayan		
	B Swami and Friends		ii Mulk Raj Anand		
	C Two Leaves and a Bud		iii Raja Rao		
	D The Serpent and the Rope		iv Rabindranath Tagore		
	a) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b) A-iv, B-ii, C-iii, D-i	c) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	d) A-iv, B-ii, C-i D-iii	c
106	Which of the following is not responsible for the promotion of English in India?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) EFLU	b) Goethe Institut	c) British Council	d) American Center	b
107	Which of the following statements are true?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A) English is the sole official language of India B) Hindi is the sole official language of India C) Hindi and English are the co-official languages of India D) Each state in India has its own official language				
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	c
108	The English Education Act effected by Lord William Bentinck was passed in the year _____.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) 1825	b) 1830	c) 1835	d) 1840	c
109	Who published the General Service List (GSL) of words?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Michael West	b) Harold Palmer	c) A.S Hornby	d) Henry Sweet	a
110	Who was responsible for the introduction of English education in India?				c
	a) Thomas Pinney	b) Zachary Macaulay	c) Thomas Babington Macaulay	d) Christopher Pinney	
111	Macaulay's Minutes aimed to create a class of _____ Indians.				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Illiterate	b) Westernized	c) Traditional	d) Urban	b
112	Which of the following are true about the role of English in India: A) An Official Language				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	B) A library language C) A heritage language D) A foreign language				
	a) A & B only	b) B & C only	c) C & D only	d) A & C only	a
113	Match the following:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A) Charter Act		i 1904		
	B) Wood's Dispatch		ii 1874		
	C) The Indian Universities Act		iii 1854		
	D) Vernacular Press Act		iv 1813		
	a) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b) A-i, B-iv, C-ii, D-iii	c) A-iv, B-i, C-ii, D-iii	d) A-iv B-iii, C-i D-ii	d
114	The Sub-title of Mary Shelley's <i>Frankenstein</i> –				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A Science Fiction	b) The Modern Prometheus	c) A Gothic Tale	d) A Gothic Romance	b
115	“Ours is essentially a tragic age, so we refuse to take it tragically. The cataclysm has happened, we are among the ruins, we start to build up new little habitats, to have new little hopes.” The above lines are taken from-				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A Farewell to Arms	b) War and Peace	c) Far from the Madding Crowd	d) Lady Chatterley's Lover	d
116	Mathilde is a character in –				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Tolstoy's <i>The Devil</i>	b) Henry James's <i>Mrs. Medwin</i>	c) Maupassant's <i>The Necklace</i>	d) Chekhov's <i>About Love</i>	c
117	Match List– I with List– II according to the code given bellow:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. A Pair of Blue Eyes		i Bathsheba		
	B. Far from the Madding Crowd		ii Digory Venn		
	C. The Mayor of Casterbridge		iii Elfriede Swancourt		
	D. The Return of the Native		iv Susan		
	a) B-i D-ii A-iii C-iv	b) B-i A-ii D-iii C-iv	c) C-i D-ii A-iii B-iv	d) C-i D-ii B-iii A-iv	a
118	Which of the following statements on Hemingway's <i>A Farewell to Arms</i> is NOT TRUE ?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. It is set during the Italian campaign of WW-I				
	B. It is a first-person account of an American				

	C. It's a love story of an American expatriate and English nurse. D. The narrator of the novel is a war journalist.				
	a) A and B are true	b) Only D is not true	c) B and D are not true	d) Only A is true	b
119	<p>Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification. In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:</p> <p>Assertion (A): Kafka's <i>Metamorphosis</i> is an existentialist novel.</p> <p>Justification (B): The protagonist George Samsa suffers with alienation, rejection and identity crisis.</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a)(A) is correct but (B) is wrong	b)Both (A) and (B) are correct	c)(A) is wrong but (B) is correct.	d)Both (A) and (B) are wrong.	b
120	Identify the one in correct chronological sequence:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Jacob's Room – Mrs. Dalloway – The Waves – The Years	b) Jacob's Room – The Waves – The Years – Mrs. Dalloway	c) Mrs. Dalloway – The Waves – Jacob's Room – The Years	d) The Waves – The Years – Jacob's Room – Mrs. Dalloway	a
121	Salman Rushdie uses some recurrent images in <i>The Midnight's Children</i> . Pick the odd one out:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) The Silver Spittoon	b) The Perforated Sheet	c) The Echo	d) Knees and the nose	c
122	Which of the following novels is written by V. S. Naipaul? A) Between the Acts B) A Bend in the River C) The Giver D) A Bend in the Ganges				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	b
123	Which of the following pair of novels by Chinua Achebe depict the theme of corruption, political instability, and radical struggles? A) Anthills of the Savannah and The Voter B) The Voter and The Arrow of God C) Things Fall Apart and Anthills of Savannah D) Arrow of God and No Longer at Ease				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	a

124	Which of the given novels contains the following introductory line: “The family of Dashwood had long been settled in Sussex”? A) Pride and Prejudice B) Persuasion C) Sense and Sensibility D) Mansfield Park				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
125	Arrange Charles Dicken’s novels in a chronological order: A) Great Expectations –David Copperfield – Oliver Twist – Bleak House B) David Copperfield – Oliver Twist – Bleak House – Great Expectations C) Oliver Twist– David Copperfield– Great Expectations– Bleak House D) Bleak House– David Copperfield– Great Expectations– Oliver Twist				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
126	Which of the following novels is not written by Leo Tolstoy? A) War and Peace B) The Cossacks C) The Blind Assassin D) Anna Karenina				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
127	<i>The Rejection</i> is a short story by– A) James Joyce B) Franz Kafka C) William James D) Edgar Allan Poe				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	b
128	Which of the following intellectual and linguistic movements is associated with the concept of ‘defamiliarisation’?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) New Criticism	b) Russian Formalism	c) Structuralism	d) Post Structuralism	b
129	Match the authors with their books:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Dryden		i. A Tale of a Tub		
	B. Swift		ii. An Essay of Dramatic Poesy		
	C. Pope		iii. The Lives of the Poets		
	D. Johnson		iv. An Essay on Criticism		
	a)A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	b) A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii	c) A-iii, B-ii, C-iv, D-i	d) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b
130	Which of the following expressed strong traditionalism? A. Neoclassicism B. Art for Art’s Sake C. Formalism				Answer option (a,b,c or d)

	D. Historicism				
	a) A and B are true	b) C and D are true	c) B and C are false	d) C and D are true	c
131	<p>Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification. In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:</p> <p>A: Assertion: The social promise of the French Revolution gave the writers of early Romantic Period as sense of a great age of new beginning and high possibilities.</p> <p>B: Justification: The impact of the time was overwhelming and the ideas of the revolution were greatly deterministic.</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A.	b) A is true but B is false.	c) A is false but B is true.	d) Both A and B are false	a.
132	Who introduced the term 'negative capability'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Coleridge	b) Shelley	c) Dryden	d) Keats	d
133	Who developed the term 'defamiliarisation'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A) Roman Jakobson B) Victor Shklovsky C) Mikhail Bakhtin D) Jan Mukarovsky</p>				
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	b
134	Match the authors with their texts:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Eliot		i. Revaluation		
	B. Johnson		ii. The Metaphysical Poets		
	C. Brooks		iii. The Vanity of Human Wishes		
	D. Leavis		iv. Modern Poetry and Tradition		
	a) A-ii, B-iii, C-iv, D-i	b) A-iii, B-iv, C-ii, D-i	c) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	d) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	a
135	Which of the following options are true with reference to the meaning of 'Epiphany'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A) Manifestation B) Showing forth C) Darkness D) Depression</p>				
	a) A and B are true	b) C and D are true	c) B and C are false	d) C and D are true	a

136	<p>Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification. In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:</p> <p>A: Assertion: Ezra Pound is the first leader of the movement called Imagism.</p> <p>B: Justification: He gave the foundation of Post modernism.</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A.	b) A is true but B is false.	c) A is false but B is true.	d) Both A and B are false	b
137	<p>Which of the following options are true with reference to the meaning of ‘Anxiety of Influence’?</p> <p>A. The influence of one author or literary tradition upon a later author</p> <p>B. The influence of later author on the earlier author</p> <p>C. A direct borrowing or assimilation of the materials and features found in earlier work</p> <p>D. Depressions of inheritance</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A and C are true	b) C and D are true	c) B and C are false	d) C and D are true	a
138	<p>Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification. In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:</p> <p>A: Assertion: In Dissociation of Sensibility, thought is separated from feeling.</p> <p>B: Justification: There is no thought without feeling.</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A.	b) A is true but B is false.	c) A is false but B is true.	d) Both A and B are false	b
139	<p>Who wrote ‘On the Sublime’?</p> <p>A) Longinus</p> <p>B) Horace</p> <p>C) Coleridge</p> <p>D) Eliot</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	a
140	<p>Who among the following proposed the decentring project under the framework of post structuralism?</p> <p>A) Roman Jakobson</p> <p>B) Ferdinand de Saussure</p> <p>C) Roland Barthes</p> <p>D) F. R. Leavis</p>				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c

141	Match the concepts with their texts:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Jouissance	i. Speech and Phenomena			
	B. Biopower	ii. Archaeology of Knowledge			
	C. Discourse	iii. The History of Sexuality			
	D. Differance	iv. The Pleasure of the Text			
	a) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	b) A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv	c) A-ii, B-iii, C-iv, D-i	d) A-iii, B-iv, C-i, D-ii	a
142	Which of the following options apply to 'Post Structuralism'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A. Post Structuralism originated as a reaction against structuralism.</p> <p>B. Its implicit theoretical basis was a kind of Cartesianism, but without the emphasis on subjectivity.</p> <p>C. It did not promote deconstruction as a critical methodology.</p> <p>D. It formulated a constructivist methodology.</p>				
	a) A and B are true	b) C and D are true	c) B and C are false	d) C and D are true	a
143	Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification . In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A: Assertion: New Historicism has been a hugely influential approach to literature, especially in studies of William Shakespeare's works and literature of the Early Modern period.</p> <p>B: Justification: Roman Jakobson played crucial role in popularizing this theoretical formation.</p>				
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A.	b) A is true but B is false.	e) A is false but B is true.	f) Both A and B are false	b
144	Which of the following movements subscribed to the idea of 'antifoundationalism'?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A) Structuralism</p> <p>B) Post Colonialism</p> <p>C) Post Structuralism</p> <p>D) New Criticism</p>				
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
145	Who among the following said, "We rightfully reduce the subject to the status of a mere grammatical pronoun"?				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	<p>A) Michel Foucault</p> <p>B) Stanley Fish</p> <p>C) Paul de Man</p> <p>D) Wolfgang Iser</p>				
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D	c
146	Match the texts with their authors:				Answer option (a,b,c or d)
	A. Madness and Civilisation	i. Foucault			

	B. The Gift of Death	ii. Derrida		
	C. Culture and Imperialism	iii. Greenblatt		
	D. The Swerve	iv. Said		
	a) A-ii, B-iii, C-iv, D-i	b) A-iii, B-iv, C-ii, D-i	c) A-iv, B-iii, C-ii, D-i	d) A-i, B-ii, C-iv, D-iii
147	Which of the following terms are associated with Jacque Lacan?			
	A. The order of the Real B. Symbolic order C. Daydreaming D. Logocentrism			
	Answer option (a,b,c or d)			
	a) A and B are true	b) C and D are true	c) B and C are false	d) C and D are true
148	Given below are two statements: one is labelled A-Assertion and the other is labelled B-Justification . In light of the statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:			
	A: Assertion: If disciplinary power is about training the actions of bodies, biopower is about managing the births, deaths, reproduction and illnesses of a population. B: Justification: Biopower is a social necessity and develops a regenerative strength of the society.			
	Answer option (a,b,c or d)			
	a) Both A and B are true and B is the correct explanation of A.	b) A is true but B is false.	g) A is false but B is true.	Both A and B are false
	b			
149	Who among the following developed the concept 'hermeneutics of suspicion'?			
	A) Paul de Man B) Mikhail Bakhtin C) Walter Benjamin D) Paul Ricoeur			
	Answer option (a,b,c or d)			
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D
150	Who among the following dealt extensively with the concept of 'collective unconscious'?			
	A) Jacques Lacan B) Carl Jung C) Sigmund Freud D) Lionel Trilling			
	Answer option (a,b,c or d)			
	a) A	b) B	c) C	d) D
	b			