

Direction Q Nos. (1-10): For the each of the words given below select the most appropriate synonyms from the options that follow.

1. BIFURCATION
(a) Discontinue (b) ~~Bend~~ (c) ☒ Division (d) Radiate.
2. CONCOCTED
(a) ☒ Create (b) Mature (c) Pretend (d) Shape.
3. OBDURATE → -ve word
(a) Careless (b) Contrary (c) Callous (d) ☒ Stubborn.
4. LASSITUDE → lass → lazy → assi is opposite
(a) ☒ Sluggishness (b) Stagnation (c) Depression (d) Delicacy
5. APPROBATION
(a) Cheer (b) ☒ Consent (c) Tribute (d) Maintenance
6. PRECARIOUS → precarious
(a) Temporal (b) Dangerous (c) Heavy (d) ☒ Unstable
7. MOROSE → -ve word (MORO)
(a) Irritable (b) Uncivilized (c) ☒ Depressed (d) Pessimistic
8. CORROBORATE → connect
(a) ☒ Verify (b) Refute (c) Disprove (d) Disapprove
9. MALINGERING
(a) Creating ill will (b) ☒ Feigning illness (c) Defaming (d) Habitually lazy
10. PANORAMA → PAN
(a) ☒ Broad scene (b) Deck of cards (c) Light weight hat (d) Holiday.

Direction Q Nos. (11-20): In each of the sentence given below a word has been *italicized* select the most appropriate synonyms from the options that follow.

11. *Unilateral* action may not be acceptable to them.
one ☒ (a) under pressure (b) ☒ one-sided (c) strong (d) harmful
12. Bengalis are *innate* poets.
(a) excellent (b) romantic (c) dull (d) ☒ inborn
13. Leader's *insatiable* drive for power has weakened the government.
(a) cunning (b) inexperience (c) forceful (d) ☒ impossible to satisfy
14. The land was *parched* by the scorching summer heat.
(a) sterilized (b) cleansed (c) ☒ to make dry (d) burnt
15. A *sumptuous* dinner was served after the meeting.
(a) expensive (b) ☒ lavish (c) undigestible (d) very light
16. Though *dilatory* in undertaking assignment, she was quick in its execution.
(a) hesitant (b) ☒ slow (c) reluctant (d) unwilling
17. Another theory *postulates* that the yogic treatment relaxes the mind and body.
(a) highlights (b) ☒ to assume to be true (c) makes doubtful (d) discard
18. *Incensed* by his rude behavior, the employer sacked him.
(a) excited (b) ☒ enraged (c) to get tired (d) due to
19. Mr Saxena had *circumvented* Mr Ghosh and his driver on the way to their railway station.
(a) ☒ to evade ^{to avoid} (b) to deceive (c) followed (d) to watch secretly
20. It is my *candid* advice to you.
(a) ☒ frank (b) well thought (c) humble (d) simple

Direction Q Nos. (21-30): For the each of the words given below select the most appropriate antonyms from the options that follow.

21. GRANDIOSE → -ve word
(a) Pretentious (b) ☒ Brilliant (c) ☒ egoistic (d) ☒ modest
22. DISCORDANT
(a) Harsh (b) Different (c) ☒ Harmonious (d) Separate
23. INADVERTENTLY
(a) Fearful (b) Impartial (c) Divide (d) ☒ Purposely
24. ECONOMISE
(a) Reduce (b) Save (c) Minimize (d) ☒ Expensive

25. IMPRECISION

(a) Accuracy

(b) Wrong

(c) Mistake

(d) Erroneousness

26. INSOUCIANCE

(a) Indifferent

(b) Composure

(c) Interest

(d) Slumber

27. INTRANSIGENCE

(a) Obstinacy

(b) Protection

(c) Flexibility

(d) Firmness

28. ACRIMONIOUS

(a) Legal

(b) Severe

(c) Cursive

(d) Harmonious

29. SYCOPHANCY

(a) Speak harmoniously

(b) Shout harshly

(c) Push forcefully

(d) Advice candidly

30. SYBARITIC

(a) Foolish

(b) Obdurate

(c) Consistent

(d) Austere

Direction Q Nos. (31-40): For each of the question given below determine the relationships between the words and then select the pair of words having similar relationship from the options that follow. (Analogy)

31. Addicted : Dedicated :: → You get addicted, then dedicate

(a) Slavish : Kindly

(b) Fanatical : Enthusiastic

(c) Acute : Chronic

(d) Temporary : Permanent

32. Morphine : Sedates ::

(a) Drug : Addicts

(b) Liquor : Intoxicates

(c) Medicine : Soothes

(d) Oil : Smears

33. Cynosure : Brilliant ::

(a) Student : Attentive

(b) Map : Legible

(c) Rock : Large

(d) Magnet : Attractive

34. Abundance : Luxury ::

(a) Silence : Stealth

(b) Humility : Pretension

(c) Poverty : Indigence

(d) Pilot : Plane

35. Antimacassar : Sofa ::

(a) Rug : Floor

(b) Table : Chair

(c) Door : Window

(d) Picture : Frame

36. Bizarre : Exotic ::

(a) Stage : Dancer

(b) Common place : Routine

(c) Wild : Tame

(d) Lively : Livid

37. Ornithologist : Birds ::

(a) Aquarium : Fish

(b) Archaeologist : Artifacts

(c) Architect : Buildings

(d) Botanist : Animals

38. Sonnet : Line ::

(a) Ballad : Poetry

(b) Symphony : Harmony

(c) Novel : Chapter

(d) Game : Score

39. Rancour : Affection ::

(a) Greed : Generosity

(b) Affinity : Attraction

(c) Reprisal : Resourcefulness

(d) Grasp : Hold.

40. Satellite : Orbit ::

(a) Ball : Pitcher

(b) Missile : Trajectory

(c) Moon : Phase

(d) Auto : Bridge

Direction Q Nos. (41-50): For each of the question given below select the word which can be substituted for the given words/phrase from the options that follow.

41. A person who hates women

(a) Intolerant

(b) misogynist

(c) bigamist

(d) gullible

42. Killing of one's own father

(a) patricide

(b) matricide

(c) fratricide

(d) genocide.

43. A religious discourse

(a) Preach

(b) Stanza

(c) Sanctorum

(d) Sermon.

44. Official misconduct

(a) Malefactor

(b) malfeasance

(c) maltreatment

(d) maladministration.

45. A hard nut to crack

(a) A person who is very obstinate

(b) A dry fruit

(c) A difficult child

(d) A problem which cannot be solved easily.

46. Introductory part or lines to a discourse or play

(a) Finish

(b) Prologue

(c) postscript

(d) addendum.

47. The day of last judgment or end of the world

(a) Knocker

(b) doomsday

(c) adaptation

(d) enthusiasm.

48. Power of reading the thoughts or mind of others.

(a) Kiosk

(b) Philosophy

(c) Telepathy

(d) Attitude.

49. Disease prevalent in a particular locality

(a) Uncontagious

(b) limited

(c) endemic

(d) alien.

50. A person who can use both hands with equal facility

(a) Ambidextrous

(b) dual handler

(c) equihandy

(d) super hand