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Previous Year Questions

Select the most appropriate synonym of the given words.

1) EFFICACIOUS	5) TRANQUIL	9) OFFEND	13) TRIVIAL	17) PERPETUATE
1. Voracious	1. nervous	1. annoy	1. superficial	1. Cease
2. Effective	2. agitated	2. assuage	2. warm	2. Preserve
3. Audacious	3. calm	3. aid	3. meaningful	3. Prevent
4. Impotent	4. wild	4. assist	4. essential	4. Release
2) CONTAMINATE	6) FASCINATING	10) PARSIMONY	14) SCANTY	18) DISCERN
1. sanctify	1. appealing	1. generosity	1. plentiful	1. Neglect
2. cleanse	2. boring	2. frugality	2. enough	2. Disregard
3. purify	3. stupid	3. readiness	3. adequate	3. Daunt
4. pollute	4. tiring	4. Bounty	4. meager	4. Perceive
3) SUBSEQUENT	7) CONDEMN	11) FATIGUE	15) COMPLACENT	19) INIMICAL
1. consecutive	1. commend	1. liveliness	1. amicable	1. Deliberate
2. preceding	2. denounce	2. weariness	2. discontent	2. Comparable
3. antecedent	3. compliment	3. earnestness	3. smug	3. Influential
4. prior	4. approve	4. freshness	4. Aggressive	4. Hostile
4) ADEQUATE	8) ENGULF	12) REDUNDANT	16) FLOURISH	20) VENERABLE
1. meagre	1. uncover	1. uninterested	1. Languish	1. Reliable
2. sufficient	2. dry	2. unsuitable	2. Wither	2. Valuable
3. inept	3. inundate	3. unparalleled	3. Shrivel	3. Esteemed
4. unfit	4. neglect	4. unnecessary	4. Thrive	4. Redeemed

1. Ans 2	2. Ans 4	3. Ans 1	4. Ans 2	5. Ans 3	6. Ans 1	7. Ans 2	8. Ans 3	9. Ans 1	10. Ans 2
11. Ans 2	12. Ans 4	13. Ans 1	14. Ans 4	15. Ans 3	16. Ans 4	17. Ans 2	18. Ans 4	19. Ans 4	20. Ans 3

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21) INCESSANT	25) IGNOMINY	29) INCREDIBLE	33) BEGUILLE	37) SURREPTITIOUS
1. persistent	1. esteem	1. unwilling	1. Repulse	1. aggressive
2. transient	2. virtue	2. disturbing	2. Hasten	2. spacious
3. inconstant	3. morality	3. unbelievable	3. Deceive	3. adventurous
4. intermittent	4. disgrace	4. unnoticed	4. Disenchant	4. secretive
22) FATIGUE	26) LOYAL	30) INTENSIFY	34) DEFERENCE	38) REPRIMAND
1. liveliness	1. devoted	1. eliminate	1. Contrast	1. complete
2. weariness	2. routine	2. destroy	2. Delay	2. repeat
3. freshness	3. legal	3. terminate	3. Ignorance	3. rebuke
4. brightness	4. varied	4. strengthen	4. Obeisance	4. command
23) SANCTION	27) OPINION	31) EXASPERATE	35) DISASTROUS	39) MALADY
1. denial	1. wisdom	1. Infuriate	1. noisy	1. illness
2. grace	2. sense	2. Appreciate	2. impressive	2. mischief
3. approval	3. view	3. Imitate	3. wicked	3. wickedness
4. mercy	4. chance	4. Desperate	4. calamitous	4. disturbance
24) JEOPARDY	28) ALOOF	32) FEIGN	36) FATIGUE	40) FUSE
1. promotion	1. detached	1. Hinder	1. energy	1. correct
2. prevention	2. protected	2. Instruct	2. warmth	2. unused
3. peril	3. rocky	3. Foretell	3. lightness	3. break
4. Protection	4. steady	4. Pretend	4. tiredness	4. combine

21. Ans 1	22. Ans 2	23. Ans 3	24. Ans 3	25. Ans 4	26. Ans 1	27. Ans 3	28. Ans 1	29. Ans 3	30. Ans 4
31. Ans 1	32. Ans 4	33. Ans 3	34. Ans 4	35. Ans 4	36. Ans 4	37. Ans 4	38. Ans 3	39. Ans 1	40. Ans 4

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41) ATTRIBUTE	45) OBSTACLE	49) INTRICATE	53) EXALT	57) PERPLEX
1.respect	1.benefit	1.complete	1.challenge	1.surprise
2.speech	2.clearance	2.colorful	2.praise	2.bewilder
3.praise	3.accessory	3.connected	3.condemn	3.complex
4.quality	4.barrie	4.complex	4.extract	4.deceive
42) HOSTILITY	46) INITIATE	50) DEVOUT	54) MAMMOTH	58) LAMENT
1.enmity	1.sign	1.revered	1.gigantic	1.distress
2.sympathy	2.slow	2.loyal	2.miniscule	2.torment
3.goodwill	3.start	3.pious	3.perilous	3'afflict
4.friendship	4.show	4.respectable	4.magnificent	4.mourn
43) INSULT	47) ADEPT	51) RENOWN	55) TACITURN	59) REPUDIATE
1.remove	1.skilled	1.obscurity	1.phlegmatic	1 renounce
2.apply	2.kind-hearted	2.fame	2.talkative	2.sanction
3.offer	3.alone	3.wisdom	3.reticent	3.regret
4.offend	4.unknown	4.conceit	4.placid	4.enforce
44) ENDEAVOUR	48) ASSIST	52) CONCISE	56) DEFER	60) VINDICTIVE
1.success	1.help	1.brief	1.dread	1.watchful
2.result	2.mend	2.detailed	2.despair	2.revengeful
3.achievement	3.create	3.complex	3.dictate	3.forceful
4.attempt	4.change	4.lengthy	4.delay	4.helpful

41. Ans 4	42. Ans 1	43. Ans 4	44. Ans 4	45. Ans 4	46. Ans 3	47. Ans 1	48. Ans 1	49. Ans 4	50. Ans 3
51. Ans 2	52. Ans 1	53. Ans 2	54. Ans 1	55. Ans 3	56. Ans 4	57. Ans 2	58. Ans 4	59. Ans 1	60. Ans 2

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61) PENSIVE	65) RETICENT	69) LETHAL	73) DUBIOUS	77) INEPT
1.spontaneous	1.silent	1.harmless	1.certain	1.capable
2.spiteful	2.garrulous	2.healthy	2.fishy	2.fit
3.reflective	3.extrovert	3.fatal	3.loyal	3.strong
4.tragic	4.confident	4.strong	4.steady	4.clumsy
62) STERILE	66) RAMPANT	70) ENGULF	74) TRIUMPH	78) GARRULOUS
1.pure	1.excessive	1.encroach	1.fight	1.guttural
2.productive	2.limited	2.enshrine	2.victory	2.throaty
3.barren	3.rare	3.entangle	3.attack	3.concise
4.sordid	4.gentle	4.envelop	4.peace	4.talkative
63) PRECARIOUS	67) EXEMPT	71) DRAG	75) INDELIBLE	79) CHRONIC
1.abundant	1.hinder	1.rush	1.illegal	1.ordinary
2.dangerous	2.exclude	2.pull	2.illegible	2.persistent
3.valuable	3.reduce	3.push	3.inerasable	3.common
4.premature	4.prevent	4.rest	4.ineffective	4.temporary
64) FURY	68) PREVALENT	72) ENTICE	76) INARTICULATE	80) COERCE
1.sorrow	1.unusual	1.ensue	1.fluent	1.enchant
2.anger	2.common	2.entail	2.inevitable	2.pressurize
3.cruelty	3.rare	3.enrage	3.eloquent	3.cajole
4.fright	4.different	4.entrap	4.incoherent	4.leave

61. Ans 3	62. Ans 3	63. Ans 2	64. Ans 2	65. Ans 1	66. Ans 1	67. Ans 2	68. Ans 2	69. Ans 3	70. Ans 4
71. Ans 2	72. Ans 4	73. Ans 2	74. Ans 2	75. Ans 3	76. Ans 4	77. Ans 4	78. Ans 4	79. Ans 2	80. Ans 2

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81) EVIDENCE	85) ONEROUS	89) PHILANTHROPIST	93) SANE	97) STERN
1. indication	1. arduous	1. humanitarian	1. Foolish	1. Mellow
2. refutation	2. abundant	2. philosopher	2. Crazy	2. Proud
3. denial	3. honourable	3. humanist	3. Sensitive	3. Shrewd
4. concealment	4. accessible	4. misanthropist	4. Sensible	4. Strict
82) PERSIST	86) DIMINUTIVE	90) AVENGE	94) OPPORTUNE	98) TEMPERATE
1. continue	1. petite	1. Punish	1. Rarely	1. Tentative
2. cease	2. expeditious	2. Cheer	2. Likely	2. Moderate
3. halt	3. dangerous	3. Encourage	3. Timely	3. Extreme
4. forget	4. fallacious	4. Comfort	4. Barely	4. Temporary
83) COGENT	87) IMPOVERISHED	91) SCRAP	95) PATHETIC	99) DEFIANCE
1. convincing	1. spendthrift	1. Hoard	1. Powerful	1. Resistance
2. weak	2. generous	2. Save	2. Plentiful	2. Pretence
3. ineffective	3. wealthy	3. Store	3. Purposeful	3. Assistance
4. pathetic	4. penniless	4. Reject	4. Pitiful	4. Deference
84) MERCURIAL	88) STOICAL	92) CANDID	96) THRIFTY	100) REPRIMAND
1. interchangeable	1. ruffled	1. Sweet	1. Grand	1. Reproach
2. predictable	2. apathetic	2. Frank	2. Rigid	2. Reward
3. permanent	3. panicky	3. Arrogant	3. Frugal	3. Eradicate
4. volatile	4. equivocal	4. Cruel	4. Discreet	4. Applaud

81. Ans 1	82. Ans 1	83. Ans 1	84. Ans 4	85. Ans 1	86. Ans 1	87. Ans 4	88. Ans 2	89. Ans 1	90. Ans 1
91. Ans 4	92. Ans 2	93. Ans 4	94. Ans 3	95. Ans 4	96. Ans 3	97. Ans 4	98. Ans 2	99. Ans 1	100. Ans 1

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