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Verbal Ability and Reading Comprehension

DPP: 13

Para Summary - Part 1

Q1 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Nowadays, it is often difficult for a start-up company to enter a market without external support, which forces its owners to explore financing options. Here, we will discuss what financial agreements and factors affect a company's relationships with investors or creditors. There are several essential ways to protect one's business when dealing with investments. Such documents as term sheets preferred stock investment agreements, and investor's rights agreements are vital for the legal protection of one's business. Moreover, loans can be considered a viable option, yet there are some pitfalls, such as personal guarantee agreements, required insurance, and other safeguarding documents. These documents will help a business to establish a fair deal with its partners.

- (A) In conclusion, it is important to have a clear understanding of the market and the competition before approaching potential investors or creditors.
- (B) While loans may seem like an easy solution, they can come with high-interest rates and strict repayment terms.
- (C) One of the most effective ways to protect your business is to have a strong team of advisors and attorneys.
- (D) Ultimately, the key to successfully securing financing is to have a well-thought-out business plan.

Q2 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Change is of great necessity if life is to be better than it is. Change involves three fundamental aspects, Modeling, Supporting and Rewarding. For change to take place efforts are needed so as to make it come true. The aim of this paper is to look at change and the processes involved in bringing a cultural change. Focus will be given to the events I observed about cultural change.

- (A) In conclusion, cultural change can be challenging, but with the right mindset and approach, it can be achieved successfully.
- (B) However, cultural change cannot be forced and should occur naturally over time to avoid resistance and backlash.
- (C) Through modeling, supporting, and rewarding desired behaviors, cultural change can be gradually implemented.
- (D) It is crucial to identify the root cause of resistance to change and address it before attempting to implement any cultural changes.

Q3 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Anthropocene's approach to the Green Thought and focus on the Human/Nature binary fail to address capitalism's role in natural patterns. Capitalocene, as an alternative,



addresses capitalism as a system of power and production that has written itself in the environmental history long before the Industrial Revolution. It provides a better-informed outlook on the relationship society has with nature and addresses new ways to confront the problem of the climate crisis.

- (A) However, it is essential to acknowledge the contributions of the Anthropocene towards initiating the conversation on climate change.
- (B) Capitalocene is a dangerous concept as it legitimizes capitalism's domination of nature.
- (C) Through the Capitalocene framework, environmental movements can establish alliances with other social justice movements.
- (D) The Capitalocene narrative is limited in its scope and fails to take into account the ecological damage caused by pre-capitalist societies.

Q4 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Even though African American women are among the most highly-educated populations in the United States, there is a lack of support for their potential to attain leadership positions in organizations, including the government sector. It is essential to analyze the available programs and organizations that have been aiming to address the issue. Such programs include Polished Pebbles and Teach a Girl to Lead while the Center for American Women and Politics (CAWP) while White House Council on Women and Girl leadership are the organizations are the agencies that deal with helping the target group of women to become successful leaders.

- (A) Despite the availability of these programs, the number of African American women in

leadership roles has not increased significantly.

- (B) The government sector has always been committed to addressing the underrepresentation of women of color in leadership positions.
- (C) The lack of representation of African American women in leadership positions is not solely due to a lack of opportunities.
- (D) It is essential to create new programs to address the unique challenges faced by African American women in leadership positions.

Q5 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Increasing the visibility of women in the cultural space is essential to ensure a positive impact on public policies and a more balanced representation of men's and women's lives and views. The strategies to overcome general inequality and discrimination toward women in writing activities will be discussed in detail below. For the purposes of the essay, it is required to reveal the content of the concepts of class, gender, race, and the relationship of these phenomena with women's subsequent production of culturally significant projects. The creation of autobiographical literary works for women from different countries allows them to declare their autonomous selves, which is also crucial for the visibility of women.

- (A) Additionally, it is important to provide equal opportunities for women to access education, funding and resources to create and produce cultural works.
- (B) This is necessary for the development of a healthy society that values and respects the contributions of women.
- (C) Furthermore, it is important to create platforms for the promotion and distribution



of cultural works produced by women.

- (D) Moreover, it is essential to recognize and acknowledge the contributions of women to the cultural space and to actively work to remove any barriers to their participation.

Q6 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Social media are the websites used for the generation and sharing of digital content on platforms for social networking. Social media can also be defined as channels that are used for online communications hence are utilized by a large number of people for collaboration, sharing of content, interactions, and the collection of inputs that are community-based. The need for convenience in communication and the sharing of information has led to the rapid technological advancement in the communication sector, hence, a number of other social media platforms are being created to satisfy the rising demand for digital tools of communication. Social media is designed based on the user interface and the intended function.

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- (A) The differences in social media channels include the limitations in the character count, accessibility, and content management.
- (B) Social media channels are a prime source of news and are used extensively by journalists for gathering and reporting news.
- (C) Social media channels play a critical role in the dissemination of fake news and misinformation, which can lead to significant societal problems.
- (D) Social media channels have changed the way we interact with people, from simple acquaintances to close family members.

Q7 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Competition has been characterized as a social practice in which people are rewarded based on how their accomplishments contrast those of others performing the same work or engaging in the same activity. A highly competitive setting can support a learning environment that provides students with academic challenges in educational facilities. Furthermore, competition can provide the kinds of experiences that promote the formation of professional mindsets and work ethic, as well as psychological and emotional development.

- (A) However, competition can also lead to negative outcomes such as anxiety, stress, and low self-esteem.
- (B) In conclusion, competition is a double-edged sword that requires a delicate balance.
- (C) Ultimately, it is up to each individual to decide whether or not to participate in competitive activities.
- (D) Therefore, schools should focus more on cooperation rather than competition in their educational programs.

Q8 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

In recent years, scientific interest in the problems of child aggression has increased significantly. Therefore, the issue of aggressive behavior of children is extremely relevant for modern society. Educators and teachers note that there are more and more aggressive children every year, it is difficult to work with them, and, often, teachers do not know how to cope with their behavior. The problem of child



aggression and aggressive behavior requires an immediate and urgent solution. Due to the current situation, a modern teacher-psychologist working in the field of education is obliged to possess effective technologies for working with aggressive schoolchildren. At the same time, the work of a teacher-psychologist on timely diagnosis, prevention, and correction of aggressive behavior should begin already in elementary school, since, according to the results of recent years, aggression has significantly rejuvenated.

- (A) As a result, it is important to provide teachers with the necessary training and resources to effectively deal with aggressive behavior in children.
- (B) Additionally, it is necessary to involve parents and guardians in the process of addressing aggressive behavior in children to ensure consistency and effectiveness.
- (C) Furthermore, it is important to implement evidence-based interventions and therapies to address the underlying causes of child aggression.
- (D) Moreover, it is crucial to recognize that aggressive behavior in children is a complex issue that requires a multi-faceted approach.

Q9 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Ignition interlock installation is affordable across the states and helps avoid the much money spent after road accidents. Some states have set up programs that assist low-income clients with ignition interlock installation costs. According to a report by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), installing an ignition interlock costs approximately \$70 to \$150 (Mothers Against Drunk Driving). Furthermore, the device monitoring and calibration costs around \$60

and \$80 (Mothers Against Drunk Driving). The total annual cost of installation and calibration, including breathalyzers' monitoring costs, is \$1000 (NHTSA 7). Ignition interlock installation could help avoid the expenses of road accidents, including medical fees, burial costs, car repair, and save the money lost due to reduced workplace productivity.

- (A) As a result, ignition interlock installation is an effective way to prevent drunk driving and reduce the costs associated with road accidents.
- (B) Additionally, it is important to raise awareness of the availability and benefits of ignition interlock installation to encourage more people to use the device.
- (C) Furthermore, it is necessary to increase funding for programs that assist low-income clients with ignition interlock installation costs to ensure that everyone has access to this important safety measure.
- (D) Moreover, it is crucial to ensure that ignition interlock devices are maintained properly to ensure their effectiveness in preventing drunk driving.

Q10 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Being homeless implies a lack of secure, safe, and appropriate housing and the means and capacity to have it. International agencies, governments, scholars, and civil society organizations have all adopted varying definitions of homelessness based on the language used, socioeconomic situations, cultural norms observed, the people impacted, and the reason for which homelessness is designated. Even in states with enough means to address it, homelessness has evolved as a worldwide human rights violation. It has, nevertheless, been largely shielded from human



rights responsibility and rarely addressed as a violation of human rights needing affirmative action by states to avoid and abolish it. Being homeless significantly impacts the health of people affected, compromising their right to the best possible health. Each year, homelessness results in several thousands of premature and avoidable deaths, showing a failure of governments to defend the right to life effectively. Homeless individuals face difficult circumstances, such as physical and psychiatric problems or drug abuse, which resolves homelessness as an intricate policy issue.

- (A) Homelessness is a complex issue that requires a comprehensive and coordinated approach across multiple sectors and stakeholders to effectively address it.
- (B) Furthermore, it is important to recognize that homelessness is not just a problem of poverty, but also a problem of human rights, and requires a human rights-based approach to address it.
- (C) Additionally, governments have a legal obligation to take affirmative action to address and prevent homelessness, as it is a violation of the right to adequate housing and the right to life.
- (D) Moreover, it is crucial to involve homeless individuals and groups in the design and implementation of policies and programs related to homelessness.

Q11 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Commercial lending refers to the practice of giving out money for loans to various known entities, which may include private businesses, limited companies, and partnership businesses. Some businesses undertake commercial lending to manage their costs of operation and capital

needs. In some organizations, commercial lending calls for a bank loan extension, which also has a flat interest rate, time, and lending conditions. Commercial lending focuses on cash flows than collecting collaterals from the borrowers. The approach that commercial lending takes is to ensure that there is enough cash flow. The second focus is on collateral.

- (A) The third focus is on the creditworthiness of the borrower, which is determined by their credit score and credit history.
- (B) While commercial lending can be a useful tool for businesses, it also carries a certain level of risk for the lender.
- (C) This allows commercial lending institutions to mitigate the risk of lending to businesses that may not be able to repay the loan.
- (D) Furthermore, commercial lending institutions usually have strict lending criteria, which can make it difficult for some businesses to access the funding they need.

Q12 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Speaking about heroism from the angles of contemporary philosophy we cannot but deal with Ancient Greeks, their philosophy, and the role of philosophical doctrines which influenced not only the lives of Greek philosophers but also modern times. We should not forget that contemporary philosophy was highly influenced by Greek philosophical schools which underlined modern trends in the academic discipline. That is why the role of different Greek philosopher cannot be overestimated.

- (A) Greek philosophy is outdated and has no relevance in contemporary times.
- (B) Greek philosophers were not heroic figures.
- (C) The influence of Greek philosophy on contemporary philosophy cannot be denied.



(D) Greek philosophy is not important in understanding heroism.

Q13 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Yelling, once associated with toughness, strength, and power, is now seen as imposing and aggressive, a negative side consequence of arrogance and unearthed advantage. With the widespread public reaction towards the online clip of Republican Majority Leader Jake Corman yelling at his Democratic opponent Kate Muth, the precarious position of yelling in modern American consciousness became apparent. Screaming is currently associated with toxic masculinity and anger issues that frequently stem from it. People who lose control and start yelling are met with a mixture of surprise and humiliation. It's not an appropriate course of action for anyone who wishes to achieve public respect and be taken seriously.

- (A) Therefore, the use of yelling should be avoided in any professional or public setting.
- (B) This is why alternative methods of communication, such as assertive and calm dialogue, are preferred in today's society.
- (C) It is important for individuals to understand the negative connotations associated with yelling and to actively work to change this perception.
- (D) In conclusion, yelling is no longer seen as a form of strength or power, but rather as a sign of weakness and immaturity.

Q14 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

One of the principal targets of Economics is the intention to improve people's standards of

living. However, the practical implementation of this idea seems to be challenging. At present, there is no confirmed method to achieve this goal. Meanwhile, the thoughts of Adam Smith on the subject are not only valuable in terms of a better understanding of the issue but also comply with the principles of economics. The economist saw society's future in mutual assistance and cooperation, and such an approach allows drawing an analogy between his ideas and specific economic concepts.

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- (A) For example, the theory of perfect competition suggests that in a market with many buyers and sellers, the prices will reach the optimal level, allowing all parties to benefit.
- (B) Therefore, the government should focus on creating policies that promote education and technological innovation to increase productivity and boost economic growth.
- (C) However, some economists argue that the pursuit of economic growth may lead to environmental degradation and social inequality.
- (D) Nevertheless, economic growth remains the most effective way to raise people's standards of living, as it creates job opportunities and increases income levels.

Q15 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

The wide range of vehicles has increased noise pollution on the roads, and the improved act leads to unwanted sound. According to Kampf, bicycles are used to enhance minimal noise production. The use of bikes depends on a lack of engine and it is ridden with the cyclist's ability and power, chances of noise pollution are minimal. This action is valuable and important for the riders' overall health and



preventing noise pollution. On the other hand, the use of bicycles on selected paths for other road events and circulation does not create a challenge problem. Health physical welfare from a change towards more dynamic conveyance depends on the degree of replacement of unlike types of bodily deeds. Longitudinal training propose that regular bicycle traveling improves the overall physical activity without disturbing contribution in numerous accomplishments.

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- (A) As a result, bicycles should be promoted as an environmentally friendly mode of transportation that has health benefits.
- (B) However, cycling is not a viable option for long-distance travel or for transporting heavy goods.
- (C) Therefore, governments should invest in the development of noise-free electric vehicles for widespread use.
- (D) Nonetheless, cycling can also cause accidents and injuries, especially when sharing roads with other vehicles.

Q16 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Sociological sciences aim to study people's behavior and factors affecting it to explain or even predict it. At the same time, representatives of various areas studying peculiarities of people's behavior tend to ask contrasting questions. For example, psychology is more focused on personal characteristics, features, and patterns of thinking. Sociology, in turn, pays more attention to group processes, connections, and interactions of individuals with social conditions. Relationships between people create different social groups with their unique dynamics, the essence of which at the group level can differ significantly from the

individual one. Groups can influence individuals and vice versa, and sociologists' study which factors have a more significant influence, for example, socialization culture, position in social stratification, or geographical context. By tracking the casual relationships between a factor and its consequence, they can understand, explain, and predict the extent to which specific social conditions affect individual thoughts, feelings, and behavior.

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- (A) Therefore, sociological sciences play a crucial role in understanding the interactions and relationships between people and the factors that affect their behavior.
- (B) Therefore, sociological sciences are not just limited to studying the behavior of individuals but also examine the dynamics of social groups and the relationships between individuals and social conditions.
- (C) Therefore, sociological sciences are essential in understanding the dynamics of social groups, the relationships between individuals and social conditions, and how they affect human behavior.
- (D) Therefore, sociological sciences provide a better understanding of how group processes, connections, and interactions of individuals with social conditions affect human behavior and can be used to predict it.

Q17 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Young children using phones is one of the disputable issues today as there are many arguments for and again. However, considering the digitalization of the modern world and the rise of technologies, this category should be allowed to use smartphones. First, it will help parents to ensure their children are safe as



there are numerous opportunities for communication and tracking. Second, using these devices, young people will acquire skills vital for working with more complicated technologies, which is critical in contemporary society and can help to attain future success. _____.

- (A) Third, children should be allowed to use smartphones because it will help them stay connected with their peers and socialize.
- (B) Third, children should be allowed to use smartphones because it will help them stay informed about current events and global issues.
- (C) Third, children should be allowed to use smartphones because it will help them develop better decision-making skills and learn about consequences of their actions.
- (D) Third, children should be allowed to use smartphones because it will help them develop better time management skills and learn to balance digital and real-world activities.

Q18 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Disaster bonds or catastrophe (cat) bonds are income securities that are issued by insurers. The fixed-income securities pay a good return on investment, but these returns are predicated on catastrophes. This means that if a disaster occurs before the returns on the investment are realized, investors will potentially lose their returns or capital. Catastrophe bonds are a form of insurance securities that transfer the risk from insurers in case of monumental risks that may be brought about by natural or manmade disasters. Cat bonds are by definition not a form of insurance, and this makes them very relevant to the insurance industry. _____.

- (A) Cat bonds provide a form of insurance coverage for investors, protecting them from losses due to unpredictable catastrophes.
- (B) Returns on investment are guaranteed, making them a low-risk and attractive investment option.
- (C) Catastrophe bonds are an attractive option for investors, as they provide a good return on investment.
- (D) Catastrophe bonds are not a form of insurance, and often offer a higher return on investment than traditional insurance products.

Q19 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Critical race theory is a concept that was introduced in the United States of America to highlight some of the impacts brought about by racial discrimination. Most individuals from the minority groups in the United States of America have been subjected to various forms of racism, which negatively impacted their lives. Racism has been one of the biggest social problems in the societies of America since the end of World War two when individuals from other countries who came to America as slaves were allowed to settle within the territories of the United States of America. The white natives from the country were against the decision by the American government and attacked the minority individuals in protest of the government decision. This paper strives to highlight the impact of critical race theory in American societies. _____.

- (A) Critical race theory is a powerful tool that can help individuals understand the effects of racism and discrimination in American society.
- (B) Critical race theory is a divisive concept that only serves to further divide American



society along racial lines.

- (C) Despite its good intentions, critical race theory is not an effective solution to the problem of racism in America.
- (D) The goal of critical race theory is to empower minority groups and promote equality in American society.

Q20 Given below is a paragraph from which the last sentence that completes the paragraph has been deleted. From the given options, choose the sentence that completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way.

Genius is often explained through genetic argument, which attributes it to the biological background. Scheff did not refute the genetic argument; however, he claimed that genius has a biological and social origin. He supports his position by extrapolating the idea that every human is a genius in language compared to other forms of organic or artificial intelligence. Humans become geniuses in language due to constant exposure and interactive practice with gifted and attentive teachers, such as their parents. Therefore, raising a genius in other spheres usually requires a positive social influence from gifted relatives or mentors. Such influence leads to the creation of high self-esteem, which Scheff believes to be a critical condition that prevents a genius from alienating themselves from others. _____.

- (A) The environment, therefore, plays an important role in the development of genius, and not just genetics.
- (B) Genius is not limited to language, but it can be developed in other spheres as well.
- (C) According to Scheff, genius is a result of both genetic and environmental factors.
- (D) Scheff believed that genius is only related to language and not to other spheres.

Q21 There is a sentence that is missing in the paragraph below. Look at the paragraph and

decide in which blank (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) the following sentence would best fit.

Sentence: Moreover, the technologies utilized in the procedure have the potential to improve patient outcomes and shorten recovery times.

Paragraph: The surgical team at St. Matthews Hospital has recently begun using minimally invasive surgery techniques for certain procedures. These techniques involve making smaller incisions and using specialized instruments, allowing surgeons to perform operations with less trauma to the patient's body. ____ (1) ____.

The hospital administration has invested heavily in acquiring the necessary equipment and providing training for the surgical staff. However, not all staff members have embraced the new techniques, and some continue to use traditional methods. ____ (2) ____.

Dr. Stevens, a senior surgeon, believes that the traditional methods are more reliable and less likely to result in complications. On the other hand, Dr. Patel, a younger surgeon, is an advocate for the minimally invasive techniques and their potential benefits. ____ (3) ____.

The differing opinions have created a division within the surgical team, affecting their ability to collaborate effectively on complex cases. The hospital administration must now address this issue in order to maintain the quality of patient care and the hospital's reputation. (4).

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
- (C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q22 In the paragraph below, decide in which blank (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) the following sentence would best fit.

Sentence: Furthermore, the architectural advancements from this period have significantly influenced the design of modern buildings and monuments.

Paragraph: The ancient Greeks made remarkable contributions to various fields, including art, philosophy, and science. Their civilization flourished from the 8th century BCE



to the decline of the Roman Empire in the 5th century CE. __(1)__. The period known as the Golden Age of Athens (5th century BCE) saw the creation of exceptional artistic and architectural masterpieces, such as the Parthenon on the Acropolis. Greek city-states were often in competition with each other, leading to innovations in warfare, politics, and economics. ___(2)__. The democratic system of government, established by the Athenians, remains an essential aspect of modern political systems. Many Greek thinkers, such as Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle, laid the foundation for Western philosophy and ethics. __ (3)__. Although the Roman Empire eventually conquered Greece, it continued to be inspired by Greek culture, leading to the widespread dissemination of Greek ideas and achievements throughout the known world. ____ (4)__.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q23 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: Additionally, this event set the stage for global exploration and the Age of Discovery.

Paragraph: Throughout global history, technological innovations and cultural exchanges have played significant roles in shaping human society. The Silk Road, an ancient network of trade routes, connected the East and West, facilitating the exchange of goods, ideas, and technologies. __ (1)__. The invention of the printing press in the 15th century revolutionized communication and the spread of knowledge, greatly contributing to the Renaissance and the Scientific Revolution. __(2)__. In the 18th and 19th centuries, the Industrial Revolution marked a significant shift from agrarian societies to industrialized urban centers, transforming economies and lifestyles worldwide. __ (3)__. The 20th century witnessed

the rise of globalization and the increasing interdependence of countries, driven by advancements in transportation, communication, and information technology. __ (4)__.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q24 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: This mission has advanced our understanding of the Red Planet's geology and climate, paving the way for future human exploration.

Paragraph: Recent space exploration has ushered in a new era of scientific discovery and technological advancements. In the past few decades, space agencies from around the world have collaborated on various missions to explore our solar system and beyond. __(1)__. One of the most notable missions is the Mars Rover program, which has successfully landed multiple rovers on the Martian surface. __(2)__. The James Webb Space Telescope, launched in late 2021, is expected to revolutionize our understanding of the universe, providing insight into the formation of galaxies and the nature of dark matter. __(3)__. In addition, private companies like SpaceX are working to develop reusable rocket technology, reducing the cost of space travel and making it more accessible. ____ (4)__.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q25 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: Among these, the construction of the Great Pyramid of Giza remains one of the most iconic architectural achievements in human history.



Paragraph: Egypt's deep history has long fascinated scholars and archaeologists due to its wealth of ancient monuments, cultural achievements, and scientific advancements. _(1)_. The civilization's early development along the fertile Nile River provided the resources necessary to sustain its growth and foster its distinctive culture. ___(2)____. Throughout its history, Egypt produced numerous monumental structures such as temples, statues, and tombs, showcasing its architectural prowess and artistic creativity. ___(3)____. Furthermore, ancient Egyptian advances in mathematics, astronomy, and medicine have had lasting impacts on the development of human knowledge. ___(4)_____.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q26 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: The concept of growth mindset, developed by Carol Dweck, posits that intelligence and abilities can be developed through effort, persistence, and learning from challenges.

Paragraph: Psychology is a diverse field that encompasses the study of the human mind, behavior, and emotional processes. _(1)_. Over the years, numerous theories and concepts have emerged, each contributing to our understanding of human behavior and cognition. __ (2) __. One influential theory is Abraham Maslow's hierarchy of needs, which postulates that individuals are motivated by a series of hierarchical needs, ranging from physiological to self-actualization. __ (3) __. Cognitive psychology, on the other hand, is an approach that investigates mental processes such as problem-solving, memory, and perception. __ (4) __.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q27 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: Investigative journalism, a crucial branch of the profession, involves in-depth research and reporting on significant issues, often uncovering corruption, scandals, and other wrongdoings.

Paragraph: Journalism plays a vital role in informing the public and fostering a well-functioning democratic society. _(1)_. Over time, the field has diversified into various forms and mediums, adapting to technological advancements and evolving social dynamics. _(2)_. For instance, broadcast journalism delivers news through television and radio, while digital journalism focuses on online platforms and social media. _(3)_. Opinion journalism, another aspect of the field, allows writers to express their perspectives on current events and topics, engaging readers in a broader discourse. _(4)_.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q28 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: Consequently, the public relies on responsible and ethical journalism to stay well-informed and engaged in the democratic process.

Paragraph: The field of journalism has a profound impact on society, serving as a primary source of information and shaping public opinion. _(1)_. Various forms of journalism, such as print, broadcast, and digital, have emerged to cater to different audiences and platforms. __ (2) __. Journalists often adhere to ethical standards, including accuracy, fairness, and impartiality, to ensure the credibility of their work. __ (3) __. The rise of social media has also led to an increase in citizen journalism, where



ordinary individuals contribute to the reporting of news and events. _(4)_.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q29 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: One such mathematician, Sir Isaac Newton, made groundbreaking discoveries in calculus, physics, and the laws of motion and gravitation.

Paragraph: Throughout history, mathematicians have played a pivotal role in advancing human knowledge and shaping the world we live in today. _(1)_. Their discoveries have transcended cultural and geographical boundaries, contributing to various fields such as science, engineering, and economics. _(2)_. For instance, the development of algebra by Persian mathematician Al-Khwarizmi revolutionized problem-solving and laid the foundation for modern mathematics. _(3)_. Another notable figure, Euclid, is often referred to as the "Father of Geometry" due to his seminal work, the "Elements." _(4)_.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4

Q30 Determine the best location (option 1, 2, 3, or 4) to insert the following sentence in the paragraph below.

Sentence: Encouraging curiosity and critical thinking is crucial for their intellectual development.

Paragraph: Child philosophy emphasizes the importance of nurturing children's innate sense of wonder and inquiry. _(1)_. By engaging them in age-appropriate philosophical discussions, parents and educators can help children build a strong foundation for lifelong learning. _(2)_. For example, discussing ethical dilemmas can teach them empathy and perspective-taking, while exploring existential questions can foster a deeper understanding of the world and their place in it. _(3)_. Children who learn to think philosophically from a young age are more likely to grow into open-minded, reflective adults. _(4)_.

- (A) Option 1 (B) Option 2
(C) Option 3 (D) Option 4



Answer Key

Q1 (D)
Q2 (C)
Q3 (C)
Q4 (A)
Q5 (D)
Q6 (D)
Q7 (A)
Q8 (D)
Q9 (A)
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Hints & Solutions

Q1 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option A is too broad as it talks about a general understanding of the market and competition, while the paragraph specifically discusses financial agreements and factors affecting a company's relationships with investors or creditors. So, this option can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Option B is not too broad or too narrow but can be considered extreme as it only highlights the negative aspects of loans without considering any benefits. While the paragraph does mention some pitfalls of loans, it does not suggest that loans are not a viable option at all. Therefore, this option can be eliminated using BANE theory.

Option C is too narrow as it suggests that having a strong team of advisors and attorneys is the most effective way to protect one's business, which is not mentioned in the paragraph. So, this option can also be eliminated using BANE theory.

Option D seems to be the most appropriate choice as it is not too broad, too narrow, or too extreme. The paragraph discusses financial agreements, factors affecting relationships with investors or creditors, and potential pitfalls when dealing with investments. The statement in option D suggests that having a well-thought-out business plan is key to securing financing, which aligns with the overall theme of the paragraph. Therefore, option D can be considered the most appropriate statement to complete the paragraph.

Q2 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The paragraph discusses the three fundamental aspects of change, which are Modeling, Supporting, and Rewarding, and mentions the aim of the paper to look at

cultural change and the processes involved in bringing it.

Option A, which states that cultural change can be challenging but achievable, is too broad and does not provide any specific information on the processes involved.

Option B, which states that cultural change cannot be forced, is not appropriate as it contradicts the first sentence, which implies that change is necessary.

Option C, which states that cultural change can be gradually implemented through modeling, supporting, and rewarding desired behaviors, is the most appropriate option as it builds on the information given in the paragraph and provides specific information on the processes involved in bringing cultural change.

Option D, which suggests identifying the root cause of resistance to change, is too narrow and does not provide a comprehensive explanation of the processes involved in cultural change. Therefore, option C is the correct answer.

Q3 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The paragraph discusses the limitations of the Anthropocene perspective in addressing capitalism's role in natural patterns and suggests the Capitalocene framework as an alternative. The next sentence is expected to provide additional information or insights about the Capitalocene framework.

Option A is too broad as it takes a more general approach and tries to highlight the positive contribution of the Anthropocene, which is not relevant to the current discussion. Therefore, option A can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Option B is strange as it takes an opposing view to the main argument of the paragraph,



stating that Capitalocene is a dangerous concept that legitimizes capitalism's domination of nature. This statement contradicts the paragraph's suggestion that the Capitalocene framework provides a better-informed outlook on the relationship between society and nature. Therefore, option B can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Option C is a close contender, and it seems like a possible next sentence to complete the paragraph as it highlights the potential benefits of the Capitalocene framework, which is in line with the main argument of the paragraph. It suggests that environmental movements can establish alliances with other social justice movements through the Capitalocene framework, which can lead to more significant and effective action on the climate crisis. Therefore, option C can be considered as a possible correct answer.

Option D is too narrow as it only focuses on the limitations of the Capitalocene narrative and fails to provide any new insights or information about it. Therefore, option D can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Considering the above analysis, the correct answer is option C, as it provides additional information on the potential benefits of the Capitalocene framework.

Q4 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The paragraph discusses the lack of support for African American women's potential to attain leadership positions in organizations, despite being highly educated. It then mentions several programs and organizations that aim to address this issue. The next sentence is expected to provide additional information or insights about these programs and organizations.

Option A is a close contender as it is in line with the main argument of the paragraph, which is the lack of progress in increasing the number of

African American women in leadership roles despite the availability of programs and organizations. Therefore, option A can be considered as a possible correct answer.

Option B is alien as it contradicts the paragraph's main argument, which is the lack of support for African American women's potential to attain leadership positions in organizations, including the government sector. Therefore, option B can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Option C is too broad as it suggests that the lack of representation of African American women in leadership positions is not solely due to a lack of opportunities, which is a complex issue and cannot be adequately addressed in the limited scope of the paragraph. Therefore, option C can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Option D is too narrow as it suggests that the only solution to the lack of support for African American women's potential to attain leadership positions is to create new programs. This statement ignores the existing programs and organizations mentioned in the paragraph and their potential effectiveness. Therefore, option D can be eliminated using the BANE theory.

Considering the above analysis, the correct answer is option A, as it provides additional information on the lack of progress despite the availability of programs and organizations.

Q5 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option D: "Moreover, it is essential to recognize and acknowledge the contributions of women to the cultural space and to actively work to remove any barriers to their participation." This would be the most appropriate way to complete the paragraph, as it emphasizes the importance of taking proactive steps to address the underrepresentation of women in the cultural space by recognizing and



acknowledging their contributions, and removing any barriers that prevent their participation in cultural activities. Hence, option D is correct.

Option A) "Additionally, it is important to provide equal opportunities for women to access education, funding and resources to create and produce cultural works." This is not incorrect, but it is not as appropriate as option D because it does not address the need to recognize and acknowledge the contributions of women to the cultural space.

Option B) "This is necessary for the development of a healthy society that values and respects the contributions of women." This is not incorrect, but it is not as appropriate as option D because it does not address the specific steps that need to be taken to increase the visibility of women in the cultural space.

Option C) "Furthermore, it is important to create platforms for the promotion and distribution of cultural works produced by women." This is not incorrect, but it is not as appropriate as option D because it does not address the need to recognize and acknowledge the contributions of women to the cultural space and to actively work to remove any barriers to their participation.

Q6 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The paragraph introduces social media as websites used for digital content generation and sharing on platforms for social networking. The paragraph then goes on to define social media platforms as channels that are used for online communication, collaboration, sharing of content, interactions, and the collection of inputs that are community-based. The next sentence states that the need for convenience in communication and information sharing has led to rapid technological advancement in the communication sector, resulting in the creation of many social media platforms that are

designed based on the user interface and intended function. The next sentence should add further information to this idea.

Option A is too narrow and only focuses on the differences in social media channels. It does not provide any information about how social media is designed based on the user interface and intended function. Hence, option A can be eliminated.

Option B is too broad as it introduces an entirely new idea of social media being a prime source of news and journalists using it extensively. This option does not fit in with the flow of the paragraph and is an outlier. Hence, option B can be eliminated.

Option C is extreme as it focuses on the negative aspects of social media, specifically the dissemination of fake news and misinformation. This option also does not fit in with the flow of the paragraph and seems like an outlier. Hence, option C can be eliminated.

Option D is the most appropriate and adds to the idea introduced in the previous sentence that social media platforms are designed based on the user interface and intended function. Option D states that social media has changed the way we interact with people, from simple acquaintances to close family members. This idea adds to the overall understanding of how social media is designed based on the intended function and how it has impacted social interaction. Hence, option D is the correct answer.

Q7 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Using BANE theory, let's analyze the options:

Option A: However, competition can also lead to negative outcomes such as anxiety, stress, and low self-esteem. – This option is Broad, but it relates directly to the topic of the paragraph. It acknowledges the positive effects of competition and then presents a counter-argument that competition also has negative



outcomes. This option is the most appropriate as it provides a balanced perspective on the topic discussed in the paragraph.

Option B: In conclusion, competition is a double-edged sword that requires a delicate balance. – This option is too Narrow because it presents a conclusion without elaborating on the positive and negative effects of competition. Additionally, the paragraph does not present any solutions, making this option not relevant to the topic.

Option C: Ultimately, it is up to each individual to decide whether or not to participate in competitive activities. – This option is Alien because it does not relate directly to the topic discussed in the paragraph. The paragraph talks about competition in an educational setting, and this option presents an individualistic perspective, which is not relevant.

Option D: Therefore, schools should focus more on cooperation rather than competition in their educational programs. – This option is Extreme because it presents a solution that is too extreme. The paragraph discusses the positive effects of competition and suggests that it can provide a learning environment that supports academic challenges and professional mindsets. The option does not consider the benefits of competition and suggests that schools should eliminate competition altogether.

Therefore, option A is the most appropriate as it presents a balanced perspective on the positive and negative effects of competition, which is relevant to the topic discussed in the paragraph.

Q8 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

D) Moreover, it is crucial to recognize that aggressive behavior in children is a complex issue that requires a multi-faceted approach. would be the most appropriate way to complete the paragraph, as it emphasizes that

aggressive behavior in children is a complex issue that requires a multi-faceted approach and it is in line with the context of the paragraph which is discussing the complexity of the problem and the need of effective solution. Hence, option D is correct.

Option A) As a result, it is important to provide teachers with the necessary training and resources to effectively deal with aggressive behavior in children. While providing teachers with necessary tools and resources is important, it does not address all the aspects that need to be considered when addressing child aggression. Child aggression is a complex issue that may have various underlying causes and requires a multi-faceted approach that involves not only the teachers, but also other stakeholders such as parents and guardians, and evidence-based interventions and therapies.

Option B) Additionally, it is necessary to involve parents and guardians in the process of addressing aggressive behavior in children to ensure consistency and effectiveness. Involving parents and guardians is important, but it is not the only solution. Child aggression is a complex issue that may have various underlying causes and requires a multi-faceted approach that involves not only the parents and guardians, but also other stakeholders and evidence-based interventions and therapies.

Option C) Furthermore, it is important to implement evidence-based interventions and therapies to address the underlying causes of child aggression. Implementing evidence-based interventions and therapies is important, but it is not the only solution. Child aggression is a complex issue that may have various underlying causes and requires a multi-faceted approach that involves not only evidence-based interventions and therapies, but also other stakeholders such as parents and guardians.



Q9 Text Solution:**Topic: Para Completion**

A) As a result, ignition interlock installation is an effective way to prevent drunk driving and reduce the costs associated with road accidents. would be the most appropriate way to complete the paragraph, as it emphasizes the effectiveness of ignition interlock installation in preventing drunk driving and reducing the costs associated with road accidents, and it is in line with the context of the paragraph which is discussing the affordability and benefits of ignition interlock installation. Hence, option A is correct.

Option B) Additionally, it is important to raise awareness of the availability and benefits of ignition interlock installation to encourage more people to use the device. is not incorrect, but it is not as appropriate as option A because it does not address the effectiveness of ignition interlock installation in preventing drunk driving and reducing the costs associated with road accidents.

Option C) Furthermore, it is necessary to increase funding for programs that assist low-income clients with ignition interlock installation costs to ensure that everyone has access to this important safety measure. is not incorrect, but it is not as appropriate as option A because it does not address the effectiveness of ignition interlock installation in preventing drunk driving and reducing the costs associated with road accidents.

Option D) Moreover, it is crucial to ensure that ignition interlock devices are maintained properly to ensure their effectiveness in preventing drunk driving. is not incorrect but it is not as appropriate as option A because it does not address the effectiveness of ignition interlock installation in preventing drunk driving and reducing the costs associated with road accidents.

Q10 Text Solution:**Topic: Para Completion**

B) Furthermore, it is important to recognize that homelessness is not just a problem of poverty, but also a problem of human rights, and requires a human rights-based approach to address it. would be the most appropriate way to complete the paragraph, as it emphasizes that homelessness is not just a problem of poverty, but also a problem of human rights, and requires a human rights-based approach to address it and it is in line with the context of the paragraph which is discussing the implications of homelessness and the need of a comprehensive approach to address it. Hence, option B is correct.

A) Homelessness is a complex issue that requires a comprehensive and coordinated approach across multiple sectors and stakeholders to effectively address it. While this statement is true, it does not specifically address the idea that homelessness is not just a problem of poverty, but also a problem of human rights.

C) Additionally, governments have a legal obligation to take affirmative action to address and prevent homelessness, as it is a violation of the right to adequate housing and the right to life. This statement is also true and relates to the idea that homelessness is a human rights issue. But it doesn't mention the need of a human rights-based approach to address it.

D) Moreover, it is crucial to involve homeless individuals and groups in the design and implementation of policies and programs related to homelessness. While involving homeless individuals and groups is important, this statement does not specifically address the idea that homelessness is not just a problem of poverty, but also a problem of human rights.

Q11 Text Solution:**Topic: Para Completion**

C continues the paragraph whereas D diverts it, A is alien and B is too narrow.



1. C) This allows commercial lending institutions to mitigate the risk of lending to businesses that may not be able to repay the loan. would be the most appropriate way to complete the paragraph, as it emphasizes that commercial lending institutions use creditworthiness of the borrower as a way of mitigating risk and it is in line with the context of the paragraph which is discussing the approach of commercial lending and its focuses. Hence, option C is correct.
2. A) The third focus is on the creditworthiness of the borrower, which is determined by their credit score and credit history. This statement is true and relates to the idea that creditworthiness of the borrower is an important focus of commercial lending. However, it doesn't mention the purpose of this focus which is to mitigate risk.
3. B) While commercial lending can be a useful tool for businesses, it also carries a certain level of risk for the lender. This statement is also true and relates to the idea that commercial lending carries a certain level of risk for the lender. But it doesn't mention how commercial lending institutions mitigate this risk.
4. D) Furthermore, commercial lending institutions usually have strict lending criteria, which can make it difficult for some businesses to access the funding they need. This statement is also true and relates to the idea that commercial lending institutions have strict lending criteria. But it doesn't mention the risk mitigation aspect of commercial lending which is the focus of the paragraph.

Q12 Text Solution:**Topic: Para Completion**

The paragraph discusses the concept of heroism from the angles of contemporary philosophy and its relation to ancient Greek philosophy. It explains that contemporary

philosophy was highly influenced by Greek philosophical schools and their doctrines, which underlined modern trends in the academic discipline. Therefore, the role of different Greek philosophers cannot be overestimated.

The correct answer is C) The influence of Greek philosophy on contemporary philosophy cannot be denied. This sentence completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way because it summarizes the main points of the paragraph and provides a clear and concise conclusion. It highlights that the Greek philosophy has had a significant impact on contemporary philosophy and its influence cannot be denied.

A) Greek philosophy is outdated and has no relevance in contemporary times. This option is not correct because it presents a negative view of Greek philosophy by stating that it is outdated and has no relevance in contemporary times, but it doesn't provide any evidence or reasoning to support this claim. The paragraph implies that Greek philosophy still holds great relevance today.

B) Greek philosophers were not heroic figures. This option is not correct because it doesn't address the main topic of the paragraph which is the angle of contemporary philosophy and its relation to ancient Greek philosophy and heroism.

D) Greek philosophy is not important in understanding heroism. This option is not correct because it contradicts the main point of the paragraph which is that Greek philosophy is important and its influence on contemporary philosophy cannot be denied.

Q13 Text Solution:**Topic: Para Completion**

Option A: Therefore, the use of yelling should be avoided in any professional or public setting. This option is the most appropriate as it completes the paragraph by summarizing the main point made in the paragraph which is that



yelling is not an appropriate course of action in professional or public setting. It also relates to the main theme of the paragraph, which is the negative perception of yelling in modern American consciousness and how it is associated with toxic masculinity and anger issues. It also concludes the paragraph by giving a practical advice on how to communicate effectively and professionally. Hence, option A is correct.

Option B: This is why alternative methods of communication, such as assertive and calm dialogue, are preferred in today's society. This statement is true, but it doesn't complete the paragraph in a meaningful way as it doesn't give a clear statement of the main point made in the paragraph which is that the use of yelling should be avoided in any professional or public setting.

Option C: It is important for individuals to understand the negative connotations associated with yelling and to actively work to change this perception. This statement is true, but it doesn't complete the paragraph in a meaningful way as it doesn't give a clear statement of the main point made in the paragraph which is that the use of yelling should be avoided in any professional or public setting.

Option D: In conclusion, yelling is no longer seen as a form of strength or power, but rather as a sign of weakness and immaturity. This statement is true, but it doesn't complete the paragraph in a meaningful way as it doesn't give a practical advice on how to communicate effectively and professionally, as the first option does.

Q14 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Using BANE theory, let's analyze the options:

Option A: For example, the theory of perfect competition suggests that in a market with many buyers and sellers, the prices will reach

the optimal level, allowing all parties to benefit.

- This option is Narrow because it presents an example related to the concept of perfect competition. However, it is not relevant to the topic discussed in the paragraph, which is about the challenges of improving people's standards of living and the ideas of Adam Smith.

Option B: Therefore, the government should focus on creating policies that promote education and technological innovation to increase productivity and boost economic growth. - This option is Extreme because it presents a solution that is too extreme. The paragraph acknowledges the challenge of improving people's standards of living and the lack of a confirmed method to achieve this goal. The option suggests that the government should focus on education and technological innovation as the only way to improve people's standards of living, which is too extreme.

Option C: However, some economists argue that the pursuit of economic growth may lead to environmental degradation and social inequality. - This option is the most appropriate because it presents an argument related to the challenges of improving people's standards of living. The option acknowledges the positive effect of economic growth on people's standards of living but also recognizes that the pursuit of economic growth may lead to environmental degradation and social inequality. This option provides a balanced perspective and is relevant to the topic discussed in the paragraph.

Option D: Nevertheless, economic growth remains the most effective way to raise people's standards of living, as it creates job opportunities and increases income levels. - This option is Broad because it presents a general statement related to the positive effect of economic growth on people's standards of living. However, it is not relevant to the topic discussed in the paragraph, which is about the



challenges of improving people's standards of living and the ideas of Adam Smith.

Therefore, option C is the most appropriate as it presents a balanced perspective related to the challenges of improving people's standards of living, which is relevant to the topic discussed in the paragraph.

Q15 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Using the BANE theory, we can eliminate some options and find the most appropriate answer to complete the paragraph.

Option A: This option is broad because it covers many aspects and is not specific to the paragraph. Although it is true that bicycles are environmentally friendly and have health benefits, the paragraph does not discuss these points in detail. Therefore, we can eliminate this option.

Option B: This option is narrow because it focuses only on the limitations of cycling. The paragraph does mention some of the limitations of cycling, but it also discusses its benefits. Therefore, we can eliminate this option.

Option C: This option is alien because it introduces a completely new idea that is not related to the topic discussed in the paragraph. Therefore, we can eliminate this option.

Option D: This option is the best answer to complete the paragraph because it discusses the potential negative consequences of cycling, which is relevant to the topic. It is also distinct from option B, which focuses solely on the limitations of cycling. Therefore, option D is the correct answer.

The paragraph discusses the benefits of cycling, such as minimal noise pollution and overall physical activity improvement. Option D completes the paragraph by mentioning the potential negative consequences of cycling, which is that it can cause accidents and injuries when sharing roads with other vehicles. This

option provides a balanced view of cycling, highlighting both its benefits and limitations.

Q16 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option C: Therefore, sociological sciences are essential in understanding the dynamics of social groups, the relationships between individuals and social conditions, and how they affect human behavior. This option is the most appropriate as it summarizes the main point made in the paragraph which is that sociological sciences aim to study people's behavior and factors affecting it to explain or even predict it, and that sociologists pay attention to group processes, connections, and interactions of individuals with social conditions, and how these factors affect human behavior. It also highlights the importance of sociological sciences in understanding these dynamics and relationships. Hence, option C is correct.

Option A: Therefore, sociological sciences play a crucial role in understanding the interactions and relationships between people and the factors that affect their behavior. This statement is true, but it is too general and doesn't specify how sociological sciences help in understanding these interactions and relationships.

Option B: Therefore, sociological sciences are not just limited to studying the behavior of individuals but also examine the dynamics of social groups and the relationships between individuals and social conditions. This statement is true, but it doesn't emphasize the main point of the paragraph which is how sociological sciences help in understanding, explaining and predicting human behavior

Option D: Therefore, sociological sciences provide a better understanding of how group processes, connections, and interactions of individuals with social conditions affect human behavior and can be used to predict it. This statement is true, but it doesn't emphasize the



main point of the paragraph which is how sociological sciences help in understanding, explaining and predicting human behavior and it only talks about how the sociological sciences provide a better understanding of the dynamics of social groups.

Q17 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct option is D. Third, children should be allowed to use smartphones because it will help them develop better time management skills and learn to balance digital and real-world activities.

This option is correct because it fits well with the overall theme of the paragraph, which is discussing the benefits of allowing young children to use smartphones. The previous two points mentioned in the paragraph are about safety and skills, and this option extends on that by mentioning the benefit of developing better time management skills and balancing digital and real-world activities. This is a logical next step in the argument and adds to the overall point being made.

Option A is not correct because it talks about children staying connected with their peers and socializing which is not really related to the topic of the paragraph.

Option B is not correct as it talks about children staying informed about current events and global issues which also not related to the topic.

Option C is not correct because it talks about children developing better decision-making skills and learning about consequences of their actions which also not related to the topic.

Q18 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct answer is D) Catastrophe bonds are not a form of insurance, and often offer a higher return on investment than traditional insurance products. This is because catastrophe bonds transfer the risk from insurers in case of

monumental risks that may be brought about by natural or manmade disasters, rather than providing an insurance coverage for investors.

Option A) is incorrect as catastrophe bonds do not provide insurance coverage for investors.

Option B) is incorrect because returns on investment are not guaranteed, making them a high-risk investment.

Option C) is incorrect because catastrophe bonds are not necessarily an attractive option for investors, as they involve a large degree of risk.

Q19 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct answer is D) The goal of critical race theory is to empower minority groups and promote equality in American society. This sentence completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way because it provides a clear and concise conclusion that summarizes the main point of the paragraph which is the impact of critical race theory in American societies. It also aligns with the idea mentioned in the paragraph that racism is one of the biggest social problems in the societies of America and the paper strives to highlight the impact of critical race theory in American societies.

A) Critical race theory is a powerful tool that can help individuals understand the effects of racism and discrimination in American society. This option is not incorrect, but it's not the best answer because it only highlights one aspect of critical race theory and it doesn't provide a clear and concise conclusion. It doesn't mention the goal of critical race theory.

B) Critical race theory is a divisive concept that only serves to further divide American society along racial lines. This option is not correct because it presents a negative view of critical race theory and it doesn't provide any evidence or reasoning to support this claim. It also doesn't align with the idea mentioned in the



paragraph that racism is one of the biggest social problems in the societies of America and the paper strives to highlight the impact of critical race theory in American societies.

C) Despite its good intentions, critical race theory is not an effective solution to the problem of racism in America. This option is not correct because it presents a negative view of critical race theory and it doesn't provide any evidence or reasoning to support this claim. It also doesn't mention the goal of critical race theory.

D) The goal of critical race theory is to empower minority groups and promote equality in American society. is the correct one, because it provides a clear and concise conclusion that summarizes the main point of the paragraph which is the impact of critical race theory in American societies. It aligns with the idea mentioned in the paragraph that racism is one of the biggest social problems in the societies of America and the paper strives to highlight the impact of critical race theory in American societies.

Q20 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct answer is A) The environment, therefore, plays an important role in the development of genius, and not just genetics. This sentence completes the paragraph in the most appropriate way because it provides a clear and concise conclusion that summarizes the main point of the paragraph which is the role of social influence in the development of genius and the idea that genius is not just limited to genetics. It aligns with the idea that Scheff did not refute the genetic argument; however, he claimed that genius has a biological and social origin. The environment plays an important role in the development of genius, not just genetics.

B) Genius is not limited to language, but it can be developed in other spheres as well. This

option is not incorrect, but it is not the best answer because it only highlights one aspect of the paragraph, it doesn't provide a clear and concise conclusion. The paragraph already mentioned that genius can be developed in other spheres, but it doesn't provide any information about the environmental factors that play a role in the development of genius.

C) According to Scheff, genius is a result of both genetic and environmental factors. This option is not incorrect but it is not the best answer as it only provides one aspect of the argument, it doesn't provide a clear and concise conclusion. The paragraph already mentioned that genius has a biological and social origin, but it doesn't provide any information about the role of environment in the development of genius.

D) Scheff believed that genius is only related to language and not to other spheres. This option is not correct because it contradicts the main point of the paragraph which is that genius can be developed in other spheres as well and it is not limited to language. Scheff supports his position by extrapolating the idea that every human is a genius in language compared to other forms of organic or artificial intelligence, but also highlights that raising a genius in other spheres usually requires a positive social influence from gifted relatives or mentors.

Q21 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option 1 is not the best choice because placing the sentence here would interrupt the flow of the paragraph. At this point, the paragraph is introducing minimally invasive surgery techniques and the hospital's investment in the necessary equipment and training. The focus of this part of the paragraph is on the hospital's actions, not on the potential benefits of the technology.

Option 2 is not suitable because it would not fit well with the context. The paragraph is discussing the disagreement between staff



members about the new techniques and traditional methods. Placing the sentence here would disrupt the narrative about the contrasting opinions between Dr. Stevens and Dr. Patel.

Option 3 is the correct choice because it fits well with the context. At this point, the paragraph is discussing the different viewpoints of Dr. Stevens and Dr. Patel. Adding the sentence here strengthens Dr. Patel's argument and highlights the potential benefits of minimally invasive techniques, providing a balanced view of both sides of the debate.

Option 4 is not appropriate because placing the sentence at the end of the paragraph would not contribute to the conclusion. The paragraph is focusing on the need for the hospital administration to address the division within the surgical team to maintain the quality of patient care and the hospital's reputation. The sentence about the potential benefits of the technology would not fit well with this concluding idea.

Q22 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option 1 is not the best fit because the paragraph begins by introducing the contributions of ancient Greeks in various fields, and placing the sentence here would disrupt the flow of the introduction. The paragraph needs to first establish the context before discussing architectural advancements.

Option 2 is the most suitable placement for the sentence. The paragraph has already mentioned the Golden Age of Athens and the creation of artistic and architectural masterpieces like the Parthenon. The sentence about architectural advancements influencing modern buildings and monuments is a natural extension of this idea, connecting ancient Greek achievements to their lasting impact on contemporary architecture.

Option 3 is not appropriate because the paragraph has shifted its focus to the democratic system of government and the contributions of Greek thinkers in philosophy and ethics. Placing the sentence here would disrupt the flow of ideas related to politics and philosophy.

Option 4 is not suitable as the paragraph discusses the Roman Empire conquering Greece and being inspired by Greek culture. Inserting the sentence here would seem out of place as it doesn't directly relate to the Roman Empire's influence or the dissemination of Greek ideas and achievements throughout the known world.

Q23 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct option for inserting the sentence is Option 2. The paragraph discusses the significant events, innovations, and cultural exchanges that have shaped human history. The sentence "Additionally, this event set the stage for global exploration and the Age of Discovery" directly relates to the historical context and consequences of the Silk Road. By placing the sentence at Option 2, it provides a logical flow from the Silk Road's impact on global history to the subsequent development of the printing press, the Industrial Revolution, and the rise of globalization in the 20th century. Option 1 is not suitable because the sentence would interrupt the initial broad statement about the role of technological innovations and cultural exchanges in shaping human society. The paragraph should first provide an example (the Silk Road) before discussing its implications. Option 3 is not suitable because it would disrupt the flow of the paragraph by placing the sentence about the Age of Discovery after the discussion of the printing press, Renaissance, and Scientific Revolution. This would result in a confusing and non-chronological sequence of events.



Option 4 is not suitable because it would place the sentence about the Age of Discovery after the discussion of the Industrial Revolution and globalization in the 20th century. This would create an illogical and disorganized flow of events in the paragraph.

Q24 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

Option 1 is not the best fit because the paragraph is introducing the topic of space exploration and mentioning the collaboration of various space agencies. Placing the sentence here would disrupt the flow of the introduction, as the paragraph needs to first establish the context before delving into the details of specific missions.

Option 2 is the most suitable placement for the sentence. The paragraph has already mentioned the Mars Rover program as one of the most notable missions. The sentence about the mission advancing our understanding of Mars and paving the way for future human exploration is a natural extension of this idea, providing more details about the program's achievements and its importance in space exploration.

Option 3 is not appropriate because the paragraph has shifted its focus to the James Webb Space Telescope and its potential impact on our understanding of the universe. Inserting the sentence here would disrupt the flow of ideas related to the telescope and the study of galaxies and dark matter.

Option 4 is not suitable as the paragraph discusses the efforts of private companies like SpaceX to develop reusable rocket technology and make space travel more accessible. Placing the sentence here would seem out of place, as it doesn't directly relate to the advancements in rocket technology or the accessibility of space travel.

Q25 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct option for inserting the sentence is Option 3. The paragraph discusses various aspects of Egyptian deep history, including its cultural achievements and scientific advancements. The sentence "Among these, the construction of the Great Pyramid of Giza remains one of the most iconic architectural achievements in human history" directly relates to the monumental structures mentioned in the paragraph. Placing the sentence at Option 3 ensures a logical flow of information by providing a specific example of Egypt's architectural accomplishments immediately after mentioning the variety of structures they produced.

Option 1 is not suitable because the sentence would disrupt the broad introductory statement about Egypt's deep history and its fascination for scholars and archaeologists. The paragraph should first provide a general context (the Nile River's role in fostering Egyptian civilization) before mentioning specific achievements like the Great Pyramid of Giza.

Option 2 is not suitable because it would interrupt the flow of the paragraph by inserting the sentence about the Great Pyramid of Giza between the discussion of Egypt's development along the Nile River and its architectural achievements. This would create a disjointed sequence of information that does not smoothly transition from one topic to the next.

Option 4 is not suitable because it would place the sentence about the Great Pyramid of Giza after the discussion of Egypt's advances in mathematics, astronomy, and medicine. This would result in an illogical flow of information, separating the sentence from the broader discussion of Egypt's architectural achievements and making it difficult for readers to understand the connection between these aspects of Egyptian history.

Q26 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion



The correct option for inserting the sentence is Option 4. The paragraph discusses various aspects of psychology, focusing on influential theories and approaches. The sentence "The concept of growth mindset, developed by Carol Dweck, posits that intelligence and abilities can be developed through effort, persistence, and learning from challenges" introduces another significant concept within the field of psychology. Placing the sentence at Option 4 ensures a logical flow of information by presenting the growth mindset as an additional idea after mentioning other key theories, such as Maslow's hierarchy of needs, and approaches like cognitive psychology.

Option 1 is not suitable because the sentence would disrupt the broad introductory statement about psychology as a diverse field that encompasses the study of the human mind, behavior, and emotional processes. The paragraph should first provide a general context (the emergence of numerous theories and concepts) before mentioning specific ideas like the growth mindset.

Option 2 is not suitable because it would interrupt the flow of the paragraph by inserting the sentence about the growth mindset between the discussion of the emergence of numerous theories and concepts and the example of Maslow's hierarchy of needs. This would create a disjointed sequence of information that does not smoothly transition from one topic to the next.

Option 3 is not suitable because it would place the sentence about the growth mindset immediately after the discussion of Maslow's hierarchy of needs, before introducing the concept of cognitive psychology. This would result in an illogical flow of information, as the paragraph should first establish that there are other approaches, like cognitive psychology, before presenting the growth mindset as another significant concept in the field.

Q27 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The paragraph starts by introducing the importance of journalism in a democratic society. Option 1 is not suitable because it interrupts this introduction before moving on to the various forms and mediums.

After discussing the diversification of journalism (which includes the introduction of various forms), Option 2 is the best location to insert the sentence about investigative journalism, as it provides a specific example of one such crucial form.

Option 3 is not a good fit because it comes after the introduction of broadcast and digital journalism, which are mediums for delivering news, not specific forms of journalism. Inserting the sentence here would disrupt the flow of the paragraph.

Option 4 is also not appropriate because it comes after the introduction of opinion journalism, another form of journalism. Placing the sentence about investigative journalism here would separate it from the more general discussion of journalism forms and disrupt the logical flow of the paragraph.

Q28 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct option for inserting the sentence is Option 4. The paragraph discusses the various forms of journalism, the ethical standards adhered to by journalists, and the rise of citizen journalism. The sentence "Consequently, the public relies on responsible and ethical journalism to stay well-informed and engaged in the democratic process" serves as a conclusion, summarizing the implications of these aspects of journalism for the public and the democratic process. Placing the sentence at Option 4 ensures a logical flow of information by presenting the consequences of responsible journalism after discussing its different forms and standards.



Option 1 is not suitable because the sentence would disrupt the introductory statement about the profound impact of journalism on society. The paragraph should first provide context and describe different forms of journalism, ethical standards, and the rise of citizen journalism before presenting a conclusion that ties these aspects together.

Option 2 is not suitable because it would interrupt the flow of the paragraph by inserting the concluding sentence between the discussion of various forms of journalism and the ethical standards adhered to by journalists. This would create a disjointed sequence of information that does not smoothly transition from one topic to the next.

Option 3 is not suitable because it would place the concluding sentence immediately after the discussion of ethical standards but before introducing the concept of citizen journalism. This would result in an illogical flow of information, as the paragraph should first establish all relevant aspects of journalism before presenting a conclusion that ties them together.

Q29 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The correct option for inserting the sentence is Option 3. The paragraph discusses the significant impact of mathematicians on human knowledge, highlighting specific mathematicians and their contributions. The sentence "One such mathematician, Sir Isaac Newton, made groundbreaking discoveries in calculus, physics, and the laws of motion and gravitation" introduces another influential mathematician and his discoveries. Placing the sentence at Option 3 ensures a logical flow of information by presenting Newton's contributions after mentioning Al-Khwarizmi and before discussing Euclid.

Option 1 is not suitable because the sentence would disrupt the broad introductory statement

about the pivotal role of mathematicians in advancing human knowledge. The paragraph should first provide a general context (the transcending nature of mathematical discoveries) before mentioning specific mathematicians like Sir Isaac Newton.

Option 2 is not suitable because it would interrupt the flow of the paragraph by inserting the sentence about Sir Isaac Newton between the discussion of the transcending nature of mathematical discoveries and the example of Al-Khwarizmi. This would create a disjointed sequence of information that does not smoothly transition from one topic to the next.

Option 4 is not suitable because it would place the sentence about Sir Isaac Newton immediately after the discussion of Euclid, the "Father of Geometry." This would result in an illogical flow of information, as the paragraph should first establish a pattern of discussing influential mathematicians and their discoveries before presenting Newton as another such figure. By placing the sentence at Option 3, the paragraph maintains a coherent structure in presenting the contributions of various mathematicians.

Q30 Text Solution:

Topic: Para Completion

The sentence "Encouraging curiosity and critical thinking is crucial for their intellectual development" fits best at Option 2. The paragraph begins with an introduction to child philosophy, emphasizing the importance of nurturing children's innate sense of wonder and inquiry. Placing the sentence at Option 2 provides a reason for the importance of child philosophy, specifically stating that it encourages curiosity and critical thinking, which are crucial for intellectual development.

The other options are not suitable for the following reasons:

A) Option 1: Inserting the sentence here would interrupt the flow of the paragraph, as it would



be inserted between the introduction of child philosophy and the explanation of how engaging children in philosophical discussions can help them.

C) Option 3: Placing the sentence here would break the flow of the paragraph. At this point, the paragraph is providing examples of how philosophical discussions can benefit children,

and inserting the sentence would interrupt this thought process.

D) Option 4: This option is also not suitable, as it would place the sentence after the conclusion about children who learn to think philosophically. The sentence is more appropriate in the earlier part of the paragraph, where it can provide a rationale for engaging children in philosophical discussions.



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