

Tech Mahindra Non - Verbal Reasoning Questions and Answers



Tech Mahindra Non - Verbal Reasoning Questions and Answers Set - I

1. Three of the following four are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- A. Molehills
- B. Shivalik Hills
- C. Satpura Hills
- D. Aravalli Hills

Answer – A. Molehills

Explanation: Remaining hills are located in India

2. Three of the following four are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- A. Groundnut
- B. Cumin
- C. Cinnamon
- D. Pepper

Answer – A. Groundnut

Explanation: Remaining all are spices

3. Three of the following four are alike in a certain way and so form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- A. Shesnaag lake
- B. Wular lake
- C. Dal lake
- D. Sambhar lake

Answer – D. Sambhar lake

Explanation: Remaining all the lakes are located in J& K

4. Sikkim: Gangtok:: Manipur: ?

- A. Shillong
- B. Imphal
- C. Dispur
- D. Mumbai

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Answer - B. Imphal

Explanation: Second is the capital of first.

5. Annihilation: Fire:: Cataclysm?

- A. Earthquake
- B. Steam
- C. Flood
- D. Emergency

Answer – C. Flood

Explanation: First is the result of the second.

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1. Dog :Kennel :: Rabbit : ?

- A. Forests
- B. Burrow
- C. Den
- D. Cactus

Answer – B. Burrow

Explanation:

The dog lives in Kennel

Rabbit lives in underground burrows

2. Carbon : Diamond :: Corundum : ?

- A. Pearl
- B. Pukhraj
- C. Ruby
- D. Garnet

Answer - C. Ruby

Explanation: Second is the form of first

3. Psychology: Mind::? : Birds

- A. Onomatology
- B. Ology
- C. Ornithology

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D. Neuropsychology

Answer – C. Ornithology

Explanation:

Psychology study of Mind

Ornithology study of Birds

4. Choose the odd one

A. 136

B. 141

C. 187

D. 238

Answer – B. 141

Explanation: Except 141 all are divisible by 17

5. Choose the odd one

A. 64

B. 343

C. 441

D. 1331

Answer – C. 441

Explanation: Except 441 all are perfect cubes

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Directions (Q.1-5): In the questions given below, there is a sentence in which one part is given in bold. The part given in bold may or may not be grammatically correct. Choose the best alternative among the four given which can replace the part in bold to make the sentence grammatically correct

1. When India gained its independence and Gandhi gained martyrdom in 1947 and '48, the country set an example that African and Asian leaders will follow to independence **by the decadence that followed**.

- A. for the decades that followed
- B. in the decades that preceded
- C. as to the decades that were following
- D. in the decades that followed

Answer - D. in the decades that followed

Explanation:

in the decades that followed- years which followed

2. It is **testamentary to the unexpectedness** of Theresa May's call for a snap general election that even in the hour before the announcement when her office had indicated that the British Prime Minister would be speaking on the steps of Downing Street.

- A. testament to the unexpectedness
- B. testament in the congruously
- C. testament upon the probability
- D. testament for the inherent

Answer - A. testament to the unexpectedness

Explanation:

a testament to the unexpectedness – tribute/reward to the surprised

3. Since the benefits of globalization **are diffusing between billions** of people while its costs are concentrated on a smaller but organized group, such adjustments often end up validating populist, protectionist policies.

- A. are diffused among startling
- B. are diffused among billions
- C. are impulse among many

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D. are fortuitous among many

Answer - B. are diffused among billions

Explanation:

are diffused among billions – distributed among

4. It is important to reflect on how the medical profession —always held in respect in our society has come to such a sorry pass where health-care **workers needing caring from** the very people they are meant to take care of.

- A. workers needing modification from
- B. workers need unclad protection from
- C. workers need protection from
- D. workers need refining of

Answer - C. workers need protection from

Explanation:

workers need protection from – needs security

5. In South Africa, Gandhi became involved in efforts to end discrimination against the Indian minority there, who were **customaries by both the British** and by the Boers, descendants of the original Dutch settlers of the region.

- A. natively expressed both by British
- B. oppressed both by the British
- C. innate by both the British
- D. familiar destructed by both the British

Answer - B. oppressed both by the British

Explanation:

oppressed both by the British – exploited by British

Directions (Q. 6 – 8): Choose the Synonyms of the following words

6. Ostentation

- A. Shudder
- B. Pomp
- C. Contrary
- D. Adroitness

Answer – B. Pomp

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Explanation: Ostentation – the pretentious or showy display of wealth and luxury, designed to impress.

7. Enliven

- A. Cheer
- B. Presented
- C. Tremor
- D. Tremble

Answer – A. Cheer

Explanation: Enliven – make something more entertaining, interesting, or appealing.

8. Obscene

- A. Vagrant
- B. Fidgety
- C. Indecent
- D. Dilapidation

Answer – C. Indecent

Explanation: Obscene – offensive or disgusting by accepted standards of morality and decency.

Direction (Q. 9 – 10): Choose the Antonyms of the following words

9. Despise

- A. Admire
- B. Adore
- C. Resplendent
- D. Stately

Answer - A. Admire

Explanation: Despise – feel contempt or a deep repugnance for.
Admire – regard with respect or warm approval.

10. Illicit

- A. Sacred
- B. Lawful

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- C. Applaud
- D. Glorify

Answer – B. Lawful

Explanation: Illicit – forbidden by law, rules, or custom.

Lawful – conforming to, permitted by, or recognized by law or rules.

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Direction (Q. 1 – 10): Word Analogy, Find the exact pair according to the given pair

1. Abrupt: gradual

- A. Barren: Fertile
- B. Reverse: Backward
- C. Motion: Forward
- D. Agile: Calm

Answer – A. Barren: Fertile

Explanation: the words in each pair are antonyms of each other.

2. Tocsin: Danger

- A. Clarion: Battle
- B. Knell: Death
- C. Antitoxin: Cure
- D. Augury: Warning

Answer – A. Clarion: Battle

Explanation: Tocsin is an alarm to indicate danger. similarly, clarion is a trumpet which used to be blown to mark the beginning of a battle.

3. Choose: Discard

- A. Sit: Stand
- B. Draw: Push
- C. Love: Adore
- D. Walk: Run

Answer – B. Draw: Push

Explanation: The words in each pair are antonyms of each other.

4. Facade: building

- A. Dial: Watch
- B. Neck: Bottle
- C. Page: Book
- D. Fence: Garden

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Answer – A. Dial: Watch

Explanation: First one is the face or front view of the second.

5. Money: Transaction

- A. Life: Death
- B. Water: Drink
- C. Ideas: Exchange
- D. Language: Conversation

Answer – D. Language: Conversation

Explanation: Second one is the process of exchange of the first.

6. Story: Novel

- A. Sea: Ocean
- B. School: University
- C. Book: Dictionary
- D. Poetry: Drama

Answer – A. Sea: Ocean

Explanation: Second is a more voluminous form of the first.

7. Farce: Absurdity

- A. Charity: Generosity
- B. Tragedy: Comedy
- C. Energy: Electricity
- D. Disease: Medicine

Answer – A. Charity: Generosity

Explanation: The words in each pair are synonyms of each other.

8. Barrel: Vial

- A. Brochure: Compiler
- B. Length: Height
- C. Book: Reader
- D. Book: Pamphlet

Answer – D. Book: Pamphlet

Explanation: First is a bigger form of the second.

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9. Prologue: Play

- A. Epilogue: Curation
- B. Intermezzo: Symphony
- C. Overture: Opera
- D. Chapter: Novel

Answer – C. Overture: Opera

Explanation: Prologue is a preliminary speech given at the beginning of a play. Similarly, the overture is an orchestral composition forming the introduction to an opera.

10. Jute : Sack

- A. Wool: Sweater
- B. Cotton: Fiber
- C. Mill: Cloth
- D. Shoe: Sock

Answer – A. Wool: Sweater

Explanation: First is used to make the second.

Directions (Q.11-15) In the following statements, there are two blank spaces. Find out one word that is to be fitted in both the statements I & II to make it meaningful

11. I. She was _____ and reserved, a nice modest girl whom any young man would be proud to take home to his mother.

II. James Wilder, _____ and courtly, but with some trace of that wild terror of the night before still lurking in his furtive eyes and in his twitching features.

- A. demure
- B. strong
- C. infamous
- D. strong

Answer - A. demure

Explanation:

Demure – modest and reserved in manner or behavior

12. I. It seemed really to the little maiden as though she were sitting before a large iron stove, with _____ brass feet and a brass ornament at top.

II. Some long shots _____ their chances, some favorites lost ground.

- A. nauseated
- B. burnish

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- C. tainted
- D. spoiled

Answer - B. burnish

Explanation:

Burnished –make shiny by rubbing; polish

13. I. Diane tried to _____ her father into letting her drive the family car.
II. He stooped to the evil of hypocrisy with others, skeptical of their innocence which he could _____ so easily.

- A. fusty
- B. loathsome
- C. irksome
- D. cajole

Answer - D. cajole

Explanation:

Cajole- influence or urge by gentle urging or flattering

14. I. The critics _____ his pretentious dialogue and refused to consider his play seriously.
II. He storms and bullies and _____, but she stands up to him so ruthlessly that the Colonel has to ask her from time to time to be kinder to Higgins

- A. moldy
- B. baneful
- C. deride
- D. crumbling

Answer - C. deride

Explanation:

Deride- ridicule; make fun of; laugh at with contempt

15. I. If you go to the beach and get a sunburn, your complexion will look _____.
II. The decisive expression of her great _____ face satisfied her and she thought of some mothers she knew who could not get their daughters off their hands.

- A. pernicious
- B. deadly
- C. florid
- D. wile

Answer - C. florid

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Explanation:

Florid- reddish; elaborately or excessively ornamented

Directions (Q. 16 – 20): Choose the Dissimilar words or Antonyms of the following words

16. **Venerable** is most dissimilar to

- A. Impervious
- B. Constant
- C. Sophomoric
- D. Infirm

Answer – C. Sophomoric

Explanation: Venerable means impressive by reason of age; Sophomoric means poorly informed and immature

17. **Rancor** is most dissimilar to

- A. Collect
- B. Accord
- C. Ritual
- D. Argument

Answer – B. Accord

Explanation: Rancor means bitter ill-will; one meaning of accord is balanced interrelationship, or harmony

18. **Tractable** is most dissimilar to

- A. Stubborn
- B. Unadvisable
- C. Special
- D. Invisible

Answer – A. Stubborn

Explanation: tractable means easily handled or managed; stubborn means difficult to handle or manage

19. **Dexterous** is most dissimilar to

- A. Clumsy
- B. Saline
- C. Cunning
- D. Precious

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Answer – A. Clumsy

Explanation: dexterous means skillful with the hands; clumsy means lacking dexterity, nimbleness, or grace

20. **Aerate** is most dissimilar to

- A. Placate
- B. Suffocate
- C. Destroy
- D. Argue

Answer – B. Suffocate

Explanation: to aerate means to supply with oxygen; to suffocate means to deprive of oxygen