# ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION

**Direction :- [ Q.1. to Q.676. ]** Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words

Or

Select the most appropriate option that can substitute the **Bold/Underlined** segment in the given sentence.

# SSC CHSL 2023 Tier - 2

**Q.1.** The inability to obtain adequate sleep

SSC CHSL Tier II (02/11/2023)

(a) Mythomania (b) Andromania

(c) Insomnia

(d) Pyromania

**Q.2.** A drug or other substance that induces sleep

SSC CHSL Tier II (10/01/2024)

(a) Energetic

(b) Reviver

(c) Stimulant

(d) Sedative

**Q.3.** A sudden violent event that brings about great loss or destruction SSC CHSL Tier II (10/01/2024)

(a) Blockbuster (b) Farce

(c) Intrigue

(d) Catastrophe

**Q.4.** Someone who has too much admiration for himself or herself SSC CHSL Tier II (10/01/2024)

(a) Narcissist

(b) Pantheist

(c) Misogamist (d) Misanthropist

**Solutions**:-

**Sol.1.(c) Insomnia** - the inability to obtain adequate sleep.

**Mythomania** - an abnormal or pathological tendency to exaggerate or tell lies.

**Andromania** - abnormally increased sexual desire or activity.

**Pyromania** - a mental illness in which a person feels a strong wish to start fires.

**Sol.2.(d) Sedative** - a drug or other substance that induces sleep.

**Energetic -** very active physically and mentally.

**Reviver** - to make something strong, active, or healthy again.

**Stimulant** - a drug or other substance that temporarily increases the activity of the body or one of its parts.

**Sol.3.(d) Catastrophe** - a sudden violent event that brings about great loss or destruction.

**Blockbuster** - a hugely successful and popular film or event.

**Farce** - a situation that is very badly organized or unfair.

**Intrigue** - a strong feeling of curiosity or suspense.

**Sol.4.(a) Narcissist** - someone who has too much admiration for himself or herself.

**Pantheist** - the religious belief that God is in everything in nature and the universe.

Misogamist - a hatred of marriage.

**Misanthropist** - a person who dislikes humankind and avoids human society.

# SSC CPO 2023 Tier - 2

**Q.5.** the husks of corn or other grains separated by winnowing or threshing. SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) hay (b) peel (c) fodder (d) chaff

**Q.6.** irrational fear of water SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) claustrophobia (b) acrophobia

(c) cacophobia

(d) hydrophobia

**Q.7.** one who is skilled and eloquent in public speaking

SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) lecturer

(b) spokesperson

(c) orator

(d) actor

**Q.8.** a legal document authorizing the police or another body to make an arrest or search premises

SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) decree

(b) warrant

(c) licence

(d) permit

**Q.9.** A statement open to more than one interpretation

SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) explicit

(b) palpable

(c) tangible

(d) ambiguous

**Q.10.** To skip about playfully SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) trundle

(b) scramble

(c) gambol

(d) amble

**Q.11.** Natural talent for something SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) flavour (b) favour (c) feeling (d) flair

**Q.12.** A person who has excessive admiration of themselves

SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) fanatic

(b) narcissist

(c) egocentric

(d) egotist

**Q.13.** one who cannot be corrected SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) versatile

(b) incorrigible

(c) indefatigable (d) vulnerable

**Q.14.** a wooden frame for holding an artist's work while it is being painted or drawn

SSC CPO Tier II (08/01/2024)

(a) lectern

(b) platform

(c) easel

(d) podium

#### **Solutions:-**

**Sol.5.(d) Chaff** - the husks of corn or other grains separated by winnowing or threshing.

**Hay -** grass that has been mown and dried for use as fodder.

**Peel** - the outer skin or covering of a fruit or vegetable.

**Fodder** - food that is given to cows, horses, and other farm animals.

**Sol.6.(d) Hydrophobia** - irrational fear of water.

**Claustrophobia** - irrational fear of enclosed spaces.

**Acrophobia** - irrational fear of heights. **Cacophobia** - irrational fear of ugliness.

**Sol.7.(c) Orator** - one who is skilled and eloquent in public speaking.

**Lecturer** - an expert who delivers informative talks or courses to educate an audience.

**Spokesperson** - an official representative who communicates on behalf of a group or organization to the public.

**Actor** - a person whose profession is acting on the stage, in films, or on television.

**Sol.8.(b) Warrant** - a legal document authorizing the police or another body to make an arrest or search premises.

**Decree** - an official order from a leader or a government that becomes the law.

**Licence** - an official document that gives you permission to own, do, or use something.

**Permit** - a legal document giving official permission to do something.

**Sol.9.(d) Ambiguous** - a statement open to more than one interpretation.

**Explicit** - something that is clearly stated or explained.

Palpable - very obvious.

**Tangible** - something that is real and not imaginary.

**Sol.10.(c) Gambol** - to skip about playfully.

Trundle - to roll or move slowly.

**Scramble** - to move quickly and carelessly.

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Amble - to walk at a slow pace.

Sol.11.(d) Flair - natural talent for

something.

Flavour - the distinctive taste of a food or drink.

Favour - the support or approval of someone.

Feeling - an emotional state.

Sol.12.(b) Narcissist - a person who has excessive admiration of themselves.

Fanatic - filled with or expressing excessive zeal.

Egocentric - one who thinks of only his own wants and does not consider other people.

**Egotist** - a person who considers himself more important than others.

Sol.13.(b) Incorrigible - one who cannot be corrected.

Versatile - able to adapt or be adapted to many different functions or activities.

Indefatigable - one who never gets tired. Vulnerable - exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically or emotionally.

Sol.14.(c) Easel - a wooden frame for holding an artist's work while it is being painted or drawn.

**Lectern** - a stand used to support a book or script in a convenient position for a standing reader or speaker.

Platform - a raised level surface on which people or things can stand.

**Podium** - a small raised platform used by lecturers, orchestra conductors, etc.

# SSC CGL 2023 Tier - 2

Q.15. There is a place for grains in the backyard of this house.

SSC CGL Tier II (26/10/2023)

(a) apiary

(b) archive

(c) granary

(d) dormitory

Q.16. She was known for her ability to communicate effectively and express herself clearly in writing and speaking.

SSC CGL Tier II (26/10/2023)

(a) incoherence (b) articulation

(c) mumbling (d) rambling

**Solutions:-**

Sol.15.(c) Granary - a place for storing grains.

Apiary - a place where bees are kept.

Archive - a collection of historical documents or records providing information about a place, institution, or group of people.

Dormitory - a large bedroom for a number of people in a school or institution.

Sol.16.(b) Articulation - ability communicate effectively and express herself clearly in writing and speaking.

**Incoherence** - state of being expressed in a way that is not clear.

Mumbling - speaking or spoken in a quiet and indistinct way.

Rambling - (of writing or speech) lengthy and confused or inconsequential

# SSC CPO 2023 Tier - 1

Q.17. The pandemic deeply affected small business owners, as they have no means of livelihood left.

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Worker

(c) Pauper

(d) Unemployed

(b) Mason

Q.18. Working or operating quickly and effectively in an organised way SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Effusive

(b) Extensive

(c) Excellent

(d) Efficient

Q.19. A person engaged in or trained for spaceflight.

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Astronomer (b) Atrocious

(c) Astute

(d) Astronaut

Q.20. How did you become interested in learning the art of producing beautiful handwriting?

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Calligraphy

(b) Lexicography

(c) Graphology

(d) Demography

Q.21. A notice of the death of a person, often with a biographical sketch, as in a newspaper.

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Obituary

(b) Elegy

(c) Oblivion

(d) Advertisement

Q.22. Fear of water

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Hydrophobia

(b) Botanophobia

(c) Bibliophobia

(d) Microphobia

Q.23. A person who believes that God does not exist

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Hedonistic

(b) Atheist

(c) Fanatic

(d) Epicurean

Q.24. One who settles in another country SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Traveller

(b) Resident

(c) Refugee

(d) Immigrant

Q.25. Study of science of insects SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Microbiology (b) Anthropology (c) Ecology

(d) Entomology

0.26. Payal's father was seen desperately searching for the medicine that can counteract the effect of a venomous snakebite in Parul's left hand. SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) remedy

(b) antiseptic

(c) antidote

(d) anti-serum

**Q.27.** The study of the human mind SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Psychology

(b) Microbiology

(c) Epidemiology (d) Anthropology

Q.28. Happening repeatedly SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Recurrent

(b) Rapport

(c) Regression

(d) Recuperate

Q.29. A keeper or custodian of a museum or other collection SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Cartographer (b) Chauffeur

(c) Curator

(d) Calligrapher

No longer used because something new has been invented SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Ornamental

(b) Obsolete

(c) Classic

(d) Ancient

Q.31. A pretence of having a virtuous character, moral or religious beliefs or principles, etc., that one does not really possess.

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Gullibility

(b) Shrewdness

(c) Naivety

(d) Hypocrisy

Q.32. A state of intense happiness and self-confidence.

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Euphoria

(b) Touché

(c) Intoxication

(d) Oblivion

Q.33. To criticise someone severely SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Rate

(b) Chastise

(c) Scoff

(d) Remonstrate

Q.34. Huge fire for celebration SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Agenda

(b) Campaign

(c) Bonfire (d) Crossfire

Q.35. To make a low continuous vibratory sound expressing contentment (of a cat).

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) To meow

(b) To buzz

(c) To roar

(d) To purr

Q.36. Minimum people needed for a meeting

SSC CPO 03/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Forum

(b) Ouorum

(c) Addendum

(d) Decorum

Q.37. A place where coins are made SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Mint

(b) Post Office

(c) Grove

(d) Trough

Q.38. Something of monstrous size or

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Heavyweight (b) Bulk

(c) Amazon

(d) Behemoth

Q.39. An ability to do several things at the same time.

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Unitasking

(b) Indictment

(c) Blasphemy

(d) Multitasking

Q.40. Spoken or done without any previous thought or preparation SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Inaugural

(b) Extempore

(c) Initiative

(d) Maiden

Q.41. Someone who pretends to have certain moral standards while secretively that person practices those very moral lapses.

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Actor (b) Hypocrite (c) Sinner (d) Spy

Q.42. The compulsion to tell lies SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Mythomania

(b) Nymphomania

(c) Megalomania (d) Pyromania

A disease prevalent in a community or a specific region at a specific time, affecting a large area. SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Eradicate

(b) Epidemic

(c) Pandemic

(d) Endemic

Q.44. He was not willing to attend the technical session of the conference. SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) comprehensive

(b) reluctant

(c) dejecting

(d) curious

Q.45. To have a strong emotional effect

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) To overwhelm (b) To yield

(c) To smother

(d) To forfeit

Q.46. Very attractive and easy to feel love for

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Adorable

(b) Flamboyant

(c) Laudable

(d) Mysterious

Q.47. An animal or a person that eats all types of food, especially plants and meat SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Vegetarian

(b) Omnivore

(c) Herbivore

(d) Carnivore

Q.48. Extremely beautiful, elaborate or impressive

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Transient (c) Proficient (b) Magnificent (d) Deficient

Q.49. A structure in the garden where climbing plants can grow and people can walk under

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Pergola (c) Outhouse

(b) Tomb (d) Treehouse

Q.50. Α collection of historical documents records providing or information about a place, institution, or group of people

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Asylum

(b) Museum

(c) Apostate

(d) Archive

Q.51. Since God is an all-powerful creator, he has absolute control over those whom he has created.

SSC CPO 04/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Omniscient

(b) Voracious

(c) Omnipotent

(d) Incorrigible

Q.52. Centre of public attention SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Limelight

(b) Ambiguity

(c) Fuzziness

(d) Obscurity

Q.53. One who goes from place to place, begging

SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Malleable

(b) Mendicant

(c) Meticulous

(d) Misogamist

Q.54. To tell the nature of a disease by its symptoms.

SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Design

(b) Diagnosis

(c) Decisive

(d) Dosage

Q.55. A book published after author's

SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Predecessor publication

(b) Posthumous publication

(c) Supernatural publication

(d) Posthuman publication

Q.56. A person who eats too much SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Glutton

(b) Gullible

(c) Garrulous

(d) Greedy

Q.57. Study of coins

SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Numismatics (c) Philately

(b) Apothecary (d) Antiquary

Q.58. Children and adolescents with a morbid compulsion to steal experience a growing sense of tension just before stealing, followed by pleasure, relief or gratification during or just after stealing. SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (2nd Shift)

(b) Kleptomania (a) Megalomania (c) Dipsomania (d) Pyromania

Q.59. Requiring exceptional skill or caution in performance or handling SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Blunt

(b) Abstract

(c) Sustainable

(d) Tricky

Q.60. An act of exchanging information SSC CPO 05/10/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Touch

(b) Hold

(c) Collaboration (d) Communication

## Solutions:-

Sol.17.(c) Pauper - no means of livelihood left.

Worker - a person who works at a specific occupation.

Mason - a person skilled in cutting, dressing, and laying stone in buildings.

Unemployed- a person not currently in paid employment.

Sol.18.(d) Efficient - working or operating quickly and effectively in an organised

Effusive expressing feelings of gratitude, pleasure, or approval in a heartfelt manner.

Extensive - covering or affecting a large

**Excellent** extremely and aood outstanding.

Sol.19.(d) Astronaut - a person engaged in or trained for spaceflight.

Astronomer - a scientist who studies celestial objects such as stars, planets, and galaxies.

Atrocious - extremely cruel or brutal.

Astute - having the ability to accurately assess situations or people and turn this to one's advantage.

Sol.20.(a) Calligraphy - the art of pro ducing beautiful handwriting.

Lexicography - the activity or profession of writing dictionaries.

**Graphology** - the study of handwriting. Demography - the statistical study of human populations.

Sol.21.(a) Obituary - a notice of the death of a person, often with a biographical sketch, as in a newspaper.

Elegy - a poem of serious reflection expressing grief, sadness, or loss.

Oblivion - the state of being unaware or unconscious of what is happening.

Advertisement а notice or announcement in a public medium promoting a product, service, or event.

Sol.22.(a) Hydrophobia - fear of water.

**Botanophobia** - an irrational fear of plants.

**Bibliophobia** - an irrational fear of books. **Microphobia** - an irrational fear of small things.

**Sol.23.(b) Atheist** - a person who believes that God does not exist.

**Hedonistic** - a person seeking pleasure and self-gratification.

**Fanatic** - a person who is very enthusiastic about something to an extreme.

**Epicurean** - a person who enjoys good food and drink.

**Sol.24.(d) Immigrant** - one who settles in another country.

**Traveller** - a person who travels frequently.

**Resident** - a person who lives in a particular place.

**Refugee** - a person who has been forced to leave their country in order to escape war, persecution, or natural disaster.

**Sol.25.(d) Entomology** - study of science of insects.

**Microbiology** - the study of microscopic organisms.

**Anthropology** - the study of human beings, especially their societies and cultures.

**Ecology** - the study of the relationship between living organisms and their environment.

**Sol.26.(c) Antidote** - medicine that can counteract the effect.

**Sol.27.(a) Psychology** - the study of the human mind.

**Microbiology** - the study of microscopic organisms.

**Epidemiology** - the study of the patterns, causes, and effects of diseases in populations.

**Anthropology** - the study of human beings, especially their societies and cultures.

Sol.28.(a)

**Recurrent** - happening repeatedly.

**Rapport** - a close and harmonious relationship in which the people involved understand and trust each other.

**Regression** - a return to a previous or less advanced state.

**Recuperate** - to recover from illness or injury.

**Sol.29.(c) Curator -** a keeper or custodian of a museum or other collection.

**Cartographer** - a person who makes maps.

**Chauffeur** - a person who is paid to drive a car for someone else.

**Calligrapher** - a person who writes beautiful letters and words by hand.

**Sol.30.(b) Obsolete** - no longer used because something new has been invented.

**Ornamental** - used for decoration, rather than for a practical purpose.

**Classic** - having a style that is regarded as standard or permanent.

**Ancient** - belonging to the very distant past and no longer in existence.

**Sol.31.(d) Hypocrisy** - a pretence of having a virtuous character, moral or religious beliefs or principles, etc., that one does not really possess.

**Gullibility** - the quality of being easily tricked or deceived.

**Shrewdness** - the quality of being clever and practical.

**Naivety** - lack of experience and knowledge of the world.

**Sol.32.(a) Euphoria** - a state of intense happiness and self-confidence.

**Intoxication** - the state of being drunk or under the influence of drugs.

**Oblivion** - the state of being completely unaware of what is happening around you.

**Sol.33.(b) Chastise** - to criticise someone severely.

**Rate** - the speed at which something happens or changes.

**Scoff** - to laugh at someone or something in a mocking way.

**Remonstrate** - to protest or complain to someone about something.

**Sol.34.(c) Bonfire** - huge fire for celebration.

**Agenda** - a list of things that are to be discussed or done at a meeting.

**Campaign** - a series of organized activities designed to achieve a particular goal.

**Crossfire** - a situation in which someone is caught up in conflict between two or more other people or groups.

**Sol.35.(d) To purr** - to make a low continuous vibratory sound expressing contentment (of a cat).

**To meow** - to make a characteristic crying sound (of a cat).

**To buzz** - to make a low, continuous humming sound similar to that made by an insect.

**To roar** - a full, deep, prolonged cry uttered by a lion or other large wild animal.

**Sol.36.(b) Quorum** - minimum people needed for a meeting.

**Forum** - a meeting or place for open discussion and debate.

**Addendum** - a piece of additional information that is added to something that has already been written.

**Decorum** - correct and polite behavior.

**Sol.37.(a) Mint** - a place where coins are made.

**Post Office** - a place where stamps are sold and from where letters and parcels are sent.

**Grove** - a group of trees planted close together.

**Trough** - a long, narrow open container for animals to eat or drink out of.

**Sol.38.(d) Behemoth** - something of monstrous size or power.

**Heavyweight** - weighing more than 175 pounds and therefore in the heaviest class of boxers.

**Bulk** - the mass or size of something large.

**Amazon** - a tall, strong, or forceful woman.

**Sol.39.(d) Multitasking** - an ability to do several things at the same time.

**Unitasking** - focusing on one task at a time.

**Indictment** - a formal charge or accusation of a serious crime.

**Blasphemy** - the act of disrespecting or showing contempt for god or sacred things.

**Sol.40.(b) Extempore** - spoken or done without any previous thought or preparation.

**Inaugural** - marking the beginning of an institution, activity, or period of office.

**Initiative** - the power or opportunity to act or take charge before others do.

**Maiden** - being the first attempt or act of its kind.

**Sol.41.(b) Hypocrite** - someone who pretends to have certain moral standards while secretively that person practices those very moral lapses.

**Actor** - a person whose profession is acting on the stage, in films, or on television.

**Sinner** - a person who has broken a religious or moral law

**Spy** - a person employed by a government

or other organization to secretly obtain information on an enemy or competitor.

**Sol.42.(a) Mythomania** - the compulsion to tell lies.

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**Nymphomania** - uncontrollable or excessive sexual desire in a woman.

**Megalomania** - an unnaturally strong wish for power and control.

**Pyromania** - an obsessive desire to set fire to things.

**Sol.43.(b) Epidemic** - a disease prevalent in a community or a specific region at a specific time, affecting a large area.

**Eradicate** - to destroy or remove completely.

**Pandemic** - a disease that is prevalent throughout a country or the world.

**Endemic** - constantly present in a particular location or environment.

Sol.44.(b) Reluctant - not willing.

**Comprehensive** - including all of the necessary elements or information.

**Dejecting** - causing sadness or disappointment.

**Curious** - wanting to know or learn something.

**Sol.45.(a) To overwhelm** - to have a strong emotional effect on.

**To yield** - to produce or give something.

**To smother** - to cover or surround something completely, preventing it from getting air.

**To forfeit** - to give up something, especially because you have lost the right to have it.

**Sol.46.(a) Adorable** - very attractive and easy to feel love for.

**Flamboyant** - behaving in a way that is intended to attract attention.

Laudable- deserving praise.

**Mysterious** - difficult to understand or explain.

**Sol.47.(b) Omnivore** - an animal or a person that eats all types of food, especially plants and meat.

**Vegetarian** - a person who does not eat meat.

**Herbivore** - an animal that feeds on plants.

**Carnivore** - an animal that feeds on other animals.

**Sol.48.(b) Magnificent** - extremely beautiful, elaborate or impressive.

**Transient** - lasting only for a short time.

**Proficient** - competent or skilled in doing or using something.

**Deficient** - not having enough of a specified quality or ingredient.

**Sol.49.(a) Pergola** - a structure in the garden where climbing plants can grow and people can walk under.

**Tomb** - a chamber below the ground where a dead person is buried.

**Outhouse** - a small building, such as a shed, outside a main building.

**Treehouse** - a houselike structure built in the branches of a tree, as for children to play in.

**Sol.50.(d) Archive** - a collection of historical documents or records providing information about a place, institution, or a group of people.

**Asylum** - an institution for the care of people who are mentally ill.

**Museum** - a building where objects of historical, scientific, or artistic interest are kept.

**Apostate** - a person who renounces a religious or political belief or principle.

**Sol.51.(c) Omnipotent** - an all-powerful creator.

**Omniscient** - one who knows everything. **Voracious** - craving or consuming large quantities of food.

**Incorrigible** - that which can not be corrected.

**Sol.52.(a) Limelight** - centre of public attention.

**Ambiguity** - the quality of being open to more than one interpretation.

**Fuzziness** - the quality of not being clear to see or hear.

**Obscurity** - the quality of being difficult to understand.

**Sol.53.(b) Mendicant** - one who goes from place to place, begging.

**Malleable** - able to be hammered or pressed into shape without breaking or cracking.

**Meticulous** - very careful and precise. **Misogamist** - hatred of marriage.

**Sol.54.(b) Diagnosis** - to tell the nature of a disease by its symptoms.

**Design** - a plan or drawing produced to show the look and function or workings of a building, garment, or other object before it is made.

**Decisive** - having or showing the ability to make decisions quickly and effectively.

**Dosage** - the size or frequency of a dose of a medicine or drug.

**Sol.55.(b) Posthumous publication** - a book published after author's death.

**Predecessor publication** - a publication or written work that came before another publication.

**Supernatural publication** - a piece of writing that involves occurrences that are beyond the scope of natural laws, science, or the ordinary understanding of the physical world.

**Posthuman publication** - a written work about what happens when humans and

technology merge, making us different from how we are now.

**Sol.56.(a) Glutton** - a person who eats too much.

**Gullible** - someone who can be easily deceived or tricked.

**Garrulous** - having the habit of talking a lot.

**Greedy** - having a selfish desire for wealth and possessions.

**Sol.57.(a) Numismatics** - study of coins. **Apothecary** - one who prepares and sells drugs or compounds for medicinal purposes.

**Philately** - the collection and study of postage stamps.

**Antiquary** - a person who studies or collects old and valuable objects.

**Sol.58.(b) Kleptomania** - an urge or habit of stealing.

**Megalomania** - obsession with the exercise of power.

**Dipsomania** - an uncontrollable craving for alcohol.

**Pyromania** - an obsessive desire to set fire to things.

**Sol.59.(d) Tricky** - requiring exceptional skill or caution in performance or handling.

Blunt - dull or not sharp

**Abstract** - existing in thought or as an idea but not having a physical or concrete existence.

**Sustainable -** able to be maintained at a certain rate or level.

**Sol.60.(d) Communication -** an act of exchanging information.

**Touch** - to make physical contact with something or someone using one's hand. **Hold** - to grasp or grip something firmly with the hands.

**Collaboration** - the action of working together with others.

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**Q.61.** He studies the subject known as **the scientific study of insects**.

SSC MTS 01/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Entomology (b) Alchemy
- (c) Biology (d) Etymology

**Q.62.** Iraq was governed by **autocracy** when Saddam Hussain was the President.

SSC MTS 01/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) one man with absolute power
- (b) the King and his heir
- (c) the wealthy class
- (d) the common people

Q.63. To go away suddenly and secretly in order to escape from somewhere SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Abscond

(b) Vanish

(c) Excavate

(d) Extradite

Q.64. Many people fought to put an end to slavery during the civil war. SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) abolish

(b) absorb

(c) abide

(d) abduct

Q.65. Study of sound and sound waves SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Botany

(b) Physics

(c) Demography (d) Acoustics

Q.66. The action of formally accusing a public official of a serious offence SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Impeachment (b) Condemnation

(c) Summon

(d) Allegation

Q.67. A number which is used to divide another number

SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Divisible

(b) Quotient

(c) Remainder

(d) Divisor

Q.68. A place of burial

SSC MTS 04/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Building

(b) Laboratory

(c) Cemetery

(d) Observatory

Q.69. A person who loves or collects books

SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Anglophile

(b) Heliophile

(c) Paedophile

(d) Bibliophile

Q.70. Group of bees

SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Gaggle (b) Shoal (c) Swarm (d) Pack

Q.71. He simply continued to say something in order to convey information in a calm voice.

SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) dictate (b) teach (c) speak (d) spell

Q.72. A thing which happens every two

years

SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Century

(b) Annual

(c) Biennial

(d) Bi-monthly

Q.73. A person who is known for his hatred towards the entire mankind. SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Insolvent

(b) Philogynist

(c) Mercenary

(d) Misanthrope

Q.74. A poem of lamentation on the death of someone loved and admired. SSC MTS 05/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Soliloguy

(b) Elegy

(c) Tragedy

(d) Epitaph

**0.75.** A lover of books

SSC MTS 06/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Philosopher (b) Librarian (c) Teacher

(d) Bibliophile

Q.76. Killing of one's own father SSC MTS 06/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Matricide

(b) Filicide (d) Suicide

(c) Patricide

Q.77. She proposed to write the life **history** of the famous poet.

SSC MTS 06/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) novel

(b) biography

(c) mythology

(d) autobiography

Q.78. Raymond has opted the study of religion as his major subject in graduation.

SSC MTS 06/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Psephology (b) Philology

(c) Theology

(d) Psychology

Q.79. A person who feeds on human

SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Cannibal

(b) Carnivore

(c) Nudge

(d) Omnivore

Q.80. An examination of a body after death

SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Post room

(b) Post death

(c) Post partum (d) Post mortem

Q.81. Hundreds of people were removed from a place by the government recently due to a war-like situation.

SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (2nd Shift) (a) assassinated (b) evacuated

(c) invaded

(d) terminated

0.82. One who has love for mankind OR

SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

One who makes an active effort to promote human welfare

(a) Philosopher (b) Patriot

(c) Autocrat

(d) Philanthropist

Q.83. The killing of a king SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Regicide

(b) Fratricide

(c) Sororicide

(d) Patricide

Q.84. A person living in solitude like a saint for religious practices.

SSC MTS 08/09/2023 (3rd Shift) (a) Hermit (b) Cretin (c) Heir (d) Heretic

Q.85. One who lends money to others at a very high rate of interest.

(a) Curator

(b) Bankrupt

(c) Usurer

(d) Numismatist

Q.86. That which can't be read.

SSC MTS 11/09/2023 (1st Shift)

SSC MTS 11/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Inaccessible (b) Incurable

(c) Illegible

(d) Irrelevant

Q.87. I suppose dancing that well would require a lot of actual application. SSC MTS 11/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) prevention

(b) perseverance

(c) practice

(d) perception

Q.88. Fear of closed spaces.

SSC MTS 11/09/2023 (2nd Shift) (a) Xenophobia

(b) Claustrophobia

(c) Hydrophobia (d) Zoophobia

Q.89. A small shop that sells fashionable clothes

SSC MTS 11/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Boutique

(b) Store

(c) Tailoring

(d) Couture

Q.90. Pause indecisively

SSC MTS 12/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Hibernate (c) Hoist

(b) Hesitate (d) Hobble

Q.91. A person who is kept captive for fulfilment of demands of money or conditions.

SSC MTS 12/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Doyen (b) Bait (c) Hostage (d) Scion

Q.92. Endless period of time SSC MTS 12/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Eternity (c) Impurity

(b) Longevity (d) Frailty

Q.93. Pandemics have often been caused by a disease that spreads by physical touch or contact.

SSC MTS 12/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(c) are robust

(a) are contagious (b) are vigorous (d) are fastidious

Q.94. One who looks at the dark side of

SSC MTS 13/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Physicist (c) Pessimist

(b) Optimist (d) Idealist

Q.95. A person who regards the whole world as his country

SSC MTS 13/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Cosmopolitan (c) Contemporary

(b) Pacifist (d) Celibate

Q.96. A place where water is collected and stored for future use.

SSC MTS 13/09/2023 (2nd Shift) (b) Resort

(a) Aquarium

(c) Sanatorium (d) Reservoir

Q.97. They allowed us to powder by crushing the spices, pick over the raisins and lick

the stirring spoons.

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SSC MTS 13/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

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(a) gain (b) greet (c) guess (d) grind

**Q.98.** One who is all powerful. SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Omnipresent (b) Omnipotent

(c) Optimist

(d) Omniscient

**Q.99.** Copying someone else's work and trying to submit it as your own SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Plagiarism (b) Polygamy

(c) Preamble (d) Extempore

**Q.100.** Fail to function normally SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Maltreat

(b) Mangle

(c) Manipulate

(d) Malfunction

**Q.101.** A person who is skilled in making maps

SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Calligrapher (b) Curator

(c) Cacographer (d) Cartographer

Q.102. Easily set on fire SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (2nd Shift)

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(a) Innocuous (b) Ingrained

(c) Inflammable (d) Inimical

Q.103. Simon is <u>afraid of closed space</u>.

SSC MTS 14/09/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) has xenophobia

(b) has ecophobia

(c) has claustrophobia

(d) has hydrophobia

# **Solutions:-**

**Sol.61.(a) Entomology -** the scientific study of insects.

**Alchemy** - an ancient branch of natural philosophy, concerned primarily with the goal of converting an ordinary metal into gold.

**Biology** - the scientific study of living organisms.

**Etymology** - the study of the origin of words.

**Sol.62.(a) Autocracy** - a system of government by one man with absolute power.

**Sol.63.(a) Abscond** - to go away suddenly and secretly in order to escape from somewhere.

Vanish - to disappear completely.

**Excavate** - to dig up or remove something from the ground.

**Extradite** - to hand over an accused person to the jurisdiction of the foreign state in which the crime was committed.

Sol.64.(a) abolish - to put an end to. Absorb - to take in liquid or gas. Abide - to obey or follow a rule or law. **Abduct** - to kidnap someone.

**Sol.65.(d) Acoustics -** study of sound and sound waves.

**Botany -** the branch of biology that deals with the study of plants.

**Physics** - the study of matter and energy. **Demography** - the study of populations, including their size, structure, and distribution.

**Sol.66.(a) Impeachment** - the action of formally accusing a public official of a serious offence.

**Condemnation** - the act of expressing strong disapproval or criticism.

**Summon** - to call or request someone to come or appear.

**Allegation** - a statement made without proof.

**Sol.67.(d) Divisor** - a number which is used to divide another number.

**Divisible** - a number that can be divided evenly.

**Remainder** - the leftover amount in division.

Quotient - the result of division.

Sol.68.(c) Cemetery - a place of burial.

**Building** - a structure with a roof and walls, such as a house or factory.

**Laboratory** - a place equipped for scientific research and experiments.

**Observatory** - a facility or building equipped with telescopes and instruments for observing celestial objects.

**Sol.69.(d) Bibliophile** - a person who loves or collects books.

**Anglophile** - a person who is fond of or admires English culture or the English people.

**Heliophile** - a person or organism that thrives in or is attracted to sunlight.

**Paedophile** - a person who is sexually attracted to children.

Sol.70.(c) Swarm - group of bees.

Gaggle - a group of geese.

**Shoal** - a large group of fish or aquatic animals.

**Pack** - a group of animals such as dogs, hounds.

**Sol.71.(c) Speak** - to say something in order to convey information.

**Dictate** - to give orders or commands with authority.

Teach - to impart knowledge or

information to someone through instruction.

**Spell** - to form words by arranging letters in a particular order.

**Sol.72.(c) Biennial** - a thing which happens every two years.

Century - a period of 100 years.

**Annual** - something that happens once a year.

**Bi-monthly** - something that happens every two months.

**Sol.73.(d) Misanthrope** - a person who is known for his hatred towards the entire mankind.

**Insolvent** - a person or entity that is unable to pay their debts; bankrupt.

**Philogynist** - a person who loves or is fond of women.

**Mercenary** - a person hired to fight for another country than their own.

**Sol.74.(b) Elegy** - a poem of lamentation on the death of someone loved and admired.

**Soliloquy** - a speech or discourse in which a character in a play reveals their thoughts and feelings.

**Tragedy** - a form of drama or literary work in which the main character experiences a downfall or catastrophic event.

**Epitaph** - an inscription on a tombstone or memorial that serves as a brief tribute.

Sol.75.(d) Bibliophile - a lover of books.

**Philosopher** - someone who studies or writes about the meaning of life.

**Librarian** - a person in charge of or assisting in a library.

**Teacher** - a person who teaches, especially in a school.

Sol.76.(c)

Patricide - killing of one's own father.

**Matricide** - the killing of one's own mother.

**Filicide** - the killing of one's own child or offspring.

**Suicide** - the act of intentionally taking one's own life.

Sol.77.(b) Biography - life history.

**Novel** - a work of fiction, typically a long narrative story.

**Mythology** - a collection of traditional stories or legends.

**Autobiography** - an account of a person's life written by themselves.

Sol.78.(c)

**Theology** - the study of religion.

**Psephology** - the study of elections and voting patterns.

Philology - the study of languages.

**Psychology** - the scientific study of the human mind and behavior.

**Sol.79.(a) Cannibal** - a person who feeds on human flesh.

**Carnivore** - an animal that primarily feeds on the flesh of other animals.

**Nudge** - a light touch or push, especially to attract attention.

**Omnivore** - an organism that consumes both plant and animal.

**Sol.80.(d) Post mortem** - an examination of a body after death.

**Post room** - a room designated for handling incoming and outgoing mail and packages.

**Post death** - events or actions occurring after a person's death.

**Post partum** - the period after childbirth or the birth of offspring.

# Sol.81.(b)

**Evacuated** - removed from a place.

**Sol.82.(d) Philanthropist** - one who has love for mankind.

**Philosopher** - someone who studies or writes about the meaning of life.

**Patriot** - one who loves his country and is ready to fight for it.

**Autocrat** - a ruler who has absolute power.

Sol.83.(a) Regicide - the killing of a king.

**Fratricide** - the killing of one's brother. **Sororicide** - the killing of one's sister.

Patricide - the killing of one's father.

**Sol.84.(a) Hermit** - a person living in solitude like a saint for religious practices.

**Cretin** - a person with a developmental disability or someone considered foolish.

**Heir** - a person who is legally entitled to inherit property, rank, or title from another.

**Heretic** - someone who holds beliefs or opinions that go against the established religious or societal norms.

**Sol.85.(c) Usurer** - one who lends money to others at a very high rate of interest.

**Curator** - a person in charge of managing and preserving a collection, such as in a museum.

**Bankrupt** - one who is unable to pay one's debts.

**Numismatist** - a person who collects or studies coins.

# Sol.86.(c)

Illegible - that which can't be read.

**Inaccessible** - not easily reached or approached.

**Incurable** - not capable of being cured. **Irrelevant** - not related to the matter at hand.

# Sol.87.(c) practice

'Practice' means the repeated

performance of an activity or skill in reality which is synonymous with the phrase 'actual application.' Hence, 'practice' is the most appropriate answer.

#### Sol.88.(b)

Claustrophobia - fear of closed spaces.

**Xenophobia** - fear of people from other countries or cultures.

Hydrophobia - fear of water.

Zoophobia - fear of animals.

**Sol.89.(a) Boutique** - a small shop that sells fashionable clothes.

**Store** - a place where items or goods are kept or sold.

**Tailoring** - the profession of making clothes to people's individual measurements.

**Couture** - the design and manufacture of fashionable custom-made clothing.

**Sol.90.(b) Hesitate** - to pause or delay or be uncertain about a decision or action.

Pause indecisively - to stop or wait without making a clear decision due to uncertainty.

**Hibernate** - to go into a dormant or inactive state.

**Hoist** - to lift or raise something.

**Hobble** - to walk with difficulty or a limp.

**Sol.91.(c) Hostage** - a person who is kept captive for fulfilment of demands of money or conditions.

**Doyen** - a person who is the most respected or experienced in a particular field or group.

**Bait** - something used to attract or trap animals.

Scion - a descendant of a wealthy family.

#### Sol.92.(a)

**Eternity** - endless period of time.

Longevity - to have a long life.

**Impurity** - the state of being impure or unclean.

Frailty - weakness or lack of strength.

**Sol.93.(a) Contagious** - spreads by physical touch or contact.

**Sol.94.(c) Pessimist** - one who looks at the dark side of life.

**Physicist** - a scientist who studies the laws of physics.

**Optimist** - a person who is hopeful and believes in the best.

**Idealist** - a person who believes in or aims for perfection.

**Sol.95.(a) Cosmopolitan** - a person who regards the whole world as his country. **Pacifist** - a person who opposes violence and war.

Contemporary - living or happening at

the same time.

**Celibate** - a person who does not have sexual relations.

Sol.96.(d) Reservoir - a place where water is collected and stored for future use.

**Aquarium** - a transparent container for keeping aquatic plants and animals.

**Resort** - a recreational facility for relaxation and vacation.

**Sanatorium** - a medical facility or a hospital for treating chronic illnesses.

**Sol.97.(d) Grind** - powder by crushing.

**Gain** - the increase or acquisition of something.

**Greet** - to welcome or acknowledge someone.

**Guess** - to estimate or make an assumption about something.

#### Sol.98.(b)

Omnipotent - one who is all powerful.

**Omnipresent** - existing or being present everywhere at the same time.

**Optimist** - someone who maintains a positive outlook and expects favorable outcomes.

**Omniscient** - having complete and infinite knowledge, knowing everything.

**Sol.99.(a) Plagiarism** - copying someone else's work and trying to submit it as your own

**Polygamy** - a person having multiple spouses.

**Preamble**- an introductory statement that provides context, purpose, or a brief overview.

**Extempore** - doing something without planning or practicing.

## Sol.100.(d)

**Malfunction** - fail to function normally.

**Maltreat** - to treat someone or something cruelly or with violence.

**Mangle** - to damage or destroy something by crushing, tearing, or twisting it.

**Manipulate** - to control or influence someone or something cleverly or unfairly.

**Sol.101.(d) Cartographer** - a person who is skilled in making maps.

**Calligrapher** - a person who specializes in the art of beautiful handwriting.

**Curator** - a person who is incharge of a museum.

**Cacographer** - a person with poor handwriting or spelling.

**Sol.102.(c) Inflammable** - easily set on fire.

Innocuous - not harmful or offensive.

**Ingrained** - deeply established or rooted in the mind or character.

Inimical - hostile or harmful.

Sol.103.(c)

**Claustrophobia** - afraid of closed space. **Xenophobia** - the fear of strangers or foreigners.

**Ecophobia** - the fear of nature. **Hydrophobia** - the fear of water.

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- **Q.104.** When I was in Class 5, I won the first prize in <u>extempore</u> at my school. SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) A short piece of writing on a subject
- (b) A sports event
- (c) A speech delivered without prior preparation or rehearsal
- (d) A dramatic performance on stage
- **Q.105.** The vehicle which carries dead bodies

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Coffin
- (b) Hearse
- (c) Ambulance
- (d) Corpse
- **Q.106.** Due to the official visit to a company, Rajiv has <u>a mental or emotional strain caused by demanding circumstances.</u>

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) reluctance
- (b) stress
- (c) penalty
- (d) depression
- **Q.107.** A book where names and addresses of people living in an area are kept

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Diary
- (b) Encyclopaedia
- (c) Directory
- (d) Library
- **Q.108.** Despite being his competitor, John was <u>generous and forgiving</u> in defeat and congratulated his opponent on his well-deserved victory.

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) altruistic
- (b) magnanimous
- (c) fainthearted (d) venomous
- **Q.109.** Something which cannot be easily conquered

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Frightening (b) Invincible
- (c) Reciprocal (d) Stable
- **Q.110.** The doctor who treats bone problems

SSC CHSL 02/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Obstetrician (b) Gynaecologist
- (c) Orthopaedist (d) Physiotherapist
- **Q.111.** A person who conforms to accepted behaviour or established practices.

SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Psychologist (b) Conformist
- (c) Socialist
- (d) Rebelist
- Q.112. The music filled the room with a lot of happiness, expressing joyful melodies that brought smiles to everyone's faces.

SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) surprise (b) joy (c) excitement (d) fear
- **Q.113.** The constitutional right to vote SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (2nd Shift)
- (a) Franchise
- (b) Polling
- (c) Voting
- (d) Buttoning
- **Q.114.** A person who lives a secluded or solitary life, often for religious reasons SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) Extrovert
- (b) Chauvinist
- (c) Monk
- (d) Hypochondriac
- **Q.115.** The study of coins SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) Currency
- (b) Minting
- (c) Numismatics (d) Barter
- **Q.116.** Argue loudly about unimportant things

SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Maintain
- (b) Disagree
- (c) Agree
- (d) Squabble
- **Q.117.** A life history of a person written by himself.

SSC CHSL 03/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Biography
- (b) Epic
- (c) Story
- (d) Autobiography
- **Q.118.** Choose the correct meaning of the underlined word in the given sentence.

Don't you think the dog would need a <u>kennel</u> to stay?

SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) A type of toy
- (b) A type of seed
- (c) A house for a dog or a cat
- (d) A small piece of material
- **Q.119.** One who is bad in spellings SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (2nd Shift)
- (a) Cartographer (b) Cacographer
- (c) Chauffer
- (d) Calligrapher
- Q.120. One's relatives or family, related SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (2nd Shift)
- (a) Kilt (b) Kindle (c) Kin (d) Kine
- **Q.121.** Done without conscious control; unintentional

SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Invincible
- (b) Invoke
- (c) Invitro
- (d) Involuntary
- Q.122. The company was known for its deserving respect or admiration

- <u>business</u> <u>practices</u> <u>and</u> <u>honest</u> <u>and</u> <u>fair</u> ethical standards.
- SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) honourable (b) decent
- (c) respectable (d) trustworthy
- **Q.123.** Exceptionally clever or talented SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (4th Shift)
- (a) Indigenous
- (b) Studious
- (c) Assiduous (d) Ingenious
- **Q.124.** The character and atmosphere of a place

SSC CHSL 04/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Haven
- (b) Cartography
- (c) Ligament
- (d) Ambience

Q.125. A lover of mankind

- SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) Misanthrope(b) Philanthropist(c) Narcissist(d) Lexicographer
- **Q.126.** The government is planning a new policy to help the <u>immigrants</u> coming from the neighbouring country. SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) Someone who leaves one country to settle in another
- (b) Someone who goes to visit a new country for a short time
- (c) Someone who travels for work
- (d) Someone who travels to space
- Q.127. The study of skin SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (2nd Shift)
- (a) Dermatology (b) Cytology
- (c) Congenital (d) Dementia
- **Q.128.** Showing or having skill, especially with the hands.

SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

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- (a) Meticulous(b) Pertinent(c) Insomniac(d) Dexterous
- **Q.129.** A group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, travelling together SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) Alibi
- (b) Anachronism Troupe
- (c) Caravan (d) Bohemian
- **Q.130.** Mahatma Gandhi is one of the complete leaders that the world has ever

SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) open and above board
- (b) often and often
- (c) out and out
- (d) once and again
- **Q.131.** The theory or philosophy of law SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (4th Shift)
- (a) Jurisprudence

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- (b) Pacifism
- (c) Cosmology (d) Philia
- **Q.132.** Animals especially on a farm, regarded as an asset.
- SSC CHSL 07/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Livid (b) Livery stable (c) Livelihood (d) Livestock
- Q.133. Vatsal is a lover and collector of books.

SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) anglophile (b) recluse (c) bibliophile (d) polyglot
- Q.134. The king's coronation ceremony was a grand affair, with all the nobles and dignitaries dressed in their finest insignia of royalty.

SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) ornaments
- (b) regalia
- (c) regals
- (d) spectres
- Q.135. One who possesses outstanding technical ability in a particular art or field. SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (2nd Shift)
- (a) Virtuous
- (b) Virtuoso
- (c) Gourmand
- (d) Amateur
- Q.136. The allowance which is paid to wife on legal separation
- SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) Racism (b) Dowry (c) Alimony (d) Money
- Q.137. A word or a phrase formed by rearranging a different word
- SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (3rd Shift)
- (a) Anaphora
- (b) Amateur
- (c) Anagram
- (d) Accessible
- Q.138. A person who believes that all events are predetermined or subject to fate.

SSC CHSL 08/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Fatalist
- (b) Credulous
- (c) Egotist
- (d) Aristocrat
- Q.139. WHO is an organisation that raises money for a particular cause.

SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) donation
- (b) volunteer
- (c) charity
- (d) fundraiser
- Q.140. A form of government in which power is held by the nobility SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) Democracy
- (b) Aristocracy
- (c) Republic
- (d) Nobility
- Q.141. The World Health Organization has finally issued guidelines to prevent the spread of the Covid-19 epidemic. SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) A large number of people or animals suffering from the same disease at the same time
- (b) An infection which is caused by viruses
- (c) An infection that spreads slowly
- (d) A disease which lasts for more than fifty years
- Q.142. An amount of money that is paid

at one time

SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Advanced amount (b) Credit
- (c) Lump sum
- (d) Mortgage
- Q.143. She is really interested in the study of religion.

SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) theology
- (b) philology
- (c) lexicography (d) psephology
- Q.144. A person who is against the use of violence and war to settle disputes SSC CHSL 09/08/2023 (4th Shift)
- (a) Fatalist
- (b) Hedonist
- (c) Pacifist
- (d) Misogynist
- Q.145. The murder of a king SSC CHSL 10/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) Sacrilege
- (b) Rebel
- (c) Reticule
- (d) Regicide
- Q.146. One who is new to some trade or profession

SSC CHSL 10/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) Novice
- (b) Philistine
- (c) Martyr
- (d) Omnipresent
- Q.147. He became a teetotaller after witnessing the negative effects of alcohol on his friends.

SSC CHSL 10/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Someone who does not consume any alcoholic drink
- (b) A person who likes to eat and drink
- (c) A person who is very conscious of his health
- (d) Someone who does not make friends
- Q.148. Spoken or done without preparation

SSC CHSL 11/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) Elocution
- (b) Extempore
- (c) Debate
- (d) Declamation
- Q.149. The old castle, with its towering walls, creaky gates, and secret passages, was the perfect example of a medieval fortress.

SSC CHSL 11/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) epicentre
- (b) crux
- (c) epitome
- (d) antithesis
- Q.150. The schedule was capable of bending easily without breaking and able to be easily modified.

SSC CHSL 11/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) adherent
- (b) inadaptable
- (c) versatile
- (d) flexible
- Q.151. A person who does not believe in the existence of God

SSC CHSL 11/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Atheist (b) Priest (c) Theist (d) Satan
- Q.152. He tends to put off doing his work until the last minute, leaving

important tasks unfinished and causing himself unnecessary stress.

SSC CHSL 11/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) decline
- (b) adjourn
- (c) procrastinate (d) dwindle
- Q.153. Unpleasantly rough or sharp, especially to the senses, cruel SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (1st Shift)
- (a) Haslet (b) Hart (c) Harsh (d) Hasp
- Q.154. An imperfection; a blemish, a

SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (1st Shift)

- (a) Flaunt (b) Fleck (c) Flaw (d) Flea
- Q.155. The child was not quilty of any wrongdoing and lacked knowledge or awareness of wrongdoing.

SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) ignorant
- (b) inexperienced
- (c) innocent
- (d) cruel
- Q.156. After the scandal, the king was left with no choice but to announce his act of renouncing the throne.

SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) coronation
- (b) extradition
- (d) abdication (c) exoneration
- Q.157. The new technology was much more productive and achieved maximum output with minimum wasted effort or expense.

SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) efficient (b) elaborate
- (c) rapid (d) magnificent
- Q.158. Free time; time at one's own disposal

SSC CHSL 14/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Leisure (b) Legible (c) Lethal (d) Legion
- Q.159. 'A Red, Red Rose' by Robert Burns is a poem that tells a story and has a regular rhythm and rhyme scheme.

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) epic (b) haiku (c) ballad (d) sonnet

Q.160. One who eats human flesh

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (1st Shift) (a) Mammal

(c) Carnivore

(b) Vegetarian

(d) Cannibal

Q.161. Kidney beans were boiled quickly when Nisha added a substance that speeds up a chemical reaction without being consumed by the reaction itself.

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) reactant

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- (b) catalyst
- (c) enzyme (d) solute
- Q.162. As I walked through the old town, I couldn't help but feel a sentimental longing for the simpler times of my childhood.
- SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) affection
- (b) homesickness
- (c) inertia
- (d) nostalgia

**Q.163.** Collection of written or spoken texts.

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Data bank
- (b) Dictionary
- (c) Corpus
- (d) Circa

**Q.164.** A particular form of a language which is peculiar to a specific region or social group.

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Singular
- (b) Slang
- (c) Dialect
- (d) Referendum

**Q.165.** The museum's <u>archive</u> is a great place to find valuable artifacts such as ancient manuscripts.

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) A collection of essays
- (b) A room to store lots of books
- (c) A room to store important official documents
- (d) A collection of historical documents or records

**Q.166.** One who studies the evolution of mankind

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Anarchist
- (b) Amateur
- (c) Anthropologist (d) Antagonist

**Q.167.** Something to be easily carried or moved

SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Robust
- (b) Stagnant
- (c) Portable
- (d) Fragile

**Q.168.** An imagined place or state of things in which everything is perfect SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) Dwarf
- (b) Utopia
- (c) Chronology
- (d) Octogenarian

**Q.169.**Poor physical or mental condition. SSC CHSL 17/08/2023 (4th Shift)

- (a) III nature
- (b) Illicit
- (c) III-fated
- (d) III health

**Solutions:-**

**Sol.104.(c) Extempore** - a speech delivered without prior preparation or rehearsal.

**Sol.105.(b) Hearse -** the vehicle which carries dead bodies.

**Coffin -** a box used for burying or cremating deceased bodies.

**Ambulance** - the vehicle used for transporting sick or injured people to the hospital.

**Corpse -** the dead body of a human or animal.

Sol.106.(b) Stress - a mental or

emotional strain caused by demanding circumstances.

**Reluctance** - unwillingness to do something.

**Penalty** - a punishment imposed for breaking a law, rule, or contract.

**Depression** - a mood disorder that causes a permanent feeling of sadness.

**Sol.107.(c) Directory** - A book where names and addresses of people living in an area are kept.

**Diary -** a book in which one keeps a daily record of events and experiences.

**Encyclopaedia-** a book that contains information on all subjects or on various aspects of a particular subject.

**Library -** a collection of books, magazines, newspapers, and other materials made available for people to borrow or use for reference.

# Sol.108.(b)

**Magnanimous -** generous and forgiving. **Altruistic -** unselfishly devoted to the welfare of others.

Fainthearted - lacking courage.

**Venomous -** extremely poisonous or injurious.

**Sol.109.(b) Invincible -** something which can not be easily conquered.

**Frightening -** making someone afraid or anxious.

**Reciprocal** - given, felt or done in return. **Stable** - firmly fixed.

**Sol.110.(c) Orthopaedist -** the doctor who treats bone problems.

**Obstetrician** - a physician that specializes in delivering babies and caring for people during pregnancy and after they give birth.

**Gynaecologist** - a doctor skilled in the treatment of women's diseases.

**Physiotherapist-** medical professionals who specialize in treating injuries and conditions that impact movement.

**Sol.111.(b) Conformist** - a person who conforms to accepted behaviour or established practices.

**Psychologist -** a person who studies and treats the human mind and behavior.

**Socialist** - a person who believes in a political and economic system where resources are shared collectively.

**Rebelist** - a person who opposes or takes arms against a government or ruler.

Sol.112.(b) Joy - a lot of happiness.

**Surprise -** a sudden feeling of wonder or amazement.

Excitement - a feeling of great

enthusiasm.

**Fear -** a feeling of anxiety caused by the awareness of danger.

**Sol.113.(a) Franchise -** the constitutional right to vote.

**Polling -** collecting opinions of information from people.

**Voting -** making a choice in an election or poll.

**Buttoning -** fastening with buttons, like closing a shirt.

# Sol.114.(c)

**Monk** - a person who lives a secluded or solitary life, often for religious reasons.

**Extrovert** - a person who enjoys being around others and is outgoing.

**Chauvinist -** someone who believes their group or gender is superior.

**Hypochondriac** - a person who constantly fears being sick.

#### Sol.115.(c)

Numismatics - the study of coins.

**Currency -** a system of money in general use in a particular country.

**Minting -** the process of making coins by stamping metal.

**Barter** - an act of trading goods and services between two or more parties without the use of money.

**Sol.116.(d) Squabble** - to argue loudly about unimportant things.

Maintain - to keep in existence.

**Disagree** - to not have the same opinion or idea.

**Agree** - to have the same opinion about something.

**Sol.117.(d) Autobiography -** a life history of a person written by himself.

**Biography -** an account of someone's life written by someone else.

**Epic** - a long narrative poem in elevated style recounting the deeds of a legendary or historical hero.

**Story** - an account of imaginary or real people and events told for entertainment.

**Sol.118.(c) Kennel** - a house for a dog or a cat.

**Sol.119.(b) Cacographer** - One who is bad in spellings

**Cartographer** - A person who creates maps or charts.

**Chauffer** - A person employed to drive a car for others.

**Calligrapher** - A person skilled in the art of beautiful and decorative handwriting.

## Sol.120.(c)

**Kin** - One's relatives or family, related.

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**Kilt** - a type of knee-length skirt.

Kindle - to ignite or start a fire.

Kine - an archaic term for cattle or cows.

**Sol.121.(d) Involuntary** - done without conscious control; unintentional.

**Invincible** - too powerful to be defeated.

**Invoke** - appeal to someone as an authority in support of an argument.

**Invitro** - performed or taking place in a test tube.

## Sol.122.(a)

**Honourable** - known for its deserving respect or admiration business practices and honest and fair ethical standards.

**Decent** - conforming with generally accepted standards of respectable or moral behaviour.

**Respectable -** regarded by society to be good, proper, or correct.

**Trustworthy -** able to be relied on as honest or truthful.

**Sol.123.(d) Ingenious -** exceptionally clever or talented.

**Indigenous -** originating or occurring naturally in a particular place.

**Studious -** spending a lot of time studying or reading.

**Assiduous -** showing great care and perseverance.

**Sol.124.(d) Ambience** - the character and atmosphere of a place.

Haven - a place of safety or refuge.

**Cartography -** the art of drawing maps.

**Ligament** - any of the strong strips of tissue in the body that connect various bones together.

# Sol.125.(b)

**Philanthropist -** a lover of mankind.

**Misanthrope** - a person who dislikes humankind and avoids human society.

**Narcissist** - a person who has an excessive interest in or admiration of themselves.

**Lexicographer -** a person who compiles dictionaries.

**Sol.126.(a) Immigrant -** someone who leaves one country to settle in another.

## Sol.127.(a)

**Dermatology -** the study of skin.

**Cytology -** the study of animal and plant cells, including their structure, function and formation.

Congenital - present from birth.

**Dementia** - loss of the ability to think, remember and reason.

**Sol.128.(d) Dexterous** - showing or having skill, especially with the hands. **Meticulous** - showing great attention to

detail; extremely careful and precise.

**Pertinent** - relevant or applicable to a particular matter; directly related or connected.

**Insomniac** - a person who regularly has difficulty falling asleep or staying asleep.

**Sol.129.(c) Caravan -** a group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, travelling together.

**Alibi** - an excuse or evidence that proves a person was elsewhere when a crime or incident occurred.

**Bohemian** - a person or lifestyle that is unconventional, free-spirited, artistic.

# Sol.130.(c) out and out

'Out and out' means completely or thoroughly. Hence, 'out and out' is the most appropriate answer.

**Sol.131.(a) Jurisprudence -** the theory or philosophy of law.

**Cosmology** - the study of the origin, structure, and evolution of the universe.

**Philia** - strong affection towards a particular thing or concept.

**Pacifism -** the belief of opposing war and promoting peace.

## Sol.132.(d)

**Livestock -** animals especially on a farm, regarded as an asset.

Livid - extremely angry.

**Livery stable -** a place where horses and vehicles are kept and rented.

**Livelihood** - a way of earning money in order to live.

**Sol.133.(c) bibliophile -** a lover and collector of books.

**Anglophile** - a person who has a strong liking or admiration for English.

**Recluse** - someone who lives in seclusion or isolation, often avoiding social interactions.

**Polyglot** - a person who is proficient in or can speak several different languages.

**Sol.134.(b) Regalia** - insignia of royalty. **Ornaments** - decorative items like jewelry or accessories

**Regals** - things associated with royalty or grandeur

**Spectres** - ghostly apparitions or spirits.

**Sol.135.(b) Virtuoso** - One who possesses outstanding technical ability in a particular art or field.

**Virtuous** - Someone who displays moral excellence and behaves ethically.

**Gourmand** - A person who enjoys and indulges in expensive food and drink.

**Amateur** - Someone who engages in an activity for enjoyment rather than as a professional or expert.

**Sol.136.(c) Alimony -** the allowance which is paid to wife on legal separation.

**Racism** - discrimination based on a person's race.

**Dowry** - property or money given by a bride's family to the groom's family during a marriage.

Money - currency for transactions.

# Sol.137.(c)

Anagram - a word or a phrase

formed by rearranging a different word.

**Anaphora** - the repetition of a word or phrase at the beginning of successive clauses.

**Amateur** - a person who engages in a hobby or activity for enjoyment rather than as a profession.

Accessible - easy to approach or reach.

**Sol.138.(a) Fatalist** - a person who believes that all events are predetermined or subject to fate.

**Credulous** - easily believing or accepting things, often without questioning or doubting.

**Egotist** - a person who is excessively self-centered often boastful.

**Aristocrat** - a member of the upper class or nobility.

**Sol.139.(d) Fundraiser -** an organisation that raises money for a particular cause.

**Donation -** something that is given to a charity, especially a sum of money.

**Volunteer -** a person who freely offers to take part in an enterprise or undertake a task.

**Charity -** generous actions or donations to aid the poor, ill, or helpless.

**Sol.140.(b) Aristocracy** - a form of government in which power is held by the nobility.

**Democracy** - a system of government in which people choose their rulers by voting for them in elections.

**Republic** - a state in which the supreme power rests in the body of citizens entitled to vote.

**Nobility -** a social class found in many societies that have an aristocracy.

**Sol.141.(a) Epidemic** - A large number of people or animals suffering from the same disease at the same time.

**Sol.142.(c) Lump sum -** an amount of money that is paid at one time.

**Advanced amount -** amounts paid before goods or services are actually received.

**Credit -** a method of paying for goods and services at a later time.

**Mortgage** - a type of loan used to purchase or maintain a home, land, or other types of real estate.

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#### Sol.143.(a)

**Theology -** the study of religion.

**Philology** - the study of language, especially its history and development.

**Lexicography -** the activity of occupation of compiling dictionaries.

**Psephology** - the statistical study of elections and trends in voting.

# Sol.144.(c)

**Pacifist -** a person who is against the use of violence and war to settle disputes.

**Fatalist** - believer in fate or predestination.

**Hedonist -** someone who pursues pleasure and enjoyment.

**Misogynist -** someone who dislikes women.

#### Sol.145.(d)

Regicide - the murder of a king.

**Sacrilege** - the act of insulting or violating something that is considered sacred.

**Rebel -** a person who opposes authority or established order.

**Reticule -** a small handbag or purse.

**Sol.146.(a) Novice -** one who is new to some trade or profession.

**Philistine -** a person who has no interest in or appreciation for art or culture.

**Martyr** - someone who dies or suffers greatly for their beliefs, principles.

**Omnipresent -** present everywhere at the same time.

**Sol.147.(a) Teetotaller** - someone who does not consume any alcoholic drink.

**Sol.148.(b) Extempore** - spoken or done without preparation.

**Elocution** - the art of careful public speaking, using clear pronunciation and good breathing to control the voice.

**Debate -** serious discussion of a subject in which many people take part.

**Declamation** - a strong statement or an occasion when you express something with a lot of feeling.

**Sol.149.(c) Epitome** - perfect example of a particular quality or type.

**Sol.150.(d) Flexible** - capable of bending easily without breaking and able to be easily modified.

**Adherent** - a person who strongly supports a particular person, principle, or set of ideas.

**Inadaptable** - lacking the ability to adjust to new situations.

**Versatile** - able to do many different things.

Sol.151.(a) Atheist - a person who does

not believe in the existence of God.

**Priest** - a religious leader who performs sacred rituals and ceremonies in various faiths.

**Theist** - a person who believes in the existence of God or gods.

**Satan** - a supernatural being associated with evil or the adversary of God.

#### Sol.152.(c) procrastinate

'Procrastinate' means to keep delaying something that must be done. The phrase "put off doing his work until the last minute" is similar in meaning to 'procrastinate'. Hence, 'procrastinate' is the most appropriate answer.

**Sol.153.(c) Harsh** - Unpleasantly rough or sharp, especially to the senses, cruel.

**Haslet** - A type of food made from minced pig organs.

**Hart** - A male deer, often a red deer or mature stag.

**Hasp** - A metal clasp used to secure doors or containers.

## Sol.154.(c)

**Flaw** - An imperfection or defect that makes something less perfect.

**Flaunt** - to display or show off conspicuously, often in a boastful manner.

**Fleck** - a tiny spot or mark, or to mark with small spots.

Flea - a small, blood-feeding insect

**Sol.155.(c) innocent** - not guilty of any wrongdoing and lacked knowledge or awareness of wrongdoing.

**Ignorant** - lacking knowledge or awareness; uninformed.

**Inexperienced** - having limited or no prior experience.

**Cruel** - showing a lack of empathy or causing pain and suffering intentionally.

# Sol.156.(d)

abdication - act of renouncing the throne.Coronation - The ceremony or act of crowning a monarch or ruler

**Extradition** - asking for a criminal to be sent back to where they did something wrong for legal process.

**Exoneration** - he act of officially clearing someone of blame, responsibility, or wrongdoing

**Sol.157.(a) Efficient** - productive and achieved maximum output with minimum wasted effort or expense.

**Elaborate** - involving many details or complex features.

**Rapid** - happening quickly or with great speed.

**Magnificent** - extremely beautiful, grand, or impressive in appearance or quality.

**Sol.158.(a) Leisure** - free time; time at one's own disposal.

**Legible** - something that is easily readable.

**Lethal** - capable of causing death or extreme harm; deadly.

**Legion** - a large number or multitude of people or things.

**Sol.159.(c) Ballad** - a poem that tells a story and has a regular rhythm and rhyme scheme.

**Epic** - a long poem narrating the deeds and adventures of heroic or legendary figures.

Haiku - an unrhymed Japanese poem that

consists of 17 syllables arranged in three lines containing five, seven, and five syllables.

**Sonnet** - a poem that has 14 lines and a particular pattern of rhyme.

## Sol.160.(d)

Cannibal - one who eats human flesh.

**Mammal** - a warm-blooded animal with hair or fur.

**Vegetarian** - a person who does not eat meat and relies only on vegetation.

**Carnivore** - an animal that feeds on other animals.

**Sol.161.(b) Catalyst** - a substance that speeds up a chemical reaction without being consumed by the reaction itself.

**Reactant** - a substance that participates in a chemical reaction and undergoes a change.

**Enzyme** - a catalyst that regulates the rate at which chemical reactions proceed in living organisms.

**Solute** - a substance that is dissolved in a solvent to form a solution.

**Sol.162.(d) Nostalgia** - a sentimental longing.

**Affection** - a gentle feeling of fondness or liking.

**Homesickness** - a feeling of longing for one's home during a period of absence from it.

**Inertia** - tendency to remain in the same state of rest or motion.

**Sol.163.(c) Corpus** - collection of written or spoken texts.

Databank-alargecollectionofinformationthatcanbesearchedthroughquickly,especiallybyacomputer.

**Dictionary** - a book that contains a list of words in alphabetical order and explains their meanings.

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**Circa**- approximately.

Sol.164.(c) Dialect - A particular form of a language which is peculiar to a specific region or social group.

Singular - referring to just one person or thing.

Slang informal language vocabulary that is commonly used in specific social groups.

Referendum - a vote in which all the people in a country give their opinion about an important political or social question.

Sol.165.(d) Archive - a collection of historical documents or records.

Sol.166.(c) Anthropologist - one who studies the evolution of mankind.

Anarchist - one who believes that laws and governments are not necessary.

Amateur - one who engages in a hobby or activity for pleasure, not as a profession.

Antagonist - one who opposes or competes with another.

Sol.167.(c) Portable - something to be easily carried or moved.

Robust - strong and healthy.

Stagnant - (of liquids or air)not flowing often moving, and smelling unpleasant.

Fragile - easily broken or damaged.

# Sol.168.(b)

Utopia - an imagined place or state of things in which everything is perfect.

**Dwarf** - a person or thing much smaller than typical.

Chronology - the arrangement of events in the order of their occurrence.

Octogenarian - a person in their eighties (aged 80-89).

Sol.169.(d) III health - poor physical or mental condition.

III nature - the quality of being bad-tempered.

Illicit - forbidden by law, rules, or custom. Ill-fated - not lucky and ending sadly, especially in death or failure.

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Q.170. A thing fit to eat.

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- (a) Eligible
- (b) Digestible
- (c) Curable
- (d) Edible

Q.171. A person who believes that laws and governments are not necessary. SSC CGL 14/07/2023 (2nd shift)

- (a) Antagonist
- (b) Antichrist
- (c) Anarchist
- (d) Adversary

Q.172. A place where coins, medals, or

tokens are made

SSC CGL 14/07/2023 (3rd shift)

- (a) Hutch
- (b) Hangar
- (c) Mint
- (d) Monastery

Q.173. A person who abandons religion SSC CGL 14/07/2023 (3rd shift)

- (a) Egotist
- (b) Priest
- (c) Apostate
- (d) Atheist

Q.174. A person who does not believe that God or Gods exist.

SSC CGL 14/07/2023 (4th shift)

- (a) Irreverent
- (b) Atheist
- (c) Profane
- (d) Blasphemous

Q.175. A book or set of books giving information about all areas of knowledge SSC CGL 14/07/2023 (4th shift)

- (a) Encyclopedia (b) Dictionary
- (c) Volume
- (d) Anthology

Q.176. Huge fire for celebration SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (1st shift)

- (a) Firepower
- (b) Festivity
- (c) Firefight
- (d) Bonfire

Q.177. A place to play games and bet on them

SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Motel (b) Hotel (c) Casino (d) Pub

Q.178. Any female animal which feeds its young on milk from her own body SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (2nd shift)

- (a) Vertebrate
- (b) Parasite
- (c) Mammal
- (d) Fauna

Q.179. Certain to happen

SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (2nd shift)

- (a) Justifiable
- (b) Indispensable
- (c) Convertible
- (d) Inevitable

Q.180. Only the artists who make sculptures are allowed to take part in exhibitions.

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- (a) Painter
- (b) Artisan
- (c) Sculptor
- (d) Potter

Q.181. A similarity between like features of two things, on which a comparison may be based.

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- (a) Analogy
- (b) Amalgamation
- (c) Apathy
- (d) Ambiguity

Q.182. The money paid to former wife, husband or partner when the marriage is ended.

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- (a) Alimony
- (b) Compensation
- (c) Recompense (d) Maintenance

Q.183. A group of people travelling together in a van

SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (3rd shift)

- (a) Gypsies
- (b) Caravan
- (c) Brood
- (d) Constellation

Q.184. A detailed description of a series of real or fictional events taking place over a long period of time

SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (4th shift) (a) Witness

- (b) Journal
- (c) Saga
- (d) Case study

Q.185. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given word.

Harangue

SSC CGL 17/07/2023 (4th shift)

- (a) Strict disciplinarian
- (b) Breaker of idols
- (c) Airplane shed
- (d) A lengthy and aggressive speech

Q.186. The traffic sergeant proved through the test that Raj was under the influence of drugs and alcohol.

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (1st shift)

- (a) inebriated
- (b) simonised
- (c) ponied
- (d) pocked

Q.187. A sentimental memory of the past SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (1st shift)

- (a) Hysteria
- (b) Nostalgia
- (d) Euphoria (c) Mania

Q.188. A large number of fish swimming together

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (1st shift)

- (a) Shoal (b) Stream (c) Sheaf (d) String
- Q.189. A secret plan, made to do something (usually wrong)

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (2nd shift)

- (a) Strategy
- (b) Planning
- (c) Conditioning (d) Conspiracy

Q.190. To put off doing something, especially out of habitual carelessness or laziness

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (2nd shift)

- (a) Accelerate
- (b) Lacerate
- (c) Procrastinate (d) Recuperate

Q.191. A person who draws or produces maps

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (3rd shift)

- (c) Chauffeur
- (a) Calligrapher (b) Choreographer (d) Cartographer
- Q.192. Being careful that every detail of something is correct

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (3rd shift)

- (a) Fastidious
- (b) Squeamish
- (c) Stubborn
- (d) Impregnable

Q.193. Something that is absolutely necessary, that you cannot do without. SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (4th shift)

- (a) Insular
- (b) Indispensable
- (c) Isolated
- (d) Intolerant

Q.194. Animal living both on land and water.

SSC CGL 18/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Marine (c) Arboreal (b) Amphibian

(d) Terrestrial

Q.195. Person who betrays his own country.

SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Mascot

(b) Traitor

(c) Icon

(d) Paragon

Q.196. The study of evolution of mankind SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Biology

(b) Anthology

(c) Anthropology (d) Psychology

# 0.197.

Child bereaved of one or both the parents SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Destitute

(b) Orphan

(c) Lout

(d) Desolate

Q.198. Having a consistency that does not easily yield to pressure SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Substantial

(b) Firm

(c) Ramrod

(d) Close

Q.199. Copying someone else's work and trying to submit as your own SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Plagiarism

(b) Hooliganism

(c) Altruism

(d) Cynicism

Q.200. A person who enjoys doing dangerous things, in a way that other people may think is stupid.

SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Cavalier

(b) Lunatic

(c) Gallant

(d) Daredevil

Q.201. Forsaken or neglected child who has no home and spends most of his/her time on the streets

SSC CGL 19/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Fugitive

(b) Vulnerable

(c) Miscreant

(d) Waif

Q.202. Gradual recovery of health and strenath

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Convalescence (b) Potency

(c) Benefaction

(d) Rejuvenation

Q.203. Capable of being bent or pulled into different shapes

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Lithe

(b) Willowy

(c) Ductile

(d) Lissome

Q.204. Manisha is a believer of fate. SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Minimalist

(b) Socialist

(c) Fatalist

(d) Catalyst

Q.205. Someone who dishonestly

pretends to deceive under an assumed character

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Imposter

(b) Imitator

(c) Explorer

(d) Imbecile

Q.206. Waver between different opinions or actions

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Sway

(b) Viaduct

(c) Thrifty

(d) Vacillate

Q.207. One who looks at the negative side of everything

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Optimist

(b) Activist

(c) Racist

(d) Pessimist

Q.208. By killing a large number of people, they thought they would get more benefits of the schemes.

SSC CGL 20/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Homicide

(b) Suicide

(c) Feticide

(d) Genocide

**Q.209.** A group of worshippers SSC CGL 21/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Congregation (b) Crowd

(c) Caravan

(d) Constellation

Q.210. The place that a person treats as his permanent home, or lives in and has a substantial connection with SSC CGL 21/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Oasis

(b) Domicile

(c) Embankment (d) Resort

Q.211. Capable of or adapted for turning easily from one to another of various tasks, fields of endeavour, etc. and is able to do many things.

SSC CGL 21/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Versatile

(b) Turncoat

(c) Talented

(d) Flexible

Q.212. A big clumsy often slow-witted

SSC CGL 21/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Slouch (b) Chump (c) Oaf (d) Ape

0.213. One who cannot hear. SSC CGL 21/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Illegible

(b) Inaudible

(c) Dumb

(d) Deaf

Q.214. Causing or wanting to cause harm or evil to someone

(a) Chaotic

(b) Malevolent

(c) Insipid

(d) Rancour

Q.215. Causing or ending in death. SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (2nd shift)

SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Gruesome

(b) Foster

(c) Fatal

(d) Grotesque

Q.216. A person whose age is between

70 and 79 years old

SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Septuagenaria (b) Aged

(c) Pensioner

(d) Oldie

Q.217. A formal agreement between two or more nations or peoples

SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (3rd shift) (a) Pact (b) Concord (c) Bond (d) Charter

Q.218. To move or travel back and forth frequently

SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Grapple

(b) Shuttle

(c) Rupture

(d) Foster

Q.219. Willing to take risks and try new ideas.

SSC CGL 24/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Resolute

(b) Desperate

(c) Adventurous (d) Mythical

Q.220. A speech by an actor at the end of a play

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Prologue (c) Epilogue

(b) Monologue (d) Duologue

Q.221. One who loves mankind SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) Atheist

(b) Pessimist

(c) Optimist (d) Philanthropist

the beginning of a book

Q.222. Author's explanatory remarks at

(a) Preface

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (1st shift)

(b) Foreward (c) Bibliography (d) Biography

Q.223. Never changing and therefore borina.

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Outdated

(b) Impractical

(c) Idealistic (d) Monotonous Q.224. Changing secret and coded

messages in a readable form

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (3rd shift) (a) Decoupling

(b) Encoding

(c) Decoding (d) Encrypting Q.225. Enjoying or affording warm secure shelter or cover and opportunity

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (3rd shift)

for ease and contentment

(a) Undisturbed (b) Easeful (c) Untroubled

(d) Snug

Q.226. Too strong to be defeated or changed

SSC CGL 25/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Invincible

(b) Headstrong

(c) Vigorous

(d) Sovereign

Q.227. Which cannot be read. SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (1st shift) (a) Illiterate (b) Inaudible

(c) Invisible

(d) Illegible

**Q.228.** The murder of a large number of people from a particular nation or ethnic group.

SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Geronticide (b) Honour killing

(c) Genocide (d) Mariticide

**Q.229.** Life history written by oneself. SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Autography (b) Autobiography

(c) Autophagy (d) Autocracy

Q.230. A person who does not drink alcohol.

SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Vegetarian (b) Celibate

(c) Teetotaller (d) Abstain

**Q.231.** Something belonging to or surviving from an earlier period SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Vestige (b) Dinosaur (c) Ruin (d) Relic

**Q.232.** Not informed about or aware of something

SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Oblivious

(b) Uneducated

(c) Absent

(d) Inconscient

**Q.233.** Burial ground consisting of graves.

SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Courtyard

(b) Cemetery

(c) Sanctuary

(d) Auditorium

**Q.234.** Filled with fear or dread SSC CGL 26/07/2023 (4th shift)

(a) Prudent

(b) Tremulous

(c) Corpulent

(d) Hysterical

**Q.235.** Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the italicised group of words in the given sentence. The prime minister paid tributes to the martyrs by laying *circular arrangement of flowers*.

SSC CGL 27/07/2023 (1st shift)

(a) buds

(b) posies

(c) bouquets

(d) wreaths

**Q.236.** Outer protective layer of a tree. SSC CGL 27/07/2023 (2nd shift)

(a) Bark (b) Shrub (c) Rind (d) Peel

**Q.237.** A place where airplanes are kept for maintenance.

SSC CGL 27/07/2023 (3rd shift)

(a) Hanger

(b) Scullery

(c) Hangar

(d) Aviary

**Solutions:-**

**Sol.170.(d) Edible -** A thing fit to eat. **Eligible -** suitable or qualified for a particular purpose or position.

Digestible- capable of being digested.

**Curable** - a disease capable of being cured or treated.

**Sol.171.(c) Anarchist** - A person who believes that laws and governments are not necessary.

**Antagonist** - a person who opposes or competes with another.

**Antichrist** - a person or force that opposes Christ.

Adversary - an opponent or enemy.

**Sol.172.(c) Mint -** a place where coins, medals, or tokens are made.

**Hutch** - a small, enclosed storage space or a cage for animals.

**Hangar -** a large building used to house and store aircraft.

**Monastery** - a place where monks or nuns live and practice their religious life in seclusion.

**Sol.173.(c) Apostate -** a person who abandons religion

**Egotist** - a person who is excessively self-centred and boastful.

**Priest** - a religious leader who conducts rituals and ceremonies in a particular religion.

**Atheist** - a person who does not believe in the existence of a god.

**Sol.174.(b) Atheist -** a person who does not believe that God or Gods exist.

**Irreverent** - showing a lack of respect or disrespect towards something considered sacred or holy.

**Profane** - showing disrespect or contempt for sacred or religious things.

**Blasphemous** - showing disrespect or contempt towards religious beliefs, practices, or symbols.

**Sol.175.(a) Encyclopedia** - a book or set of books giving information about all areas of knowledge.

**Dictionary** - a reference book containing words and their meanings.

**Volume -** a single book or one of a series of books.

**Anthology** - a collection of selected writings or literary works, written collectively in a single book

Sol.176.(d)

Bonfire - Huge fire for celebration

**Firepower -** Military strength and capability.

**Festivity -** Joyful and celebratory occasion.

**Firefight -** Battle involving the exchange of gunfire and combat.

**Sol.177.(c) Casino -** a place to play games and bet on them.

Motel - a budget-friendly place for

travellers to stay, typically near a road.

**Hotel** - a big building with many rooms for people to stay, sleep in and eat food.

**Pub** - a place to socialise and enjoy alcoholic drinks.

**Sol.178.(c) Mammal -** any female animal which feeds its young on milk from her own body.

**Vertebrate** - an animal that has a backbone and a skeleton.

**Parasite** - an organism that lives on or in a host organism and gets its food from or at the expense of its host.

**Fauna** - animal life in a specific region or period.

Sol.179.(d)

Inevitable - certain to happen.

**Justifiable** - able to be explained or defended with good reason.

**Indispensable** - absolutely necessary or essential.

**Convertible** - capable of being converted or transformed into something else.

**Sol.180.(c) Sculptor -** the artists who make sculptures.

**Painter** - a person who paints pictures or creates art using paint as a medium.

**Artisan** - a person who makes things skilfully, especially with his hands.

**Potter** - a person who makes pot or dishes by shaping and firing clay.

**Sol.181.(a) Analogy** - a similarity between like features of two things, on which a comparison may be based.

**Amalgamation** - the merging of two or more things into one.

**Apathy** - a lack of interest, enthusiasm, or concern.

**Ambiguity** - lack of clarity or lack of a clear meaning.

**Sol.182.(a) Alimony -** the money paid to a former wife, husband or partner when the marriage is ended.

**Compensation** - payment given to someone to make up for a loss or injury.

**Recompense** - something given to someone as a reward or payment.

**Maintenance** - the process of keeping something in good condition.

**Sol.183.(b) Caravan -** a group of people travelling together in a van.

**Gypsies** - people who travel from place to place and don't have a fixed home.

**Brood** - a group of young birds that belong to one mother.

**Constellation** - a group of stars forming a recognizable pattern in the night sky.

**Sol.184.(c) Saga -** A detailed description of a series of real or fictional events

taking place over a long period of time.

**Witness** - a person who observes or sees an event and can provide information about it.

**Journal** - a written record or diary of daily events, experiences, or thoughts.

Case study - an in-depth analysis of a particular subject, often used in academic or research settings to examine a specific case or situation.

**Sol.185.(d) harangue -** A lengthy and aggressive speech.

**Sol.186.(a) Inebriated -** under the influence of drugs and alcohol.

**Simonised** - to shine or polish to a high sheen, esp. with wax.

**Ponied -** acted or paid like a pony, often used in the context of a financial transaction.

**Pocked** - having holes or hollow marks on the surface.

**Sol.187.(b) Nostalgia -** A sentimental memory of the past.

**Hysteria** - extreme fear, excitement, anger, etc. that cannot be controlled.

**Mania -** an excessive enthusiasm or desire.

**Euphoria** - a feeling or state of intense excitement and happiness.

**Sol.188.(a) Shoal -** a large number of fish swimming together.

**Stream -** a flowing body of water.

**Sheaf -** a bundle of harvested crops or papers.

**String -** a thin cord or thread.

**Sol.189.(d) Conspiracy -** A secret plan, made to do something (usually wrong).

**Strategy** - a plan of action designed to achieve a particular goal or objective.

**Planning** - the process of making plans for something, organizing and arranging activities in advance.

**Conditioning** - the process of training or influencing someone to behave in a certain way.

**Sol.190.(c) Procrastinate** - To put off doing something, especially out of habitual carelessness or laziness.

**Accelerate** - to increase the speed or rate of something.

Lacerate - to tear or wound deeply.

**Recuperate** - to recover or regain strength after an illness or injury.

**Sol.191.(d) Cartographer -** a person who draws or produces maps.

**Calligrapher -** a person who writes beautifully and artistically.

**Choreographer** - a person who designs and creates dance movements.

**Chauffeur -** a person hired to drive others' cars.

**Sol.192.(a) Fastidious** - being careful that every detail of something is correct.

**Squeamish** - being easily disgusted by unpleasant things.

**Stubborn** - refusing to change one's opinion.

**Impregnable -** powerful and impossible to beat.

**Sol.193.(b) Indispensable -** something that is absolutely necessary, that you cannot do without.

**Insular -** narrow-minded or isolated, not open to new ideas.

**Isolated -** alone or separated from others, lacking connection.

**Intolerant** - not able to accept behaviour or opinions that are different from your own

**Sol.194.(b) Amphibian -** animal living both on land and water.

**Marine -** inhabiting the oceans, seas and other water bodies.

Arboreal - living in trees.

**Terrestrial -** living on land or the Earth's surface.

**Sol.195.(b) Traitor -** Person who betrays his own country.

**Mascot** - A person, animal, or object regarded as a symbol and believed to bring good luck.

**Icon** - A person or thing regarded as a representative symbol of something.

**Paragon** - A person or thing that is regarded as a perfect example of a particular quality or trait.

**Sol.196.(c) Anthropology -** The study of evolution of mankind.

**Biology** - The study of living organisms and their interactions with the environment.

**Anthology** - A collection of literary works or songs, often by various authors or composers.

**Psychology** - The scientific study of the mind and behavior of humans and animals.

**Sol.197.(b) Orphan -** child bereaved of one or both the parents.

**Destitute** - extremely poor and lacking basic necessities.

Lout - a rude, uncultured person.

**Desolate** - deserted, without inhabitants, or feeling a sense of abandonment.

**Sol.198.(b) Firm** - having a consistency that does not easily yield to pressure.

**Substantial** - large or important in amount.

**Ramrod** - a rod used to clean the barrel of a firearm.

Close - near or tight in space or time.

Sol.199.(a)

**Plagiarism** - Copying someone else's work and trying to submit as your own.

**Hooliganism** - rowdy, violent or destructive behaviour.

**Altruism** - unselfish regard or devotion to the welfare of others.

**Cynicism** - the belief that people are only interested in themselves and are not sincere.

**Sol.200.(d) Daredevil -** a person who enjoys doing dangerous things, in a way that other people may think is stupid.

**Cavalier** - a person who is confident and doesn't worry about risks.

**Lunatic** - a person who behaves in a crazy or irrational way.

**Gallant** - someone who is brave, heroic, and courteous, especially towards women.

**Sol.201.(d) Waif** - forsaken or neglected child who has no home and spends most of his/her time on the streets.

**Fugitive** - someone who is running away or escaping, often from the law.

**Vulnerable** - easily harmed, hurt, or taken advantage of due to weakness.

**Miscreant** - a person who behaves badly or breaks the law.

**Sol.202.(a) Convalescence** - Gradual recovery of health and strength.

**Potency** - The strength or power of something.

**Benefaction** - An act of doing good or providing help, especially through charitable donations.

**Rejuvenation** - The process of making something look or feel younger or more energetic.

**Sol.203.(c) Ductile** - Capable of being bent or pulled into different shapes.

Lithe - Gracefully thin and flexible.

Willowy - Tall, slim, and graceful.

**Lissome** - Graceful and flexible in movement.

Sol.204.(c) Fatalist - believer of fate

**Minimalist** - someone who prefers to keep things simple and uses only the necessary elements.

**Socialist** - a person who believes in a system where the government or community owns and manages resources for the benefit of all.

**Catalyst** - a person or thing that causes an event suddenly or quickly.

Sol.205.(a) Imposter - someone who

dishonestly pretends to deceive under an assumed character

**Imitator** - a person who copies or mimics the actions or behavior of others.

**Explorer** - a person who travels to new or unknown places to discover and learn.

**Imbecile** - a person with low intelligence or lack of understanding.

**Sol.206.(d) Vacillate** - waver between different opinions or actions, indecisive.

**Sway** - to move slowly from side to side. **Viaduct** - a bridge-like structure carrying a road or railway over a valley or other low ground.

Thrifty - careful with money, frugal.

**Sol.207.(d) Pessimist** - one who looks at the negative side of everything.

**Optimist** - Someone who has a positive outlook and expects good things to happen.

**Activist** - A person who takes vigorous action to promote social or political change.

**Racist** - Someone who believes in the superiority of one race over others and discriminates against them.

**Sol.208.(d) Genocide** - killing a large number of people.

**Homicide** - The act of killing another person, usually unlawfully.

**Suicide** - The act of intentionally causing one's own death.

**Feticide** - The act of intentionally causing the death of a fetus, usually through abortion.

## Sol.209.(a)

Congregation - A group of worshippers.

**Crowd** - A large number of people gathered together in one place.

**Caravan** - A group of people, especially traders or pilgrims, traveling together.

**Constellation** - A group of stars forming a recognizable pattern in the sky.

**Sol.210.(b) Domicile** - the place that a person treats as his permanent home, or lives in and has a substantial connection with.

**Oasis** - a fertile spot in a desert where water is found, surrounded by dry land.

**Embankment** - a raised bank or mound of earth, often used as a barrier or to hold back water.

**Resort** - a place people go for relaxation or recreation, often for vacations.

Sol.211.(a) Versatile - Capable of or adapted for turning easily from one to another of various tasks, fields of endeavour, etc. and is able to do many things.

**Turncoat** - a person who switches sides or loyalties, often for personal gain.

**Talented** - having a natural ability or skill in a specific area.

**Flexible** - able to adapt or change easily according to different situations or needs.

**Sol.212.(c) Oaf -** a big clumsy often slow - witted person.

Slouch - to stand, move, or sit lazily.

**Chump** - a foolish or easily deceived person.

Ape - an unintelligent or clumsy person.

**Sol.213.(d) Deaf -** one who cannot hear. **Illegible** - something that cannot be read easily due to poor handwriting or print.

**Inaudible** - something that cannot be heard clearly.

**Dumb** - lacking intelligence or good judgment.

## Sol.214.(b)

**Malevolent** - causing or wanting to cause harm or evil to someone.

**Chaotic** - extremely disorderly or confusing.

**Insipid** - lacking flavor or interest.

**Rancour** - a feeling of bitterness and anger.

## Sol.215.(c)

Fatal - causing or ending in death.

**Gruesome** - extremely unpleasant, often involving violence or horror.

**Foster** - to nurture or promote the development of something.

**Grotesque** - something that is strange and unpleasant.

# Sol.216.(a)

**Septuagenarian -** a person whose age is between 70 and 79 years old.

Aged - referring to someone old in years.

**Pensioner** - someone who receives a pension.

 $\mbox{{\bf Oldie}}$  - an informal term for an old person.

# Sol.217.(a)

**Pact** - a formal agreement between two or more nations or people.

**Concord** - agreement or harmony between people or groups.

**Bond** - a connection between individuals, groups, or things.

**Charter** - a written document outlining rights, principles, or agreements.

**Sol.218.(b) Shuttle -** to move or travel back and forth frequently.

**Grapple** - to struggle or wrestle with something.

Rupture - to break or burst suddenly.

**Foster** - to encourage or promote the growth or development of something.

**Sol.219.(c) Adventurous -** willing to take risks or try new ideas.

**Resolute** - Determined and firm in purpose.

**Desperate** - Feeling a strong need or desire.

**Mythical** - Related to legends or stories that may not be real.

**Sol.220.(c) Epilogue -** a speech by an actor at the end of a play.

**Prologue** - an introduction at the beginning of a play or book.

**Monologue** - a long speech by one actor in a play or film.

**Duologue** - a conversation between two characters in a play or performance.

#### Sol.221.(d)

**Philanthropist -** one who loves mankind.

**Atheist** - someone who doesn't believe in gods or deities.

**Pessimist** - someone who tends to see the negative side of things.

**Optimist** - someone who tends to see the positive side of things.

## Sol.222.(a)

**Preface -** Author's explanatory remarks at the beginning of a book

**Foreword** - An introduction or comments written by someone other than the author at the beginning of a book.

**Bibliography** - A list of sources (books, articles, etc.) used for research or reference.

**Biography** - A written life story of someone's life, often written by another person.

**Sol.223.(d) Monotonous** - Never changing and therefore boring.

**Outdated -** old-fashioned or no longer relevant.

**Impractical** - not suitable or realistic in a particular situation.

**Idealistic -** having high ideals or beliefs, often unrealistic.

Sol.224.(c) Decoding - Changing secret and coded messages in a readable form Decoupling - separating or disconnecting

elements that were previously linked. **Encoding** - converting information into a coded format or language.

**Encrypting** - converting information into a secret code to secure it from unauthorized access.

Sol.225.(d) Snug - Enjoying or affording warm secure shelter or cover and opportunity for ease and contentment
Undisturbed - not disrupted or

interrupted; calm and peaceful.

Easeful - providing comfort, relaxation, or a sense of ease.

Untroubled - free from worries, problems, or disturbances.

Sol.226.(a) Invincible - too strong to be defeated or changed.

Headstrong - stubborn or determined to do things one's own way.

Vigorous - strong, active, and full of energy.

Sovereign - a ruler or leader who has ultimate authority and power.

# Sol.227.(d)

Illegible - which cannot be read.

Illiterate - someone who cannot read or write

Inaudible - which cannot be heard.

Invisible - which cannot be seen.

Sol.228.(c) Genocide - The murder of a large number of people from a particular nation or ethnic group.

Geronticide - The killing of elderly people.

Honour killing - The killing of a family member, usually a woman, who is perceived to have brought dishonor to the family.

Mariticide - The act of killing one's husband.

Sol.229.(b) Autobiography - Life history written by oneself.

Autography - Writing or signature done with one's own hand.

Autophagy - The process in which cells break down and recycle their own components for energy and renewal.

Autocracy - A form of government where one person holds absolute power and authority.

Sol.230.(c) Teetotaller - a person who does not drink alcohol.

Vegetarian - someone who doesn't eat meat.

Celibate - someone who chooses not to marry or have romantic relationships.

Abstain - restrain oneself from doing or enjoying something.

Sol.231.(d) Relic - something belonging to or surviving from an earlier period.

Vestige - a small trace or mark left behind from something that existed before.

Dinosaur - an extinct reptile that lived millions of years ago.

Ruin - the remains of something that was once whole or complete.

Sol.232.(a) Oblivious - Not informed about or aware of something

Uneducated - lacking education or knowledge.

Absent - not present.

Inconscient - unaware or unconscious.

Sol.233.(b) Cemetery - Burial ground consisting of graves.

Courtyard - An open area enclosed by buildings, often used for outdoor activities.

Sanctuary - A place of safety or protection; a holy or peaceful space.

Auditorium - A large room or hall where audiences gather for performances, lectures, or events.

#### Sol.234.(b)

Tremulous - Filled with fear or dread

Prudent - showing careful and sensible judgment; cautious in decision-making.

Corpulent - having a large, bulky body; overweight or obese.

Hysterical - being in a state of extreme emotional distress.

Sol.235.(d) Wreaths circular arrangement of flowers.

Buds - young plant growths that can become flowers or leaves.

**Posies** - small bunches of flowers.

Bouquets - arrangements of flowers, often given as gifts.

# Sol.236.(a)

Bark - Outer protective layer of a tree.

Shrub - a low to medium-sized woody plant with multiple stems.

Rind - the tough outer skin of a fruit, especially citrus fruit.

Peel - the tough outer layer of a fruit or vegetable.

#### Sol.237.(c)

Hangar - a place where airplanes are kept for maintenance.

Hanger - a rod or frame used to hang clothes.

Scullery - a room for cleaning and washing dishes.

Aviary- a large cage or covered area in which birds are kept.

# **SSC Selection Post (Phase - XI)**

Q.238. The war resulted in ruthless killing of many people.

Graduate Level 27/06/2023 (Shift - 4)

- (b) fratricide (a) sacrilege
- (c) carnage (d) murder

Q.239. The two women chatted in a friendly and peaceable manner, as if they'd known one another for a lifetime. Graduate Level 30/06/2023 (Shift - 1)

(a) apparently (b) assuredly (c) absurdly (d) amicably

Q.240. Social organisation where males are heads of families

Higher Secondary 27/06/2023 (Shift - 3)

- (a) Matriarchy (b) Patriarchy
- (c) Polygamy (d) Hierarchy

Q.241. A building containing interesting, rare, and old objects

Higher Secondary 28/06/2023 (Shift - 2)

- (a) Auditorium
- (b) Museum
- (c) Stockroom
  - (d) Mansion

Q.242. Something which lasts forever Higher Secondary 30/06/2023 (Shift - 2)

- (a) Transitory
- (b) Memorable
- (c) Pertinent
- (d) Eternal

Q.243. The wide variety of shared and different personal and characteristics among human beings Matriculation Level 27/06/2023 (Shift - 1)

- (a) Diversity
- (b) Viscosity
- (c) Community
- (d) Intensity

Q.244. A floating container anchored to the sea bottom, so used for directing ships and warning them of possible danger

Matriculation Level 27/06/2023 (Shift - 2) (a) Buoy (b) Deck (c) Cabin (d) Channel

Q.245. Jokes and funny remarks amongst friends.

Matriculation Level 28/06/2023 (Shift - 1)

- (a) Banter
- (b) Discussion
- (c) Meet (d) Saunter

Q.246. Substitute one word for the italicised expression.

As a port it was notorious for its smuggling and the trade was prohibited

Matriculation Level 30/06/2023 (Shift - 3) (a) licit (b) chaste (c) legitimate (d) illicit

## **Solutions:-**

# Sol.238.(c)

Carnage - killing of many people.

Sacrilege - the disrespectful treatment of something considered sacred.

Fratricide - the act of killing one's own brother or sister.

Murder - the intentional and unlawful killing of another person.

Sol.239.(d) Amicably - in a friendly and peaceable manner.

Apparently - In a way that seems to be

Assuredly - Without a doubt; definitely. Absurdly - In a manner that is unreasonable, or lacking common sense.

Sol.240.(b)

Patriarchy - Social organisation where males are heads of families.

Matriarchy - Social organisation where females are heads of families.

Polygamy - The practice of having more than one spouse at the same time.

Hierarchy - a system in which people or things are put at various levels or ranks according to their importance.

Sol.241.(b) Museum - A building containing interesting, rare, and old objects.

Auditorium - a big room for shows and events

Stockroom - a place to store goods. Mansion - a big house.

## Sol.242.(d)

Eternal - Something which lasts forever Transitory - Something that is temporary, or not lasting for a long time.

Memorable - Something that is worth remembering.

Pertinent - Something that is relevant or related to current situation or topic.

Sol.243.(a) Diversity - The wide variety of shared and different personal and group characteristics among human beings.

Viscosity - a measure of a fluid's resistance to flow.

Community - a group of people living in the same area or sharing common interests.

**Intensity** - the quality of being extreme in strength or force.

Sol.244.(a) Buoy - a floating container anchored to the sea bottom, so used for directing ships and warning them of possible danger.

Deck - an open, flat surface of a ship or boat where people can walk or stand.

Cabin - a small room or compartment on a ship or boat where people can sleep or

Channel - a navigable passage of water, such as a river or a sea route.

Sol.245.(a) Banter - Jokes and funny remarks amongst friends.

Saunter - To walk in a slow, relaxed manner, usually without a specific destination, enjoying the surroundings.

Sol.246.(d) Illicit - As a port it was notorious for its smuggling and the trade was prohibited by law.

Licit - Lawful or legal; allowed by law.

Chaste - Pure or abstaining from sexual activity; morally pure.

Legitimate - Lawful or valid; conforming to the law.

# SSC CHSL 2022 Tier - 2

Q.247. Giving cause for legal action SSC CHSL Tier II (26/06/2023)

(b) Actionable (a) Lawful

(c) Legalizing (d) Objectionable

# Solution: -

Sol.247.(b)

Actionable - Giving cause for legal action Lawful - Permitted by law.

Legalizing - Making something legal or lawful through the enactment of laws.

Objectionable - unpleasant or something that people may find not suitable.

# SSC MTS 2022 Tier - 1

Q.248. The young of a frog SSC MTS 02/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Kitten (b) Pup (c) Tadpole (d) Antelope

Q.249. Tending to associate with others of one's kind

SSC MTS 02/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Pedantic

(b) Pungent

(c) Gregarious

(d) Venial

Q.250. The art of cutting gems SSC MTS 02/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Jewelry

(b) Philately

(c) Mining

(d) Lapidary

Q.251. The sound made by frogs SSC MTS 02/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Trumpet (b) Moo (c) Croak (d) Roar

Q.252. That can be seen through SSC MTS 03/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Defatigable

(b) Transparent

(c) Opaque

(d) Reverent

Q.253. A diagram showing the path of planets.

SSC MTS 03/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Horoscope

(b) Zodiac

(c) Planetarium

(d) Platitude

Q.254. Something that is necessary or crucial

SSC MTS 03/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Pedantic

(b) Trivial

(c) Indispensable (d) Auxiliary

Q.255. Persons who are unfairly blamed for something that others have done SSC MTS 04/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Expedition

(b) Epitome

(c) Disdain

(d) Scapegoat

Q.256. Extreme physical or mental sufferings

SSC MTS 04/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Agony

(b) Autonomy

(c) Aviary

(d) Autocracy

Q.257. Beginning to exist; recently formed or developed

SSC MTS 04/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Herald

(b) Blasphemy

(c) Knave (d) Nascent

Q.258. Difficult to interpret or understand SSC MTS 04/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Explicable

(b) Emulate

(c) Enigmatic

(d) Endemic

Q.259. Abundant garbage kept at one

SSC MTS 08/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Mound of garbage (b) Hill of garbage

(c) Lot of garbage

(d) Heap of garbage

Q.260. A person who easily believes without demanding proof

SSC MTS 08/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Cosmopolitan (b) Credulous

(c) Streetwise (d) Wary

Q.261. A person appointed by two parties to solve a problem SSC MTS 08/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Advocate

(b) Judge

(c) Arbitrator

(d) Jury

Q.262. The editor of a dictionary SSC MTS 08/05/2023 (Evening)

(a) Scenographer (b) Stenographer

(c) Lexicographer (d) Hagiographer

Q.263. The act of destroying damaging something

SSC MTS 09/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Vengeance

(b) Avenge

(c) Sabotage (d) Revenge

**Q.264.** Experiences that are very unpleasant or difficult

SSC MTS 09/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Pitfall (b) Ordeal (c) Strident (d) Knack

Q.265. To enter unlawfully upon the land of another

SSC MTS 09/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Trespass

(b) Delinquent

(c) Transgression (d) Culprit

Q.266. A local meeting of party members to select candidates, elect convention delegates, etc

SSC MTS 10/05/2023 (Morning)

(a) Claque

(b) Clique

(c) Caravan

(d) Caucus

Q.267. Scientific tests or techniques used in connection with the detection of

SSC MTS 10/05/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Post-mortem (b) Autopsy

(c) Forensics

(d) Etymology

Q.268. A portable case for holding papers, drawing etc.

SSC MTS 10/05/2023 (Evening)

- (a) Archives
- (b) Creche
- (c) Portfolio
- (d) Cache
- Q.269. One hard to please (very selective in his habits)

SSC MTS 11/05/2023 (Afternoon)

- (a) Dexterous
- (b) Incorrigible
- (c) Sadist
- (d) Fastidious
- Q.270. One appointed to act in place of another

SSC MTS 11/05/2023 (Evening)

- (a) Deputy
- (b) Minister
- (c) Officer
- (d) Delegate
- Q.271. The sound of owls SSC MTS 12/05/2023 (Morning)
- (a) Honk (b) Neigh (c) Croak (d) Hoot
- Q.272. Rights to vote in an election SSC MTS 12/05/2023 (Morning)
- (a) Potable
- (b) Propaganda
- (c) Suffrage
- (d) Orchard
- Q.273. An adventurous or bold person SSC MTS 12/05/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Judgemental (b) Foolhardy
- (c) Debonair
- (d) Assaultive
- Q.274. Someone who knows a lot about the arts, food, drink or some other subject

SSC MTS 15/05/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Pacifist
- (b) Gourmand
- (c) Cynic
- (d) Connoisseur
- Q.275. An exact copy of handwriting, printing

SSC MTS 15/05/2023 (Afternoon)

- (a) Platitude
- (b) Maiden
- (c) Potable
- (d) Facsimile
- Q.276. The sound of elephants SSC MTS 15/05/2023 (Evening)
- (a) Trumpet
- (b) Quack
- (c) Laurel
- (d) Screech
- Q.277. Government by two rulers or authorities

SSC MTS 16/05/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Monarchy
- (b) Bureaucracy
- (c) Diarchy
- (d) Anarchy
- Q.278. A living organism that steals nourishment from other living beings SSC MTS 16/05/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Vector
- (b) Parasite
- (c) Insect
- (d) Co-Dependent
- Q.279. A long wandering or voyage usually marked by many changes of fortune

SSC MTS 16/05/2023 (Evening)

- (a) Odyssey
- (b) Ode

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(c) Pilgrimage (d) Trip

- Q.280. One who is 100 years old or older SSC MTS 17/05/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Centenarian (b) Immortal
- (c) Mortal
- (d) Sententia
- Q.281. A ground where the last funeral rites are performed

SSC MTS 17/05/2023 (Evening)

- (a) Tomb
- (b) Crematorium
- (c) Barracks
- (d) Mortuary
- Q.282. Liable to catch fire easily SSC MTS 17/05/2023 (Evening)
- (a) Incombustible (b) Agnostic
- (c) Venial
- (d) Inflammable
- Q.283. Destruction of a fetus SSC MTS 18/05/2023 (Morning)
- (a) Fratricide
- (b) Ellipse
- (c) Abhor
- (d) Feticide
- Q.284. To forbid something, especially by

SSC MTS 18/05/2023 (Afternoon)

- (a) Propound
- (b) Proscribe
- (c) Quench
- (d) Quarantine
- Q.285. Impossible to change or reverse SSC MTS 18/05/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Irrevocable
- (b) Order
- (c) Coerce
- (d) Intimidate
- Q.286. The action or offence of speaking sacrilegiously about God or sacred things; profane talk

SSC MTS 19/05/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Blasphemy
- (b) Extempore
- (c) Ephemeral
- (d) Crusade
- Q.287. An inscription on or at a tomb or a grave

SSC MTS 19/05/2023 (Afternoon)

- (a) Ode (b) Imprint (c) Epitaph (d) Carving
- Q.288. A person holding conversational belief especially in matter of religion SSC MTS 19/05/2023 (Evening)
- (a) Orthodox
- (b) Prudent
- (c) Compere
- (d) Arsonist
- Q.289. Information, especially of a biased or misleading nature, used to promote a political cause or point of view.

SSC MTS 13/06/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Welter
- (b) Propaganda
- (c) Potable
- (d) Orchard
- Q.290. Α container for housing honeybees

SSC MTS 13/06/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Colonies (b) Hive (c) Pack (d) Shoal
- Q.291. Ethically good behaviour one has SSC MTS 13/06/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Belief (b) Virtual (c) Virtue (d) Values
- Q.292. A calculated move to gain an

advantage

- SSC MTS 13/06/2023 (Evening)
- (a) Grunt (b) Bonsai (c) Gambit (d) Profit
- Q.293. Urging or requesting (someone) solemnly or earnestly to do something SSC MTS 13/06/2023 (Evening)
- (a) Arrears (b) Adjure (c) Armada (d) Arena
- 0.294. A violent wind that has a circular movement

SSC MTS 14/06/2023 (Morning)

- (a) Drought
- (b) Deluge
- (c) Tsunami
- (d) Hurricane
- Q.295. A thing that is kept as a reminder of a person, place, or event SSC MTS 14/06/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) Sinecure
- (b) Panacea
- (c) Souvenir
- (d) Regalia
- Q.296. Opposing or taking arms against a government or ruler.

SSC MTS 14/06/2023 (Evening)

- (a) Volunteer (b) Rebel
- (c) Rubel (d) Participant
- Q.297. License granted to an individual or group to market a company's goods or services in a particular territory
- SSC MTS 15/06/2023 (Morning) (a) Branding (b) Marketing
- (c) Monopoly (d) Franchise
- Q.298. A sacred place

SSC MTS 15/06/2023 (Afternoon)

- (a) Relic
- (b) Museum (d) Retreat
- Q.299. A place for housing aeroplanes SSC MTS 15/06/2023 (Evening)

(c) Sanctum

- (a) Hutch (c) Brewery
- (b) Hangar (d) Burrow
- 0.300. To reveal a secret
- (a) Vilify
- SSC MTS 15/06/2023 (Evening) (b) Divulge
- (d) Discern (c) Conceal Q.301. Select the word from the options

below. The women stared at me with (great

which is similar in meaning to the

bracketed part given in the sentence

interest or concern).

- SSC MTS 16/06/2023 (Afternoon)
- (a) intellect (b) control
- Q.302. Sets of principles concerned with the nature and appreciation of beauty
- (a) Asylum

(c) curiosity

(b) Aesthetics

(d) possession

- (c) Atonement
- (d) Aspersion
- 0.303. One who gives shape to stone SSC MTS 16/06/2023 (Evening) (b) Sculptor

SSC MTS 16/06/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Curator

(c) Apostate (d) Auditor

**Q.304.** A group of ants SSC MTS 19/06/2023 (Morning) (a) Bushel (b) Pack (c) Colony (d) Comb

**Q.305.** A small structure with one or more open sides that is used to vend merchandise

SSC MTS 19/06/2023 (Afternoon)
(a) Kiosk (b) Podium (c) Vendor (d) Stand

**Q.306.** A place where snakes are kept SSC MTS 19/06/2023 (Evening)

(a) Apiary

(b) Hive

(c) Aviary

(d) Serpentarium

**Q.307.** A historical account or biography written from personal knowledge SSC MTS 20/06/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Chronicle

(b) Thesis

(c) Memoir

(d) Blog

**Q.308.** The branch of physics concerned with the properties of sound

SSC MTS 20/06/2023 (Afternoon)

(a) Acoustics

(b) Anchor

(c) Anarchist

(d) Apiary

**Q.309.** Disappointed and annoyed about something

SSC MTS 20/06/2023 (Evening)

(a) Contented

(b) Disgruntled

(c) Dissuade

(d) Surreal

# **Solutions**:-

**Sol.248.(c) Tadpole -** the young of a frog **Kitten -** a young cat.

**Pup** - a young dog.

Antelope - a kind of deer.

**Sol.249.(c) Gregarious -** Tending to associate with others of one's kind.

**Pedantic** - Concerned with minor details or rules.

**Pungent** - having a sharply strong taste or smell.

Venial - Easy to forgive.

# Sol.250.(d)

Lapidary - The art of cutting gems

**Jewelry** - ornaments that are typically made from jewels and precious metal.

**Philately** - the collection and study of postage stamps.

**Mining** - the process of obtaining minerals from a mine.

# Sol.251.(c)

Croak - The sound made by frogs.

**Trumpet** - a wind instrument.

Moo - a sound made by a cow.

Roar - a sound made by a lion.

## Sol.252.(b)

Transparent - That can be seen through

**Defatigable** - who easily gets tired.

**Opaque** - that can not able to be seen through

**Reverent** - feeling or showing deep and solemn respect.

**Sol.253.(b) Zodiac -** A diagram showing the path of planets

**Horoscope** - a forecast of a person's future.

**Planetarium** - a building in which moving images of the sky at night are shown.

**Platitude** - a statement that has been repeated so often that it is meaningless.

**Sol.254.(c) Indispensable -** Something that is necessary

**Pedantic** - concerned with minor details or rules

**Trivial** - something of little value or importance.

**Auxiliary** - providing additional help and support.

**Sol.255.(d) Scapegoat -** Persons who are unfairly blamed for something that others have done

**Expedition** - An organized journey for a particular purpose.

**Epitome** - A person or thing that is a perfect example of a particular quality or type.

**Disdain** - consider to be unworthy of one's consideration.

**Sol.256.(a) Agony -** Extreme physical or mental sufferings

**Autonomy** - the right or condition of self-government.

**Aviary** - a large cage, building, or enclosure for keeping birds in.

**Autocracy** - a system of government by one person with absolute power.

**Sol.257.(d) Nascent** - Beginning to exist; recently formed or developed.

**Herald** - a person or thing viewed as a sign that something is about to happen.

**Blasphemy** - the act of insulting or showing contempt or lack of reverence for God.

**Knave** - an unprincipled, untrustworthy, or dishonest person.

**Sol.258.(c) Enigmatic** - Difficult to interpret or understand.

**Explicable** - able to be explained.

Emulate - to copy someone's behavior.

**Endemic** - a disease occurring within the same area of community.

**Sol.259.(d) Heap of garbage** - Abundant garbage kept at one place.

**Sol.260.(b) Credulous** - A person who easily believes without demanding proof

**Cosmopolitan** - someone who has experience of many different parts of the world.

**Streetwise** - Someone who knows how to deal with difficult or dangerous situations in big cities.

**Wary** - someone who is not completely trusting or certain about something or someone.

**Sol.261.(c) Arbitrator -** A person appointed by two parties to solve a problem

**Advocate** - a person who publicly supports or recommends a particular cause or policy.

**Judge** - a person able or qualified to give an opinion on something.

**Jury** - a group of persons sworn to give a verdict on some matter submitted to them.

**Sol.262.(c) Lexicographer -** The editor of a dictionary

**Scenographer** - the art or job of designing and creating scenery.

**Stenographer** - a person whose job is to transcribe speech in shorthand.

**Hagiographer** - a writer of the lives of the saints.

**Sol.263.(c) Sabotage** - The act of destroying or damaging something.

**Vengeance** - punishment inflicted in retaliation for an injury or offense.

**Avenge** - inflict harm in return for an injury or wrong on behalf of (oneself or another).

**Revenge** - the action of hurting or harming someone in return for an injury or wrong suffered at their hands.

**Sol.264.(b) Ordeal -** Experiences that are very unpleasant or difficult

**Pitfall** - a hidden or unsuspected danger or difficulty.

**Strident** - a sound that is loud, unpleasant, and rough.

**Knack** - an acquired or natural skill at doing something.

**Sol.265.(a) Trespass -** To enter unlawfully upon the land of another

**Delinquent** - tending to commit crime, particularly minor crime.

**Transgression** - an act that goes against a law, rule, or code of conduct.

**Culprit** - a person who is responsible for a crime or other misdeed.

**Sol.266.(d) Caucus** - a local meeting of party members to select candidates, elect convection delegates, etc.

**Claque** - a group of people hired to applaud a performer or public speaker

**Clique** - a group of people with shared interests or features in common.

**Caravan** - a group of people especially traders or pilgrims traveling together across a desert in Asia or North Africa.

**Sol.267.(c) Forensics -** Scientific tests or techniques used in connection with the detection of crime

**Post-mortem** - an examination of a dead body to determine the cause of death.

**Autopsy** - a post-mortem examination to discover the cause of death or the extent of disease.

**Etymology** - the study of the origin and history of words.

**Sol.268.(c) Portfolio -** A portable case for holding papers, drawing etc.

**Archives** - A collection of historical documents or records.

**Creche** - A nursery where babies and young children are cared for during the working day.

Cache - A secure place of storage.

**Sol.269.(d) Fastidious -** One who is very selective in his habits.

**Dexterous** - One who has the ability to think quickly and effectively.

**Incorrigible** - One who is not able to change his behaviors.

**Sadist** - A person who takes pleasure in inflicting pain, punishment, or humiliation on others.

**Sol.270.(a) Deputy -** One appointed to act in place of another

**Minister** - A head of a government department.

**Officer** - A person holding a position of authority, especially one with a commission, in the armed forces.

**Delegate** - A person sent or authorized to represent others.

Sol.271.(d) Hoot - The sound of owls Honk - Loud horn sound made by vehicles.

Neigh - Vocalization of horses.

**Croak** - Harsh sound produced by certain amphibians, like frogs.

Sol.272.(c)

**Suffrage -** Rights to vote in an election

Potable - Safe to drink.

Propaganda - Biased information.

Orchard - Fruit tree area.

**Sol.273.(b) Foolhardy** - An adventurous or bold person

**Judgemental** - tending to form opinions too quickly

**Debonair** - confident, stylish, and charming

Assaultive - physically aggressive

**Sol.274.(d) Connoisseur** - Someone who knows a lot about the arts, food, drink or some other subject

**Pacifist** - one who opposes the idea of war and violence

**Gourmand** - a person who enjoys eating and eats large amounts of food

**Cynic** - a person who believes that people are only interested in themselves and are not sincere

**Sol.275.(d) Facsimile -** An exact copy of handwriting, printing

**Platitude** - A trite or overused statement, often lacking originality or depth.

**Maiden** - A young woman or girl who is unmarried.

**Potable** - Drinkable or suitable for consumption.

Sol.276.(a)

**Trumpet** - The sound of elephants

Quack - Sound made by a duck.

Laurel - Evergreen tree or shrub.

**Screech** - High-pitched, harsh sound.

**Sol.277.(c) Diarchy** - Government by two rulers or authorities

**Monarchy** - a system of government in which a person, usually a king or queen rules

**Bureaucracy** - government by a large number of officials who are not elected **Anarchy** - a situation in which there is no government in a country

**Sol.278.(b) Parasite** - a person who habitually relies on or exploits others and gives nothing in return

Vector - Organism transmitting disease.

**Insect** - Small six-legged animal.

**Co-Dependent** - Mutually dependent relationship.

**Sol.279.(a) Odyssey** - A long wandering or voyage usually marked by many changes of fortune

**Ode** - a poem that is written for a special occasion

**Pilgrimage** - a long journey that a person makes to visit a religious place

**Trip** - a journey to a place and back again

**Sol.280.(a) Centenarian -** One who is 100 years old or older

Immortal - living forever, never dying.

**Mortal** - subject to death, having a limited lifespan.

**Sententia** - an opinion, idea, thought, or aphorism, whether written or spoken.

Sol.281.(b) Crematorium - A ground where the last funeral rites are performed Tomb - a place where a dead person is buried.

**Barracks** - a building or group of buildings in which soldiers live

**Mortuary** - a room where dead bodies are kept before they are buried

Sol.282.(d)

**Inflammable** - Liable to catch fire easily **Incombustible** - not able to burn easily

**Agnostic** - a person who is not sure about the existence of god

**Venial** - not very serious and able to be forgiven

Sol.283.(d)

Feticide - Destruction of a fetus

**Fratricide** - The act of killing one's own sibling.

**Ellipse** - A geometrical shape with an elongated and closed curve.

**Abhor** - To feel intense disgust or hatred towards something or someone.

**Sol.284.(b) Proscribe** - To forbid something, especially by law.

**Propound** - To put forward (an idea or theory) for consideration by others.

**Quench** - To satisfy (one's thirst) by drinking.

**Quarantine** - a state, period, or place of isolation in which people or animals that may have been exposed to infectious disease are placed.

**Sol.285.(a) Irrevocable** - Impossible to change or reverse

**Order** - The arrangement of people or things in a particular sequence, pattern, or method.

**Coerce** - To persuade (an unwilling person) to do something by using force or threats.

**Intimidate** - To frighten or threaten someone.

**Sol.286.(a) Blasphemy -** The action or offence of speaking sacrilegiously about God or sacred things; profane talk

**Extempore** - Spoken or done without preparation or rehearsal.

**Ephemeral** - Lasting for a short period; transitory or fleeting.

**Crusade** - A vigorous campaign or movement for a cause or principle.

**Sol.287.(c) Epitaph -** An inscription on or at a tomb or a grave

**Ode** - A type of lyric poem that expresses strong emotions.

**Imprint** - to mark or stamp something.

**Carving** - cutting (a hard material) in order to produce an object, design, or inscription.

**Sol.288.(a) Orthodox -** A person holding conversational belief especially in matter of religion

**Prudent** - Showing careful and sensible judgment, often regarding practical matters.

**Compere** - A person who acts as a master of ceremonies or host for a show or event.

**Arsonist** - A person who deliberately sets fire to property or structures.

**Sol.289.(b) Propaganda** - Information, especially of a biased or misleading nature, used to promote a political cause or point of view.

**Welter** - a large number of things in disorder.

Potable - safe to drink.

**Orchard** - a piece of land on which fruit trees are grown.

**Sol.290.(b) Hive** - A container for housing honeybees

Colonies - a group of ants

**Pack** - a group of animals such as wolves, hounds, dogs, etc.

**Shoal** - a group of species that swim together

**Sol.291.(c) virtue -** Ethically good behaviour one has

**Belief -** an acceptance that something is true.

**Virtual -** something that does not exist in the physical world.

**Values** - the principles that help you to decide what is right and wrong.

**Sol.292.(c) Gambit -** A calculated move to gain an advantage.

**Grunt** - A low, guttural sound or a slang term for a low-ranking military personnel.

**Bonsai** - The art of growing small trees in containers, often associated with Japanese culture.

**Profit** - Financial gain or benefit obtained from an activity or investment.

**Sol.293.(b) Adjure** - Urging or requesting (someone) solemnly or earnestly to do something

**Arrears** - Unpaid debt or overdue amount.

**Armada** - A fleet of warships or a large group of military vessels.

**Arena** - A specific place or venue where events, competitions, or activities take place.

**Sol.294.(d) Hurricane** - A violent wind that has a circular movement

**Drought** - A prolonged period of abnormally low rainfall leading to water scarcity and dry conditions.

**Deluge** - A severe flood or overwhelming amount of water.

**Tsunami** - A series of ocean waves caused by an underwater disturbance,

often resulting from an earthquake or volcanic activity.

**Sol.295.(c) Souvenir** - A thing that is kept as a reminder of a person, place, or event **Sinecure** - an office that requires no work but provides an income

Panacea - something that can cure all diseases

**Regalia** - things owned by members of a royal family

**Sol.296.(b) Rebel -** opposing or taking arms against a government or ruler.

**Volunteer** - a person who works for an organization without being paid.

**Rubel -** the standard monetary unit of Belarus and Russia.

**Participant -** a person who takes part in something.

**Sol.297.(d) Franchise** - licence granted to an individual or group to market a company's goods or services in a particular territory.

**Branding** - refers to the process of creating a distinctive image or identity for a product, company, or organisation.

**Marketing** - involves promoting and selling products or services to customers.

**Monopoly** - refers to the exclusive control or possession of a market by a single company or group.

**Sol.298.(c) Sanctum** - A sacred place **Relic** - an object kept for its association with the past

**Museum** - a building where collections of valuable and interesting objects are kept and shown to the public

**Retreat** - the action of moving away from a difficult or dangerous situation

# Sol.299.(b)

**Hangar -** A place for housing aeroplanes **Hutch** - a piece of furniture, typically used for storage, with shelves or compartments.

**Brewery** - a brewery is a place where beer is produced commercially.

**Burrow** - a burrow refers to a hole or tunnel that is dug by animals as a shelter or dwelling.

**Sol.300.(b) Divulge -** To reveal a secret **Vilify** - To speak or write about someone in a highly negative or defamatory manner.

**Conceal** - To hide, keep secret, or prevent something from being known or discovered.

**Discern** - To perceive, recognize, or understand something through careful observation or analysis.

Sol.301.(c)

**Curiosity -** great interest or concern.

**Intellect** - the power of the mind to think and to learn.

**Control** - power and ability to make somebody/something do what you want. **Possession** - the state of owning something.

**Sol.302.(b) Aesthetics** - Sets of principles concerned with the nature and appreciation of beauty.

**Asylum** - a hospital where people with mental issues are taken care of.

**Atonement** - the act of making up for a mistake or wrongdoing.

**Aspersion** - false charges meant to harm someone's reputation.

**Sol.303.(b) Sculptor -** One who gives shape to stone

**Curator** - one who oversees museum collections.

**Apostate** - One who abandons beliefs or principles.

**Auditor** - One who reviews financial records.

Sol.304.(c) Colony - A group of ants.

**Bushel** - a unit of measurement equal to approximately 36.4 litres in Britain.

**Pack** - a group of wolves, hounds, etc.

**Comb** - a structure made by honey bees to store honey.

**Sol.305.(a) Kiosk** - A small structure with one or more open sides that is used to vend merchandise

**Podium** - A raised platform used by a speaker or performer to stand on while addressing an audience.

**Vendor** - A person or business that sells goods or services.

**Stand** - A structure or platform used for displaying or selling merchandise.

**Sol.306.(d) Serpentarium** - a place where snakes are kept.

**Apiary** - a place where bees are kept.

Hive - a structure where bees live.

**Aviary** - a place where birds are kept.

**Sol.307.(c) Memoir** - A historical account or biography written from personal knowledge

**Chronicle** - a factual account or record of events in chronological order.

**Thesis** - a formal document that presents research findings and arguments as part of an academic degree.

**Blog** - an online platform or website where individuals share personal opinions, experiences, or information in a more informal and interactive manner.

Sol.308.(a) Acoustics - The branch of physics concerned with the properties of sound

Anchor - a heavy object used to keep a ship or boat in place.

Anarchist - a person who believes in the absence of government or authority.

Apiary - a place where bees are kept to produce honey.

Sol.309.(b) Disgruntled - Disappointed and annoyed about something.

Contented - Satisfied and happy with one's situation.

Dissuade - Persuade someone not to do something.

Surreal - Strange or dream-like.

# SSC CHSL 2022 Tier - 1

**0.310.** One who has persistent neurotic impulse to steal

SSC CHSL 09/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Connoisseur (b) Kleptomaniac

(c) Hypocrite (d) Iconoclast

Q.311. A specialist of kidney SSC CHSL 09/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Obstetrician (b) Nephrologist

(c) Pathologist

(d) Primatologist

Q.312. A person who is indifferent to pain and pleasures of life SSC CHSL 09/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Vagabond

(b) Amateur

(c) Stoic

(d) Recluse

Q.313. A professional rider in horse race. SSC CHSL 10/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Horse Pilot

(b) Cellar

(c) Jockey

(d) Autocrat

Q.314. One who does not know reading or writing

SSC CHSL 10/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Scholar

(b) Illiterate

(c) Erudite

(d) Fastidious

Q.315. Recovering from an illness or medical treatment.

SSC CHSL 10/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Bohemian

(b) Connoisseur

(c) Convalescent

(d) Cosmopolitan

Q.316. Book giving information about everything

SSC CHSL 10/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Dictionary

(b) Encyclopedia

(c) Phonebook

(d) Thesis

Q.317. One who cures eye disease. SSC CHSL 13/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Biologist

(b) Phonologist

(c) Prologist

(d) Ophthalmologist

Q.318. A person who is never happy with

what he has

SSC CHSL 13/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Miser

(b) Heresy

(c) Malcontent

(d) Malleable

Q.319. The art of identifying a disease from its signs and symptoms.

SSC CHSL 13/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Biopsy

(b) Diagnosis

(c) Prognosis

(d) Autopsy

Q.320. A person who has escaped from captivity or is in hiding.

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Fastidious

(b) Fanatic

(c) Fugitive

(d) Farce

Q.321. Affecting all or most people, places, things, etc.

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Particular

(b) Pertain

(c) Genre

(d) General

Q.322. Overly concerned with minute details or formalisms

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Blasphemy

(b) Rhapsodic

(c) Bohemian

(d) Pedantic

Q.323. Killing one's father

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Insecticide

(b) Suicide

(c) Tyrannicide

(d) Patricide

Q.324. Α containing publication astronomical or meteorological information

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Allegory

(b) Bane

(c) Conscription (d) Almanac

Q.325. A substance for killing algae SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Algaecide

(b) Prepuce

(c) Fungicide

(d) Ruthenium

Q.326. A person who is interested in material gains and is hostile art/culture

SSC CHSL 14/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Perfectionist

(b) Sage

(c) Philistine

(d) Egghead

Q.327. Give off gas bubbles SSC CHSL 15/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Buoyant

(b) Effervescent

(c) Flat

(d) Effuse

**Q.328.** One who is against religion. SSC CHSL 15/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Poacher

(b) Lunatic

(c) Bandit

(d) Heretic

Q.329. Exclusive command or possession SSC CHSL 15/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Sanctum (c) Hypergamy (b) Monopoly

(d) Parvenu

Q.330. Rhythmic flow of sounds or words

SSC CHSL 15/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Credence

(b) Crescents

(c) Cadence (d) Copious

Q.331. Fear of heights.

SSC CHSL 16/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Agoraphobia (c) Acrophobia

(b) Claustrophobia (d) Homophobia

Q.332. A person who attacks or criticizes cherished beliefs or institutions. SSC CHSL 16/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Iconoclast

(b) Impregnable

(c) Immoral

(d) Insolvent

Q.333. The origin or birth of a thing SSC CHSL 16/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Genesis

(b) Culmination

(c) Coda

(d) Quietus

Q.334. A religions war

SSC CHSL 16/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Inscription (c) Colloquial

(b) Colonialism (d) Crusade

Q.335. Lion like characteristics SSC CHSL 17/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Leonine (c) Porcine

(b) Feline (d) Lionize

Q.336. A game that results neither in victory nor in defeat

SSC CHSL 17/03/2023 (2nd Shift) (a) Void (b) Cynic (c) Draw (d) Fawn

Q.337. The violation or profanation of anything sacred or held sacred SSC CHSL 17/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(a) Pious

(b) Sacramental

(c) Holy

(d) Sacrilege

Q.338. Travelling from place to place SSC CHSL 17/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Recluse

(b) Arcane

(c) Reverent (d) Itinerant

Q.339. A person who has given up their beliefs

SSC CHSL 20/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Misanthrope

(b) Versatile

(c) Apostate (d) Crusade Q.340. Something that is no longer in

use. SSC CHSL 20/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) Absolute

(b) Voque

(c) Obsolete

(a) Esoteric

(c) Gourmand

(d) Contemporary

Q.341. A lover of good food SSC CHSL 20/03/2023 (3rd Shift)

(b) Chauvinist (d) Ergophile

Q.342. Study of body functions SSC CHSL 20/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Genealogy (b) Physiology Download Pinnacle Exam Preparation App

(c) Psychology (d) Astrology

Q.343. A leader who sways his followers by his oratory

SSC CHSL 21/03/2023 (1st Shift)

(a) Fugitive

(b) Narcissist

(c) Impostor

(d) Demagogue

Q.344. A fall of water from a great height.

SSC CHSL 21/03/2023 (2nd Shift)

(a) River

(b) Stream

(c) Typhoon

(d) Cascade

Q.345. Exaggerated claims, not meant to be taken seriously

SSC CHSL 21/03/2023 (4th Shift)

(a) Hyperpyrexia (b) Hyperbole

(c) Hypergamy

(d) Hyperreal

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.310.(b) Kleptomaniac - one who has persistent neurotic impulse to steal

Connoisseur - a person who knows a lot about art, good food, music, etc.

Hypocrite - a person who pretends to have moral standards or opinions which he/she does not really have.

Iconoclast - a person who does not believe in and is opposed to accepted ideas, traditions, etc.

## Sol.311.(b)

Nephrologist - A specialist of kidney Obstetrician - doctor with special training

in taking care of pregnant women and helping in birth of babies

Pathologist - an expert in the study of diseases

Primatologist - One who studies mammals including apes, monkeys and humans

Sol.312.(c) Stoic - A person who is indifferent to pain and pleasures of life.

Vagabond - a person without a home or a job who keeps travelling from one place to an other

Amateur - a person who takes part in a sport or an activity for pleasure, not for money as a job

Recluse - a person who lives alone and who maintains very little contact with other people or society

Sol.313.(c) Jockey - A professional rider in horse race.

Horse Pilot - Horse Pilot is aimed at riders who are looking for technical riding

Cellar - an underground room that is used for storing things

Autocrat - a ruler who has complete power

Sol.314.(b) Illiterate - One who does not know reading or writing

Scholar - a person who studies and has a lot of knowledge about a particular subject

Erudite - having or showing great knowledge that is based on careful study Fastidious - difficult to please; wanting everything to be perfect

Sol.315.(c) Convalescent - Recovering from an illness or medical treatment

Bohemian - A person who disregards conventional standards of behavior

Connoisseur - A person who has expert knowledge and keen discrimination in some field, esp. in the fine arts or in matters of taste

Cosmopolitan - one who belongs to all over the world

Sol.316.(b) Encyclopedia - Book giving information about everything

Dictionary - a book that contains a list of the words in a language in the order of the alphabet and that tells you what they mean, in the same or another language

**Phonebook** - a book that lists the names. addresses, and phone numbers of the people and businesses in a certain area.

Thesis - an idea that is discussed and presented with evidence in order to show that it is true

Sol.317.(d) Ophthalmologist - One who cures eye disease

Biologist - one who focuses on living organisms, including plants and animals Phonologist - A person who specializes in functional use of sounds in language Prologist - one who writes or delivers a prologue(prologue - introduction to a

Sol.318.(c) Malcontent - A person who is never happy with what he has

literary work)

Miser - someone unwilling to spend money

Heresy - belief or opinion contrary to religious doctrine or generally accepted Malleable - easy to press into different shapes

Sol.319.(b) Diagnosis - The art of identifying a disease from its signs and symptoms

Biopsy - an examination of tissue removed from a living body to discover the presence, cause, or extent of a disease

Prognosis - an estimate of the future of someone or something

**Autopsy** - an examination of a body after death to determine the cause of death

Sol.320.(c) Fugitive - A person who has

escaped from captivity or is in hiding. Fastidious - giving too much attention to

small details and wanting everything to be correct and perfect:

Fanatic - a person motivated by irrational enthusiasm (as for a cause).

Farce - something important or serious that is not organized well or treated with respect

Sol.321.(d) General - Affecting all or most people, places, things, etc.

Particular - used to single out an individual member of a specified group or class

Pertain - be in effect or existence in a specified place or at a specified time

Genre - a category of artistic, musical, or literary composition characterized by a particular style, form, or content

Sol.322.(d) Pedantic - Overly concerned with minute details or formalisms

Blasphemy - the action of speaking sacrilegiously about God or sacred things

Rhapsodic - expressing powerful feelings Bohemian - One who do not adhere to social rules and practices

Sol.323.(d)Patricide - Killing one's father Insecticide - a substance used for killing

Suicide - the act of killing oneself Tyrannicide - killing of a tyrant

Sol.324.(d) Almanac - A publication containing astronomical meteorological information

Allegory - a story, play, picture, etc. in which each character or event is a symbol representing an idea or a quality, such as truth, evil, death, etc.; the use of such symbols

Bane - something that causes trouble and makes somebody unhappy

Conscription - the act or process of forcing people by law to join the armed services

Sol.325.(a)

Algaecide - A substance for killing algae Prepuce - the fold of skin surrounding the clitoris.

Fungicide - a substance that kills a type of plant with no leaves or flowers (fungus) that grows on other plants or animals and harms them

Ruthenium - a hard brittle grayish polyvalent rare metallic element occurring in platinum ores and used in hardening platinum alloys.

Sol.326.(c) Philistine - A person who is interested in material gains and is hostile to art/culture

Perfectionist - a person who always does things as well as he/she possibly can and who expects others to do the same

Sage - one (such as a profound philosopher) distinguished for wisdom.

Egghead - one (such as a profound philosopher) distinguished for wisdom.

#### Sol.327.(b)

**Effervescent** - Give off gas bubbles **Buoyant** - able to keep afloat or rise to the top of a liquid or gas

**Flat** - Parallel to the ground or lacking emotion

Effuse - to emit or pour out

#### Sol.328.(d)

**Heretic** - One who is against religion **Poacher** - someone who catches and kills animals illegally

**Lunatic** - affected with a severely disordered state of mind

Bandit - someone who robs people

**Sol.329.(b) Monopoly** - Exclusive command or possession

**Hypergamy** - person marrying a spouse of higher caste or social status than themselves

**Parvenu** - someone from a low social position who has suddenly become rich or successful

**Sanctum** - a private place or room where someone is never interrupted

**Sol.330.(c) Cadence** - Rhythmic flow of sounds or words.

**Credence** - belief in or acceptance of something as true.

**Crescents** - a curved shape that is pointed at both ends, like the moon in its first and last stages

Copious - large in quantity or number

Sol.331.(c) Acrophobia - Fear of heights Claustrophobia - Fear of closed space Agoraphobia - fear of entering open or crowded places

**Homophobia** - fear or dislike of gay people or queer people

**Sol.332.(a) Iconoclast** - A person who attacks or criticizes cherished beliefs or institutions.

**Impregnable** - that cannot be defeated or overcome

Immoral - lacking moral principles
Insolvent - one who is not able to pay
debts

# Sol.333.(a)

**Genesis** - the origin or birth of a thing **Culmination** - the point at which an event or series of events ends

**Coda** - the concluded part of a speech, event, or piece of writing

**Quietus** - an end to something or final settlement

Sol.334.(d) Crusade - A religions war Inscription - writing carved into something made of stone or metal Colonialism - domination of a people or area by a foreign state or nation

**Colloquial** - (of words and expressions) informal and more suitable for use in speech than in writing

## Sol.335.(a)

Leonine - Lion like characteristics

**Feline** - connected with an animal of the cat family; like a cat

Porcine - relating to or similar to pigs.

**Lionize** - give a lot of public attention and approval to (someone); treat as a celebrity.

**Sol.336.(c) Draw** - A game that results neither in victory nor in defeat

Void - a large hole or empty space

**Cynic** - a person who believes that people are only interested in themselves and are not sincere

**Fawn** - to give someone a lot of attention and praise in order to get that person's approval

#### Sol.337.(d)

**Sacrilege** - The violation or profanation of anything sacred or held sacred

**Pious** - strict in religious beliefs and practices

**Sacramental** - something regarded as possessing a sacred character or mysterious significance

**Holy** - worthy of complete devotion and trust

#### Sol.338.(d)

**Itinerant** - Travelling from place to place **Recluse** - a person who lives alone or apart from society

**Arcane** - mysterious and known only by a few people

**Reverent** - showing great respect and admiration

**Sol.339.(c) Apostate** - A person who has given up their beliefs

**Misanthrope** - a person who hates or avoids other people

**Versatile** - capable of or adapted for turning easily from one to another of various tasks, fields of endeavor, etc.

**Crusade** - a fight for something that you believe to be good or against something that you believe to be bad

**Sol.340.(c) Obsolete** - Something that is no longer in use.

**Absolute** - something that exists without being dependent on anything else

**Vogue** - state of being popular or fashionable

**Contemporary** - a person or thing living or existing at the same time as another

## Sol.341.(c)

**Gourmand** - A lover of good food **Esoteric** - the quality of having an inner or secret meaning

**Chauvinist** - feeling or displaying aggressive or exaggerated patriotism **Ergophile** - one who enjoys working

## Sol.342.(b)

**Physiology** - Study of body functions **Genealogy** - study of the history of the past and present members of a family or families

**Psychology** - the scientific study of the mind and behavior

**Astrology** - studying the movements and positions of the sun, moon, planets, and stars in the belief that they influence human behavior

**Sol.343.(d) Demagogue** - A leader who sways his followers by his oratory

**Fugitive** - who is running away to avoid being captured

**Narcissist** - having too much interest in and admiration for yourself

**Impostor** - One who pretends to be someone else in order to deceive others

**Sol.344.(d) Cascade** - A fall of water from a great height.

**River** - a large natural stream of fresh water flowing along a definite course

**Stream** - a continuous flow of data or instructions; a continuous flow of liquid, air, or gas

**Typhoon** - a violent wind that has a circular movement

**Sol.345.(b) Hyperbole** - Exaggerated claims, not meant to be taken seriously

**Hyperpyrexia** - When your body temperature exceeds 106°F (41.1°C) due to a fever

**Hypergamy** - practice of marrying above one's social status or class

**Hyperreal** - exaggerated in comparison to reality

# SSC CGL 2022 Tier - 2

**Q.346.** Photographers who follow celebrities to get their pictures to sell them

SSC CGL Tier II (03/03/2023)

- (a) Paparazzi
- (b) Reporter
- (c) Editor
- (d) Interviewer

**Q.347.** The science and art of growing vegetables, fruits and flowers SSC CGL Tier II (06/03/2023)

- (a) Herpetology (b) Horticulture
- (c) Haplology (d) Herding
- **Q.348.** An arched structure in a garden having climbing plants SSC CGL Tier II (07/03/2023)
- (a) Shelter (b) Pergola (c) Path (d) Shed

## **Solutions:-**

**Sol.346.(a) Paparazzi** - photographers who follow celebrities to get their pictures to sell them

**Reporter** - a person who writes about the news in a newspaper

**Editor** - a person who is in charge of a newspaper, magazine, etc. and who decides what should be included

**Interviewer** - a person who asks the questions in an interview

**Sol.347.(b) Horticulture** - the science and art of growing vegetables, fruits and flowers

Herpetology - the branch of zoology concerned with reptiles and amphibians

Haplology - the omission of one

occurrence of a sound or syllable that is repeated within a word

Herding - the act of moving people or

**Herding** - the act of moving people or animals somewhere together in a group

**Sol.348.(b) Pergola** - an arched structure in a garden having climbing plants

**Shelter** - a small building that gives protection

Path - a way across a piece of land that is made by or used by people walking
Shed - a small building that is used for keeping things or animals in

# SSC CGL 2022 Tier - 1

**Q.349.** A piece of a living tissue or plant that is transplanted surgically SSC CGL 01/12/2022 (1st Shift)

- (a) Gratis
- (b) Gourmet
- (c) Gracious
- (d) Graft

**Q.350.** Giving the worrying impression that something bad is going to happen SSC CGL 01/12/2022 (4th Shift)

- (a) Desolate
- (b) Suspicious
- (c) Ominous
- (d) Bleak

**Q.351.** A shortened version of a larger work

SSC CGL 02/12/2022 (1st Shift)

- (a) Summary
- (b) Précis
- (c) Shorts
- (d) Abridgement

**Q.352.** Having or showing an excessively high opinion of one's appearance, abilities, or worth SSC CGL 02/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Superior
- (b) Vain
- (c) Otiose (d) Domineering

**Q.353.** A speech made without preparation

SSC CGL 02/12/2022 (4th Shift)

- (a) Extempore
- (b) Rhetoric
- (c) Deliberation (d) Spontaneous

**Q.354.** A loud appeal or demand SSC CGL 03/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Protest
- (b) Entourage
- (c) Clamour
- (d) Gambit

**Q.355.** The study of languages SSC CGL 03/12/2022 (4th Shift)

- (a) Philology
- (b) Anthropology
- (c) Lexicography (d) Philosophy

Q.356. Sharp and direct SSC CGL 03/12/2022 (4th Shift)

- (a) Acerbic
- (b) Zoonic
- (c) Anodyne
- (d) Acidic

**Q.357.** The act of washing oneself SSC CGL 05/12/2022 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Ablutions
- (b) Solutions
- (c) Steaming
- (d) Bathing

**Q.358**. Rearing of silk worms is called **horticulture**.

SSC CGL 05/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) pisciculture
- (b) agriculture
- (c) sericulture
- (d) apiculture

**Q.359.** The act of killing one's mother SSC CGL 05/12/2022 (4th Shift)

- (a) Regicide
- (b) Homicide
- (c) Uxoricide
- (d) Matricide

**Q.360.** Existing in a land from the earliest times or from before the arrival of colonists

SSC CGL 06/12/2022 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Native
- (b) Ancient
- (c) Aboriginal
- (d) Original

**Q.361.** An eccentric manner of living SSC CGL 06/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Bohemian
- (b) Numismatist
- (c) Gourmet
- (d) Misanthrope

**Q.362.** Holding on to something or keeping an opinion with determination SSC CGL 07/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Gracious
- (b) Tenacious
- (c) Obnoxious
- (d) Loquacious

**Q.363.** Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words/phrase.

Fail to notice; ignore; condone (an offence etc.)

SSC CGL 08/12/2022 (1st Shift)

- (a) Overlong
- (b) Overlie
- (c) Overly
- (d) Overlook

Q.364. The action of damaging the good

reputation of someone

SSC CGL 08/12/2022 (1st Shift)

- (a) Delegate (b
  - (b) Degeneration
- (c) Defamation (d) Defection

**Q.365.** An exaggerated statement not to be taken seriously or literally SSC CGL 08/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Hypertext (b) Hyperbole
- (c) Hypocrisy (d) Hippocrates

**Q.366.** Cancel or do away with (a law or agreement)

SSC CGL 08/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Abrogate
- (b) Cancellation
- (c) Ultimation (c
- (d) Prorogation

Q.367. To keep postponing doing a task later because you're lazy

- SSC CGL 08/12/2022 (4th Shift)
  (a) Procrastinate (b) Multi-task
- (c) Leave
- (d) Diligent

**Q.368.** A battle or anything involving or causing much bloodshed

SSC CGL 09/12/2022 (1st Shift)

- (a) Autocracy (c) Ineffable
- (b) Sanguinary(d) Redtapism
- **Q.369.** to give up completely or agree to forgo, especially in favour of another SSC CGL 12/12/2022 (1st Shift)
- (a) Waive
- (b) Forfeit
- (c) Surrender (d) Cosign

**Q.370.** Something that is capable of being accomplished

SSC CGL 12/12/2022 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Feasible
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- (c) Irrevocable
- (b) Untenable (d) Eligible

**Q.371.** A poll taken of voters leaving the voting place that is usually used for predicting the winners.

SSC CGL 13/12/2022 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Consensus
- (b) Results
- (c) Census
- (d) Exit poll

**Q.372.** A formal statement testifying to someone's character and qualifications SSC CGL 13/12/2022 (2nd Shift)

- (a) Document
- (b) Affidavit
- (c) Testimonial (d) Manuscript

**Q.373.** A list or collection of books or informative graphics

SSC CGL 13/12/2022 (3rd Shift)

- (a) Bale
- (b) Hamlet
- (c) Gallery
- (d) Catalogue

**Solutions:-**

**Sol.349.(d) Graft.**- A piece of a living tissue or plant that is transplanted surgically

Gracious - kind

Gratis - done or given free of charge

**Gourmet** - a person who enjoys food and knows a lot about it

**Graft** - a piece of skin, bone, or other living tissue transplanted or to be transplanted from one body.

**Sol.350.(c) Ominous** - giving the worrying impression that something bad is going to happen

**Desolate** - lonely, very unhappy and without hope

**Suspicious** - feeling that somebody has done something wrong, dishonest or illegal

Bleak - bad, not encouraging or hopeful

**Sol.351.(d) Abridgement** - a shortened version of a larger work

**Summary** - a short description of the main ideas or points of something but without any details

**Précis** - a short version of a speech or written text that contains only the most important points

**Shorts** - a type of short trousers ending above the knee that you wear in hot weather

**Sol.352.(b) Vain** - having or showing an excessively high opinion of one's appearance, abilities, or worth

**Superior** - better than usual or than somebody/something else

**Otiose** - serving no practical purpose or result.

**Domineering** - having a very strong character and wanting to control other people

**Sol.353.(a) Extempore** - a speech made without preparation

**Rhetoric** - a way of speaking or writing that is intended to impress or influence people but is not always sincere

**Deliberation** - discussion or thinking about something in detail

**Spontaneous** - done or happening suddenly

# Sol.354.(c)

Clamour - a loud appeal or demand

**Protest** - a statement or action that shows that you do not like or approve of something

**Entourage** - a group of people who travel with an important or famous person

**Gambit** - an act or remark that is calculated to gain an advantage

**Sol.355.(a) Philology** - the study of languages

**Anthropology** - the study of human beings, especially of their origin, development, customs, etc.

**Lexicography** - the theory or practice of writing dictionaries

**Philosophy** - the study of ideas and beliefs about the meaning of life

**Sol.356.(a) Acerbic** - sharp and direct **Zoonotic** - a disease able to spread from animals to humans

**Anodyne** - a painkilling drug or medicine. **Acidic** - sharp-tasting or sour.

**Sol.357.(a) Ablutions** - the act of washing oneself

**Solutions** - a way of solving a problem, dealing with a difficult situation, etc.

**Steaming** - to place food over boiling water so that it cooks in the steam

**Bathing** - the act of swimming in the sea, a river or a lake

# Sol.358.(c)

Sericulture - rearing of silk worms

**Pisciculture** - the controlled breeding and rearing of fish

**Agriculture** - keeping animals and growing crops for food

**Apiculture** - the keeping of bees especially on a large scale

**Sol.359.(d) Matricide** - the act of killing one's mother

**Regicide** - the action of killing a king **Homicide** - the illegal killing of one person by another

Uxoricide - the killing of one's wife.

**Sol.360.(c) Aboriginal** - existing in a land from the earliest times or from before the arrival of colonists

**Native** - connected with the place where you were born

**Ancient** - belonging to a period of history that is thousands of years in the past

**Original** - the first document, painting, etc. that was made

**Sol.361.(a) Bohemian** - an eccentric manner of living

**Numismatist** - a person who collects or studies coins and medals

**Gourmet** - a person who enjoys food and knows a lot about it

**Misanthrope** - a person who hates or avoids other people

**Sol.362.(b) Tenacious** - holding on to something or keeping an opinion with determination

Gracious - kind, polite and generous

Obnoxious - extremely unpleasant, especially in a way that offends people

Loquacious - having a tendency to talk a lot.

**Sol.363.(d) Overlook** - fail to notice; ignore; condone an offence etc.

**Overlong** - longer than usual or necessary

**Overlie** - to be on top of something **Overly** - to an excessive degree

**Sol.364.(c) Defamation** - the action of damaging the good reputation of someone

**Delegate** - a person who has been chosen to speak or take decisions for a group of people, especially at a meeting **Degeneration** - the falling from a higher to a lower level in quality, character, or vitality

**Defection** - the act of leaving a country, political party, etc. to go to another one

**Sol.365.(b) Hyperbole** - an exaggerated statement not to be taken seriously or literally

**Hypertext** - text displayed on a computer display or other electronic devices with references (hyperlinks) to other text that the reader can immediately access

Hypocrisy - behaviour in which somebody pretends to have moral standards or opinions that he/she does not really have

**Hippocrates** - an ancient Greek scientist who studied and taught medicine

**Sol.366.(a) Abrogate** - cancel or do away with a law or agreement

**Cancellation** - the act of cancelling something

**Ultimation** - the state of being ultimate, that which is ultimate or final

**Prorogation** - the action of discontinuing a session of a parliament or other legislative assembly without dissolving it.

# Sol.367.(a)

**Procrastinate** - to keep postponing doing a task later because you're lazy

**Multitask** - deal with more than one task at the same time.

**Leave** - to go away from somebody/something

**Diligent**- showing care and effort in your work or duties

# Sol.368.(b)

**Sanguinary** - a battle or anything involving or causing much bloodshed

**Autocracy** - a system of government of a country in which one person has complete power

**Ineffable** - something too beautiful, great, etc. to describe in words

**Red-tapism** - the practice of requiring excessive paperwork and tedious procedures

**Sol.369.(c) Surrender** - to give up completely or agree to forgo, especially in favour of another

Waive - refrain stop oneself from

insisting on or using a right or claim

Forfeit - to lose or be deprived taken away of property or a right or privilege as a penalty for wrongdoing

Cosign - to sign a document or agreement jointly

Sol.370.(a) Feasible - something that is capable of being accomplished

Untenable - not able to be maintained or defended against attack or objection

Irrevocable - something not able to be changed, reversed, or recovered

Eligible - someone having the right to do or obtain something.

Sol.371.(d) Exit poll - a poll taken of voters leaving the voting place that is usually used for predicting the winners

Consensus - a general agreement Results - something that comes about as an effect or end

Census - an official count or survey, especially of a population

Sol.372.(c) Testimonial a formal statement testifying to someone's character and qualifications

**Document** - a piece of written, printed, or provides electronic matter that information or evidence or that serves as an official record

Affidavit - a written statement confirmed by oath or affirmation, for use as evidence in court

Manuscript - a book, document, or piece of music written by hand rather than typed or printed

Sol.373.(d) Catalogue- a list or collection of books or informative graphics

Bale- a large wrapped or bound bundle of paper, hay, or cotton

Hamlet- a small settlement, generally one smaller than a village

Gallery- a room or building for the display or sale of works of art

# SSC CPO 2022 Tier - 1

Q.374. Showing astute powers of judgment; clever and judicious SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Shriek
- (b) Shrift
- (c) Shrewd
- (d) Shrike

Q.375. Profitable, yielding financial gain SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Ludicrous
- (b) Lucrative
- (c) Luddite
- (d) Lugger

Q.376. Cause to continue; keep up; preserve (a state of affairs, an activity etc)

SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) maintop
- (b) mainly
- (c) maintain
- (d) mainstay

Q.377. Taking heed or care; being conscious

SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Mindful
- (b) Mindless
- (c) Mindset
- (d) Mind-read

Q.378. The scientific study of worms and insects

SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Entomology (b) Anatomy
- (c) Zoology (d) Anemology

Q.379. Honour given for some achievement.

SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Evening)

(a) Placard (b) Laurel (c) Party (d) Gift

Q.380. Killing of a person by another SSC CPO 09/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Homicide
- (b) Democide
- (c) Genocide
- (d) Euthanasia

Q.381. Treat with a vaccine, usually by injection to promote immunity against a disease

SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Innuendo
- (b) Inoculate
- (c) Innumerate
- (d) Innovate

Q.382. A group of worshippers SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Posse
- (b) Caravan
- (c) Constellation
- (d) Congregation

Q.383. None of the countries involved in war were ready to broach the issue of

SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) turn down thoughtlessly
- (b) bring up for discussion
- (c) underestimate the worth of
- (d) disregard contemptuously

Q.384. Substitute one word for the italicised expression.

When her teacher calls her a person who cannot be corrected, she laughs at herself.

SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) obedient
- (b) reformable
- (c) incorrigible
- (d) manageable

Q.385. Seeing the danger of a group governed by old people, Ratan planned to recruit young people for his project. SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) adhocracy
  - (b) plutocracy
- (c) gerontocracy (d) autocracy

Q.386. One who believes in his fate SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Fatalist
- (b) Fastidious
- (c) Fugitive
- (d) Fanatic

Q.387. Take hold of forcibly or suddenly SSC CPO 10/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Seize
- (b) Liberate
- (c) Release
- (d) Relinquish

Q.388. Try hard to do or achieve something

SSC CPO 11/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Endanger
- (b) Hardworking
- (c) Endeavour (d) Indent

The Bishop criticised the 0.389. Government for its having no sympathy and an uncaring attitude to the homeless and the unemployed.

SSC CPO 11/11/2022 (Morning)

- (a) merciful
- (b) callous
- (c) tender
- (d) compassionate

Q.390. One who is bad in spellings SSC CPO 11/11/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Cacographer
- (b) Photographer
- (c) Choreographer
  - (d) Chauvinist

**Q.391**. Hatred

SSC CPO 11/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Malleable
- (b) Malevolence
- (c) Magnanimous
- (d) Malapropos

Q.392. A government that takes decisions based on the recommendations of state officials instead of elected representatives SSC CPO 11/11/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Gerontocracy (b) Democracy
- (c) Autocracy (d) Bureaucracy

**Solutions:-**

Sol.374.(c) Shrewd - Showing astute powers of 'judgement' clever and judicious.

Shriek - A short, loud, high cry.

Shrift - Confession, especially to a priest.

Shrike - A songbird.

Sol.375.(b) Lucrative - Profitable, yielding financial gain.

Ludicrous - Ridiculous or foolish; unreasonable or unsuitable.

Luddite - A person opposed to new technology or ways of working.

Lugger - A small working boat rigged with a lugsail.

Sol.376.(c) Maintain

Maintain - Cause to continue; Keep up; preserve a state of affairs, an activity etc.

Maintop - A platform around the head of the lower section of a sailing ship's mainmast.

Mainly - Usually, or to a large degree. Mainstay - A person or thing on which something else is based or depends.

Sol.377.(a) Mindful

**Mindful** - Taking heed or care; Being conscious

**Mindless** - Acting or done without justification and with no concern for the consequences.

**Mindset** - The established set of attitudes held by someone.

**Mind-read** - The ability to discern the thoughts of others without the normal means of communication

# Sol.378.(a) Entomology

**Entomology** - The scientific study of worms and insects.

**Anatomy** - The scientific study of the structure of human or animal bodies.

**Zoology** - The scientific study of animals. **Anemology** - The study of the movements of the winds.

# Sol.379.(b) Laurel

**Laurel** - Honour given for some achievement.

**Placard** - A printed or handwritten notice or sign for public display.

**Party** - A social gathering of invited guests, typically involving eating, drinking, and entertainment.

**Gift** - A thing given willingly to someone without payment.

## Sol.380.(a) Homicide

**Homicide** - Killing of a person by another. Democide - The murder of any person or people by a government.

**Genocide** - The deliberate killing of a large number of people from a particular nation or ethnic group with the aim of destroying that nation or group.

**Euthanasia** - The painless killing of a patient suffering from an incurable and painful disease.

**Sol.381.(b) Inoculate** - treat with a vaccine, usually by injection to promote immunity against a disease

**Innuendo** - an indirect way of talking about somebody/something

**Innumerate** - without a basic knowledge of mathematics and arithmetic

**Innovate** - to create new things, ideas or ways of doing something

# Sol.382.(d)

**Congregation** - a group of worshippers **Posse** - a group of people who have a common characteristic or occupation

**Caravan** - a group of people and animals that travel together, for example across a desert

**Constellation** - a group of stars that forms a pattern and has a name

**Sol.383.(b) 'Broach'** means to bring up for discussion or to start talking about a particular subject.

**Sol.384.(c) Incorrigible** - a person who cannot be corrected

Obedient - doing what you are told to do

Reformable - susceptible to
improvement or reform

**Manageable** - not too big or too difficult to deal with

**Sol.385.(c) Gerontocracy** - a group governed by old people

**Adhocracy** - a system of flexible and informal organization and management in place of rigid bureaucracy

**Plutocracy** - a state or society governed by the wealthy.

**Autocracy** - a system of government of a country in which one person has complete power

# Sol.386.(a)

Fatalist - one who believes in his fate
Fastidious - someone difficult to please
Fugitive - a person who is running away
or escaping

**Fanatic** - a person who is very enthusiastic about something and may have extreme or dangerous opinion

#### Sol.387.(a)

**Seize** - take hold of forcibly or suddenly **Liberate** - to allow somebody/something to be free

**Release** - to allow somebody/something to be free

**Relinquish** - to stop having or doing something

**Sol.388.(c) Endeavour** - try hard to do or achieve something

**Endanger** - to cause danger to somebody/something

**Hardworking** - working with effort and energy

**Indent** - to start a line of writing further from the left-hand side of the page than the other lines

**Sol.389.(b) Callous** - having no sympathy **Merciful** - feeling or showing mercy

Tender - kind and loving

**Compassionate** - feeling or showing sympathy and sadness for the suffering or bad luck of others

**Sol.390.(a) Cacographer** - one who is bad in spellings

**Photographer** - a person who takes photographs

**Choreographer** - a person who creates dance compositions and plans and arranges dance movements and patterns for dances and especially for ballets

**Chauvinist** - a person who is aggressively and blindly patriotic

Sol.391.(b) Hatred - a very strong feeling

of not liking somebody/something

Malevolence - the quality of causing or

wanting to cause harm or evil

Malleable - easily influenced or changed Magnanimous - someone who is kind, generous and forgiving

**Malapropos** - in an inopportune or inappropriate way.

Sol.392.(d) Bureaucracy - a government that takes decisions based on the recommendations of state officials instead of elected representatives

**Gerontocracy** - a state, society, or group governed by old people.

**Democracy** - a system in which the government of a country is elected by the people

**Autocracy** - a system of government of a country in which one person has complete power

# SSC CGL 2021 Tier - 2

**Q.393.** a large single detached house with single or double story SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)

- (a) Suite
- (b) Apartment
- (c) Bungalow
- (d) Penthouse

**Q.394.** A book or set of books giving information on many subjects or on many aspects of one subject and typically arranged alphabetically.

SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)

- (a) Glossary (b) Dictionary
- (c) Encyclopedia (d) Thesaurus

**Q.395.** Symbols of royalty SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)

- (a) sceptre
- (b) relic
- (c) emblem
- (d) regalia

**Q.396.** one who speaks for others SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)

- (a) spokesperson (b) orator
- (c) verbose (d) talkative

Q.397. one who is all powerful

- SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)
- (a) omnipotent (b) conqueror
- (c) emperor (d) sovereign

**Q.398.** A doctor who specializes in heart diseases

SSC CGL Tier II (08/08/2022)

- (a) Urologist
- (b) Cardiologist
- (c) Nephrologist (d) Dermatologist

#### **Solutions:-**

## Sol.393.(c) Bungalow

**Bungalow** - a large single detached house with single or double story.

a hotel.

Apartment - a set of rooms for living in that are part of a larger building and are usually all on one floor.

Penthouse - a luxuriously flat on the top floor of a tall building.

## Sol.394.(c) Encyclopedia

Encyclopedia - a book or set of books giving information on many subjects or on many aspects of one subject and typically arranged alphabetically.

Glossary - an alphabetical list of words relating to a specific subject, text, or dialect, with explanations.

**Dictionary** - a book giving information on particular subjects or on a particular class of words, names, or facts, usually arranged alphabetically.

Thesaurus - a book of words or of information about a particular field or set of concepts. especially: a book of words and their synonyms.

#### Sol.395.(d) Regalia

Regalia - symbols of royalty.

Sceptre - a decorated stick that is carried by a queen or king during some official ceremonies.

Relic - an object from the past, especially one of historical interest.

Emblem - an object that is used to represent a particular person, group, or idea, or a picture of the object.

# Sol.396.(a) Spokesperson

Spokesperson - one who speaks for others.

Orator - a public speaker, especially one who is fluent or skilled.

Verbose - one who uses or expresses in more words than are needed.

Talkative - one who is fond of talking,

# Sol.397.(a) Omnipotent

Omnipotent - one who is all powerful.

Conqueror - a person who conquers(take control of) a place or people.

**Emperor** - a sovereign ruler of an empire. Sovereign - a supreme ruler who has all powers.

## Sol.398.(b) Cardiologist

Cardiologist - a doctor who specializes in heart diseases.

Urologist - a doctor who specializes in function and disorders of the urinary system.

Nephrologist - a doctor who specializes in the care of kidneys.

**Dermatologist** - a doctor who specializes in diagnosing and treatment of skin disorders.

# SSC Selection Post (Phase - X)

Q.399. To the utmost or most absolute extent or degree

Graduate Level 01/08/2022 (Shift - 4) (a) Merely (b) Barely (c) Primarily (d) Quite

Q.400. Really coming from its stated, advertised or reputed source Graduate Level 05/08/2022 (Shift - 3)

(a) Genuine

(b) Insincere

(c) Fake

(d) Bogus

Q.401. An expert in writing by hand Graduate Level 05/08/2022 (Shift - 3)

(a) Obstetrician (b) Chirographer

(c) Funambulist (d) Endodontist

Q.402. A highly unpleasant, annoying, objectionable sound.

Higher Secondary 05/08/2022 (Shift - 2) (a) Slight (b) Natal (c) Lovely (d) Nasty

#### **Solutions:-**

## Sol.399.(d) Quite

Quite - to the utmost or most absolute extent or degree.

Merely - nothing more than; only.

Barely - only just a small amount.

Primarily - for the most part; mainly.

## Sol.400.(a) Genuine

Genuine - really coming from its stated, advertised or reputed source.

Insincere - pretending to feel something that you do not really feel, or not meaning what you say.

Fake - not real, but made to look or seem

Bogus - not genuine.

# Sol.401.(b) Chirographer

Chirographer - an expert in writing by

Obstetrician - a doctor who specializes in pregnancy, childbirth, and a woman's reproductive system.

Funambulist - an expert in walking on ropes.

Endodontist - a dentist who specializes in tooth pain, disease, and infection.

Sol.402.(d) Nasty - A highly unpleasant, annoying, objectionable sound.

**Slight** - small in degree; inconsiderable. Natal - relating to the place or time of one's birth.

# SSC MTS 2021 Tier - 1

Q.403. A book that contains information on various subjects

SSC MTS 05/07/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Encyclopaedia (b) Manuscript
- (c) Thesaurus (d) Dictionary

- Q.404. A group of guns or missile launchers operated together at one place SSC MTS 05/07/2022 (Morning)
- (a) Psaltery (b) Skittery
- (d) Battery (c) Cemetery
- Q.405. Deliberately and maliciously set something (buildings usually) on fire SSC MTS 06/07/2022 (Morning)
- (b) Arson (a) Agrarian
- (c) Ambush (d) Apex
- Q.406. Someone who attacks cherished ideas or traditional institutions SSC MTS 06/07/2022 (Afternoon)
- (a) Believer (b) Iconoclast
- (c) Humanitarian (d) Misanthrope
- Q.407. One who is hostile and violent SSC MTS 07/07/2022 (Morning)
- (a) Idle
- (b) Aggressive
- (c) Legendary
- (d) Agreeable
- Q.408. Release someone from a duty or obligation

SSC MTS 07/07/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Banish
- (b) Expel
- (c) Dismiss
- (d) Exonerate
- Q.409. A cage for small animals SSC MTS 07/07/2022 (Afternoon)
- (a) Cave (b) Hutch (c) Shed (d) Hut
- Q.410. An action of making amends for a wrong or injury

SSC MTS 08/07/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Atonement
- (b) Redemption
- (c) Rite
- (d) Perjury
- **Q.411.** To own up to something as true. SSC MTS 08/07/2022 (Evening)
- (a) Confess
- (b) Suppress
- (c) Redress
- (d) Assess
- Q.412. A person incapable of making mistakes.

SSC MTS 08/07/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Infallible
- (b) Pure
- (c) Optimist
- (d) Naive
- Q.413. Climb or move with difficulty or a lot of effort, typically using one's hands and feet

SSC MTS 11/07/2022 (Morning)

- (a) Pedagogy
- (b) Clamber
- (c) Quack

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- (d) Retreat
- Q.414. The expression of a wish that misfortune or doom befall a person SSC MTS 11/07/2022 (Afternoon) (a) Curse (b) Praise (c) Blessing (d) Oath
- Q.415. One who does not tire easily. SSC MTS 11/07/2022 (Evening)
- (a) Indefatigable (b) Pedantic
- (c) Recluse (d) Libertine

Q.416. A keeper or custodian of a museum

SSC MTS 12/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Creator

(b) Developer

(c) Master

(d) Curator

Q.417. Any award, honour or laudatory notice

SSC MTS 12/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Complement (b) Deal

(c) Statute

(d) Accolade

Q.418. The collection and study of postage stamps

SSC MTS 13/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Philately

(b) Ornithology

(c) Philosophy

(d) Philanthropy

Q.419. A disturbed state of mind caused by an illness.

SSC MTS 13/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Delirium

(b) Discrepancy

(c) Dilemma

(d) Depreciation

Q.420. A large bundle bound for storage or transport

SSC MTS 13/07/2022 (Evening)

(a) Antagonist

(b) Belligerent

(c) Bale

(d) Apiary

Q.421. Killing one self

SSC MTS 14/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Regicide

(b) Suicide

(c) Homicide

(d) Matricide

Q.422. An agreement between enemies or opponents to stop fighting, arguing, etc., for a certain period of time SSC MTS 15/07/2022 (Morning)

(a) Unanimous (b) Graft

(c) Truce

(d) Surplus

Q.423. Having or forming a hard outer layer

SSC MTS 18/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Crunched

(b) Crushed

(c) Crusted

(d) Cursed

Q.424. A moral or legal obligation SSC MTS 18/07/2022 (Evening)

(a) Object

(b) Dutv

(c) Principal

(d) Discipline

Q.425. Having a common centre, as circles or spheres

SSC MTS 19/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Cylindrical

(b) Concentric

(c) Elliptical

(d) Centrifugal

Q.426. A room in a public building where outdoor clothes or luggage may be left SSC MTS 19/07/2022 (Evening)

(a) Cemetery

(b) Cloakroom

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(c) Courtyard

(d) Hangar

Q.427. Someone working or acting merely for money or other rewards

SSC MTS 21/07/2022 (Evening)

(a) Debtor

(b) Mercenary

(c) Contractor

(d) Player

Q.428. An unconventional style of living SSC MTS 22/07/2022 (Morning)

(a) Martyr

(b) Bohemian

(c) Stoic

(d) Cynic

Q.429. Occurring after the death of the said person

SSC MTS 22/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Effusive

(b) Gregarious

(c) Fugitive

(d) Posthumous

Q.430. A place where dead bodies are kept for identification

SSC MTS 22/07/2022 (Afternoon) (a) Hutch

(b) Morgue

(c) Crematorium (d) Tannery

Q.431. Make (something bad or unsatisfactory) better

SSC MTS 25/07/2022 (Morning)

(a) Judge (c) Castigate (b) Malign (d) Ameliorate

Q.432. An afternoon performance in a theatre or cinema

SSC MTS 25/07/2022 (Morning)

(a) Canvas

(b) Premiere

(c) Comedy

(d) Matinee

Q.433. An abbreviation formed from the initial letters of others and pronounced as a word

SSC MTS 25/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Caption

(b) Slogan

(c) Flotilla

(d) Acronym

Q.434. A group of fish

SSC MTS 26/07/2022 (Morning)

(a) Troop (b) Bunch (c) Litter (d) School

Q.435. A state of perfect balance SSC MTS 26/07/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Equilibrium

(b) Extempore

(c) Medieval

(d) Irrelevant

Q.436. A short story with a moral SSC MTS 26/07/2022 (Evening)

(a) Memoir

(b) Parable

(c) Biography (d) Axiom

**Solutions:-**

Sol.403.(a) Encyclopaedia - a book that contains information on various subjects Manuscript - a copy of a book, piece of music, etc. before it has been printed Thesaurus - a book that contains lists of similar words and phrases with meanings.

Dictionary - a book giving the meaning and usually the pronunciation of words listed in alphabetical order

Sol.404.(d) Battery - a group of guns or missile launchers operated together at one place

Psaltery - an ancient and medieval musical instrument

Skittery - moving quickly, restlessly, or irregularly

Cemetery - a place where dead people are buried

Sol.405.(b) Arson - deliberately and maliciously set something buildings usually on fire

Agrarian - connected with farming and the use of land for farming

Ambush - a surprise attack from a hidden position

Apex - the top or highest part of something

Sol.406.(b) Iconoclast - someone who attacks cherished ideas or traditional institutions

Believer - a person who has religious beliefs

Humanitarian - concerned with trying to make people's lives better and reduce suffering

Misanthrope - a person who hates or avoids other people

Sol.407.(b) Aggressive - one who is hostile and violent

Idle - not doing anything or not being

Legendary - very famous and admired or spoken about

Agreeable - ready to agree, pleasing to the mind or senses

Sol.408.(d) Exonerate - release someone from a duty or obligation

Banish - to send somebody away especially out of the country usually as a punishment

Expel - to force somebody to leave a country, school, club, etc.

Dismiss - to decide not to think about something/somebody

Sol.409.(b)

Hutch - a cage for small animals

Cave - a large hole in the side of a cliff or hill, or under the ground

Shed - a small building that is used for keeping things or animals in

Hut - a small building with one room, usually made of wood or metal

Sol.410.(a) Atonement - an action of making amends for a wrong or injury

Redemption - the action of being saved

from evil Rite - a ceremony performed by a particular group of people, often for religious purposes

**Perjury** - the act of telling a lie in a court of law

**Sol.411.(a) Confess** - to own up to something as true

**Suppress** - to stop something from being seen or known

**Redress** - to correct something that is wrong or unfair

**Assess** - to judge or form an opinion about something

**Sol.412.(a) Infallible** - a person incapable of making mistakes

**Pure** - not mixed with anything else **Optimist** - someone who always believes

that good things will happen **Naive** - showing lack of experience or knowledge

**Sol.413.(b) Clamber** - climb or move with difficulty or a lot of effort, typically using one's hands and feet

**Pedagogy** - the method and practice of teaching

**Quack** - the sound that a duck makes **Retreat** - to move backwards in order to leave a battle

**Sol.414.(a) Curse** - the expression of a wish that misfortune or doom befall a person

**Praise** - to say that somebody/something is good and should be admired

**Blessing** - a thing that you are grateful for or that brings happiness

Oath - a formal promise

**Sol.415.(a) Indefatigable** - one who does not tire easily.

**Pedantic** - someone who annoys others by correcting small errors

**Recluse** - a religious person who lives a life away from other people and society

**Libertine** - a person who has sexual relationships with many people

**Sol.416.(d) Curator** - a keeper or custodian of a museum

**Creator** - a person who makes or produces something new

**Developer** - a person or company that creates new product

**Master** - a person who has great skill at doing something

**Sol.417.(d) Accolade** - any award, honour or laudatory notice

**Complement** - a thing that goes together well with something else

**Deal** - an agreement or arrangement, especially in business

Statute - a law or a rule

**Sol.418.(a) Philately** - the collection and study of postage stamps

**Ornithology** - the study of birds

**Philosophy** - the study of ideas and beliefs about the meaning of life

**Philanthropy** - the practice of helping the poor and those in need, especially by giving money

**Sol.419.(a) Delirium** - a disturbed state of mind caused by an illness.

**Discrepancy** - a difference between two things that should be the same

**Dilemma** - a situation in which you have to make a difficult choice between two or more things

**Depreciation** - a loss of value of something, especially over time

**Sol.420.(c) Bale** - a large bundle bound for storage or transport

**Antagonist** - a person who is strongly against somebody/something

**Belligerent** - unfriendly and aggressive **Apiary** - a place where bees are kept

Sol.421.(b) Suicide - killing one self Regicide - the action of killing a king. Homicide - the illegal killing of one person by another

**Matricide** - the crime of killing one's mother

**Sol.422.(c) Truce** - an agreement between enemies or opponents to stop fighting

**Unanimous**- something that everyone is in total agreement

**Graft** - piece of a living plant that is fixed onto another plant

**Surplus** - an amount that is extra or more than you need

**Sol.423.(c) Crusted** - having or forming a hard outer layer

**Crunched** - to make a loud noise when you are eating something hard

**Crushed** - to break something into very small pieces or a powder

**Cursed** - to use rude language to express your anger

Sol.424.(b)

Duty - a moral or legal obligation

Object - an aim or purpose

Principal - most important

Discipline - obey rules and behave well

Sol.425.(b) Concentric - having a common centre, as circles or spheres

Cylindrical - having the shape of a cylinder

**Elliptical** - connected with or in the form of an ellipse

**Centrifugal** - moving away from a centre point.

Sol.426.(b) Cloakroom - a room in a

public building where outdoor clothes or luggage may be left.

**Cemetery** - a place where dead people are buried.

**Courtyard** - an area of ground, without a roof, that has walls or buildings around it. **Hangar** - a big building where planes are kept.

**Sol.427.(b) Mercenary** - someone working or acting merely for money or other rewards

**Debtor** - a person who owes money.

**Contractor** - a person or company that has a contract to do work.

**Player -** a person who plays a game or sport.

Sol.428.(b) Bohemian - an unconventional style of living

**Martyr** - a person who is killed because of what he/she believes

**Stoic** - suffering pain or difficulty without complaining

**Cynic** - a person who believes that people only do things for themselves, rather than to help others

**Sol.429.(d) Posthumous** - occurring after the death of the said person

**Effusive** - marked by the expression of great or excessive emotion or enthusiasm

**Gregarious** - liking to be with other people

**Fugitive** - a person who is running away or escaping for example from the police

**Sol.430.(b) Morgue** - a place where dead bodies are kept for identification

**Hutch** - a pen or enclosed coop for small animals

**Crematorium** - a building in which the bodies of dead people are burned

**Tannery** - a place where leather is made by treating animal skin with chemicals

**Sol.431.(d)** Ameliorate - make something bad or unsatisfactory better

**Judge** - a person in a court of law whose job is to decide how criminals should be punished and to make legal decisions

**Malign** - to say or write bad things about somebody/something publicly

**Castigate** - to criticize, strongly oppose or punish somebody/something severely

**Sol.432.(d) Matinee** - an afternoon performance in a theatre or cinema

**Canvas** - a type of strong cloth that is used for making sails, bags, tents, etc.

**Premiere** - the first public performance of a play, film, etc.

**Comedy** - an amusing play, film, etc. that has a happy ending

Sol.433.(d) Acronym - an abbreviation formed from the initial letters of others and pronounced as a word

Caption- the words that are written above or below a photograph, etc. to explain what it is about

Slogan - a short phrase that is easy to remember and that is used in politics or advertising

Flotilla - a large group of boats or small ships

Sol.434.(d) School - a group of fish

**Troop** - a large group of people or animals

Bunch - a number of things, usually of the same type, fastened or growing together

Litter - pieces of paper, rubbish, etc. that are left in a public place

# Sol.435.(a)

**Equilibrium** - a state of perfect balance **Extempore** - spoken, done, or written without any prior preparation or thought Medieval - connected with the period in history between about 1100 and 1500 AD Irrelevant - not connected with something or important to it

## Sol.436.(b)

Parable - a short story with a moral Memoir - a historical account or written from personal biography knowledge

Biography - the story of a person's life written by somebody else

Axiom - a rule or principle that most people believe to be true

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Q.437. Unable to speak distinctly or express oneself clearly

SSC CHSL 24/05/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Inane

(b) Inapt

(c) Inarch

(d) Inarticulate

Q.438. He is an excessively enthusiastic and strict follower of Judaism.

SSC CHSL 25/05/2022 (Afternoon) (a) a janissary

(b) a Zionist

(c) a zealot

(d) a healer

Q.439. The study of population and its dynamics

SSC CHSL 25/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Democracy (b) Demography

(c) Dysgraphia (d) Dermatology

Q.440. A short stay at a place that is not

SSC CHSL 26/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Putrefy

your own home

(b) Sojourn

(c) Perplex (d) Epitome

Q.441. Mohan frequently wastes his money on luxurious objects such as cars and digital devices.

SSC CHSL 26/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Extravagant (b) Businessman

(c) Consumer (d) Capitalist

Q.442. An outlook that is influenced by people from all over the world SSC CHSL 26/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Cosmopolitan (b) Epitome

(c) Unrefined

(d) Cantonment

Q.443. The state of being full or complete SSC CHSL 27/05/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Plunder

(b) Plebiscite

(c) Plenitude

(d) Pliability

Q.444. The love of man or mankind SSC CHSL 27/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Philology

(b) Philanthropy

(c) Phylactery

(d) Philosophy

Q.445. Reject as invalid, especially by legal procedure

SSC CHSL 30/05/2022 (Morning)

(a) Reiterate

(b) Putrid

(c) Putrefy

(d) Quash

Q.446. A sudden unsteady movement; a stagger

SSC CHSL 30/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Lupin (b) Lurch (c) Lugger (d) Lumen

Q.447. Allowing or assisting to discover SSC CHSL 31/05/2022 (Morning)

(a) Conceptual

(b) Ineducative

(c) Unempirical (d) Heuristic

Q.448. Something that is pertaining to controversy

SSC CHSL 31/05/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Poignancy

(b) laudatory

(c) Putative

(d) Polemical

Q.449. A person as a source of intellectual light or moral inspiration SSC CHSL 31/05/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Lurch

(b) Luminary

(c) Luminaire

(d) Lunette

Q.450. To dispute angrily SSC CHSL 31/05/2022 (Evening)

(a) Wrench

(b) Wreck

(d) Wrack

(c) Wrangle

Q.451. Work extremely hard. SSC CHSL 01/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Toil b) Troop (c) slam (d) spew

Q.452. The action of examining with care or reading carefully

SSC CHSL 01/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Persuade

(b) Perverse

(c) Perusal

(d) Persiflage

Q.453. At the party, Rohan was

pretending to be what he is not to influence the investors for his company's shares.

SSC CHSL 01/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Canter

(b) Autocrat

(c) Hypocrite

(d) Goody

Q.454. Raman had always been attracted to the scientific study of sound and

decided to take up a course in sound engineering to pursue his dream career.

SSC CHSL 01/06/2022 (Evening)

(a) Acoustics

(b) Agronomy

(c) Alchemy

(d) Aesthetics

Q.455. A person who leaves his/her own country to live in another country permanently

SSC CHSL 02/06/2022 (Evening)

(a) Vagabond

(b) Mercenary

(c) Emigrant

(d) Immigrant

Q.456. Lasting for a very short period of

SSC CHSL 03/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Permanent

(b) Ceaseless

(c) Pungent

(d) Ephemeral

Q.457. Strong taste or liking for something

SSC CHSL 06/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Insolvent

(b) Parole

(c) Ebullient (d) Penchant

**Q.458.** To renovate or improve SSC CHSL 06/06/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Relocate

(b) Revamp

(c) Resume

(d) Revalue

Q.459. Take and use the thoughts, inventions, etc. of another person as one's own.

SSC CHSL 07/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Copyright

(b) Compose

(c) Produce

(d) Plagiarise

Q.460. Easily provoked

SSC CHSL 08/06/2022 (Morning) (b) Irascible (a) Invincible

(c) Iridescent (d) Irrational

Q.461. A person who loves and collects

SSC CHSL 08/06/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Booker (c) Bookworm

(b) Bibliophile (d) Biographer

Q.462. A word that has the same or nearly the same meaning as another word in the same language

SSC CHSL 09/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Synonym

(b) Metonymy

(c) Antonym

(d) Toponym

0.463. Raman is finding it difficult to adjust as he has come to a different country from his own country for settling

SSC CHSL 09/06/2022 (Afternoon)

- (a) Pilgrim
- (b) Immigrant
- (c) Globetrotter (d) Gypsy

**Q.464.** Looking or sounding foreign, bizarre, strange, unfamiliar SSC CHSL 10/06/2022 (Morning)

(a) Outlaw

- (b) Outlay
- (c) Outlast
- (d) Outlandish

Q.465. The newspaper dedicated <u>a</u> report giving the news of the death and details about the life of the deceased.

SSC CHSL 10/06/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Editorial
- (b) Illustration
- (c) Obituary
- (d) Forecast

**Q.466.** A pause between the acts of a play

SSC CHSL 10/06/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Interlude
- (b) Interline
- (c) Interlace
- (d) Interlink

**Q.467.** Fall back or sink again (into a worse state after an improvement) SSC CHSL 10/06/2022 (Evening)

- (a) Rekindle
- (b) Reiterate
- (c) Relayed
- (d) Relapse

**Solutions:-**

**Sol.437.(d) Inarticulate** - unable to speak distinctly or express oneself clearly

Inane - without any meaning

**Inapt** - not suitable or appropriate in the circumstances.

**Inarch** - graft a plant by connecting a growing branch without separating it from its parent stock.

**Sol.438.(c) Zealot** - an excessively enthusiastic and strict follower.

**Janissary -** a devoted follower or supporter.

Zionist - a supporter of Zionism

**Healer** - a person who cures people of illnesses and diseases using natural powers rather than medicine

**Sol.439.(b) Demography** - The study of population and its dynamics

**Democracy**- a system in which the government of a country is elected by the people

**Dysgraphia** - inability to write coherently, as a symptom of brain disease or damage.

**Dermatology** - the scientific study of skin diseases

Sol.440 .(b) Sojourn

**Sol.441.(a) Extravagant** - spending or costing too much money

**Businessman -** a man who works in business

**Consumer -** a person who buys things or uses services

**Capitalist -** someone who supports capitalism

**Sol.442.(a) Cosmopolitan** - an outlook that is influenced by people from all over the world

**Epitome** - a perfect example of something

**Unrefined** - not processed to remove impurities or unwanted elements.

Cantonment - a military garrison or camp

**Sol.443.(c) Plenitude -** the state of being full or complete

**Plunder** - the action of stealing from people or places, especially during war or fighting

**Plebiscite** - a vote by the people of a country or a region on a question that is very important

**Pliability -** the quality of being easily bent

**Sol.444.(b) Philanthropy** - the love of man or mankind

**Philology** - the branch of knowledge that deals with the structure, historical development, and relationships of a language or languages.

**Phylactery -** a small leather box containing Hebrew texts on vellum

**Philosophy** - the study of ideas and beliefs about the meaning of life

**Sol.445.(d) Quash -** reject as invalid, especially by legal procedure

**Reiterate** - to repeat an opinion, statement, etc. that has already been said to make the meaning clear or to emphasize it

**Putrid -** smelling bad after being dead for some time

**Putrefy** - decay or rot and produce a fetid smell.

**Sol.446.(b) Lurch** - a sudden unsteady movement, a stagger

**Lupin** - a plant of the pea family with deeply divided leaves

**Lugger -** a small fishing or coasting boat that carries one or more lugsails

 $\mbox{\bf Lumen}$  - the SI unit of luminous flux

**Sol.447.(d) Heuristic** - allowing or assisting to discover

**Conceptual -** based on ideas or principles

Ineducative - lack of education

**Unempirical** - not based on observation or experience

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Sol.448.(d)} & \textbf{Polemical} & \textbf{-} & \textbf{something that} \\ \textbf{is pertaining to the controversy} \\ \end{tabular}$ 

**Poignancy -** a very sharp feeling of sadness

**Laudatory -** expressing praise and commendation

**Putative** - generally considered or reputed to be.

**Sol.449.(b) Luminary** - a person as a source of intellectual light or moral inspiration

**Lurch -** a sudden movement forward or to one side

**Luminaire-** a complete electric light unit **Lunette -** an arched aperture or window, especially one in a domed ceiling

Sol.450.(c) Wrangle - to dispute angrily
Wrench - to pull or turn
somebody/something strongly and
suddenly

**Wreck** - a ship that has sunk or been badly damaged at sea

**Wrack** - the violent destruction of a structure, machine, or vehicle

Sol.451.(a) Toil

**Sol.452.(c) Perusal** - the action of examining with care or reading carefully

**Persuade** - to make somebody do something by giving him/her good reasons

**Perverse -** liking to behave in a way that is not acceptable or reasonable

**Persiflage -** light and slightly contemptuous mockery or banter.

**Sol.453.(c) Hypocrite** - pretending to be what he is not

Canter - to run fairly fast but not very fast Autocrat - a ruler who has complete power

**Goody -** a good person in a film, book, etc.

**Sol.454.(a) Acoustics -** to the scientific study of sound

**Agronomy** - a branch of agriculture dealing with field-crop production and soil management.

**Alchemy -** a form of chemistry in the Middle Ages that involved trying to discover how to change ordinary metals into gold

**Aesthetics** - the study of beauty, especially in art

**Sol.455.(c) Emigrant** - a person who leaves his/her own country to live in another country permanently

**Vagabond** - a person without a home or a job who keeps traveling from one place to another

**Mercenary** - interested only in making money

**Immigrant** - a person who has come into a foreign country to live there permanently

Sol.456.(d) Ephemeral - lasting for a very short period of time

Permanent - lasting for a long time or forever

Ceaseless - continuing for a long time without stopping

Pungent - very strong

Sol.457.(d) Penchant - strong taste or liking for something

Insolvent - not having enough money to pay what you owe

Parole - permission that is given to a prisoner to leave prison early on the condition that he/she behaves well

**Ebullient -** full of confidence and energy

## Sol.458.(b)

Revamp - to renovate or improve

Relocate - move to a new place and establish one's home or business there.

Resume - to begin again or continue after a pause or interruption

Revalue- assess the value of something again.

Sol.459.(d) Plagiarise - Take and use the thoughts, inventions, etc. of another person as one's own.

Sol.460.(b) Irascible - Easily angered **Invincible -** Too powerful to be defeated. Iridescent - showing luminous colours that seem to change when seen from different angles.

Irrational - Not logical

Option b is the most appropriate answer.

Sol.461.(b) Bibliophile - A person who loves and collects books

Bookworm - A person who enjoys reading.

Biographer - One who writes an account of someone's life.

Sol.462.(a) Synonym - A word that has the same or nearly the same meaning as another word in the same language Metonymy - Metonymy is a figure of speech in which a thing or concept is referred to by the name of something closely associated with that.

Toponym - It is a place name, especially one derived from a topographical feature.

Sol.463.(b) Immigrant - Come to a different country from his own country for settling

## Sol.464.(d)

Outlandish - Looking or sounding foreign, bizarre, strange, unfamiliar

Outlaw - person who has broken the law, especially one who remains at large or is a fugitive.

Outlay - An amount of money spent on

something.

Outlast - Live or last longer.

Sol.465.(c) Obituary - A report giving the news of the death and details about the life of the deceased

Editorial newspaper article expressing the editor's opinion on an issue.

Illustration - an example that explains or proves something

Forecast - predict or estimate

Sol.466.(a) Interlude - A pause between the acts of a play

Interline - To include something between the lines

Interlace - To join different parts together to make a whole

Interlink - To join or connect two or more things together.

#### Sol.467.(d)

Relapse - Fall back or sink again (into a worse state after an improvement)

Rekindle - to revive something lost or lapsed.

Reiterate - To say something again. Relayed - Receive and pass on

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0.468. To walk aimlessly SSC CGL 11/04/2022 (Morning)

(a) Amble (b) Crawl (c) Sprint (d) Slither

Q.469. Showing great attention to detail and correct behaviour

SSC CGL 11/04/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Punctual

(b) Zealous

(c) Punctilious

(d) Disciplined

Q.470. A medical condition in which somebody partly or completely loses their memory

SSC CGL 12/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Amnesia

(b) Asphyxia

(c) Anaemia

(d) Alopecia

**0.471.** The examination or observation of one's own mental and emotional processes

SSC CGL 12/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Assessment (b) Introspection

(c) Inspection (d) Valuation

Q.472. Sharpness and accuracy of judgment

SSC CGL 13/04/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Experience

(b) Estimation

(c) Acumen

(d) Knowledge

Q.473. Something that is strong and lasts a long time without breaking or becoming weaker.

SSC CGL 13/04/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Durable

(b) Harsh

(c) Pliable

(d) Secure

Q.474. An image of a God used for worship

SSC CGL 13/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Model (b) Idol (c) Icon (d) Temple

Q.475. Unfairly something take belonging to another for one's use SSC CGL 18/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Misconstrue

(b)Misinterpret

(c) Misappropriate (d) Misapprehend

Q.476. A problem that is so difficult that it cannot be answered

SSC CGL 18/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Impossible

(b) Insoluble

(c) Terrible

(d) Solvable

Q.477. An animal with a spinal cord SSC CGL 19/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Amphibian

(b) Mammal

(c) Invertebrate

(d) vertebrate

Q.478. Able to be happy, successful, etc. again after something difficult or bad has happened

SSC CGL 19/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Reluctant

(b) Remnant

(c) Resilient

(d) Resistant

Q.479. A group of people SSC CGL 20/04/2022 (Morning)

(a) Crowd (b) Herd (c) Flock (d) Brood

Q.480.A spear used for hunting large fish SSC CGL 20/04/2022 (Afternoon)

(a) Dagger

(b) Lance

(c) Harpoon

(d) Sword

Q.481. Lacking interest or excitement SSC CGL 20/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Despot

(b) Hostile

(c) Mundane

(d) Miserly

Q.482. Policy of racial discrimination SSC CGL 21/04/2022 (Afternoon)

(c) Commonwealth (d) Apartheid

(a) Non-alignment (b) Diplomacy

Q.483. A four-footed animal SSC CGL 21/04/2022 (Evening)

(a) Mammal

(b) Reptile

(c) Quadruped

(d) Biped

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.468.(a) Amble - to walk aimlessly

Crawl - to move slowly with your body on or close to the ground, or on your hands and knees

Sprint - to run a short distance as fast as you can

Slither - to move by sliding from side to side along the ground like a snake

**Sol.469.(c) Punctilious** - showing great attention to detail and correct behaviour **Punctual** - doing something or happening at the right time

**Zealous** - using great energy and enthusiasm

**Disciplined** - to train somebody to obey and to behave in a controlled way

**Sol.470.(a) Amnesia** - a medical condition in which somebody partly or completely loses their memory

**Asphyxia** - the state of being unable to breathe, which causes somebody to die or to become unconscious

**Anaemia -** a medical condition in which there are not enough red cells in the blood

**Alopecia -** a medical condition of hair loss

**Sol.471.(b) Introspection** - the examination or observation of one's own mental and emotional processes

**Assessment -** the act of judging or deciding the amount

**Inspection -** the act of looking at something carefully

**Valuation** - a professional judgement about how much money something is worth

**Sol.472.(c) Acumen -** sharpness and accuracy of judgment

**Experience -** the things that you have done in your life

Estimation - opinion or judgement

**Knowledge -** the state of knowing about a particular fact or situation

**Sol.473.(a) Durable** - something that is strong and lasts a long time without breaking or becoming weaker.

Harsh - very strict and unkind

Pliable - easy to bend or shape

Secure - free from worry or doubt

**Sol.474.(b) Idol -** an image of a God used for worship.

**Model** - a copy of something that is usually smaller than the real thing

**Icon** - a person or thing that is considered to be a symbol of something

**Temple -** a building where people pray to a god or gods

#### Sol.475.(c)

**Misappropriate -** unfairly take something belonging to another for one's use

**Misconstrue -** to understand somebody's words or actions wrongly

**Misinterpret** - to understand something wrongly

Misapprehend - fail to understand

Sol.476.(b) Insoluble - a problem that is

so difficult that it cannot be wired

**Impossible** - not able to be done or to happen

**Terrible** - causing great shock or injury **Solvable** - susceptible of solution or of being solved

**Sol.477.(d) Vertebrate** - an animal with a spinal cord

**Amphibian** - an animal that can live both on land and in water

**Mammal** - an animal of the type that gives birth to live babies, not eggs, etc.

**Invertebrate** - an animal without a solid line of bones

**Sol.478.(c) Resilient** - able to be happy, successful, etc. again after something difficult or bad has happened

**Reluctant** - not wanting to do something because you are not sure it is the right thing to do

**Remnant** - a piece of something that is left after the rest has gone

**Resistant** - not wanting something and trying to prevent something from happening

**Sol.479.(a) Crowd -** a group of people **Herd -** a large number of animals that live and feed together

**Flock** - a group of sheep or birds **Brood** - all the young birds that belong to one mother

**Sol.480.(c) Harpoon -** a spear used for hunting large fish

**Dagger** - a type of knife used as a weapon, especially in past time

Lance - a long weapon with a wooden shaft and a pointed steel head, formerly used by a horseman in charging.

**Sword -** a long, very sharp metal weapon, like a large knife

## Sol.481.(c)

Mundane - lacking interest or excitement

Despot - a ruler with great power,
especially one who uses it in a cruel way

Hostile - having very strong feelings
against somebody/something

Miserly - marked by grasping meanness

## Sol.482.(d)

and penuriousness

**Apartheid** - policy of racial discrimination **Non-alignment** - lack of alliance or affiliation with other nations or groups, especially politically

**Diplomacy** - the activity of managing relations between different countries

**Commonwealth** - an organization whose members are the United Kingdom and some other countries that were once a part of the British Empire.

Sol.483.(c)

**Quadruped -** a four-footed animal

**Mammal** - an animal of the type that gives birth to live babies, not eggs

**Reptile** - an animal that has cold blood and a skin covered in scales

Biped - any creature with two feet

### SSC CGL 2020 Tier - 2

**Q.484.** An entertainer who performs difficult physical feats

SSC CGL Tier II (29/01/2022)

(a) Archer

(b) Acrobat

(c) Artist

(d) Artisan

**Q.485.** Made of artificial substance or material

SSC CGL Tier II (29/01/2022)

(a) Synthetic

(b) Offensive

(c) Expensive

(d) Authentic

**Q.486.** A decision on which one cannot go back

SSC CGL Tier II (29/01/2022)

(a) Incorrigible

(b) Irrevocable

(c) Improbable

(d) Incredible

**Q.487.** Central character in a story or play SSC CGL Tier II (29/01/2022)

(a) Emulator

(b) Contender

(c) Protagonist (d) Adversary

**Q.488.** A long wooden seat with a back for people to sit on in a church SSC CGL Tier II (29/01/2022)

(a) Aisle (b) Pulpit (c) Pew (d) Altar

**Q.489.** One who accompanies somebody to protect him

SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Companion

(b) Guide

(c) Defender

(d) Escort

**Q.490.** Too great to be expressed or described in words

SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Ineffable

(b) Indelible

(c) Infallible

(d) Indispensable

**Q.491.** A mass of snow, ice and rocks falling rapidly down a mountainside. SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Blizzard

(b) Glacier

(c) Avalanche

(d) Typhoon

**Q.492.** The original natives of a country SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Savages

(b) Aborigines

(c) Tribal

(d) Cannibals

**Q.493.** A set of rooms specially in a hotel for the use of one person or his family SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Suite (b) Flat (c) Apartment (d) Abode

Q.494. Substance used for killing

troublesome small animals like insects, mice etc.

SSC CGL Tier II (03/02/2022)

(a) Homicide

(b) Infanticide

(c) Fungicide

(d) Pesticide

### **Solutions:-**

## Sol.484.(b) Acrobat

Acrobat - An entertainer who performs difficult physical feats

Archer - a person who shoots an arrow from a bow for sport or as a weapon

Artist - somebody who produces art, especially paintings or drawings

Artisan - a person who makes things skilfully, especially with his/her hands

## Sol.485.(a) Synthetic

Synthetic - Made of artificial substance or material

Offensive - unpleasant or insulting

**Expensive** - costing a lot of money

Authentic - that you know is real or genuine

### Sol.486.(b) Irrevocable

Irrevocable - A decision on which one cannot go back

Incorrigible - too bad to be corrected or improved

Improbable - not likely to be true or to happen

Incredible - impossible or very difficult to believe

## Sol.487.(c) Protagonist

Protagonist - Central character in a story or play

**Emulator** - a person or thing that imitates others

Contender - a person who may win a competition

Adversary - an enemy or an opponent in a competition

## Sol.488.(c) Pew

Pew - A long wooden seat with a back for people to sit on in a church

Aisle - a passage between the rows of seats in a church, theatre, etc.

Pulpit - a raised platform in a church where the priest stands when he/she is speaking

Altar - a high table that is the centre of a religious ceremony

### Sol.489.(d) Escort

Escort one who accompanies somebody to protect him

Companion - a person or animal with whom you spend a lot of time or go somewhere

Guide - a book, magazine, etc. that gives information or help on a subject

**Defender** - a person who defends somebody/something

## Sol.490.(a) Ineffable

Ineffable - Too great to be expressed or described in words

Indelible - that cannot be removed or washed out

Infallible - never making mistakes or being wrong

Indispensable - very important, so that it is not possible to be without it

## Sol.491.(c) Avalanche

Avalanche - a mass of snow, ice, and rocks falling rapidly down mountainside.

Blizzard - a very bad storm with strong winds and a lot of snow

Glacier - a mass of ice that moves slowly down a valley

Avalanche - a very large amount of snow that slides quickly down the side of a mountain

Typhoon - a violent tropical storm with very strong winds

## Sol.492.(b) Aborigines

Aborigines - The original natives of a country

Savages - extremely wild or violent

Tribal - relating to a tribe

Cannibals - people who eats other people

## Sol.493.(a) Suite

Suite - A set of rooms especially in a hotel for the use of one person or his family

Flat - a set of rooms usually in a large building

Apartment - a set of rooms for living on one floor of a building

Abode - the place where you live

### Sol.494.(d) Pesticide

Pesticide - Substance used for killing troublesome small animals like insects, mice etc.

Homicide - the illegal killing of one person by another

Infanticide - the crime of killing a baby, especially when a parent kills his/her own child

Fungicide - a substance that kills a type of plant with no leaves or flowers (fungus) that grows on other plants or animals and harms them

## SSC MTS 2020 Tier - 1

Q.495. One who interferes in the affairs of others, often for selfish reasons SSC MTS 05/10/2021 (Morning)

(a) stranger

(b) interpreter

(c) interloper

(d) foreigner

Q.496. Restore (someone) to health or normal life after imprisonment, addiction, or illness

SSC MTS 05/10/2021 (Morning)

(a) rehabilitate

(b) reinstate

(c) renovate

(d) refurbish

Q.497. One who reads a lot SSC MTS 05/10/2021 (Evening)

(a) Clever

(b) Bookworm

(c) Witty

(d) Intelligent

Q.498. Make impure by adding inferior substances

SSC MTS 05/10/2021 (Evening)

(a) Obviate

(b) Adulterate

(c) Adjudicate

(d) Obliterate

Q.499. A person who pretends to be someone else to deceive others SSC MTS 06/10/2021 (Morning)

(a) Actor

(b) Imposter

(c) Mentor

(d) Gangster

Q.500. Certain to happen

SSC MTS 06/10/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Unbelievable (b) Unchanging

(c) Inevitable (d) Indelible

Q.501. A person who remains unmoved and unaffected by other people's opinions, suggestions

SSC MTS 06/10/2021 (Evening)

(a) Irresponsible (b) Unreliable

(c) Imprudent (d) Impervious

Q.502. A boat or ship for conveying passengers and goods, especially over a relatively short distance and as a regular service.

SSC MTS 06/10/2021 (Evening)

(a) Dinghy

(b) Ferry

(c) Freighter

(d) Submarine

Q.503. Something which brings bad luck SSC MTS 08/10/2021 (Morning)

(a) Wicked

(b) Devilish

(c) Jinxed

(d) Monstrous

Q.504. Compulsion to steal SSC MTS 08/10/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Megalomania (b) Pyromania

(c) Kleptomania (d) Nymphomania Q.505. To fall apart as a result of decay

SSC MTS 08/10/2021 (Evening) (a) Disintegrate (b) Dislocate

(c) Discontinue

(d) Dishevelled

Q.506. A gentle song sung to put a child to sleep

SSC MTS 11/10/2021 (Morning)

(a) Lullaby

(b) Chorus

(c) Prayer

(d) Hymn

Q.507. A very steep or overhanging rock face or cliff on a mountain SSC MTS 11/10/2021 (Afternoon)

- (a) Edge (b) Precipice (c) Slope (d) Hill
- Q.508. The first people to live in an area SSC MTS 11/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Provincial
- (b) Native
- (c) Colonial
- (d) Local
- Q.509. Imaginary line dividing Earth into northern and southern hemispheres SSC MTS 12/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Longitude
- (b) Equator
- (c) Axis
- (d) Latitude
- Q.510. A large open area of land, water
- SSC MTS 12/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Front
- (b) Margin
- (c) Enclosure
- (d) Expanse
- Q.511. Using high-sounding words but with little meaning
- SSC MTS 12/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Bombastic
- (b) Eloquent
- (c) Clever
- (d) Reserved
- Q.512. An underground place for storing wine
- SSC MTS 14/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Cellar (b) Loft (c) Attic (d) Niche
- Q.513. Lack of feeling
- SSC MTS 14/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Empathy
- (b) Apathy
- (c) Telepathy
- (d) Sympathy
- Q.514. The cry of an owl SSC MTS 18/10/2021(Morning)
- (a) Squawk (b) Hoot (c) Moo (d) Coo
- Q.515. To keep away from SSC MTS 18/10/2021(Afternoon)
- (a) Devote
- (b) Confront
- (c) Fight
- (d) Avoid
- 0.516. Breathe hard and with difficulty SSC MTS 18/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Pant (b) Cough (c) Strangle (d) Choke
- Q.517. A person who is forgetful and unable to concentrate or think clearly SSC MTS 20/10/2021 (Morning)
- (a) Scatterbrain (b) Systematic
- (c) Logical
- (d) Intelligent
- Q.518. Be harmonious or consistent with SSC MTS 20/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Record
- (b) Cordon
- (c) Accord
- (d) Discord
- Q.519. Rub out writing
- SSC MTS 20/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Erase
- (b) Abolish
- (c) Break
- (d) Demolish
- Q.520. Overflow or fill an area with excess water, as in a flood SSC MTS 22/10/2021 (Morning)
- (a) Inundate
- (b) Storm

- (c) Cover (d) Supersede
- Q.521. To take something on loan with the intention of returning it SSC MTS 22/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Lend (b) Lease (c) Hire (d) Borrow
- Q.522. A heavy round plate of metal thrown by an athlete
- SSC MTS 22/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Spear
- (b) Discus
- (c) Javelin
- (d) Hammer
- Q.523. Force someone through fear to do or not to do something
- SSC MTS 26/10/2021 (Morning)
- (a) Intimidate
- (b) Control
- (c) Subjugate
- (d) Murder
- Q.524. A shortage of vitamins, minerals, etc. needed for good health SSC MTS 26/10/2021 (Morning)
- (a) Deficiency
- (b) Nutrition
- (c) Defect
- (d) Disease
- Q.525. A person who attacks and robs ships at sea
- SSC MTS 26/10/2021 (Afternoon)
- (a) Pirate (b) Crook (c) Burglar (d) Pilot
- Q.526. Move suddenly and powerfully forward or upward
- SSC MTS 26/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Abound
- (b) Thrive
- (c) Surge
- (d) Flourish
- Q.527. A person who lives a solitary life and tends to avoid other people SSC MTS 27/10/2021(Morning)
- (a) Vagabond
- (b) Recluse
- (c) Guru
- (d) Saint
- Q.528. Something that can be carried
- SSC MTS 27/10/2021(Afternoon)
- (a) Mobile
- (b) Potable

(d) Refraction

- (c) Briefcase
- (d) Portable
- Q.529. A change in the form or nature of something
- SSC MTS 27/10/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Metamorphosis (b) Hibernation
- (c) Camouflaging
- Q.530. A group of wolves SSC MTS 02/11/2021 (Morning)
- (a) Pack (b) Flock (c) Troop (d) Tribe
- Q.531. One who can use both hands equally well
- SSC MTS 02/11/2021 (Afternoon) (a) Multitalented (b) Multifaceted
- (c) Ambidextrous (d) Ambivalent
- Q.532. Confirm or support something SSC MTS 02/11/2021 (Evening)
- (a) Collaborate (b) Corroborate

- (c) Cooperate (d) Consider
- **Solutions: -**

# Sol.495.(c) interloper

Interloper- One who interferes in the affairs of others, often for selfish reasons

**Stranger**- a person that you do not know Interpreter- a person whose job is to translate what somebody is saying immediately into another language

Foreigner- a person who belongs to a country that is not your own

## Sol.496.(a) rehabilitate

Rehabilitate- Restore (someone) to health or normal life after imprisonment, addiction, or illness

Reinstate - to give back a job or position that was taken from somebody

Renovate - to repair an old building and put it back into good condition

Refurbish - to clean and decorate a room, building, etc. to make it more beautiful, useful, etc.

## Sol.497.(b) Bookworm

Bookworm- one who reads a lot

Clever- able to learn, understand or do something quickly and easily

Witty- clever and amusing

Intelligent- having or showing the ability to understand

# Sol.498.(b) Adulterate

Adulterate- Make impure by adding

inferior substances

Obviate- to remove a difficulty, problem or the need for something

Adjudicate - to act as an official judge in a competition or to decide who is right when two people or groups disagree about something

Obliterate- to remove all signs of something by destroying or covering it completely

# Sol.499.(b) Imposter

Imposter- A person who pretends to be someone else to deceive others

Actor- a man or woman whose job is to act in a play or film or on television

Mentor- an experienced person who advises and helps somebody with less experience over a period of time

Gangster- a member of a group of criminals

# Sol.500.(c) Inevitable

Inevitable- Certain to happen

Unbelievable- very surprising; difficult to

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Unchanging- remaining the same Indelible- that cannot be removed or washed out

### Sol.501.(d) Impervious

**Impervious**- A person who remains unmoved and unaffected by other people's opinions, suggestions

**Irresponsible** - not thinking about the effect your actions will have

**Unreliable** - that cannot be trusted or depended on

**Imprudent** - not showing care for the consequences of an action

## Sol.502.(b) Ferry

**Ferry** - A boat or ship for conveying passengers and goods, especially over a relatively short distance and as a regular service

Dinghy - a small boat that you sail

Freighter - a ship or an aircraft that
carries only goods and not passengers

Submarine- a type of ship that can travel
under the water as well as on the surface

#### Sol.503.(c) Jinxed

**Jinxed** - Something which brings bad luck

Wicked - morally bad

**Devilish** - like or appropriate to a devil in evil and cruelty.

Monstrous - like a monster

## Sol.504.(c) Kleptomania

Kleptomania - Compulsion to steal

**Megalomania** - a mental disorder or condition in which a person has an exaggerated belief in their own power or importance

**Pyromania** - an obsessive desire to set fire to things.

**Nymphomania** - uncontrollable or excessive sexual desire in a woman.

### Sol.505.(a) Disintegrate

To fall apart as a result of decay-Disintegrate

## Sol.506. (a) Lullaby

**Lullaby -** A gentle song sung to put a child to sleep

**Chorus -** to sing or say something together

**Prayer -** the act of speaking to God

**Hymn** - a religious song that Christians sing together in church

## Sol.507.(b) Precipice

**Precipice -** A very steep or overhanging rock face or cliff on a mountain

**Edge** - the place where something, especially a surface, ends

**Slope** - a surface or piece of land that goes up or down

**Hill** - a high area of land that is not as high as a mountain

## Sol.508.(b) Native

Native- The first people to live in an area

**Provincial-** connected with the parts of a country that do not include its most important city

**Colonial**- connected with or belonging to a country that controls another country **Local**- a person who lives in a particular place

#### Sol. 509.(b) Equator

**Equator-** Imaginary line dividing Earth into northern and southern hemispheres **Longitude-** the distance of a place east or west of a line from the North Pole to the South Pole that passes through Greenwich in London

**Axis-** a line we imagine through the middle of an object, around which the object turns

**Latitude-** the distance of a place north or south of the line that we imagine around the middle of the earth

## Sol.510.(d) Expanse

**Expanse**- A large open area of land, water or sky

**Front** - the side or surface of something/somebody that faces forward **Margin** - the empty space at the side of a page in a book, etc.

**Enclosure** - a piece of land inside a wall, fence, etc. that is used for a particular purpose

## Sol.511.(a) Bombastic

**Bombastic-** Using high-sounding words but with little meaning

**Eloquent-** able to use language and express your opinions well, especially when you speak in public

**Clever-** showing skill or intelligence

**Reserved-** shy and keeping your feelings hidden.

### Sol.512.(a) Cellar

**Cellar -** An underground place for storing wine

**Loft** - the room or space under the roof of a house or other building

**Attic** - the space or room just under the roof of a house often used for storing things

**Niche -** a job, position, etc. that is suitable for you

# Sol.513.(b) Apathy

Apathy - Lack of feeling

**Empathy** - the ability to imagine how another person is feeling and so understand his/her mood

**Telepathy** - the communication of thoughts between people's minds without using speech, writing, or other normal methods

**Sympathy** - an understanding of other people's feelings, especially their problems

#### Sol.514.(b) Hoot

**Hoot-** The cry of an owl

**Squawk-** to make a loud unpleasant noise

Moo - the sound that a cow makes

**Coo**- to make the low soft cry of a dove or pigeon

### Sol.515.(d) Avoid

Avoid- To keep away from

**Devote-** to give a lot of time, energy, etc. to somebody/something

**Confront-** to stand in front of somebody, for example because you want to fight him/her

**Fight-** to use physical strength, guns, weapons, etc. against somebody/something

### Sol.516.(a) Pant

Pant- Breathe hard and with difficulty

**Cough-** to send something out of your throat and mouth with a sudden loud noise

**Strangle** - to kill somebody by squeezing his/her neck or throat with your hands, a rope, etc.

**Choke** - to be or to make somebody unable to breath

### Sol.517.(a) Scatterbrain

**Scatterbrain** - A person who is forgetful and unable to concentrate or think carefully

**Systematic -** done using a fixed plan or method

**Logical** - seeming natural, reasonable or sensible

**Intelligent -** having or showing the ability to understand, learn and think; clever

### Sol.518.(c) Accord

**Accord** - Be harmonious or consistent with

**Record** - a written account of what has happened, been done, etc.

**Cordon** - a line or ring of police or Soldiers that prevents people from entering an area

**Discord** - disagreement or argument

### Sol.519.(a) Erase

Erase - Rub out writing

Abolish - to end a law or system officially

Break - to separate,

**Demolish -** to destroy something

## Sol.520.(a) Inundate

**Inundate** - Overflow or fill an area with excess water, as in a flood

**Storm -** very bad weather, with a lot of rain, strong winds, etc.

**Cover -** to put something on or in front of something to hide or protect it

**Supersede** - to take the place of somebody/something which existed

### Sol.521.(d) Borrow

Borrow - To take something on loan with the intention of returning it

Lend - to allow somebody to use something for a short time

Lease - a legal agreement that allows you to use a building or land for a fixed period of time in return for rent

Hire - to have the use of something for a short time by paying for it

#### Sol.522.(b) Discus

Discus - A heavy round plate of metal thrown by an athlete

Spear - a long pole with a sharp point at one end

Javelin - a long stick with a pointed end that is thrown in sports competitions

Hammer - a tool with a heavy metal head that is used for hitting nails, etc

## Sol.523.(a) Intimidate

**Intimidate** - Force someone through fear to do or not to do something

Control - power and ability to make somebody/something do what you want Subjugate - to defeat

somebody/something and make them obey you

Murder - the crime of killing a person illegally and on purpose

### Sol.524.(a) Deficiency

Deficiency- A shortage of vitamins, minerals, etc. needed for good health

Nutrition- the food that you eat and the way that it affects your health

**Defect-** something that is wrong with or missing from somebody/something

Disease- an illness of the body in humans, animals or plants

## Sol.525.(a) Pirate

Pirate - A person who attacks and robs ships at sea

Crook - a dishonest person

Burglar - a person who enters a building illegally in order to steal

Pilot - a person who flies an aircraft

## Sol.526.(c) Surge

Surge - Move suddenly and powerfully forward or upward

Abound - to exist in large numbers

Thrive - to grow or develop well

Flourish - to develop in a successful way

## Sol.527.(b) Recluse

Recluse - A person who lives a Solitary life and tends to avoid other people

Vagabond - a person without a home or a job who keeps travelling from one place to another

Guru - a spiritual leader or teacher in the Hindu religion

Saint - a very good or religious person

## Sol.528.(d) Portable

Portable - something that can be carried

Mobile - able to move or be moved easily Potable - safe to drink

Briefcase - a flat case that you use for carrying papers, etc., especially when you go to work

## Sol.529.(a) Metamorphosis

Metamorphosis - A change in the form or nature of something

Hibernation - the state of being asleep for the winter

Camouflaging - to conceal or disguise by camouflage

**Refraction -** a deflection from a straight path undergone by a light ray or energy

#### Sol.530.(a) Pack

Pack - A group of wolves

Flock - a group of sheep or birds

Troop - a large group of people or

Tribe - a group of people that have the same language and customs and that have a leader

## Sol.531.(c) Ambidextrous

Ambidextrous - One who can use both hands equally well

Multitalented - having many skills or talents.

Multifaceted - having many aspects to be considered

Ambivalent- having or showing a mixture of feelings or opinions about something or somebody

## Sol.532.(b) Corroborate

Corroborate - Confirm or support something

Collaborate - to work together with somebody, especially to create or produce something

Cooperate - to work with somebody else to achieve something

Consider - to think about something carefully,

## SSC CGL 2020 Tier - 1

Q.533. A group of three novels or plays, each complete in itself

SSC CGL 13/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) Triplet

(b) Triumvir

(c) Trivet (d) Trilogy

Q.534. One who does not take any alcoholic drink

SSC CGL 13/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Teetotaller

(b) Astrologer

(c) Perfectionist (d) Vegetarian

Q.535. A group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, travelling together. SSC CGL 16/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Caravan (b) Troop (c) Circus (d) Gang

Q.536. Having no boundaries or limits SSC CGL 17/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) Enormous

(b) Tremendous

(c) Infinite

(d) Colossal

Q.537. A sentimental longing for a period in the past

SSC CGL 17/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Memory

(b) Emotion

(c) Craving

(d) Nostalgia

Q.538. Soft, inner part of a nut or fruit-stone

SSC CGL 17/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Bean (b) Pulp (c) Caramel (d) Kernel

Q.539. A person who thinks that bad things are more likely to happen or who emphasises the bad part of a situation SSC CGL 18/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Complainer (b) Misanthropist

(c) Optimist

(d) Pessimist

Q.540. The act or habit of talking in one's

SSC CGL 18/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Somniloquy

(b) Soliloguy

(d) Prologue (c) Monologue

Q.541. A dynamic campaign for political, social or religious change SSC CGL 18/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Mutiny

(b) Conflict

(c) Crusade

(d) War

Q.542. A person preoccupied with an unrealistically optimistic approach to life SSC CGL 20/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Practical

(b) Pragmatic

(c) Rational

(d) Quixotic

Q.543. A musical composition made up of a series of songs or short pieces SSC CGL 23/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) Medley

(b) Orchestra

(c) Lyric

(d) Band

Q.544. A secret or disguised way of writing

SSC CGL 23/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Emblem

(b) Cypher

(c) Symbol

(d) Puzzle

Q.545. A family of young birds SSC CGL 23/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Kids (b) Brood (c) Offspring (d) Litter

Q.546. A corporation made up of a number of different companies that operate in diversified fields

SSC CGL 24/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) Conglomerate (b) Correlation

(c) Agreement (d) Association

Q.547. An examination of a dead body to determine the cause of death SSC CGL 24/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Analysis

(b) Homicide

(c) Post-mortem (d) Suicide

Q.548. The art of effective or persuasive speaking or writing

SSC CGL 24/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Rhetoric

(b) Archaic

(c) Poetry

(d) Bombastic

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.533.(d) Trilogy - a group of three novels or plays, each complete in itself **Triplet -** one of three children or animals that are born to one mother at the same time

Triumvir - each of three public officers jointly responsible for overseeing any of the administrative departments.

Trivet - an iron tripod or bracket for a cooking pot or kettle to stand on.

Sol.534.(a) Teetotaller - one who does not take any alcoholic drink

Astrologer - a person who is an expert in astrology

Perfectionist - a person who always does things as well as he/she possibly can

and who expects others to do the same Vegetarian - a person who does not eat meat or fish

Sol.535.(a) Caravan - a group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, traveling together.

Troop - a large group of soldiers Circus - a show performed in a large tent by a company of people and animals Gang - an organized group of criminals

## Sol.536.(c)

Infinite - having no boundaries or limits Enormous- very big or very great Tremendous- very large or great Colossal- extremely large

Sol.537.(d) Nostalgia - a sentimental longing for a period in the past

**Memory-** a person's ability to remember

Emotion- a strong feeling such as love, anger, fear, etc.

Craving- a strong desire for something

#### Sol.538.(d)

Kernel - the inner part of a nut or seed Pulp- soft, inner part of a nut or fruit-stone

Bean- similar seeds from some other plants

Caramel - a type of sticky sweet that is made from boiled sugar, butter, and milk

Sol.539.(d) **Pessimist** a person who thinks that bad things are more likely to happen

Complainer - a person who complains a lot about his/her problem.

Misanthropist - a person who hates or avoids other people

Optimist - a person who always believes that good things will happen.

### Sol.540.(a) Somniloquy

- the act or habit of talking in one's sleep Soliloguy - the act of speaking thoughts aloud in this way

Monologue - a long speech by one person, for example in a play

Prologue - a piece of writing or a speech that introduces a play, poem, etc.

Sol.541.(c) Crusade - a dynamic campaign for political, social, or religious change

Mutiny - an act of a group of people, especially sailors or soldiers, refusing to obey the person who is in command

**Conflict -** a fight or an argument

War - a state of fighting between different countries or groups

Sol.542.(d) Quixotic - a person preoccupied with an unrealistically optimistic approach to life

Practical concerned with actually doing something rather than with ideas or thought

Pragmatic - dealing with problems in a practical way rather than by following ideas or principles

Rational - based on reason, sensible or logical

Sol.543.(a) Medlev а musical composition made up of a series of songs or short pieces

Orchestra - a large group of musicians who play different musical instruments together

Lyric - the words of a song.

Band - a small group of musicians who play popular music together

Sol.544.(b) Cypher - a secret or disguised way of writing

Emblem - an object or symbol that represents something

Symbol - a sign, object, etc. which represents something

Puzzle - something that is difficult to understand or explain

### Sol.545.(b)

Brood - a family of young birds Kids - a child or young person

Offspring - the young of an animal

Litter - pieces of paper, rubbish, etc. that are left in a public place

Sol.546.(a) Conglomerate corporation made up of a number of different companies that operate in diversified fields

Correlation - a measure of the extent to which two variables are related.

Agreement - the state of agreeing with somebody/something

Association - joining or working with another person or group

Sol.547.(c) Post-mortem an examination of a dead body to determine the cause of death

Analysis - careful examination of something

Homicide - the illegal killing of one person by another

Suicide - the act or an instance of taking own voluntarily one's life intentionally

Sol.548.(a) Rhetoric - the art of effective or persuasive speaking or writing

**Archaic -** very old-fashioned

Poetry - a collection of poems

Bombastic - high-sounding but with little meaning

## SSC CHSL 2020 Tier - 1

Q.549. speed greater than that of sound SSC CHSL 12/04/2021 (Morning)

(a) harmonic

(b) cacophonic

(c) supersonic (d) subsonic

Q.550. Someone who studies elections and voting statistics

SSC CHSL 12/04/2021 (Evening)

(a) Psychologist (b) Psephologist

(c) Analyst

(d) Mathematician

Q.551. Doing something awkwardly or in a clumsy manner

SSC CHSL 12/04/2021 (Evening)

(a) Fumbling (b) Faltering

(c) Hastening (d) Stumbling

Q.552. A person authorised to examine and verify accounts.

SSC CHSL 13/04/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) auditor

(b) distributor

(c) anchor

(d) commentator

Q.553. An act of breaking or failing to observe a law

SSC CHSL 15/04/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) braid

(b) breach

(c) brooch

(d) brusque

Q.554. Based on chance rather than on reason or a plan

SSC CHSL 15/04/2021 (Evening)

(a) Extraordinary

(b) Unique

(c) Arbitrary

(d) Ordinary

Q.555. In an enthusiastic way SSC CHSL 16/04/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Encouragingly (b) Unfeelingly

(c) Earnestly

(d) Heartily

Q.556. The branch of science concerned with the study of Earth and its composition

SSC CHSL 16/04/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Geology

(b) Zoology

(c) Biology

(d) Metrology

Q.557. Withdraw from a forward position in battle

SSC CHSL 19/04/2021 (Morning)

(a) Retreat

(b) Resort

(c) Restore

(d) Relocate

Q.558. Eat or drink food quickly and in large amounts

SSC CHSL 19/04/2021 (Evening)

(a) Choke (b) Sip (c) Gulp (d) Swish

Q.559. a person who formally requests something, especially a job SSC CHSL 04/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) applicant

(b) trainee

(c) contestant

(d) Nominee

Q.560. a period of two weeks SSC CHSL 06/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) month

(b) century

(c) decade

(d) fortnight

Q.561. Something which cannot be taken

SSC CHSL 06/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Impregnable (b) Irresistible

(c) Imperative

(d) Impromptu

Q.562. A strong interest in something or someone

SSC CHSL 06/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Fixation

(b) Empathy

(c) Apathy

(d) Attachment

Q.563. To come to an end

SSC CHSL 06/08/2021 (Evening)

(b) exhale

(a) initiate (c) inspire

(d) expire

Q.564. Leather straps put around a horse's head to control it SSC CHSL 10/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) bridle (b) bridal (c) saddle (d) stirrup

Q.565. The study of ancient civilisations and cultures by examining their sites SSC CHSL 10/08/2021 (Afternoon)

(a) Archaeology (b) Entomology

(c) Etymology

(d) Arachnology

Q.566. A quick, sudden movement SSC CHSL 11/08/2021 (Afternoon) (a) Flick (b) Fleck (c) Dust (d) Speck

Q.567. one who investigates and solves crimes

SSC CHSL 12/08/2021 (Morning)

(a) lawyer

(b) criminal

(c) detective

(d) journalist

Q.568. A hunting weapon which comes back, used by Australian Aborigines SSC CHSL 12/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) harpoon

(b) cutlass

(c) slingshot

(d) boomerang

Q.569. Causing a strong dislike SSC CHSL 12/08/2021 (Evening)

(a) Redundant

(b) Repulsive

(c) Hateful

(d) Revealing

Solutions:-

Sol.549.(c) Supersonic - speed greater than that of sound

Harmonic - used to describe the way notes are played or sung together to make a pleasing sound

Cacophonic - having an unpleasant sound

Subsonic - relating to or flying at a speed or speeds less than that of sound.

Sol.550.(b) Psephologist - someone who studies elections and voting statistics

Psychologist - a person who studies the mind and the way that people behave

Analyst - a person whose job is to examine something carefully as an expert

Mathematician - a person who studies or is an expert in mathematics

Sol.551.(a) Fumbling - doing something awkwardly or in a clumsy manner

Faltering - to become weak or move in a way that is not steady

Hastening - to be quick to do or say something

Stumbling - to hit your foot against something

Sol.552.(a) Auditor - a person authorized to examine and verify accounts

Distributor - a person or company that transports and supplies goods to a number of shops and companies

Anchor - a heavy metal object at the end of a chain that you drop into the water from a boat in order to stop the boat from moving

Commentator person who commentates on something

Sol.553.(b) Breach - an act of breaking or failing to observe a law

Braid - a thin coloured rope that is used to decorate military uniforms, etc.

Brooch - a piece of jewellery with a pin at the back that women wear on their clothes

Brusque - using very few words and sounding rude

Sol.554.(c) Arbitrary - based on chance rather than on reason or a plan

Extraordinary- very unusual

Unique- not like anything else, being the only one of its type

Ordinary- not unusual or different from others

Sol.555.(d)

Heartily- in an enthusiastic way

Encouragingly- giving courage, hope or confidence

Unfeelingly- incapable of feeling

Earnestly- very seriously

Sol.556.(a) Geology- The branch of science concerned with the study of Earth and its composition

Zoology- the scientific study of animals Biology- the scientific study of living thinas

Metrology- the scientific study of measurement.

Sol.557.(a) Retreat - withdraw from a forward position in battle

Resort - a place where a lot of people go on holiday

Restore- to put somebody/something back into his/her/its former condition or position

Relocate- move to a new place and establish one's home or business there.

Sol.558.(c) Gulp - Eat or drink food quickly and in large amounts

Choke - to make somebody unable to breathe

Sip - to drink a liquid by taking small mouthfuls

Swish- to move quickly through the air

Sol.559.(a) Applicant - a person who formally requests something, especially

Trainee - a person who is being taught how to do a particular job

Contestant - a person who takes part in a contest

Nominee - a person who is suggested for an important job, prize, etc.

Sol.560.(d)

fortnight- a period of two weeks Century- a period of 100 years Decade-a period of ten years

Sol.561.(a) Impregnable - something which cannot be taken by force Irresistible - so strong that it cannot be

stopped or prevented

**Imperative -** very important or urgent **Impromptu** - without being prepared or organized

**Sol.562.(a) Fixation -** a strong interest in something or someone

**Empathy** - the ability to imagine how another person is feeling and so understand his/her mood

**Apathy** - the feeling of not being interested in or enthusiastic about anything

**Attachment -** something that you can fit on something else to make it do a different job

**Sol.563.(d) Expire -** To come to an end **Initiate -** to start something

**Exhale** - to breathe out the air, smoke, etc. in your lungs

**Inspire** - to make somebody want to do or create something

**Sol.564.(a) Bridle -** Leather straps put a.round a horse's head to control it

Bridal - connected with a bride

**Saddle** - a seat, usually made of leather, that you put on a horse so that you can ride it

**Stirrup** - one of the two metal objects that you put your feet in when you are riding a horse

**Sol.565.(a) Archaeology -** The study of ancient civilisations and cultures by examining their sites.

**Entomology** - the branch of zoology concerned with the study of insects.

**Etymology** - the study of the origin of words and the way in which their meanings have changed throughout history.

**Arachnology** - Arachnology is the scientific study of arachnids, which comprise spiders and related animals such as scorpions, pseudoscorpions, and harvestmen.

## Sol.566.(a)

Flick - A guick, sudden movement.

**Fleck** - a very small mark on something or a very small piece of something.

**Dust** - very small pieces of dry dirt, sand, etc. in the form of a powder.

Speck - a very small spot or mark.

**Sol.567.(c) Detective-** one who investigates and solves crimes

**Lawyer-** a person who has a certificate in law and gives legal advice/ help

**Criminal-** a person who has done something illegal

**Journalist-** a person whose job is to collect and write about news in newspapers and magazines or to talk

about it on the television or radio

**Sol.568.(d) Boomerang** - A hunting weapon which comes back, used by Australian Aborigines

**Harpoon** - a long thin weapon with a sharp pointed end and a rope tied to it that is used to catch large sea animals (whales)

**Cutlass -** a short sword with a slightly curved blade, formerly used by sailors.

Slingshot- a forked stick

## Sol.569.(b)

**Repulsive -** Causing a strong dislike **Redundant -** no longer needed for a job and therefore out of work

Hateful - extremely unpleasant

**Revealing -** allowing something to be known that was secret or unknown before

## SSC CPO 2019 Tier - 2

**Q.570.** A person who shows people their seats

SSC CPO Tier II (26/07/2021)

(a) usher

(b) guard

(c) watchman

(d) cameraman

**Q.571.** To give one's authority to another SSC CPO Tier II (26/07/2021)

(a) shirk

(b) supervise

(c) usurp

(d) delegate

**Q.572.** One who rides horses in races SSC CPO Tier II (26/07/2021)

(a) jockey

(b) sprinter

(c) athlete

(d) porter

**Q.573.** A fictitious name used by an author

SSC CPO Tier II (26/07/2021)

(a) alibi

(b) namesake

(c) homonym

(d) pseudonym

**Q.574.** Someone taken a prisoner to fulfil demands

SSC CPO Tier II (26/07/2021)

(a) dealer (b) hostage (c) guest (d) host

## **Solutions:-**

**Sol.570.(a) Usher -** a person who shows people their seats

**Guard -** the state of being ready to prevent attack or danger

**Watchman -** a man whose job is to guard a building

**Cameraman** - a person whose job is to operate a camera for a film or a television company

**Sol.571.(d) Delegate -** to give one's authority to another

**Shirk** - to avoid doing something that is difficult or unpleasant,

Supervise - to watch somebody/something to make sure that work is being done properly or that people are behaving correctly

Usurp - to take somebody's position

**Sol.572.(a) Jockey -** one who rides horses in races

**Sprinter -** an athlete who races over short

distances.

**Athlete -** a person who can run, jump, etc. very well

**Porter-** a person whose job is to carry suitcases, etc. at a railway station, airport, etc.

**Sol.573.(d) Pseudonym** - a fictitious name used by an author

**Alibi** - a statement by somebody that says you were in a different place at the time of a crime and so cannot be guilty of the crime

**Namesake -** a person who has the same name as another

**Homonym** - a word that is spelled and pronounced like another word but that has a different meaning

**Sol.574.(b) Hostage -** someone who has been taken as a prisoner to fulfil demands

**Dealer** - a person whose business is buying and selling things

**Guest -** a person who is invited to a place or to a special event

**Host -** a person who invites guests to his/her house

# SSC CPO 2020 Tier - 1

**Q.575.** Be more successful than someone

SSC CPO 23/11/2020 (Morning)

(a) win (b) beat (c) succeed (d) outdo

**Q.576.** Something done because one wants to, not by force

SSC CPO 23/11/2020 (Morning)

(a) subjected

(b) threatened

(c) coerced

(d) voluntary

**Q.577.** One who changes sides SSC CPO 23/11/2020 (Evening)

(a) amateur

(b) invader

(c) novice

(d) turncoat

**Q.578.** A person with the same name as another

SSC CPO 23/11/2020 (Evening)

(a) alias

(b) imposter

(c) namesake

(d) ancestor

 $\textbf{Q.579.} \ \textbf{A} \ \textbf{person who is unduly anxious}$ 

about his/her health

SSC CPO 23/11/2020 (Evening)

- (a) valetudinarian
- (b) antiquarian
- (c) disciplinarian
- (d) egalitarian

Q.580. A deceased holy person's remains or belongings kept for reverence SSC CPO 24/11/2020 (Evening)

- (a) memento
- (b) relic
- (c) trophy
- (d) souvenir

Q.581. Holding an office without receiving a pay

SSC CPO 24/11/2020 (Evening)

- (a) honorary
- (b) charity
- (c) freelance
- (d) startup

Q.582. A particular form of a language which is peculiar to a specific region SSC CPO 25/11/2020 (Morning)

- (a) lingo
- (b) slang
- (c) dialect
- (d) jargon

Q.583. To cross streets on foot carelessly SSC CPO 25/11/2020 (Evening)

- (a) catwalk
- (b) jaywalk
- (c) stroll
- (d) Wander

Q.584. Travelling under a name other than one's own

SSC CPO 25/11/2020 (Evening)

- (a) incredible
  - (b) incognito
- (c) impromptu
- (d) Invisible

Q.585. To separate husk from the grain SSC CPO 25/11/2020 (Evening)

(a) willow (b) winnow (c) whip (d) Whisk

## **Solutions:-**

Sol.575.(d) Outdo - to be more successful than someone

win/beat- to beat your opponent

Succeed- - to get success in some endeavour

Sol.576.(d) Voluntary - Something done because one wants to, not by force.

Threatened- - to warn that you may hurt. kill or punish somebody if he/she does not do what you want.

Coerced - to force somebody to do something, for example by threatening him/her.

### Sol.577.(d)

Turncoat- one who changes sides.

Amateur- a person who does not have skill or experience when doing something.

Invader- Invaders are soldiers who enter a country with an army in order to attack and take control of it.

Novice - a person who is new and without experience in a certain job, situation, etc.

Sol.578.(c) Namesake - A person with the name as another.

Alias - a false name, for example one that is used by a criminal.

Imposter - a person who pretends to be somebody else in order to trick other

Ancestor - a person in your family who lived a long time before you.

### Sol.579.(a)

Valetudinarian - a person who is unduly anxious about his/her health.

Antiquarian - a person who studies or collects antiques or antiquities.

Disciplinarian - a person who believes in or practises firm discipline.

Egalitarian - a person who favours equality with respect to social, political, and economic affairs.

### Sol.580.(b)

Relic - A deceased holy person's remains or belongings kept for reverence.

Memento- a reminder of something, especially a past event or time.

Trophy- a large silver cup, etc. that you get for winning a competition or race.

Souvenir- something that you keep to remind you of somewhere you have been on holiday or of a special event.

Sol.581.(a) Honorary - Holding an office without receiving a pay.

Charity - To do work that is useful to society and the money or gifts collected or given to people who are poor, sick.

Freelance - Earning money by selling your services or work to different organizations rather than being employed by a single company.

Startup - A startup or start-up is a company or project undertaken by an entrepreneur to seek, develop, and validate a scalable economic model.

Sol.582.(c) Dialect - A particular form of a language which is peculiar to a specific region.

Lingo - The vocabulary or jargon of a particular subject or group of people, a foreign language or local dialect.

Slang - Informal words and expressions that are more common in spoken language. Slang is sometimes used only by a particular group of people.

Jargon - special or technical words that are used by a particular group of people in a particular profession and that other people do not understand.

Sol.583.(b) Jaywalk - To cross streets on foot carelessly.

Catwalk- a platform extending into an auditorium, along which models walk to display clothes in fashion shows.

Stroll- a slow walk for pleasure.

Wander- to walk somewhere slowly with no particular sense of direction or purpose.

Sol.584.(b) Incognito - Travelling under a name other than one's own.

Incredible- something which is impossible to believe.

Impromptu- without being prepared or organized.

Invisible - something that cannot be

Sol.585.(b) Winnow - To separate husk from the grain.

Willow- a tree with long thin branches that hang down and which often grows near water.

Whip- to hit a person or an animal hard with a whip, as a punishment or to make him/her/it go faster or work harder.

Whisk- to take somebody / something somewhere very quickly.

### SSC CGL 2019 Tier - 2

Q.586. Place where two or more rivers meet

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

- (a) strait
- (b) confluence
- (c) delta
- (d) estuary

Q.587. A set of rooms forming one residence in a building

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

- (a) bungalow
- (b) suite
- (c) apartment
- (d) villa

Q.588. Two lengths of rope, wood or metal with cross pieces used for climbing up and down walls SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) stairs (b) railing (c) ladder (d) steps

0.589. Medical doctors who specialise in diagnosing diseases using X-rays, CT scans and ultrasound

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

- (a) pathologist
- (b) cardiologist
- (c) radiologist
- (d) dermatologist

Q.590. Something of little value or importance

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

- (a) trivial
- (b) cardinal
- (c) scanty
- (d) Fundamental

Q.591. A slowly moving mass or river of

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

- (a) typhoon
- (b) glacier
- (c) blizzard
- (d) avalanche
- Q.592. The organic component of soil,

formed by the decomposition of leaves and other plant material SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) silt (b) humus (c) clay (d) alluvium

Q.593. Safe to drink

SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) Edible

(b) Feasible

(c) Delectable

(d) Potable

Q.594. A partner in crime SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) Accomplice (b) Amateur

(c) Agent

(d) Alibi

Q.595. A group of lions SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) Herd (b) Pride (c) Pack (d) Colony

Q.596. A very large impressive residence SSC CGL Tier II (15/11/2020)

(a) Mansion

(b) Igloo

(c) Cabin

(d) Cottage

Q.597. An extreme fear of darkness SSC CGL Tier II (18/11/2020)

(a) Acrophobia

(b) Hydrophobia

(c) Nyctophobia (d) Hemophobia

0.598. A statement which cannot be contradicted

SSC CGL Tier II (18/11/2020)

(a) Irresistible

(b) Irrational

(c) Irreparable

(d) Irrefutable

Q.599. A group of cattle SSC CGL Tier II (18/11/2020)

(a) Pride (b) Herd (c) Flock (d) Litter

Q.600. Act of giving up the throne SSC CGL Tier II (18/11/2020)

(a) Abdication

(b) Admiration

(c) Adulation

(d) Addiction

Q.601. A fast moving stream of water SSC CGL Tier II (18/11/2020)

(a) Fissure

(b) Volcano

(c) Quake

(d) Torrent

**Solutions:-**

Sol.586.(b) Confluence - Place where two or more rivers meet.

Strait-a waterway that connects two large water bodies.

Estuary- a partially closed body with one or more rivers flowing into it.

Sol.587.(c) Apartment- A set of rooms forming one residence in a building.

Bungalow- a house that is all in one level, without stairs

Suite - a room, especially in a hotel.

Villa - a house that people usually live in during the holidays.

Sol.588.(c) Ladder - two lengths of rope,

wood or metal with cross-pieces used for climbing up and down walls.

stairs - a series of steps inside a building that lead from one level to another

Railing - a fence around a park, ground that is made of metal bars.

Sol.589.(c) Radiologist - A doctor specialised in diagnosing diseases and injuries using medical imaging techniques like X-Ray.

Pathologist - A medical healthcare provider which helps in diagnosing diseases through pathology technology.

Cardiologist - A doctor specialised in diagnosing diseases and injuries using medical imaging techniques like X-Ray.

Dermatologist - A doctor specialised in treating diseases related to skin.

Sol.590.(a) Trivial - Something of little value or importance.

Cardinal - a priest at a high level in a church, a very important person.

Scanty - less than sufficient, lacking in amount.

Fundamental - Base from which everything else develops.

Sol.591.(b) Glacier - A slowly moving mass or river of ice.

**Typhoon** - A mature tropical cyclone that occurs in the northern hemisphere.

Blizzard Heavy snowstorm accompanied with strong winds.

**Avalanche -** a large amount of snow that slides down quickly from a mountain.

Sol.592.(b) Humus - The organic component of soil which is formed by the decomposition of leaves and other plant materials.

Silt - sand or soil that collects on the sides of a river.

Alluvium - sand or soil that is left by rivers.

Sol.593.(d) Potable - Safe to drink Edible - Safe to eat.

Feasible - something which is possible or achievable.

Delectable - extremely good to taste or smell.

Sol.594.(a)

Accomplice - A partner in crime.

Amateur - A person who engages in any activity just for fun or pleasure and not for any purpose.

Alibi - A statement that proves someone was not present at the time of crime or had not committed the crime

Sol.595.(b) Pride - A group of lions. Herd- A large group of animals of one kind that live and feed together.

Pack- A group of wolves.

Sol.596.(a) Mansion - A very large impressive residence.

Igloo - a small house that is built from blocks of snow.

Cottage- a usually small and old house.

Sol.597.(c) Nyctophobia - an extreme fear of darkness.

Acrophobia - fear of height.

Hydrophobia - fear of water.

Hemophobia - fear of seeing blood.

Sol.598.(d) Irrefutable - a statement which cannot be contradicted.

Irresistible - cannot be stopped or prevented

Irrational - illogical or unreasonable statement.

Irreparable - something which cannot be repaired, reconstructed.

Sol.599.(b) Herd - A group of cattle.

Pride - a group of lions.

Flock - a group of animals, birds or sheep.

Litter - pieces of paper, that are left in a public place.

Sol.600.(a) Abdication - Act of giving up the throne.

Admiration - a feeling of liking and respecting somebody/something very much.

Adulation - extreme admiration

Addiction - a condition in which a person finds themselves unable to stop using a substance or engaging in a behavior.

Sol.601.(d) Torrent - a fast moving stream of water.

Fissure - a long deep crack in something, especially in rock or in the earth

**Volcano** - a mountain with a hole (crater) at the top through which steam, hot melted rock (lava), fire, etc. sometimes come out

Quake - (used about a person) to shake

# SSC CHSL 2019 Tier - 1

Q.602. Something that is genuine SSC CHSL 12/10/2020 (Morning)

(a) Majestic

(b) Authentic

(c) Unreal

(d) Academic

**Q.603.** Steal or misappropriate money SSC CHSL 12/10/2020 (Evening)

(a) Embezzle

(b) Raid

(c) Manipulate

(d) Overcharge

**0.604.** Combine to form a whole SSC CHSL 12/10/2020 (Evening)

(a) Scatter

(b) Integrate

- (c) Disjoin (d) Create
- Q.605. Very careful and precise SSC CHSL 13/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Tremulous (b) Tumultuous
- (c) Garrulous (d) Meticulous
- Q.606. A natural skill at doing something SSC CHSL 13/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Snack (b) Knack (c) Quack (d) Stack
- Q.607. A group of ships sailing together. SSC CHSL 13/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Navy
- (b) Fleet
- (c) Vessels
- (d) Cruisers
- Q.608. A person who is blamed for something that someone else has done SSC CHSL 14/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Enemy
- (b) Competitor
- (c) Scapegoat
- (d) Opponent
- Q.609. One who tells future from the stars
- SSC CHSL 14/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Miser
- (b) Personification
- (c) Philanthropist (d) Astrologer
- Q.610. Movement of people or animals from one area to another
- SSC CHSL 14/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Diversification (b) Migration
- (c) Acclimatisation (d) Population
- Q.611. A group of people who have come together in a religious building for worship and prayer
- SSC CHSL 15/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Congregation (b) Crowd
- (c) Throng
- (d) Multitude
- Q.612. A situation in which many people leave a place at the same time SSC CHSL 15/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Exodus
- (b) Mitigation
- (c) Navigation
- (d) Immigration
- Q.613. Come in the way of SSC CHSL 15/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Indulge
- (b) Facilitate
- (c) Hamper
- (d) Deprive
- Q.614. An unforeseen happening which
- creates some damage SSC CHSL 15/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Mystery
- (b) Menace
- (c) Magical
- (d) Mishap
- Q.615. Soon passing out or of a short duration
- SSC CHSL 16/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Frostbite
- (b) Evanescent
- (c) Extempore
- (d) Fluke
- Q.616. Repetition of an initial sound in two or more words of a line SSC CHSL 19/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Assonance
- (b) Rhythm

- (c) Alliteration (d) Rhyme
- Q.617. A plantation of grapes SSC CHSL 19/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Nursery
- (b) Vineyard
- (c) Orchard
- (d) Grove
- Q.618. A small compartment in an aircraft for the pilot
- SSC CHSL 19/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Chassis
- (b) Cockpit
- (c) Canopy
- (d) Fuselage
- Q.619. Flesh-eating animal SSC CHSL 20/10/2020 (Morning)
- (a) Insectivore
- (b) Carnivore
- (c) Omnivore
- (d) Herbivore
- Q.620. A deep fissure in the earth's surface
- SSC CHSL 20/10/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Volcano
- (b) Chasm
- (c) Earthquake
- (d) Tremor
- Q.621. Something like an opening, particularly one in the body such as a nostril
- SSC CHSL 20/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Orifice
- (b) Obtuse
- (c) Obscure
- (d) Oblique
- Q.622. Making one feel very sad SSC CHSL 21/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Heart-to-heart (b) Heart-searching
- (c) Heart-stopping (d) Heart-wrenching
- Q.623. Covered with a material or substance in order to stop heat, sound etc. from entering or escaping.
- SSC CHSL 26/10/2020 (Afternoon) (a) Hydrated
  - (b) Insulated
- (c) Assimilated
- (d) Calibrated
- Q.624. Unable to think clearly because of a mental illness
- SSC CHSL 26/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Deranged
- (b) Eccentric
- (c) Whimsical
- (d) Balanced
- Q.625. A person working on a trial period SSC CHSL 26/10/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Probationer
- (b) Petitioner
- (c) Practitioner
- (d) Professional
- Q.626. A vertical passageway into a mine SSC SSC CHSL 17/03/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Canal (b) Lobby (c) Shaft (d) Aisle
- Q.627. A place where wild animals live SSC CHSL 17/03/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Lair (b) Hutch (c) Kennel (d) Cage

Q.628. Small room where dishes are

- washed SSC CHSL 18/03/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Ante-room
- (b) Pantry
- (c) Larder
- (d) Scullery

- Q.629. A person who speaks always in praise of himself
- SSC CHSL 18/03/2020 (Evening)
- (a) Nationalist
- (b) Egotist
- (c) Conventionalist (d) Evangelist
- Q.630. A situation requiring a choice between equally undesirable alternatives or confusions
- SSC CHSL 19/03/2020 (Afternoon)
- (a) Instability
- (b) Complication
- (c) Sophistication (d) Dilemma

## **Solutions:-**

- Sol.602.(b) Authentic real or genuine Majestic - impressive because of its size or beauty
- Unreal very strange and seeming Academic- connected with education
- Sol.603.(a) Embezzle to steal money that you are re - sponsible for or that belongs to your employer
- Raid a surprise visit by the police looking for criminals or illegal goods
- Manipulate to influence somebody so that he/she does or thinks what you want Overcharge - to ask somebody to pay too much money for something
- Sol.604.(b) Integrate to join things so that they become one thing or work together
- Scatter to drop or throw things in different directions over a wide area
- Sol.605.(d) Meticulous very careful Tremulous - shaking slightly because you
- are nervous Tumultuous - very noisy, because people are excited
- Garrulous talking a lot, mostly about unimportant things
- Sol.606.(b) Knack skill or ability to do something
- Snack food that you eat quickly
- between main meals Stack - a tidy pile of something
- Sol.607.(b) Fleet a group of ships or boats that sail together
- Vessels a ship or large boat
- Cruisers a large fast ship used in a war
- Sol.608.(c) Scapegoat a person who is punished for things that are not his/her fault
- Competitor a person who takes part in a sporting contest.
- Opponent a person who plays against somebody
- Sol.609.(d) Astrologer One who tells future from the stars

**Miser** - a person who loves to have a lot of money but hates to spend it

**Philanthropist** - a rich person who helps the poor and those in need, especially by giving money

**Sol.610.(b) Migration** - seasonal movement of animals from one region to another.

**Diversification** - the action of diversifying something or the fact of becoming more diverse.

**Acclimatisation** - the process or result of becoming accustomed to a new climate or to new conditions.

**Sol.611.(a) Congregation -** A group of people who have come together in a religious building for worship and prayer **Crowd -** a large number of people in one place

**Throng** - a large crowd of people **Multitude** - a very large number of people or things

**Sol.612.(a) Exodus** - a situation in which many people leave a place at the same time

**Mitigation** - the action of reducing the severity, seriousness, or painfulness of something.

**Navigation** - the process or activity of accurately ascertaining one's position and planning and following a route.

**Immigration** - the process of coming to live permanently in a country that is not your own

### Sol.613.(c)

**Hamper** - to make something difficult **Indulge** - to allow yourself to have or do something for pleasure

**Facilitate** - to make something possible or easier

**Deprive -** to prevent somebody / something from having something

**Sol.614.(d) Mishap** - a small accident or piece of bad luck that does not have serious results

**Mystery** - a thing that you cannot understand or explain

Menace - a danger or threat

Magical - that seems to use magic

**Sol.615.(b) Evanescent** - quickly fading or disappearing.

**Frostbite** - a serious medical condition of the fingers, toes, etc. that is caused by very low temperatures

**Extempore** - spoken or done without preparation.

**Fluke** - a surprising and lucky result that happens by accident

Sol.616.(b) Rhythm - a strong, regular

repeated pattern of movement or sound.

**Assonance** - resemblance of sound between syllables of nearby words

**Alliteration** - the use of the same letter or sound at the beginning of words that are close together

**Rhyme** - a word that has the same sound as another

**Sol.617.(b) Vineyard** - a piece of land where grapes are grown

**Nursery** - a place where young plants are grown and sold

**Orchard** - a piece of land on which fruit trees are grown

**Grove** - a small group of trees, especially of one particular type

**Sol.618.(b) Cockpit** - the part of a plane where the pilot sits

**Chassis** - the metal frame of a vehicle onto which the other parts fit

**Canopy** - a cover that hangs or spreads above something

**Fuselage** - the main part of a plane (not the engines, wings or tail)

#### Sol.619.(b)

**Carnivore** - an animal that eats meat **Insectivore** - any animal that eats insects **Omnivore** - an animal that eats both plants and meat

**Herbivore** - an animal that only eats grass and plants

### Sol.620.(b)

**Chasm** - a deep hole in the ground **Tremor** - a slight shaking movement

**Sol.621.(a) Orifice** - a hole or opening, especially in the body

Obscure - not well known

**Oblique** - not expressed or done in a direct way

**Sol.622.(d) Heart-wrenching** - extremely sad or distressing.

**Heart-to-heart** - (of a conversation) candid, intimate, and personal.

**Sol.623.(b) Insulated** - to protect something with a material that prevents electricity, heat or sound from passing through

**Hydrated** - to make something take in water

**Assimilated** - to learn and understand something

**Calibrated** - to mark units of measurement on an instrument so that it can be used for measuring something accurately

**Sol.624.(a) Deranged** - thinking and behaving in a way that is not normal, especially because of mental illness

Eccentric - strange or unusual

Whimsical - unusual and not serious in an amusing or annoying way

**Sol.625.(a) Probationer** - a person who is serving a probationary or trial period in a job or position to which they are newly appointed.

**Petitioner** - a person who presents a petition to an authority in respect of a particular cause.

**Practitioner** - a person who works as a doctor, dentist or lawyer

**Professional** - connected with a job that needs a high level of training and/or education

#### Sol.626.(c)

**Shaft** - A vertical passageway into a mine **Canal** - an artificial waterway constructed to allow the passage of boats or ships inland or to convey water for irrigation.

**Lobby** - the area that is just inside a large building, where people can meet and wait **Aisle** - a passage between the rows of seats in a church, theatre, etc.

**Sol.627.(a)** Lair - the place where a wild animal rests, hides or sleeps

**Hutch** - a wooden box with a front made of wire, that is used for keeping rabbits or other small animals

Kennel - a small house for a dog

**Cage** - a box made of bars or wire, or a space surrounded by wire or metal bars, in which a bird or animal is kept so that it cannot escape.

**Sol.628.(d) Scullery** - a small kitchen or room at the back of a house used for washing dishes and other dirty household work.

**Ante-**room - an antechamber, typically serving as a waiting room.

**Pantry** - a small room or cupboard in which food, crockery, and cutlery are kept.

**Larder** - a room or large cupboard for storing food.

**Sol.629.(b) Egotist** - a person who is excessively conceited or absorbed in themselves; self-seeker.

Nationalist - a person who strongly identifies with their own nation and vigorously supports its interests

**Evangelist** - a person who seeks to convert others to the Christian faith, especially by public preaching.

**Sol.630.(d) Dilemma** - a situation in which a difficult choice has to be made between two or more alternatives

**Instability** - the state of being likely to change

**Complication** - something that makes a situation hard to understand or to deal with

**Sophistication** - the quality of being sophisticated.

### SSC CGL 2019 Tier - 1

**Q.631.** A song sung at a burial SSC CGL 03/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Dirge (b) Ballad (c) Sonnet (d) Hymn

**Q.632.** Open refusal to obey orders. SSC CGL 04/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Compliance (b) Adherence

(c) Obedience (d) Defiance

**Q.633.** Morals that govern one's behaviour.

SSC CGL 04/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Intuition

(b) Ethics (d) Psychology

(c) Attitude (d) Psycholog

**Q.634.** One who loads and unloads ships.

SSC CGL 04/03/2020 (Afternoon)

(a) Spinster

(b) Stevedore

(c) Captain

(d) Rustic

**Q.635.** One who is preoccupied with his own interests.

SSC CGL 04/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Egoist

(b) Pessimist

(c) Atheist (d) Optimist

**Q.636.** A geometrical figure with eight sides.

SSC CGL 04/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Octagon

(b) Pentagon

(c) Hexagon

(d) Heptagon

**Q.637.** One who loves his country. SSC CGL 05/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Collaborator (b) Conspirator

(c) Patriot

(d) Traitor

**Q.638**. A long and aggressive speech. SSC CGL 05/03/2020 (Afternoon)

(a) Harangue

(L) D

(c) Eloquence

(b) Prologue(d) Discussion

**Q.639.** Enclosed area where aircraft are kept and repaired.

SSC CGL 05/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Hanger

(b) Hangar

(c) Hose

(d) Harbinger

**Q.640.** Having two opposing feelings at the same time.

SSC CGL 06/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Contemporary (b) Coinciding

(c) Ambivalent

(d) Equivalent

**Q.641.** To increase the speed. SSC CGL 06/03/2020 (Afternoon)

(a) Activate

(b) Accelerate

(c) Assimilate (d) Exhilarate

(a) Eximarate

**Q.642.** A person who attracts attention with a flashy style.

SSC CGL 06/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Glutton

(b) Flamboyant

(c) Jockey

(d) Vagabond

**Q.643.** A game in which neither party wins.

SSC CGL 07/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Equal (b) Flop (c) Draw (d) Quit

**Q.644.** That which cannot be satisfied. SSC CGL 07/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Insatiable

(b) Insane

(c) Ingenuous

(d) Inapt

**Q.645.** A place where plants are grown for sale.

SSC CGL 07/03/2020 (Afternoon)

(a) Yard (b) Garden (c) Aviary (d) Nursery

**Q.646.** To brighten up with lights SSC CGL 07/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Infuriate

(b) Illuminate

(c) Elucidate

(d) Illustrate

**Q.647.** Person or animal living on another.

SSC CGL 09/03/2020 (Morning)

(a) Heir

(b) Successor

(c) Pupil

(d) Parasite

**Q.648.** Anger about an unfair situation or about someone's unfair behaviour. SSC CGL 09/03/2020 (Afternoon)

(a) Indigenisation (b) Indulgence

(c) Induction (d) Indugence

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**Q.649.** Working very hard and very carefully.

SSC CGL 09/03/2020 (Evening)

(a) Dilatory

(b) Indulgent

(c) Diligent

(d) Indigent

**Solutions:-**

Sol.631.(a) Dirge - A song sung at a burial

**Ballad** - a poem or song narrating a story in short stanzas.

**Sonnet -** a poem of fourteen lines using any of a number of formal rhyme schemes

**Hymn -** a religious song or poem of praise to God or a god.

**Sol.632.(d) Defiance -** Open refusal to obey orders

**Compliance** - the state or fact of according with or meeting rules or standards.

**Adherence -** attachment or commitment to a person, cause, or belief.

**Obedience** - compliance with an order, request, or law or submission to another's authority.

**Sol.633.(b) Ethics** - moral principles that govern a person's behaviour or the conducting of an activity.

**Intuition** - the ability to understand something instinctively, without the need for conscious reasoning.

**Attitude** - a settled way of thinking or feeling about something.

**Psychology** - the scientific study of the human mind and its functions, especially those affecting behaviour in a given context.

**Sol.634.(b) Stevedore -** One who loads and unloads ships.

**Spinster** - an unmarried woman, typically an older woman beyond the usual age for marriage.

**Captain** - the person in command of a ship.

**Rustic -** relating to the countryside; rural.

**Sol.635.(a) Egoist** - One who is preoccupied with his own interests.

**Pessimist** - a person who tends to see the worst aspect of things or believe that the worst will happen.

**Atheist** - a person who disbelieves or lacks belief in the existence of God or gods.

**Optimist** - a person who tends to be hopeful and confident about the future or the success of something.

**Sol.636.(a) Octagon -** A geometrical figure with eight sides.

Pentagon - five sides

Hexagon - six sides

Heptagon - seven sides

Sol.637.(c)

Patriot - One who loves his country:

**Collaborator** - a person who works jointly on an activity or project; an associate.

Conspirator - a person who takes part in a conspiracy.

**Traitor** - a person who betrays someone or something, such as a friend, cause, or principle.

**Sol.638.(a)** A long and aggressive speech - **Harangue** 

**Prologue**-a separate introductory section **Eloquent** - Fluent or persuasive speaking or writing.

**Discussion** - a conversation or debate about a specific topic.

**Sol.639.(b) Hangar** - Enclosed area where aircraft are kept and repaired

**Hose** - a flexible tube conveying water, used chiefly for watering plants and in firefighting.

**Harbinger** - person or thing that announces or signals the approach of another.

Sol.640.(c) Ambivalent - Having two opposing feelings at the same time.

Contemporary - living or occurring at the same time.

Coinciding - occur at the same time Equivalent - equal in value, amount, function, meaning, etc.

Sol.641.(b) Accelerate - To increase the speed

Activate - make (something) active or operative.

Assimilate - take in and understand fully (information or ideas).

Exhilarate - make (someone) feel very happy, animated, or elated.

Sol.642.(b) flyambount - A person who attracts attention with a flashy style.

**Glutton** - an excessively greedy eater.

Jockey - a person who rides in horse races, especially as a profession.

Vagabond - a person who wanders from place to place without a home or job.

Sol.643.(c) Draw - A game in which neither party wins

Flop - fall, move, or hang in a loose and ungainly way.

Sol.644.(a) Insatiable - That which cannot be satisfied

Insane - in a state of mind which prevents normal perception, behaviour, or social interaction; seriously mentally ill.

Ingenuous - innocent and unsuspecting Inapt - not suitable or appropriate in the circumstances.

Sol.645.(d) Nursery - a place where young plants and trees are grown for sale or for planting elsewhere.

Aviary - a large cage, building, or enclosure for keeping birds in.

Yard - a great length of something.

Sol.646.(b) illuminate - To brighten up with lights

Infuriate - make (someone) extremely angry and impatient.

Elucidate - make (something) clear; explain.

**Illustrate** - explain or make (something) clear by using examples, charts, pictures, etc.

Sol.647.(d) Parasite - Person or animal living on another

Heir - a person legally entitled to the property or rank of another on that person's death.

Successor - a person or thing that succeeds another.

Pupil - a person who is taught by another, especially a school child or student in relation to a teacher.

Sol.648.(d) Indignation - Anger about an unfair situation or about someone's unfair behaviour:

Indulgence - the action or fact of indulging.

Induction - the action or process of inducting someone to a post or organization.

Indigenisation - the action or process of bringing something under the control, dominance, or influence of the people native to an area.

Sol.649.(c) Diligent - hard working

**Dilatory** - slow to act.

Indulgent - having or indicating a readiness or over-readiness to be generous to or lenient with someone.

Indigent - poor; needy.

## SSC CPO 2019 Tier - 1

Q.650. A person who held a job or office before the current holder SSC CPO 09/12/2019 (Morning)

(a) Successor

(b) Ancient

(c) Predecessor (d) descendant

Q.651. That cannot be approached easily SSC CPO 09/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) Invincible

(b) Inevitable

(c) Inaudible

(d) Inaccessible

Q.652. A detailed plan for a journey especially a list of places to visit SSC CPO 11/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) inventory

(b) trajectory

(c) itinerary

(d) directory

Q.653. One who denies oneself ordinary bodily pleasures

SSC CPO 11/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) Atheist

(b) Theist (d) Ascetic

(c) Aesthetic

Q.654. One who holds established opinions

SSC CPO 12/12/2019 (Morning)

(a) Orthodox

(b) Missionary

(c) Monotheist

(d) Atheist

buildings used to house soldiers SSC CPO 12/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) dormitory

(b) fort

Q.655. A large building or group of

(c) quarters

(d) barracks

Q.656. A sea or stretch of water having many islands

SSC CPO 12/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) harbour

(b) ocean

(c) archipelago

(d) bay

Q.657. All the people in a country or area who are entitled to vote in an election SSC CPO 12/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) electorate

(b) inhabitants

(c) settlers

(d) residents

Q.658. A place where weapons and ammunitions are stored

SSC CPO 13/12/2019 (Morning)

(a) Arsenal

(b) Museum

(c) Hangar

(d) Godown

**Q.659.** A box or cage for rabbits or small animals

SSC CPO 13/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) Lair

(b) Kennel

(c) Hutch

(d) Menagerie

Q.660. The sound of a crow SSC CPO 13/12/2019 (Evening)

(a) cackle (b) creak (c) cluck (d) caw

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.650.(c) Predecessor - a person who held a job or office before the current holder.

Successor - A person or thing that succeeds another.

Ancient - belonging to the very distant past and no longer in existence.

descendant - a person, plant, or animal that is descended from a particular ancestor.

Sol.651.(d) Inaccessible - That cannot be approached easily

Invincible - too powerful to be defeated or overcome

Inevitable - certain to happen; unavoidable

Inaudible - unable to be heard.

Sol.652.(c) itinerary - A detailed plan for a journey especially a list of places to

Inventory - a complete list of items such as property, goods in stock, or the contents of a building.

Trajectory - the path followed by a projectile flying or an object moving under the action of given forces.

directory - a book or website listing individuals organizations or alphabetically or thematically with details such as names, addresses, telephone numbers.

Sol.653.(d) Ascetic - One who denies oneself ordinary bodily pleasures

Atheist - a person who disbelieves or lacks belief in the existence of God or gods.

Theist - a person who believes in the existence of a god or gods, specifically of a creator who intervenes in the universe.

Aesthetic - concerned with beauty or the appreciation of beauty.

Sol.654.(a) Orthodox - One who holds established opinions

Missionary - a person sent on a religious mission, especially one sent to promote Christianity in a foreign country.

Monotheist - Someone who believes that there is only one god

Atheist - Atheism is in the broadest sense an absence of belief in the existence of deities

Sol.655.(d) barracks - A large building or group of buildings used to house soldiers dormitory - a large bedroom for a number of people in a school or institution.

fort - a fortified building or strategic position.

quarters - each of four equal or corresponding parts into which something is or can be divided.

Sol.656.(c) archipelago - A sea or stretch of water having many islands harbour - a place of refuge

Sol.657.(a) electorate - All the people in a country or area who are entitled to vote in an election

inhabitants- a person or animal that lives in or occupies a place.

settlers - a person who moves with a group of others to live in a new country or area.

residents - a person who lives somewhere permanently or on a long-term basis.

Sol.658.(a) Arsenal - A place where weapons and ammunitions are stored

Museum - a building in which objects of historical, scientific, artistic, or cultural interest are stored and exhibited.

Hangar - a large building with an extensive floor area, typically for housing aircraft.

Godown - a warehouse.

Sol.659.(c) Hutch - A box or cage for rabbits or small animals

**Lair** - a place where a wild animal lives.

Kennel - a small shelter for a dog.

Menagerie - a collection of wild animals kept in captivity for exhibition.

Sol.660.(d) caw- The sound of a crow cackle - laugh in a loud, harsh way. creak - a harsh scraping or squeaking sound.

cluck -(of a hen) make a short, low sound.

## SSC CPO 2018 Tier - 2

Q.661. Sound of horses

SSC CPO Tier II (27/09/2019)

(b) screech (a) grunt

(c) squeak (d) neigh

Q.662. A large number of fish swimming together

SSC CPO Tier II (27/09/2019)

(a) herd (b) shoal (c) brood (d) cache

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.661.(d) Neigh - sound of horses Grunt- a short low sound in the throat or a noisy breathing sound.

Screech - to make an unpleasant loud, high sound.

Squeak- a short high noise that is not very loud.

Sol.662.(b) Shoal - a large number of fish swimming together.

Herd - a group of large numbers of animals that live and feed together.

Brood- all the young birds that belong to one mother.

Cache - an amount of something, especially drugs or weapons, that has been hidden or stored together.

## SSC CGL 2018 Tier - 2

Q.663. To express in an unclear way. SSC CGL Tier II (11/09/2019)

(a) eloquent

(b) garbled

(c) lucid

(d) Intelligible

Q.664. Something happening by chance in a happy and beneficial way SSC CGL Tier II (11/09/2019)

(a) serenity

(b) serendipity

(c) misadventure (d) fortitude

Q.665. Continuing for a very long time. SSC CGL Tier II (11/09/2019)

(a) laconic

(b) interim

(c) concise

(d) interminable

Q.666. Splendid and expensive-looking. SSC CGL Tier II (11/09/2019)

(a) sumptuous

(b) peculiar

(c) curious

(d) malicious

Q.667.A distinguished conductor or performer of classical music SSC CGL Tier II (11/09/2019)

(a) maestro

(b) layman

(c) amateur

(d) novice

Q.668. The science dealing with X - rays and other high-energy radiation, especially for the diagnosis treatment of disease.

SSC CGL Tier II (12/09/2019)

(a) nephrology (b) neurology

(c) pathology

(d) radiology

Q.669. The quality of being honest and

having strong moral principles. SSC CGL Tier II (12/09/2019)

(a) insatiability

(b) integrity

(c) insidiousness (d) intellect

Q.670. The customary code of polite behaviour in society.

SSC CGL Tier II (12/09/2019)

(a) norm

(b) majesty

(c) estimation

(d) etiquette

Q.671. The feeling of being upset or annoyed as a result of being unable to change or achieve something.

SSC CGL Tier II (12/09/2019)

(a) astonishment (b) fascination

(c) frustration

(d) anticipation

Q.672. The act of compelling or forcing authority on others.

SSC CGL Tier II (13/09/2019)

(a) aspersion

(b) volition

(c) coercion

(d) Scion

Q.673. The belief that events are predetermined and therefore cannot be changed.

SSC CGL Tier II (13/09/2019)

(a) fatalism

(b) chasm

(c) autism

(d) prism

Q.674. Touching along the side or boundary.

SSC CGL Tier II (13/09/2019)

(a) inconspicuous (b) unpretentious

(c) harmonious

(d) contiguous

Q.675. Making a show of being morally superior to others

SSC CGL Tier II (13/09/2019)

(a) approving

(b) sanctum

(c) profligate

(d) sanctimonious

Q.676. proceeding in a gradual way and secretly intending to cause harm SSC CGL Tier II (13/09/2019)

(a) benevolent

(b) malevolent

(c) solvent

(d) insidious

#### **Solutions:-**

Sol.663.(b) garbled - confused and distorted; unclear.

eloquent - fluent or persuasive in speaking or writing.

lucid - expressed clearly; easy to understand

Intelligible - able to be understood; comprehensible.

## Sol.664.(b) serendipity

serenity - the state of being calm, peaceful, and untroubled.

misadventure - death caused by a person accidentally while performing a legal act without negligence or intent to harm.

fortitude - courage in pain or adversity.

**Sol.665.(d) interminable** - endless or apparently endless (often used hyperbolically).

laconic - using very few words.

interim - the intervening time.

concise - brief but comprehensive.

**Sol.666.(a) sumptuous** - splendid and expensive-looking.

**peculiar** - different to what is normal or expected; strange.

**curious** - eager to know or learn something.

malicious - intended to do harm.

**Sol.667.(a) maestro** - a distinguished conductor or performer of classical music.

**layman** - a person without professional or specialized knowledge in a particular subject.

**amateur** - a person who engages in a pursuit, especially a sport, on an unpaid rather than a professional basis.

**novice** - a person new to and inexperienced in a job or situation.

**Sol.668.(d) radiology** - the science dealing with X-rays and other high-energy radiation

**nephrology** - the branch of medicine that deals with the physiology and diseases of the kidneys.

**neurology** - (related to nerves and the nervous system.)

pathology - (the science of the causes
and effects of diseases)

**Sol.669.(b) integrity-** quality of being honest and having strong moral principles

**insatiability** - Impossible to satiate or satisfy

**insidiousness** - Intended to entrap/harmful; alluring:

intellect -a person's mental powers.

**Sol.670.(d) etiquette** - the customary code of polite behaviour in society

**norm -** something that is usual, typical, or standard.

**majesty** - royal power/ impressive beauty, scale, or stateliness.

**estimation** - a rough calculation of the value, number, quantity, or extent of something.

**Sol.671.(c) frustration** - The feeling of being upset or annoyed as a result of being unable to change or achieve something.

astonishment - great surprise.

fascination - the power to fascinate

someone; the quality of being fascinating.

anticipation - the action of

anticipating something; expectation or prediction.

**Sol.672.(c) coercion** - The act of compelling or forcing authority on others. **aspersion** - an attack on the reputation or integrity of someone or something.

volition - the power of using one's will.

**Scion** - a descendant of a notable family.a young shoot or twig of a plant

**Sol.673.(a) fatalism** - the belief that all events are predetermined and therefore inevitable.

The belief that events are predetermined and therefore cannot be changed

**chasm** - a profound difference between people, viewpoints, feelings, etc.

autism - a developmental disorder

**Prism** - a glass or other transparent object to experiment the division of white light into a spectrum of colours.

**Sol.674.(d) contiguous** -Touching along the side or boundary

**inconspicuous**- not clearly visible or attracting attention.

**unpretentious** - pleasantly simple and functional; modest.

**harmonious** - tuneful /free from disagreement or dissent.

**Sol.675.(d) sanctimonious**-Making a show of being morally superior to others **approving** - showing or feeling approval of someone or something.

**sanctum** - a sacred place, especially a shrine within a temple or church.

**profligate** - recklessly extravagant or wasteful in the use of resources.

**Sol.676.(d) insidious -** proceeding in a gradual way and secretly intending to cause harm

**benevolent** -well meaning and kindly. **malevolent** - having or showing a wish to do evil to others.

**solvent** - able to dissolve other substances.