



PART - III

ENGLISH

There are 30 questions in all in this Part. All questions are compulsory.

61. Which of the following sentences given below conveys the following meaning ?
"Sarojini Naidu was a renowned poetess"
- A) Sarojini Naidu was an infamous poetess
 - B) Sarojini Naidu was a notorious poetess
 - C) Sarojini Naidu was a famous poetess
 - D) Sarojini Naidu was an ill-famed poetess
62. Find out the animal(s) which make the sound 'squeak'.
- A) Guinea pigs
 - B) Hamsters
 - C) Tapirs
 - D) All of the above animals
63. The troops arrived at the crack of the dawn.
The above sentence means
- A) The troops were slow
 - B) The troops arrived very early in the morning
 - C) The troops arrived in the evening
 - D) The troops are defeated
64. Pick out the right spelling from the following.
- A) monolitic
 - B) monalithic
 - C) monolithic
 - D) monolithik

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65. Which of the following options means "Dart, with heedful mind" ?
- A) Move slowly with careful mind
 B) Make a sudden move but be very careful
C) Do not be careful in rushing out
D) Make a careless sudden movement
66. Identify the sentence pattern.
Computer keeps children busy.
- A) SVIDO B) SVOA
 C) SVOC D) SVCA
67. Which among the following is not associated with 'Punctuation' ?
- A) Full stop B) Apostrophe
 C) Conjunction D) Hyphen
68. Choose the correct word for phonetic transcription.
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- A) goal B) glum
C) glow D) girl
69. Frame question for the following sentence.
I go to the market twice a week.
- A) How long do you go to the market ?
B) How much do you go to the market ?
 C) How often do you go to the market ?
D) How many do you go to the market ?
70. The mills of God grind slow _____ sure.
- A) and B) but C) that D) if
71. The number of syllables in the word 'ecological' is
- A) Four B) Six C) Three D) Five



Fill in the blanks by choosing the right options given along with each question.

72. Supply the suitable question tag.

Plants give out oxygen during the day _____ ?

- A) do they
 B) don't they
 C) did they
 D) didn't they

73. Supply a suitable suffix for the given word.

Sheep

- A) ity
 B) ness
 C) ish
 D) ism

74. Fill in the blank with suitable homophone.

The police controlled the

- A) right
 B) riot
 C) write
 D) rite

75. Supply the suitable relative pronoun.

I stayed with my grandmother _____ cooking was the best in the world.

- A) What
 B) Whom
 C) Who
 D) Whose

76. My favourite flower is _____ rose.

- A) a
 B) the
 C) an
 D) this

77. A verb which does not take an object is

- A) Intransitive verb
 B) Adverb
 C) Transitive verb
 D) Proverb

78. If I _____ a fish, I would swim.

- A) was
 B) am
 C) were
 D) have

79. He received blow _____ blow.

- A) on
 B) for
 C) in
 D) of

80. Be + main verb + ing form is _____ tense.

- A) Simple
 B) Continuous
 C) Past
 D) Perfect

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81. Which of the following descriptions exactly defines an open letter ?
- A) An envelope which is open
 - B) Letters of the alphabet which are closed at the top
 - C) A letter which is not kept sealed
 - D) A letter which is addressed to an individual, but can be read by everyone
82. Which of the following is the correct definition for a run on ?
- A) Two sentences put together without a full stop or a connecting word in between them
 - B) A sentence with two main clauses
 - C) A sentence with two linkers
 - D) A sentence with a finite verb
83. Pick out the plural form of deer.
- A) deers
 - B) dear
 - C) deer
 - D) dears
84. How many syllables are there in the word 'edification' ?
- A) Five
 - B) One
 - C) Six
 - D) Seven
85. Identify the figure of speech employed in the following line.
- "Who loves the trees best ?" I said the Spring.
- A) Simile
 - B) Personification
 - C) Metaphor
 - D) Alliteration



86. Pick out from the following sentences the exact opposite of "The street was crowded".
- A) The street was deserted
 - B) The street was packed
 - C) The street was so noisy
 - D) There are so many people moving in the street
87. Pick out the correct sentence.
- A) I herd the noise made by the running heard
 - B) I herd a heard racing past in the vally
 - C) I heard the noise of the fast approaching herd
 - D) I herd the pounding noise of the heard
88. Choose the correct expansion of the abbreviation ZSI.
- A) Zoo Summit International
 - B) Zion School of Intelligence
 - C) Zoological Society of Ireland
 - D) Zoological Survey of India
89. Choose the correct meaning of the word 'canner'.
- A) A person who is very optimistic
 - B) A person who preserves things in containers for sale
 - C) A very rare bird
 - D) A person who uses sticks
90. Which of the following sentences means "My Apologies" ?
- A) I am glad to meet you
 - B) I am very sorry
 - C) I am fine
 - D) My sincere thanks to you