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# Reasoning

## Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

### Question 1

Select the option that is related to the third term in the same way as the second term is related to the first term.

Where : Place :: When : .....

- A There
- B Then
- C Why
- D Time

Answer: D

### Question 2

Six friends, P, Q, R, S, T and U, are sitting in a closed circle facing the centre such that each one is facing another one. P is facing S. R is between P and Q. is between P and T who is sitting right of S. Who is sitting to the immediate right of R?

- A P
- B T
- C Q
- D S

Answer: C

### Question 3

Read the given statements and conclusion carefully and decide which of the following options is true with respect to the given conclusion.

Statements:

The Gateway of India is in Mumbai.

Mumbai is in India.

Conclusion:

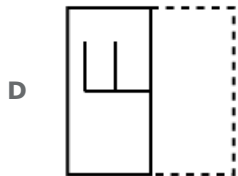
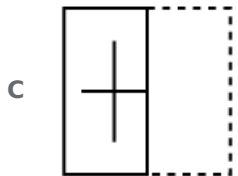
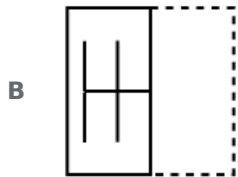
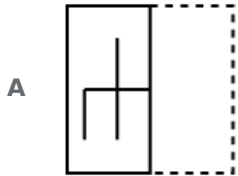
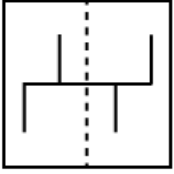
The Gateway of India is in India.

- A Probably false
- B True
- C False
- D Probably true

Answer: B

**Question 4**

A square transparent sheet with a pattern is given. Select from among the four alternatives how the pattern would appear when the transparent sheet is folded at the dotted line.



**Answer: B**

**Question 5**

Select the fraction that will next in the following series.

$\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{6}{7}, \frac{8}{9}, \frac{10}{11}, \frac{12}{13}, \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

**A**  $\frac{14}{15}$

**B**  $\frac{14}{16}$

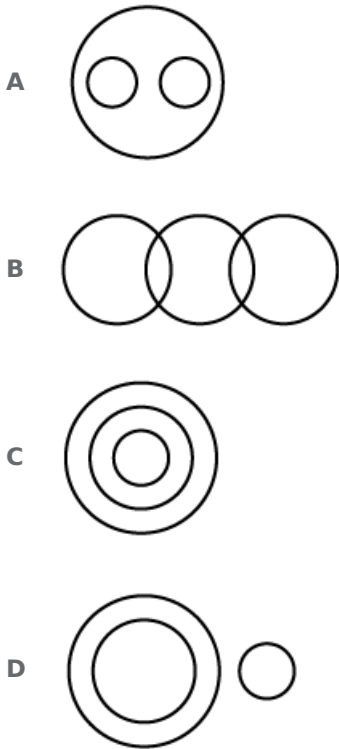
**C**  $\frac{13}{15}$

**D**  $\frac{13}{14}$

**Answer: A**

**Question 6**

Select the Venn diagram that best illustrates the relationship between the three given classes.  
**Flowers, Red, Clothes**



**Answer: B**

**Question 7**

U, V, W, X, Y and Z are seated in a circle facing the centre such that each one is facing another one. X is between Z and V. U is second to the left of X and second to the right of Y. Who is facing X?

- A W
- B Z
- C Y
- D U

**Answer: A**

**Question 8**

Select the term that will come in the following series.  
**PC, RF, TI, VL, XO, .....**

- A ZQ
- B ZR
- C YQ
- D YR

**Answer: B**

**Question 9**

In the following numberseries, two numbers have been put within brackets. Study the series carefully and select the correct alternative with respect to the series.

1, 1, 2, 6, 24, (121), 720, (5040), 40320

- A The first bracketed number (from the left) is correct and the second is incorrect.
- B The first bracketed number (from the left) is incorrect and the second is correct.
- C Both the bracketed numbers are in correct.
- D Both the bracketed numbers are correct.

**Answer:** B

**Question 10**

If D = 3, G = 6, and FUN = 38, then PRESIDENT = .....

- A 119
- B 110
- C 100
- D 101

**Answer:** D

**Question 11**

If SQUARE is coded as TSXEWK, then TRIANGLE will be coded as .....

- A UTLFSMSM
- B UTLESNSM
- C UTLESMSM
- D UTLESMSN

**Answer:** C

**Question 12**

Select the word-pair that is analogous to the given word-pair.

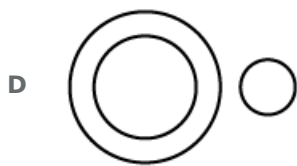
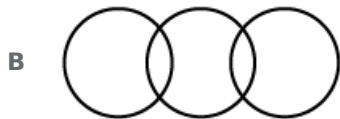
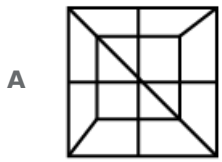
France : Paris

- A Iran: Rial
- B India : Mumbai
- C Cuba : Havana
- D China : Yuan

**Answer:** C

**Question 13**

Select the option in which the given figure is embedded.



**Answer:** A

**Question 14**

Select the number that DOES NOT belong to the following group.

3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 28, 30

A 28

B 30

C 18

D 15

**Answer:** A

**Question 15**

Select the number-pair that is different from the rest.

A 7-345

B 5-125

C 9-729

D 3-27

**Answer: A**

#### Question 16

**Choose the option that most closely resembles the mirror image of the given word when mirror is placed at right side.**

**AIM**

A AIM

B MIA

C AIW

D WIA

**Answer: B**

#### Question 17

**Four pairs of words have been given, out of which three are alike in some manner, while one is different. Choose out the odd one.**

A Brother : Sister

B Lion : Lioness

C Bear : Cub

D Cock : Hen

**Answer: C**

#### Question 18

**The statements below are followed by three conclusions labeled I, II and III. Assuming that the information in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with generally established facts, decide which conclusion(s) logically and definitely follow(s) from the information given in the statements.**

**Statements:**

**All balls are boats.**

**All boats are cars.**

**Conclusions:**

**I. Some cars are balls.**

**II. All balls are cars.**

**III. All cars are balls.**

A All the conclusions follow.

B Only conclusion III follows.

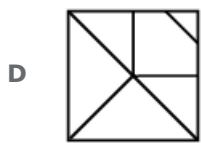
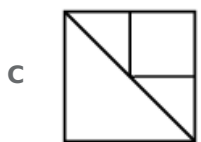
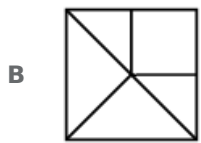
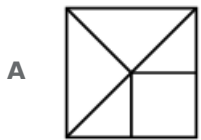
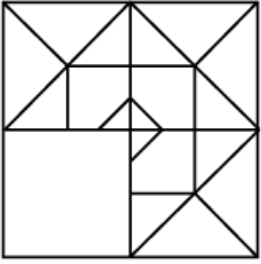
C Only conclusions II and III follow.

D Only conclusions I and II follow.

**Answer: D**

**Question 19**

Select the correct option to complete the following pattern.



**Answer:** D

**Question 20**

Which two signs need to be interchanged to make the given equation correct?

$$20 \div 10 \times 100 - 10 + 100 = 910$$

A + and -

B  $\times$  and -

C  $\div$  and  $\times$

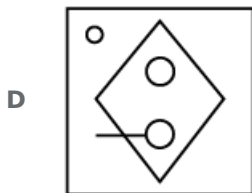
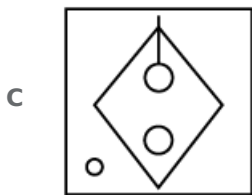
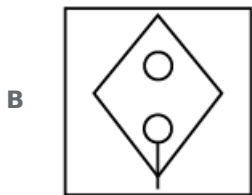
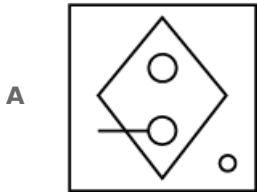
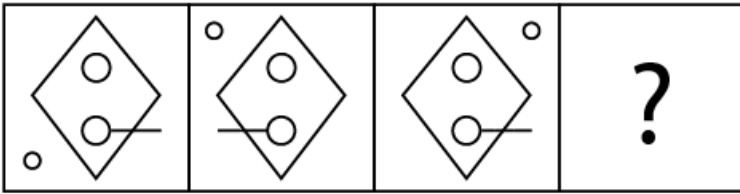
D + and -

**Answer:** D



**Question 21**

Select the figure that will come next in the following series.



**Answer: A**

**Question 22**

Diya have five subjects in her academics namely A, B, C, D and E. She studies them from Monday to Friday of a week. On each day, only one subject will be studied. D or E should not be either the first or last to be studied. E should be immediately followed by C. B should be studied immediately after D. One subject will be studied between A and B.

Then which subject she immediately reads after Monday?

A B

B D

C E

D A

**Answer: C**

### Question 23

Four words have been given out of which three are alike in some manner, while one is different. Choose the odd one.

- A Volume
- B Force
- C Volt
- D Power

Answer: C

### Question 24

Select the option that is related to the third number in the same way as the second number is related to the first number.

9 : 100 :: 13 : .....

- A 130
- B 144
- C 196
- D 169

Answer: C

### Question 25

Identify the odd one from the following.

- A PRT
- B VXZ
- C HJL
- D CFG

Answer: D

## General knowledge

### Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

### Question 26

'Tulsidas', a poet who lived during the medieval times of Indian history, wrote "Ramcharitmanas" in which of the following languages?

- A Pali
- B Prakrit
- C Awadhi

**D** Sanskrit

**Answer:** C

**Question 27**

**What was the capital of the French colony in India?**

**A** Pondicherry

**B** Calicut

**C** Cochin

**D** Goa

**Answer:** A

**Question 28**

**Which famous Indian personality is the founder of 'Paani Foundation'?**

**A** Shah Rukh Khan

**B** Salman Khan

**C** Amir Khan

**D** Ranveer Singh

**Answer:** C

**Question 29**

**With the commencement of the 7th century, who ascended the throne of Thaneshwar and Kannauj?**

**A** Krishnadeva

**B** Harshavardhana

**C** Rajendra Chola I

**D** ChandraGupta II

**Answer:** B

**Question 30**

**Who is the cofounder of IndiGo Airlines?**

**A** Kiran Majumdar Shaw

**B** Pawan Munjal

**C** Y C Deveshwar

**D** Rahul Bhatia

**Answer:** D

**Question 31**

'Vijay Amvitraj' was a legendary Indian player associated with which of the following sports?

- A Lawn tennis
- B Swimming
- C Rifle shooting
- D Badminton

**Answer:** A

**Question 32**

What is India's rank in the World Bank's Human Capital Index (HCI) rankings as of Feb 2019?

- A 124
- B 115
- C 126
- D 104

**Answer:** B

**Question 33**

'Talatal Ghar' is a historical monument situated in which of the following Indian states?

- A Assam
- B West Bengal
- C Sikkim
- D Odisha

**Answer:** A

**Question 34**

"Which among the following is the longest river in South India?"

- A Narmada
- B Tungabhadra
- C Godavari
- D Krishna

**Answer:** C

**Question 35**

**Which disease among the given options spreads via pigs?**

- A** Nipah
- B** Swine flu
- C** Zika
- D** Plague

**Answer:** B

**Question 36**

**Riboflavin present in fish is also known as:**

- A** Vitamin C
- B** Vitamin K
- C** Vitamin B12
- D** Vitamin B2

**Answer:** D

**Question 37**

**Which mountain pass in the world has the highest motorable road in the world?**

- A** Jelep-La
- B** Nathu-La
- C** Shipki-La
- D** Dhungria-La

**Answer:** D

**Question 38**

**The production of a commodity through natural process is an activity associated to which sector of the Indian Economy?**

- A** Tertiary
- B** Secondary
- C** Quaternary
- D** Primary

**Answer:** D

**Question 39**

**As on 2018, which is the world's largest political party in terms of primary membership?**

- A** The Bharatiya Janta Party
- B** The Conservative Party of UK
- C** The Democratic Party of the US
- D** National republican Party US

**Answer:** A

**Question 40**

**Fiscal policy is based on the economic theory given by which of the following economist?**

- A** John Maynard Keynes
- B** Adam Smith
- C** Milton Friedman
- D** John Nash

**Answer:** A

**Question 41**

**'Theyyam' is a popular dance form of which of the following states?**

- A** Karnataka
- B** Kerala
- C** Gujarat
- D** Manipur

**Answer:** B

**Question 42**

**The National Food Security Act was passed in which of the following years?**

- A** 2011
- B** 2013
- C** 2014
- D** 2012

**Answer:** B

**Question 43**

**The movement of a horse drawn carriage is an example of which principle of physics?**

- A Newton's third law of motion
- B Ohm's law
- C Archimedes principle
- D Avogadro's law

**Answer:** A

#### Question 44

**Which city will host the upcoming Winter Olympic Games scheduled in 2022?**

- A Los Angeles
- B Paris
- C Tokyo
- D Beijing

**Answer:** D

#### Question 45

**The festival of 'Hareli' is celebrated in which of the following Indian states?**

- A Odisha
- B Chhattisgarh
- C Punjab
- D Madhya Pradesh

**Answer:** B

#### Question 46

**The Consumer Protection Bill, 2018 has replaced the Consumer Protection Act of which of the given years?**

- A 1981
- B 1986
- C 1991
- D 1978

**Answer:** B

#### Question 47

**'Azadirachta indica' is the botanical name of which evergreen tree found in the Indian sub-continent?**

- A Curry tree

- B** Pine tree
- C** Hibiscus tree
- D** Margosa tree

**Answer:** D

**Question 48**

**'The Legend of Laxmi Prasad'** was the title of a book written by which one of the following authors?

- A** Arundhati Roy
- B** Twinkle Khanna
- C** Jhumpa Lahiri
- D** Shobha De

**Answer:** B

**Question 49**

**In which layer of the earth's atmosphere is the ozone layer found?**

- A** Troposphere
- B** Mesosphere
- C** Exosphere
- D** Stratosphere

**Answer:** D

**Question 50**

**As of January 2019, what is the number of articles in the Indian constitution?**

- A** 431
- B** 402
- C** 448
- D** 395

**Answer:** C

## Quant

**Instructions**

For the following questions answer them individually

**Question 51**

**The Area of a rectangle is 97.2 cm<sup>2</sup>. If the length of the rectangle is 12 cm, then the width of the rectangle is:**



- A 24cm
- B 12cm
- C 42cm
- D 28cm

**Answer:** A

**Question 52**

Study the Table Properly and answer by interpreting the data.

The table shows the percentage population of five districts in a state below poverty line and the proportion of males and females.

District	Percentage of population below poverty line	Proportion of Male and Female	
		Below poverty Line (M:F)	Above poverty Line (M:F)
D1	15	2:3	3:2
D2	18	3:4	7:5
D3	20	2:5	3:4
D4	25	5:2	4:3
D5	12	3:7	2:7

The total population in  $D_1$ , is 30,000. The number of female under below poverty line in the district  $D_1$ , is:

- A 2500
- B 3500
- C 2700
- D 1800

**Answer:** C

**Question 53**

The value of  $30 \div 6 \times 5$  of  $(2 + 3) - 12(3 \times 2)$  is equal to:

- A 28
- B 35
- C 82
- D 53

**Answer:** D

**Question 54**

Two numbers are less than a third number by 25 and 36 respectively. The percentage of first number less than second number is:

- A 61%
- B 11%

C 18%

D 52%

**Answer: D**

#### Question 55

The value of  $25$  of  $4 - 30 + (2^2 + 18)$  is:

A 23

B 84

C 92

D 37

**Answer: C**

#### Question 56

A wheel makes 4000 revolution is covering a distance of 60km. The radius of the wheel is:

A 8m

B 8.25m

C 4.68m

D 2.39m

**Answer: D**

#### Question 57

In class IX, the average of marks in science for six students was 48. After result declared, it was found in case of one student, the marks 45 were misread as 54. The correct average is :

A 46.40

B 46.50

C 76.50

D 64.39

**Answer: B**

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D5	12	3:7	2:7

If the total population of district  $D_4$ , is 35000, then what is the number of females above the poverty line in the district  $D_4$  ?

- A 10,500
- B 14,240
- C 11,250
- D 12,450

Answer: C

### Question 59

In a class, the average age of 40 students is 12 years when teacher's age is included to it, the average increases by 1. The age of teacher is :

- A 53 years
- B 51 years
- C 48 years
- D 68 years

Answer: A

### Question 60

Shopkeeper selling on article for ₹46 loses 8%. In order to gain of 6%, what should be the selling price of the article?

- A ₹65
- B ₹56
- C ₹53
- D ₹85

Answer: C

### Question 61

The areas of two square

- A 9:16
- B 9:12
- C 12:16
- D 16:12

**Answer:** D

**Question 62**

The difference between upper limit and lower limit of the class interval is called as:

- A Range
- B Mode
- C Frequency distribution
- D Class size

**Answer:** D

**Question 63**

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D4	25	5:2	4:3
D5	12	3:7	2:7

If the total population in the district D3 is 40,000, then what is the population of below poverty line in the district D3, ?

- A 10,000
- B 5,000
- C 8,000
- D 12,000

**Answer:** C

**Question 64**

In how many years, a sum will be thrice of it at the rate of interest 5% per annum?

- A 25 years
- B 40 years

C 30 years

D 20 years

**Answer: B**

#### Question 65

If  $(x + y) : (x - y) = 3 : 2$ , then  $(x^2 + y^2) : (x^2 - y^2)$  is in the ratio of:

A 12:13

B 5:12

C 13:12

D 24:5

**Answer: C**

#### Question 66

In a university, the number of students studying science, mathematics and language are in the ratio of 2:4:9. If the number of students in Science, Mathematics and Language be increased 10%, 20% and 40% respectively. What will be the new ratio?

A 12:23:63

B 11:24:63

C 24:11:63

D 63:11:24

**Answer: B**

#### Question 67

By Selling a TV for ₹8500 a person loses 15%. In order to gain of 5%, Selling price of TV should be:

A ₹10,500

B ₹10,000

C ₹9,500

D ₹9,000

**Answer: A**

#### Question 68

'A' pipe can empty a tank in 20 minutes. The second pipe 'B' has a diameter twice as that of 'A'. If both A & B pipe are attached to the tank how much time will be required to empty the tank?

A  $10\frac{1}{2}$  minutes

B 25 minutes

C 15 minutes

D  $6\frac{2}{3}$  minutes

**Answer: D**

#### Question 69

The HCF and LCM of two numbers are 12 and 240 respectively. If one of the numbers is 24, what is the other number

A 120

B 228

C 264

D 144

**Answer: A**

#### Question 70

Rama and Hari can together finish a piece of work in 15 days. Rama works twice as fast as Hari, then Hari alone can finish work in :

A 45 days

B 30 days

C 25 days

D 20 days

**Answer: A**

#### Question 71

Two numbers are 20% and 40% more than the third number respectively. The ratio of the first and second number is:

A 7:6

B 7:5

C 6:7

D 5:7

**Answer: C**

#### Question 72

The compound interest on an amount for 2 years at 5% per annum compounded annually is ₹205. The simple interest is:

A ₹250

**B** ₹220

**C** ₹200

**D** ₹210

**Answer:** C

#### Question 73

The distance between two stations is 500 km. A train starts from station 'A' at 9 am and travels towards station 'B' at 60 km/hrs. Another train starts from station 'B' at 10 am and travels towards 'A' at 40 km/hrs. At what time both the train meet to each other.

**A** 12.45 PM

**B** 1.36 PM

**C** 3.36 PM

**D** 2.24 PM

**Answer:** D

#### Question 74

A trader allows two successive discounts of 5% each on the marked price of a sofa set for ₹24,500. The selling price of sofa set is:

**A** ₹23,274.75

**B** ₹23,275

**C** ₹1,163.75

**D** ₹22,111.25

**Answer:** D

#### Question 75

A train is moving at 72 km/hrs. The distance covers in 15 minutes by the train is:

**A** 18 km

**B** 27 km

**C** 36 km

**D** 28 km

**Answer:** A

## English

#### Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

**Question 76**

**Select the word which means the same as the group of words given.  
One who does a thing for pleasure and not as a profession**

- A Sportsperson
- B Amateur
- C Volunteer
- D Athlete

**Answer:** B

**Question 77**

**Select the option that means the same as the given idiom.  
To hang together**

- A To be over telephone with a friend
- B To keep holding on to something
- C to take a swing in a garden
- D To be connected with each other

**Answer:** D

**Question 78**

**Select the antonym of the given word.  
CONVENE**

- A Disperse
- B Summon
- C Request
- D Gather

**Answer:** A

**Question 79**

**Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.  
You can master anything by the usual process of learning and practicing it .....**

- A temporarily
- B occasionally
- C regularly
- D annually

**Answer:** C



**Question 80**

**Select the antonym of the given word.  
CONCUR**

- A Contribute
- B Lead
- C Disagree
- D Distribute

**Answer: C**

**Question 81**

**Select the synonym of the given word.  
AFFINITY**

- A Monotony
- B Beauty
- C Empathy
- D Decency

**Answer: C**

**Question 82**

**Select the most appropriate word to fill in the blank.  
Your parents may get ..... With yourlifestyle and demand a changeinit.**

- A fulfilled
- B pleased
- C satisfied
- D annoyed

**Answer: D**

**Question 83**

**Select the correctly spelt word.**

- A Supplementary
- B Supplementary
- C Supplimentary
- D Supplementery

**Answer:** B

**Question 84**

**From the given options, identify the segment in the sentence which contains the grammatical error. While we would like all Indian children to go to school, we need to ponder why they does not.**

- A why they does not
- B While we would like
- C Indian children to go to school
- D we need to ponder

**Answer:** A

**Question 85**

**Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank. My forefinger is still ..... where I caught it in the door this morning.**

- A burnt
- B scorched
- C bruised
- D damaged

**Answer:** C

**Question 86**

**Select the word which means the same as the group of words given. A person who is indifferent to the pains and pleasures of life.**

- A Introvert
- B Social
- C Stoic
- D Solitary

**Answer:** C

**Question 87**

**Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No improvement.**

**On the academic front you are likely to outshine others and take up a better career.**

- A you were likely to outshine others
- B you should likely to outshine others
- C you are likely for outshine other

**D** No improvement

**Answer:** D

**Question 88**

**Select the synonym of the given word.  
CUMBERSOME**

**A** Wonderful

**B** Heavy

**C** Graceful

**D** Virtuous

**Answer:** B

**Instructions**

In the following passage some words have been deleted. Fill in the blanks with the help of the alternatives given.  
Passage:

"Success begins in the mind." This is a wonderful quote to explain the power of having (1)..... in yourself. Since (2)..... wants success, they all try their best. Sometimes they will (3)..... failure, but that's what life is. Ups and downs are a part of it. All you need is to take that failure in your (4)..... learn from it and never forget it. It doesn't matter how or where you come from, success happens to those who (5)..... hands with difficulties.

**Question 89**

**Select the most appropriate option that will fill in the blank number 1.**

**A** doubt

**B** disgust

**C** faith

**D** discard

**Answer:** C

**Question 90**

**Select the most appropriate option that will fill in the blank number 2.**

**A** everyone

**B** each

**C** someone

**D** anyone

**Answer:** A

**Question 91**

**Select the most appropriate option that will fill in the blank number 3.**

- A clash
- B encounter
- C see
- D oppose

**Answer:** B

#### Question 92

Select the most appropriate option that will fill in the blank number 4.

- A run
- B stride
- C walk
- D wing

**Answer:** B

#### Question 93

Select the most appropriate option that will fill in the blank number 5.

- A shake
- B see
- C move
- D avoid

**Answer:** A

#### Instructions

For the following questions answer them individually

#### Question 94

Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No improvement.

Those who are travelling today by train may have delayed in reaching their destinations.

- A travelling today in train may get delayed
- B No improvement
- C travel today by train may get delayed
- D travelling today by train may get delayed

**Answer:** D

**Question 95**

Select the most appropriate option to substitute the underlined segment in the given sentence. If there is no need to substitute it, select No improvement.

Statistical measure which track the money-saving behaviour haven't improved much.

- A No improvement
- B measure which tracks money-saving behaviours
- C measures what track the money-saving behaviour
- D measures which track the money-saving behaviour

**Answer: D**

**Question 96**

Select the correctly spelt word.

- A Badjet
- B Budget
- C Budjet
- D Bugett

**Answer: B**

**Question 97**

From the given options, identify the segment in the sentence which contains the grammatical error. In India, the various practices and norms from bank's transactions are laid down by the RBI only.

- A are laid down
- B norms from bank's transactions
- C the various practices
- D by the RBI only

**Answer: B**

**Question 98**

Select the option that means the same as the given idiom. Call it a day

- A Decide or agree to stop doing something
- B Attempting to do an impossible task
- C Disagreeing on everything someone is saying
- D Agreeing to reveal some secret information

**Answer: A**

**Question 99**

**From the given options, identify the segment in the sentence which contains the grammatical error. You are invite to build a better community by planting a seed of peace within and tree outside.**

- A** build a better community
- B** within and a tree outside
- C** You are invite to
- D** by planting a seed of peace

**Answer: C**

**Question 100**

**Select the most appropriate option to fill in the blank. Whenever he refers to his friends he is pleased but when he talks of his foes he is .....**

- A** unhappy
- B** possessed
- C** serene
- D** interested

**Answer: A**

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