

SSC CHSL Sunday English Mega Quiz

Q1. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

A place where Jews worship according to their religion

(a) Cathedral

(b) Synagogue

(c) Chapel

(d) Demagogue

S1. Ans.(b)

Sol. Cathedral- a very large, usually stone, building for Christian worship

Chapel- a small building or room used for Christian worship in a school, prison, hospital, or large private house

Q2. Select the word with the correct spelling.

- (a) Parachute
- (b) Parrachute
- (c) Parashute
- (d) Parashoot

S2. Ans.(a)

Sol. Parachute means a cloth canopy which fills with air and allows a person or heavy object attached to it to descend slowly when dropped from an aircraft, or which is released from the rear of an aircraft on landing to act as a brake.

Q3. Select the antonym of

Fatuous

- (a) Crafty
- (b) Frugal
- (c) Sensible
- (d) Inane

S3. Ans.(c)

Sol. Fatuous-Silly and pointless **Fruga**l-economical

Inane-Lacking sense or meaning



Q4. In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The government acted judiciously to stave the crisis.

(a) of

(b) out

(c) off

(d) on

S4. Ans.(c)

Sol. Stave off - to try to avert something (trying to stave off disaster)

Q5. Select the synonym of

Flagrant

(a) Vast

(b) Glaring

(c) Unobtrusive

(d) Pleasant

S5. Ans.(b)

Sol. Flagrant means conspicuously or obviously offensive.

Glaring means outrageous.

Q6. In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

I have being working in that (A)/ organization for five years but now (B)/ I work for a different company. (C)/ No error (D)

(a) A

(b) B

(c) C

(d) D

S6. Ans.(a)

Sol. Use 'been' instead of 'being'. As the duration has been given thus perfect continuous should be used and perfect continuous takes "have been + ving" with it.

Q7. Choose the synonym of

Denouement

(a) climax

(b) systematic

(c) improper

(d) glorious

S7. Ans.(a)

Sol. Denouement means the outcome of a situation, when something is decided or made clear. **Climax** means the most intense, exciting, or important point of something; the culmination.

Q8. Select the word with the correct spelling.

(a) hysterectomy

- (b) peritoneam
- (c) entreocele
- (d) percoacet

S8. Ans.(a)

Sol. Hysterectomy: a surgical operation to remove all or part of the uterus.

Q9. In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

In view of the heavy losses suffered by the company, the shareholders were requested to bear

(a) over

(b) with

(c) out

(d) up

S9. Ans.(b)

Sol. Bear with- be patient or tolerant with

Q10. Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order

P. It worked. He was sentenced to three years in prison.

Q. He drew his toy gun, demanded money then asked the teller to call the police.

R. Anthony was acting oddly, even for a robber. He entered a bank in Pennsylvania.

S. He later explained that he wanted to be arrested so that he could get away from his wife.

(a) RQSP

(b) PQSR

(c) PQRS

(d) RQPS

S10. Ans.(a)

Directions (11-15): Each of the following questions consists of a word in capital letters, followed by four words or group of words. Select the word or group of words that is most similar in meaning to the word in capital letters.

Q11. PERDITION

(a) Garrison

(b) Acclamation

(c) Damnation

(d) Ransom

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. Perdition: the state of being in hell forever as punishment after death.

Damnation: condemnation to eternal punishment in hell. Hence option C is the correct synonym.



Q12. MIDDLING

- (a) Mediocre
- (b) Massive
- (c) Maudlin

(d) Minx

S12. Ans.(a)

Sol. Middling: moderate or average in size, amount, or rank. Mediocre: of only average quality; not very good. Minx: an impudent, cunning, or boldly flirtatious girl or young woman. Hence option A is the correct synonym.

Q13. FEIGNED

(a) Pretended

(b) Invested

(c) Developed

(d) Failed

\$13. Ans.(a)

Sol. Feign: pretend to be affected by (a feeling, state, or injury).

Q14. AFFECTATION

(a) Adverse

(b) Artificiality

(c) Transparency

(d) Proficiency

S14. Ans.(b)

Sol. Affectation: behavior, speech, or writing that is pretentious and designed to impress. Artificiality: the quality of being contrived or false.

Q15. STIFLE

- (a) Starve
- (b) Stumble

(c) Smother

(d) Stagger

S15. Ans.(c)

Sol. Stifle: make (someone) unable to breathe properly; suffocate.

Smother: kill (someone) by covering their nose and mouth so that they suffocate.

Directions (16-20): Each question below consists of a word in capital letters followed by four words or group of words. Select the word or group of words that is most opposite in meaning to the words in capital letters.

Q16. OUTLANDISH

(a) Modern
(b) Moderate
(c) Disrespectful
(d) Coward
S16. Ans.(a)
Sol. Outlandish: strikingly out of the ordinary; bizarre.
Modern: designed and made using the most recent ideas and method.

Q17. SUPPLICATE

- (a) short of supply
- (b) To be arrogant
- (c) To be tolerant
- (d) To act foolish

S17. Ans.(b)

Sol. Supplicate: ask or beg for something earnestly or humbly.

Q18. VOLITION

- (a) Pretext
- (b) Unwillingness
- (c) Compliance
- (d) Interlude

S18. Ans.(b)

Sol. Volition: the faculty or power of using one's will. Unwillingness: the quality or state of being unwilling to do something.

Q19. DEFERENTIAL

- (a) Discount
- (b) Differences
- (c) Preconception
- (d) Impolite

S19. Ans.(d)

Sol. Deferential: showing deference; respectful. Impolite: not having or showing good manners; rude.

Q20. PAROCHIAL

- (a) Open-minded
- (b) Temporary
- (c) Irrelevant
- (d) Disinclination

S20. Ans.(a)

Sol. Parochial: having a limited or narrow outlook or scope.

Q21. In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase in bold.

A woman with dark brown hair

- (a) Blonde
- (b) Brunette
- (c) Auburn
- (d) Blond

S21. Ans.(b)

Sol. Brunette: a woman or girl with dark brown hair.



Q22. Select the antonym of

SEDENTARY
(a) Tranquil
(b) Lazy
(c) Rebellious
(d) Active
S22. Ans.(d)
Sol. Sedentary: (of a person) tending to spend much time seated; somewhat inactive.

Q23. In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The special court was ______ without having reached any decision on the case.

(a) adjourned

(b) dispersed

(c) postponed

(d) recessed

S23. Ans.(a)

Sol. Adjourn: put off or postpone.

Disperse: distribute or spread over a wide area.

Postpone: cause or arrange for (something) to take place at a time later than that first scheduled.

Recessed: to attach a fitment by setting it back into the wall or surface to which it is fixed.

However, in official language "adjourn" is used.

Q24. Select the word with the correct spelling.

(a) Hipopotemus

(b) Hippopotemus

(c) Hippopotamus

(d) Hipopotamus

S24. Ans.(c)

Sol. Hippopotamus: a large thick-skinned semiaquatic African mammal, with massive jaws and large tusks.

Q25. Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

Today this is a totally different world (than we have seen) in the last decade.

(a) than what we seen

(b) from what we seen

(c) from what we have seen

(d) No Improvement

S25. Ans.(c)

Sol. Different is used with 'from' e.g. 'You are different from Varisha'. 'Than' is used for comparisons, e.g. The world is more populated than it was in our time.

Direction (26-30): In the following questions, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

______ being an intangible idea, the nation is quite real because it is a shared idea. _______ of nationhood are important for this sharing to be reliably reproduced, which is why we have familiar ______ to memory like maps, flags, or the figure of Mother India. National symbols are extremely powerful ______ they connect to compressed reservoirs of intense ______.

Q26. ________being an intangible idea, the nation is quite real because it is a shared idea. (a) Inspite (b) Although (c) Despite of (d) Despite S26. Ans.(d) Q27. ________ of nationhood are important for this sharing to be reliably reproduced, (a) Symbols (b) Badges (c) Emblems

- (d) Figures
- S27. Ans.(a)

Q28. which is why we have familiar ______ to memory like maps, flags, or the figure of Mother India.

- (a) assistance
- (b) aids
- (c) help
- (d) support
- S28. Ans.(b)

Q29. National symbols are extremely powerful ______ they connect

- (a) or (b) because
- (c) so
- (d) thereof
- S29. Ans.(b)

Q30. to compressed reservoirs of intense _____. (a) compassion

- (b) empathy
- (c) emotion
- (d) relation

S30. Ans.(c)



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