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**English Language**

**LIVE MOCK  
DISCUSSION**

**DAY - 12**

**11:30 AM**






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# PAPER-11



1. QUESTION 1-5 (FILLERS- NEW PATTERN)
2. QUESTION 6-10 (ERRORS)
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4. QUESTION 14-15 ( MISPELT WORDS)
5. QUESTION 16-20 (REARRANGEMENT)
6. QUESTION 21-26 (RC)



**In the questions given below a sentence is given with two blanks in each. Corresponding to each question two columns are given with three words in each column. Which combination of words from the two columns will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful**

# QUESTION 1

A patient has the right to know all the rates charged for specific services in a hospital, hospitals should boldly \_\_\_\_\_ the cost of procedures in local and English language and patients should pay the fees agreed upon and never \_\_\_\_\_ to violence.

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COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
(A) Disturb	(D) Resort
(B) Display	(E) Function
(E) Function	(F) Terminate

- A. **A-F, B-D**                      B. **C-D, B-F**  
 C. **B-D**                                D. **A-E**  
 E. **None of the above**

# QUESTION 2

Taking a cue from these complaints, the National Human Rights Commission had \_\_\_\_\_ a draft of patients' rights charter with the Ministry and it was \_\_\_\_\_ at the 11th meeting of the National Council of Clinical Establishments.

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COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
(A) Shared	(D) Earned
(B) Attracted	(E) Discussed
(C) Determined	(F) Enquired

A. **B-D and C-E**

B. **A-E and B-D**

C. **B-F**

D. **A-E**

E. **C-D**

# QUESTION 3

IIT-Bombay has been \_\_\_\_\_ India's best university for the second year in a row, \_\_\_\_\_ a global ranking of 152 in the QS World University Rankings for 2020.

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COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
(A) Ranked	(D) Gaining
(B) Rated	(E) Achieving
(C) Characterized	(F) Tracking

- A. B-F and C-D      B. A-E and B-D  
C. A-E, B-F, C-D      D. A-F  
E. None of the above



# QUESTION 4

Acute encephalitis syndrome or AES is a basket term used for \_\_\_\_\_ to various symptoms in children with clinical neurological manifestation that \_\_\_\_\_ mental confusion, disorientation, convulsion, delirium, or coma.

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COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
(A) Referring	(D) Initiates
(B) Editing	(E) States
(C) Indicating	(F) Includes

- A. **C-D**                      B. **B-F and C-D**  
 C. **A-F**                        D. **A-E and C-D**  
 E. **None of the above**

# QUESTION 5

Litchi does not \_\_\_\_\_ any harm in well-nourished children, but only in undernourished children who had eaten litchi fruit the previous day and had gone to bed with \_\_\_\_\_ stomach.

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COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
(A) Cause	(D) Empty
(B) Induce	(E) Urgent
(C) Excite	(F) Vacant

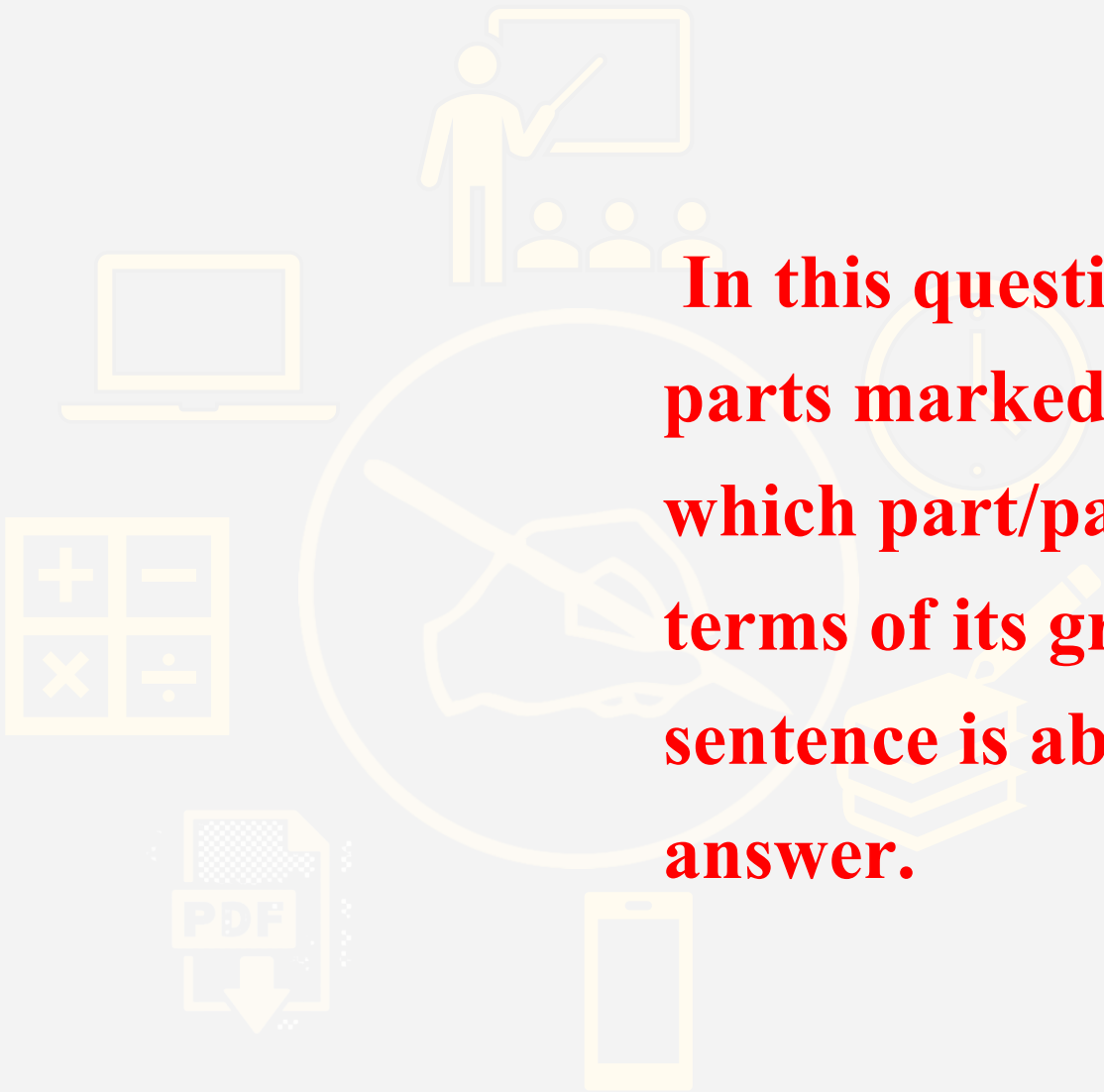
A. **A-E and C-D**

B. **A-F and B-D**

C. **C-D**

D. **A-E**

E. **B-F**



**In this question, a sentence has been divided into four parts marked as I, II, III and IV. You need to find which part/parts does not/do not have an error in terms of its grammatical or contextual usage. If the sentence is absolutely correct, mark (E) as your answer.**

## QUESTION 6

- I. The supreme court of India disapproved
- II. the practice of constituting an commissions of inquiry
- III. at the cost of taxpayers and let them continue for years together
- IV. without serving any useful purpose.

- A. Only I and III
- B. Only II and IV
- C. Only IV
- D. Only III E. No error

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## QUESTION 7

- I. Between 2010 and 2017, several countries
- II. make rapid progress
- III. in reducing incidence of being affected and
- IV. getting antiretroviral therapy of patients.

- A. Only I and IV
- B. Only I and III
- C. I, III and IV
- D. Only I
- E. No error

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## QUESTION 8

- I. A group of banks, including public sector, private sector and foreign banks,  
II. have recently signed an inter-creditor agreement  
III. to push for the speedy resolution of  
IV. non-performing loans on their balance sheets.

- A. Only II and III  
B. Only II and IV  
C. I, III and IV  
D. I, II and III  
E. No error

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## QUESTION 9

- I. We continue to be hidebound with tradition
- II. and waste precious time and money
- III. in rituals which may have been relevant in earlier times
- IV. but which have no relevance to modern living.

- A. Only II
- B. Only II and IV
- C. I, III and IV
- D. Only III and IV
- E. No Error

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## QUESTION 10

- I. A tradition, said to have been starting by St Francis of Assisi
- II. in 1223 at Greccio, central Italy, the Nativity scene
- III. emphasises the spiritual aspects of Christ's birth and advocates
- IV. worship over materialism during the festivity season.

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- A. Only I, II and III
- B. Only I and III
- C. Only II and III
- D. Only III
- E. No Error





**In each of the following questions four words are given in bold. Which of the following words must replace each other so that the sentence becomes contextually correct and meaningful. If the sentence is correct as it is, choose option (e) as your answer.**

# QUESTION 11

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Rich mineral (1)/resources and the present government's (2)/willingness to (3)/attract infrastructure will (4)/build plenty of foreign investment.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 2-3
- (c) 3-4
- (d) 1-4
- (e) No change required

## QUESTION 12

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Some of the city's (1)/advantages include a good education system, (2)/attractive quality of life and a good transport system which can (3)/cope with its (4)/rising population.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 2-3
- (c) 3-4
- (d) 1-4
- (e) No change required

# QUESTION 13

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(1)/Regulators in America have plans to  
(2)/comply the amount of capital that its eight  
largest banks can (3)/hold and banks will have  
until 2018 to (4)/increase.

- (a) 2-4
- (b) 2-3
- (c) 3-4
- (d) 1-4
- (e) No change required

# QUESTION 14

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If we (1)/ **quality** the school curriculum, colleges will not only (2)/**get** better (3)/**revise** students but companies will also get (4)/**skilled** employees.

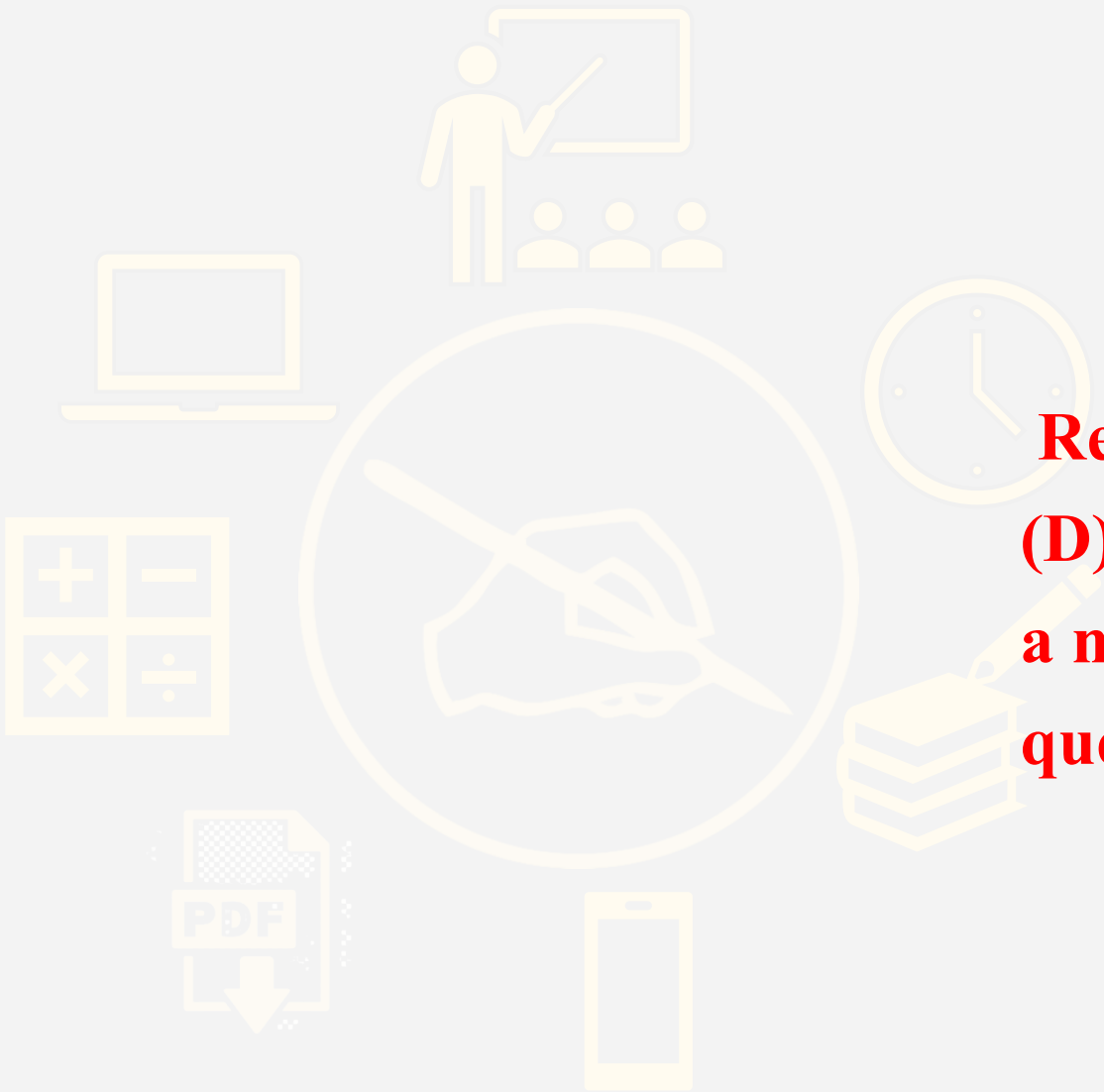
- (a) 1-2
- (b) 2-3
- (c) 3-4
- (d) 1-3
- (e) No change required

## QUESTION 15

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By (1)/selling small dairy farms and (2)/running milk to factories, women of the village take (3)/care of the (4)/needs of their families.

- (a) 1-2
- (b) 2-3
- (c) 3-4
- (d) 1-4
- (e) No change required



**Rearrange the following sentences (A), (B), (C), (D), (E) and (F) in the proper sequence to form a meaningful paragraph, then answer the questions given below them.**

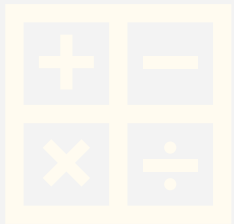
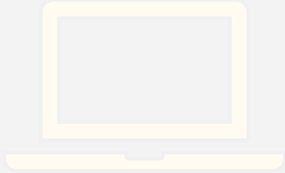
# QUESTION 16-20

REARRANGE AND FIND THE ODD SENTENCE

- (A) Have emerged in the economy as a result of “temporary disruptions” caused by demonetisation, the IMF said.
- (B) India’s growth is projected to slow to 6.6 % in 2016-17 fiscal due to the strains that
- (C) Would have only short term impact on the economy and it would bounce back to its expected growth of more than 8% in the next few years.
- (D) In its annual report, however, the International Monetary Fund said demonetisation
- (E) Serum analysis for four organophosphate insecticides revealed a direct correlation between pesticide level and hba1c.
- (F) Have undermined consumption and business activity, posing a new challenge to sustaining the growth momentum.
- (G) The post-November 8, 2016 cash shortages and payment disruptions caused by the currency exchange initiative

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**Read the following passage and answer the questions as directed.**



The Supreme Court has once again made it clear that the government cannot insist on the possession of an 'Aadhaar' card or number as a **precondition** for citizens to avail of specified benefits and services. The court has been forced to reiterate its earlier order to this effect as more and more entities are trying to link their services with Aadhaar. From the beginning it was clear that making Aadhaar a mandatory requirement would **evoke** resentment and cause hardship to various sections. Some authorities caused alarm by indicating that people would stand to lose benefits or be denied routine services unless they enrolled themselves. There were even reports that some police stations asked for Aadhaar numbers before registering first information reports, and that certain educational institutions tried to make it a prior requirement to apply for some courses.

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## QUESTION 21

Choose the word which is most nearly the OPPOSITE in meaning as the word printed in bold as used in the passage.

**Precondition**

(1) Explicit (2) elated (3) Nonessential (4) Consent (5) Jeopardise

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## QUESTION 22

Choose the word most similar in meaning to the word printed in bold, as used in the passage.

**Evoke**

(1) Induce (2) Calm (3) Ignore (4) Halt (5) Quell

By making it clear that no person should be in a position of disadvantage on account of not possessing an Aadhaar number, the court has protected the right of the people to make their own choice in the matter. It, however, has not brushed aside the relevance of the Unique Identification Number programme. It has allowed the authorities to link the supply of goods under the Public Distribution System and cooking gas cylinders with Aadhaar numbers. For all its exertions, the government must be relieved that to this extent its identification programme has obtained the court's approval.

However, the question arising out of the scheme is not limited to whether it should be **voluntary** or mandatory. In its pursuit of better management of and greater efficiency in the delivery of services, it is natural that the government would want an identification mechanism to authenticate beneficiaries and consumers of its services and welfare measures. Previously, such a mechanism would have posed a technological challenge.

## QUESTION 23

Choose the word most similar in meaning to the word printed in bold, as used in the passage.

**Voluntary**

(1) Willing (2) Dreaded (3) Fanatic (4) Thriving (5) Tout

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It has now become a political and moral question. Can a government force citizens to enrol in an identification programme that involves submitting personal information and biometric data? The question, which involves determining the very validity of the scheme, has now been referred to a Constitution Bench. The reference will also cover the issue of the citizens' right to privacy. One of the key points in the legal challenge is that collecting biometric data without enabling legal provisions and without clear norms to protect the data from misuse and theft may violate constitutional rights. Recently, the Attorney General caused considerable disquiet by arguing in the same matter that privacy is not a fundamental right. What the country needs is not only a safe means of digitising citizens' identity particulars but also a **comprehensive** law to protect their privacy and personal data from unauthorised surveillance and misuse. Anything short of that will leave the citizen short-changed.

## QUESTION 24

Choose the word which is most nearly the OPPOSITE in meaning as the word printed in bold as used in the passage.

**Comprehensive** (1) Limited (2) Endow (3) Leverage (4) Facilitate (5) Tempt

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## QUESTION 25

Which is the appropriate title of the passage?

- (1) Choice, identity and privacy
- (2) the Attorney General
- (3) The Supreme Court
- (4) The RBI
- (5) The Central government

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## QUESTION 26

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Which of the following is the key point in the legal challenge?

- (1) Collecting biometric data without enabling legal provisions and without clear norms
- (2) Some police stations asked for Aadhaar numbers before registering first information reports
- (3) To enrol in an identification programme that involves submitting personal information and biometric data
- (4) The court has been forced to reiterate its earlier order to this effect
- (5) It, however, has not brushed aside the relevance of the unique identification number programme.

## QUESTION 27

Who has protected the right of the people to make their own choice in the matter?

- (A) The Central government**
- (B) The State government**
- (C) The court**

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- (1) Only A
- (2) Only B
- (3) Only C
- (4) All A, B and C
- (5) Only A and B



## QUESTION 28

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Which of the following statement is NOT TRUE according the passage?

- (A) The reference will also cover the issue of the citizens' right to privacy.
- (B) In its pursuit of better management of and greater efficiency in the delivery of services, it is natural that the government would want an identification mechanism to authenticate beneficiaries and consumers of its services and welfare measures.
- (C) For all its exertions, the government must not be relieved that to this extent its identification programme has obtained the court's approval.

- (1) All A, B and C    (2) Only A and B    (3) Only B and C
- (4) Only C            (5) Only A

## QUESTION 29

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Which of the following statement is TRUE according the passage?

- (A) By making it clear that no person should be in a position of disadvantage on account of not possessing an Aadhaar number, the court has protected the right of the people to make their own choice in the matter.
- (B) It has allowed the authorities to link the supply of goods under the Public Distribution System and cooking gas cylinders with Aadhaar numbers.
- (C) The court has been forced to reiterate its earlier order to this effect as more and more entities are trying to link their services with Aadhaar.

(1) All A, B and C

(2) Only A and B

(3) Only B and C

(4) Only C

(5) Only A

## QUESTION 30

According to the Supreme Court, who cannot insist on the possession of an 'Aadhaar' card?

- (A) The government
- (B) The RBI
- (C) The exporters

- (1) Only A
- (2) Only B
- (3) Only C
- (4) All A, B and C
- (5) Only A and B

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