## **ENGLISH QUESTION PAPER 2023**

Q 1: Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.
Words written on a tombstone in the memory of the person who has died
(A) stela
(B) prologue
(C) epilogue
(D) epitaph
Q2: Out of the four alternatives, choose the one which can be substituted for the given words/sentences and click the button corresponding to it.
A person who has lost the protection of the law
(A) Outcast
(B) Orphan
(C) Outlaw
(D) Immigrant
Q 3: Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.
ACCURATE

(A) sincere	
(B) precise	
(C) real	
(D) genuine	
Q4: Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word.	
Courage	
(A) Humility	
(B) Timidity	
(C) Meekness	
(D) Valour	
Q 5: Select the wrongly spelt word.	
(A) benethe	
(B) bench	
(C) begin	
(D) behold	

Q 6: Direction: In the following questions, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.
A moot point
(A) Agreeable
(B) Disputed
(C) Unclear
(D) Unknown
Q 7: Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.
It is a crisis which
P-unless policymakers
Q-exercise some intelligence
R-will get even worse
(A) RPQ
(B) RQP
(C) PQR
(D) QPR

Q8 : In these questions, four words are given out of which only one is misspelt. Find that mis-spelt word.
(A) jaundise
(B) jasmine
(C) javelin
(D) jarring
Q 9: In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.
Causing a burning sensation like that of hot liquid on the skin
(A) piping
(B) igneous  (C) sizzling
(D) scalding
Q 10: In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.
ethnic cleansing
(A) a social revolution where negative aspects of a culture are removed
(B) to perform mass religious conversions

(C) the mass killing of members of one ethnic group
(D) removal of all signs of culture from a society
Q 11: Select the synonym of
parlance
(A) definitive
(B) lingo
(C) canonical
(D) classic
Q12: Choose the most appropriate word that can substitute the given group of words.
A place where nuns live and work
(A) Hostel
(B) Quarter
(C) Convent
(D) Dormitory

Q 13: Select the most appropriate word which means the same as the group of words given.
A government run by a king or a queen
(A) aristocracy
(B) plutocracy
(C) monarchy
(D) oligarchy
Q14 : Select the most appropriate word which means the same as the group of words given.
A word formed from the initial letters of other words
(A) pseudonym
(B) acronym
(C) homonym
(D) toponym
(b) topony
Q 15: Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word
GUILE
(A) Intuition
(B) Surfeit

(C) Deceit
(D) Sincerity
Q 16: Direction: In these questions, a part of the sentence is given in bold. Below are given alternative to the bold part at (A), (B) and (C) which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed you answer is (D).
The newspaper provides more international news than domestic news.
(A) national
(B) alien
(C) provincial
(D) No improvement
Q 17: Direction: In these questions, a part of the sentence is given in bold. Below are given alternative to the bold part at (A), (B) and (C) which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed you answer is (D).
The workers went on a strike asking for better pay and service condition.
(A) requesting
(B) demanding
(C) needing
(D) No improvement

Q 18: Direction: In these questions, a part of the sentence is given in bold. Below are given alternative to the bold part at (A), (B) and (C) which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed you answer is (D).
On one occasion he persuaded me to accompany him on shooting expedition he was planning
(A) has planned
(B) had planned
(C) planned
(D) No improvement
Q 19: In these questions, four words are given out of which only one is misspelt. Find that mis-spelt word.
(A) sacrosanct
(B) sacrelege
(C) sacred
(D) sacrament
Q 20: Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the given word.
"DEMOLISH"
(A) Abolish
(B) Construct

(C) Cherish
(D) Obstruct
Q 21: In these questions, four words are given out of which only one is right. Find the right word.
(A) almanc
(B) almighty
(C) allowanace
(D) allitration
Q 22: Select the most logical order of sentences from among the options.
P - But he did not know how to find one at that hour.
Q - It was his first visit to the city and he didn't know where to go.
R - Mohanlal's train was late and it reached Kolkata a little after midnight.
S - He thought he would go to a country where he would not have to pay rent.
(A) PSQR
(B) QRSP
(C) RQSP
(D) RSQP

Q 23: Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.
They have now
P-by a paternalistic state
Q-of goods mandated
R-been turned into consumers
(A) QRP
(B) QPR
(C) PRQ (D) RQP
Q 24: Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.
My brother is indifferent (about) whatever I say.  (A) in
(B) of
(C) to
(D) No improvement

Q 25: Direction: In these questions, a part of the sentence is given in bold. Below are given alternative to the bold part at (A), (B) and (C) which may improve the sentence. Choose the correct alternative. In case no improvement is needed you answer is (D).
I prefer to ride than to walk.
(A) riding to walking
(B) ride to walk
(C) riding than walking
(D) No improvement