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CA Qualifying Assessment Test

SECTION A

ENGLISH





We have no (contemporary) account of the battle. (01 mark)

- occurring at the same time
- reliable evidence
- accurate
- conclusive





She objected on purely (ethical) grounds. (01 mark)

- legally correct
- logically correct
- morally correct
- rational





Little (emphasis) was placed on educating people about the dangers. (01 mark)

- acknowledge
- giving importance
- to identify
- oresolving some issues





We were in hurry. The road being zig zag we had (to cut off a corner) to reach in time. (01 mark)

- O to speed up
- to take a shortcut
- to go fast
- oto take an alternative route

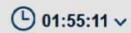






They have a (deliberate) policy to involve people of all ages in the project. (01 mark)

- planned
- excellent
- encouraging
- clear







She must be the most influential modern writer in the (genre). (01 mark)

- category
- country
- era
- vicinity





The most commonly (cited) reasons for stopping the treatment were side effects. (01 mark)

- identified
- referred
- observed
- occurred





I had my first (encounter) with the media two years ago. (01 mark)

- opportunity
- presentation
- stare
- experience

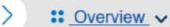




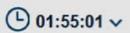
Three members of the Everest (expedition) were killed. (01 mark)

- picnic
- mountain
- outing
- trek













(01 mark) Owe

- Feel bound
- Obliged
- To settle
- Be in debt

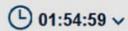






(01 mark) Abandon

- Resign
- Adopt
- Cease
- Abdicate







Urge (01 mark)

- Discourage
- Impel
- Incite
- Stimulate

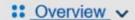




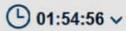
Pursue (01 mark)

- Follow
- Continue
- Ignore
- Track













There is a cricket match next week _____ I don't think I can go. (01 mark)

Select the correct conjuction for the sentence

- Either
- Therefore
- And
- Even





I loved this car, _____ I had to sell it to pay off my loan. (01 mark)

Select the correct adjective for the sentence

- Cheerfully
- Sadly
- Splendidly
- Amazingly

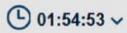




(Wow), you have won the game. (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate part of speech for the word in bracket

- Conjunction
- Interjection
- Adverb
- Verb

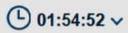




They _____ the Mathematics course yet. (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate tense to fill the blank

- had not started
- have not start
- have not started
- has not started

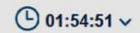




Most countries _____ significantly over the last 20 years. (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate tense to fill the blank

- grew
- had grown
- have grown
- will grow







I'm tired. I _____ for the last 5 hours. (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate tense to fill the blank

- had been working
- have been working
- am working
- have worked





Akram informed his friend that he could make use of his bike while he was away. (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate option which best expresses the same sentence in Direct / Indirect speech

- Akram said to his friend, "You can make use of my car while I am away".
- Akram said to his friend, "You will make use of my car while I was away".
- Akram asked his friend, "Will you make use of my car while I am away?"
- Akram said to his friend, "Use my car while I go away".





She said to me, "I'm going shopping. Can I get you something?" (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate option which best expresses the same sentence in Direct / Indirect speech

- She said she is going shopping and asked if she could get me something.
- She said she was going shopping and asked if I wanted something.
- She said she was going shopping and asked if she could get me something.
- She said she was going shopping and said to me if I wanted something.





She said, "I'm taking my children to the zoo tomorrow to see the baby white tiger". (01 mark)

Select the most appropriate option which best expresses the same sentence in Direct / Indirect speech

- She said that she was taking her children to the zoo the other day to see the baby white tiger.
- She said that she was taking the children to the zoo that day to see the baby white tiger.
- She said that she would take the children to the zoo the next day to see the baby white tiger.
- She said that she will take the children to the zoo to see the baby white tiger tomorrow.





We waste much time on trivial matters. (01 mark)

- Much time was wasted on trivial matters.
- Much time is wasted on trivial matters.
- Much time will be wasted on trivial matters.
- Much time is wasted by us on trivial matters.





We have already done the exercise. (01 mark)

- The exercise is already done by us.
- Already the exercise has been done by us.
- The exercise has already been done by us.
- The exercise had been already done by us.





The child touched the goat. (01 mark)

- The goat is touched by the child.
- The goat touched the child.
- The goat was touched by the child.
- The goat had been touched by the child.





The money was stolen by an employee of the bank. (01 mark)

- An employee of the bank stole the money.
- An employee of the bank steals the money.
- The money can be stolen by an employee of the bank.
- An employee of the bank had stolen the money.





The pilot landed the plane safely. (01 mark)

- The plane had been landed safely by the pilot.
- The plane has been landed safely by the pilot
- The plane was landed safely by the pilot.
- The plane was to be landed safely by the pilot.

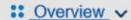




Select the sentence with correct punctuation. (01 mark)

- Ayesha and Zainab, who had been friends for many years, went on vacation together every summer.
- Ayesha and Zainab, who had been friends for many years, went on vacation together, every summer.
- Ayesha and Zainab who had been friends for many years went on vacation together every summer.
- Ayesha, and Zainab who had been friends for many years, went on vacation together every summer.













The class just finished reading a famous book titled, _____ a short story by Dena Linn about a patient's battle with terminal illness. (01 mark)

Select the option with correct punctuation

- The problem is",
- O the problem is,
- —"The Problem Is"
- The Problem Is



Read the letter and answer the following question(s):

Dear Mrs. Sara

As the President, I am proud to announce that this Friday marks the 30th anniversary of our long and successful running country club. This, of course, calls for a night of celebration. For this reason, we have reserved the Grand Hall at the Falcon Hotel the Friday at 7:00 pm for a night of fine dining and networking.

On this special evening, the newest members of our club will get an opportunity to listen to the thoughts of our older members and exchange ideas in an informative atmosphere. The newest members who will be carrying on our tradition, should hear what the older members have to say.

Further, the food will be superb. I've had a chance to dine at the hotel several times in past in other functions, and it was the food that convinced me to hold our event there. I am quite certain that all of our members will share my feeling. Anyhow, I am looking forward to this Friday when all our members meet and have some fun.

Please treat this letter an official invitation. You and your spouse to join us on this memorable evening.

Please let us know if you can't attend.

0	To provide information about the club's history
0	To inform members of the club's tradition
0	To welcome the newest member to the club
0	To invite the members to an upcoming event
i) W	hich of the following will NOT be part of the event? (02 marks)
0	Dinning
0	Networking
0	Discussion
0	Dancing
ii) What led the President of the club to hold the event in Falcon Hotel? (02 marks)	

i) What is the main purpose of this letter? (02 marks)

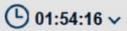
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SECTION B

MATHEMATICS

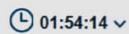






3/4 represents: (01 mark)

- whole number
- natural number
- rational number
- irrational number







Out of 52, 62, 70, 82, 78, 66, the numbers that have 13 as factor are _____. (01 mark)

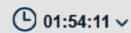
- O 66,78
- 0 70,78
- O 52,68
- O 52,78





What will be the algebraic statement of 4,12,24,40: (01 mark)

- \bigcirc (n×3)+(n×3)
- $(n+3)^2$
- O 2n2+2n
- O 2n+2n





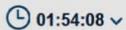


If the volume of cube is 4913cm³ then the length of side of the cube is _____. (01 mark)

- O 19cm
- 17cm
- 16cm
- 18cm







Navigate forwards





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If the length of one side of the cube is 20cm then volume of cube must be _____. (01 mark)

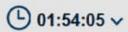
- O 8000cm³
- O 2400cm³
- O 6000cm³
- O 4000cm³





The perfect square roots between 250 and 300 are _____. (01 mark)

- O 262, 289
- O 252, 279
- O 256, 289
- O 272, 292

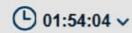






By converting 52% into fraction, the answer will be _____. (01 mark)

- 0 13/26
- 0 14/26
- 0 13/25
- 0 12/24







The ratio of 600ml to 1 litre is _____. (01 mark)

- O 3:7
- O 2:7
- 0 4:5
- 3:5





Which of the following equations has a horizontal line for its graph? (01 mark)

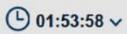
- \bigcirc x = 9
- $y = x^2$
- O y = 9
- \bigcirc x = y²





The round off value of 823km to the nearest 10 is _____. (01 mark)

- O 850 km
- O 820 km
- 830 km
- O 800 km







The closest estimate of the product of 22.75 and 325.56 is _____. (01 mark)

- 7400
- O 64000
- 74000
- O 6400





Zara bought 17 toys for a total of Rs. 9,265 where each toy was priced equally. After the purchase, she had Rs. 1,015 left with her. Find the cost of each toy and the amount she had. (01 mark)

- O Rs. 560, Rs. 10,560
- O Rs. 550, Rs. 10,565
- O Rs. 545, Rs. 10,565
- O Rs. 545, Rs. 10,280

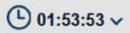






What is the average of the numbers 0, 0, 4, 10, 5, and 5? (01 mark)

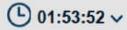
- 0 2
- 0 5
- 0 3
- 0 4





 $(2\times2)^3 \times (2\times3)^2 = ?$ (01 mark)

- O 2046
- 2304
- 3096
- 0 3046



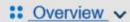




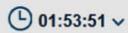
Sara, Marium and Ali want to divide Rs. 300 in the ratio of 2:4:6. The amount of money they will receive respectively are _____. (01 mark)

- Rs. 50, Rs. 100 and Rs. 150
- Rs. 60, Rs. 110 and Rs. 130
- Rs. 80, Rs. 100 and Rs. 120
- Rs. 70, Rs. 100 and Rs. 130













By converting 142.5% into decimal, the answer will be _____. (01 mark)

- 0.1425
- 0 1.425
- 0 142.5
- 0 14.25





6 pipes are required to fill a tank in 1 hour 20 minutes. If we use 5 such types of pipes, how much time it will take to fill the tank? (01 mark)

- 1 hr 36 min
- 2 hr
- 1 hr 56 min
- 1 hr 40 min





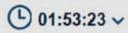
A new laptop costs \$1200. After one year, its value would decrease by 15%. In 2nd year, its value would decrease further by 10%. The value of laptop after 2 years would be ______. (01 mark)

- O \$956
- **\$918**
- **\$968**
- **\$937**













If a Baker baked 50 chocolate cakes and sold only 35 cakes then the percentage of sold cakes is _____. (01 mark)

- 0 70%
- 0 85%
- **75%**
- 0 80%





If the price of A1 in 2014 is Rs. 24/kg which was 20% more than what it was in 2010, then the price of A1 per kg in 2010 was ______. (01 mark)

- O Rs. 16
- O Rs. 20
- O Rs. 19.2
- O Rs. 18





In an examination, 40% of candidates got second class. If the data is represented by pie chart, what is the angle corresponding to the second class? (01 mark)

- O 320
- 0 90
- O 128
- 0 144





For presenting the growth of population for the last 8 years, the best diagram is _____. (01 mark)

- scatter plot
- radar chart
- simple bar chart
- O pie





If the frequency curve has a longer tail to the left, the distribution is: (01 mark)

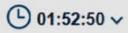
- positively skewed
- negatively skewed
- symmetrical
- either negative or positive skewed





By converting 13 1/4 into decimal, the answer will be _____. (01 mark)

- O 13.30
- 0 13.5
- 0 13.25
- O 12.8







The gradient of the line joining (-4, 6) and (6, 3) is _____. (01 mark)

- O -10/3
- O -3/10
- 0 10/3
- 0 3/10





The graph of y = 3x - 1 cuts the x axis at _____. (01 mark)

- O -1
- 0 3
- 0 1/3
- 0 1





Graph the following inequality on the number line X/7 ≤ 3: (01 mark)











What least number must be added to 1056, so that the sum is completely divisible by 23? (01 mark)

- 0 2
- O 3
- O 18
- O 21





Two students appeared at an examination. One of them secured 9 marks more than the other and his marks was 56% of the sum of their marks. The marks obtained by both students are _____. (01 mark)

- 43 and 34
- 42 and 33
- O 39 and 30
- 41 and 32





A fruit seller had some apples. He has sold 40% apples and still has 420 apples. Originally, he had ______. (01 mark)

- O 650 apples
- O 700 apples
- 500 apples
- 600 apples





SECTION C

ANALYTICAL REASONING





One has to be very cautious while driving.

Conclusions:

- (i) Lazy people should not drive
- (ii) We can prevent accidents by being active (01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- Only (ii)
- Only (i)
- O Neither (i) nor (ii)
- O Both (i) and (ii)





Television convinces viewers that the likelihood of their becoming the victim of a violent crime is extremely high; at the same time by its very nature, it persuades viewers to passively accept whatever happens to them. (01 mark)

Choose the conclusion which logically follows the above statement

- TV promotes a feeling of helpless vulnerability in viewers
- TV viewing promotes criminal behavior
- TV viewers are most likely to be victimized than others
- People should not watch TV



Look at this series: 36, 34, 30, 28, 24, (01 mark)

What number should come next?

- O 23
- O 22
- O 26
- O 20



It is desirable to put the child in school at the age of 5 or so.

Conclusions:

- (i) At that age the child reaches appropriate level of development and is ready to learn.
- (ii) The schools do not admit children after six years of age.

(01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- Only (i)
- O Both (i) and (ii)
- Only (ii)
- Neither (i) nor (ii)



Odometer is to mileage as compass is to: (01 mark)

- Needle
- Hiking
- Direction
- Speed





Cobbler: Shoe (01 mark)

Choose the pair that best represents a similar relationship to the one expressed in the original pair of words

O Jockey : Horse

Ocontractor : Building

Mason : Stone

O Cowboy : Boot





You are hereby appointed as a programmer with a probation period of one year and your performance will be reviewed at the end of the period for confirmation.

Conclusions:

- (i) The performance of an individual is not known at the time of appointment offer.
- (ii) An individual needs to prove his worth in the probation period. (01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- O Both (i) and (ii) are implicit
- O Neither (i) nor (ii) is implicit
- Only (ii)
- Only (i)





The school management has announced strict action against students who do not report to class on time.

Conclusions:

- (i) They want to avoid the frequent disturbance in class
- (ii) They want to develop discipline in students (01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- O Both (i) and (ii)
- Only (i)
- Only (ii)
- Neither (i) nor (ii)





Look at this series: 2, 1, 1/2, 1/4, (01 mark)

What number should come next?

- 0 2/8
- 0 1/3
- 0 1/8
- 0 1/6





All that glitters is not gold. (01 mark)

Choose the conclusion which logically follows the above statement

- Only gold glitters
- Non-metals also glitter
- Not all metals glitter
- Glittering things may be deceptive





- Sailing
- Swimming
- Driving
- Diving





In order to bring punctuality in our office, we must provide conveyance allowance to our employees."

Conclusions:

- (i) Conveyance allowance will not help in bringing punctuality.
- (ii) Discipline and reward should always go hand in hand. (01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- O Both (i) and (ii)
- Only (i)
- Only (ii)
- O Neither (i) nor (ii)



Optimist is to cheerful as pessimist is to: (01 mark)

- Mean
- O Gloomy
- Miserable
- Tolerant





"If you trouble me, I will punish you." - A mother warns her child.

Conclusions:

- (i) With the warning, the child may stop troubling her.
- (ii) All children are basically naughty.

(01 mark)

Read the above statement and conclusions carefully and choose which conclusion(s) logically follow the statement

- Only (ii)
- Only (i)
- O Both (i) and (ii)
- O Neither (i) and (ii)





Most dresses in that shop are expensive. (01 mark)

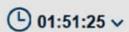
Choose the conclusion which logically follow the above statement

- Handloom dresses in that shop are cheap.
- There are no cheap dresses available in that shop.
- There are also less expensive dresses in that shop.
- Few dresses in that shop are expensive.





- O Dogs and bark
- Birds and chirp
- Camels and roar
- Horse and neigh







Sponge is to porous as rubber is to: (01 mark)

- Inflexible
- Solid
- Massive
- Elastic



Look at this series: 5.2, 4.8, 4.4, 4, (01 mark)

What number should come next?

- O 3
- O 3.5
- 3.3
- O 3.6





- Principle
- Student
- Teacher
- Lecturer





- O Bird
- O Crow
- Kite
- Sparrow





- O Cup
- O Spoon
- O Bowl
- Bouquet



Look at this series: 58, 52, 46, 40, 34, (01 mark)

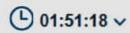
What number should come next?

- O 26
- O 28
- O 30
- O 32





- Ink and inkpot
- Water and bucket
- Books and bag
- O Pen and nib







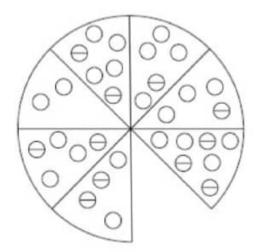
Find the odd one from the following: (01 mark)

- O RL
- O XT
- O PL
- O JF

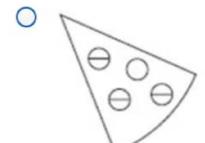


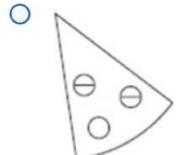


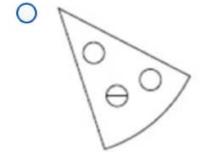
Select the most appropriate answer from the options given below: (02 marks)

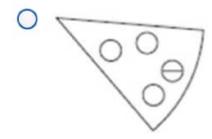


Which section is missing?













Jaundice : Liver (01 mark)

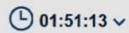
Choose the pair that best represents a similar relationship to the one expressed in the original pair of words

Imagination : Brain

O Breathe: Lung

Rash : Skin

O Blood : Heart







Marathon is to race as hibernation is to: (01 mark)

- winter
- bear
- dream
- sleep





Soldiers serve their country. (01 mark)

Choose the conclusion which logically follows the above statement.

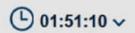
- Men generally serve their country.
- Those who serve their country are soldiers.
- Women do not serve their country because they are not soldiers.
- Those who are soldiers serve their country.



Daisy - Flower - Plant

Textbook - Lesson plan -? (01 mark)

- Teacher
- Report card
- Artist
- O Paint





Candle - lamp - floodlight

Hut - Cottage -? (01 mark)

- Dwelling
- O City
- O Tent
- House







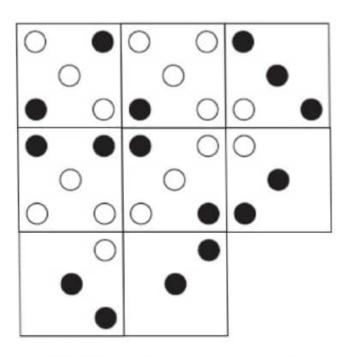
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Select the most appropriate answer from the options given below:



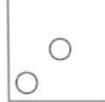
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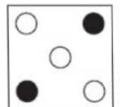
Which is the missing tile?



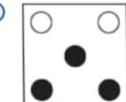








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Look at this series: 1.5, 2.3, 3.1, 3.9, (01 mark)

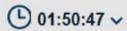
What number should come next?

- 0 4.7
- O 5.1
- 0 4.2
- 0 4.4













Look at this series: 544, 509, 474, 439, (01 mark)

What number should come next?

- 0 414
- 0 404
- O 420
- O 445