Time: 90 Minute

Maximum Marks: 100

SCHOLASTIC APTITUTE TEST - 2016

Instructions to the Candidates

Read the following instructions carefully before you answer the questions:

- 1. Answer are to be given on a SEPRATE ANSWER SHEET.
- **2.** Please write your twelve digits Roll Number very clearly on the Test-booklet and Answer Sheet as given in your admission card.
- **3.** Please note and follow the instructions given on the answer sheet for writing the answers.
- **4.** Darken the CIRCLE with pen for answering the question in the appropriate space against the number corresponding to the question you are answering.
- **5.** There are 100 question in the test.
- **6.** Since all questions are compulsory, do not try read the whole question paper before beginning to answer it.
- **7.** If you do not know the answer to any question, do not spend much time on it and pass on to the next one. Time permitting, you can come back to the question, which you have left in the first instance and try them again.
- **8.** Since the time allotted for this question paper is very limited you should make the best use of it by not spending too much time on any one question.
- 9. Rough work can be done anywhere in the booklet but not on Answer sheet/loose paper.
- **10.** Every correct answer will be awarded one mark.
- **11.** Please return the answer sheet to the invigilator after the test.

1.	Kidneys in human beings are a part of the system for (1) Nutrition (3) Excretion	(2) (4)	Respiration Transportation
2.	In a neuron, conversion of electrical signal to a chemica (1) Axon (3) Axonal end	al sigr (2) (4)	al occurs at/in Dendrite end Cell body
3.	lodine is necessary for the synthesis of which hormone? (1) Auxin (3) Adrenaline	? (2) (4)	Thyroxin Insulin
4.	Name the plant hormone responsible for falling of senes (1) Gibberelin (3) Cytokinin		leaves Auxin Abscisic Acid
5.	Characters transmitted from parents to offspring are pre (1) Cytoplasm (3) Golgi Bodies		in Ribosome Genese
6.	Break down of pyruvate to give carbon dioxide, water ar (1) Cytoplasm (3) Chloroplast		ergy takes place in Mitochondria Nucleus
7.	In human males, all the chromosomes are paired perfect (1) Large chromosome (3) Y-chromosome		ccept one. This/these unpaired chromosome is/are Small chromosome X-chromosome
8.	 The main cause of abundant coliform bacteria in the rive (1) Disposal of unburnt corpses into water (2) Discharge of effluents from electroplating industries (3) Washing of clothes (4) Immersion of ashes 		nga is
9.	Accumulation of non-biodegradable pesticides in the fo is known as (1) Eutrophication (3) Biomagnification	od ch (2) (4)	nain in increasing amount at each higher trophic level Pollution Accumulation
10.	Out of the following endrocine glands which are unpaire (1) Ovary (3) Pancreas	ed? (2) (4)	Testes Adrenal
11.	How many pairs of spinal nerves arise from spinal cord? (1) 31 Pairs (3) 40 Pairs	? (2) (4)	30 Pairs None of these
12.	What is the information source for making proteins in the (1) IUCD (3) ER	e nuc (2) (4)	leus of a cell? DNA ATP
13.	Asexual reproduction takes place through budding in (1) Amoeba (3) Plasmodium	(2) (4)	Yeast Leishmania
14.	 Which of the following is an example of homologous org (1) Our arm and a dog's foreleg (3) Potato and runners of grass 	gans i (2) (4)	s? Our teeth and an elephant's tusk All of the above
15.	 An object is placed at 10 cm from a convex mirror of foc (1) 3.33 cm behind the mirror (3) 6.67 cm in front of the mirror 	(2)	ngth 20 cm, find the position of image? 3.33 cm in front of the mirror 6.67 cm behind the mirror

16. A light ray enters from medium A to medium B as shown in figure below. The refractive index of medium B relative to A will be



28.	 Chemical reaction between quick lime and water is characterized by (1) evolution of Hydrogen gas (2) formation of slaked lime precipitate (3) change in temperature of mixture (4) change in colour of the product 	
29.	 Process of respiration is (1) an oxidation reaction which is endothermic (2) a reduction reaction which is exothermic (3) a combination reaction which is endothermic (4) an oxidation reaction which is exothermic 	
30.	 The discomfort caused by indigestion due to over eating can be cured by taking (1) vinegar (2) lemon juice (3) baking soda (4) caustic soda 	
31.	 Which of the following is treated with chlorine to obtain bleaching powder? (1) CaSO₄ (2) Ca(OH)₂ (3) Mg (OH)₂ (4) KOH 	
32.	 Which of the following is the most reactive metal	
33.	 Which of the following pair of reactants can undergo a displacement reaction under appropriate c (1) MgSO₄ + Fe (2) ZnSO₄ + Fe (3) MgSO₄ + Pb (4) CuSO₄ + Fe 	onditions?
34.	 Calamine ore can be converted into ZnO by the process of Dehydration Calcinations Calcinations Calcinations 	
35.	 5. Which of the following always contains mercury as one of the constituents? (1) Stainless steel (2) Solder (3) Duralumin (4) Zinc Amalgam 	
36.	 Property of self-combination of the atoms of the same element to form long chains is known as (1) Protonation (2) Carbonation (3) oronation (4) Catenation 	
37.	 7. Hydrocarbon 2-methylbutane is an isomer of (1) n-pentane (2) n-butane (3) propane (4) iso-butane 	
38.	 Chlorine reacts with saturated hydrocarbons at room temperature in the (1) absence of sunlight (2) presence of sunlight (3) absence of moisture (4) presence of H₂SO₄ 	
39.	 On moving from left to right in a period of the periodic table, the atomic number of elements happens to the size of atoms of elements on moving from left to right in a period? (1) Increases (2) Decreases (3) Remains the same (4) First increases then decreases 	increases. What
40.	 When a student put some copper turnings in a colourless solution, he observed that the solution blue. The solution is most likely to be: (1) Ferrours sulphate solution (2) Magnesium nitrate solution (3) Silver nitrate solution (4) Copper sulphate solution 	gradually turned
41.		
42.	 The soil in the northern plain region of India consists of calcareous deposits and is locally known (1) Khadar (2) Black soil (3) Doab (4) Kankar 	as
43.	 A narrow belt of high attitude (above 12000 m) where westerly wind in the troposphere flows is kr (1) Ozone layer (2) El Nino (3) EVSO (4) Jet stream 	own as
44.	 A warm ocean current that flows past the Peruvian coast in place of cold Peruvian current is know (1) ENSO (2) LA NINA (3) EL Nino (4) Western Disturbance 	/n as

45.	Which one is the highest peak in the Eastern Ghats (1) Nilgiri (3) Parasnath	(2) (4)	
46.	Ganga plain lies between which river (1) Yamuna and Teesta (3) Yamuna and Brahmaputra	(2) (4)	Ghaggar and Teesta Teesta and Sarda
47.	Non-metallic minerals are found in (1) Igneous rocks (3) Sedimentary rocks	(2) (4)	Metamorphic rocks Mixed rocks
48.	Silicon used in the computer industry is obtained from(1) Bauxite(3) cuprite	(2) (4)	Quartz Magnetite
49.	Which is the extreme south western port located at the(1) Tuticorin(3) Kochi	(2)	nce of lagoon with a natural harbor? Chennai Karwar
50.	The national water ways no. 1 is located on the river (1) Ganga (3) Kaveri	(2) (4)	Brahmaputra Yamuna
51.	The larger occurrence of minerals of igneous and meta(1) Veins(3) Layers	(2)	
52.	"Rat-hole" mining is found in (1) Jharkhand (3) Meghalaya	(2) (4)	Nagaland Odisha
53.	In the context of France the fall of Bastille took place or (1) 20 th August 1789 (3) 14 th July 1789) (2) (4)	14 th August 1789 14 th August 1798
54.	"The Spirit of Laws" book was written by (1) Rousseau (3) Montesquieu	(2) (4)	
55.	Who led the Bolshevik group in Russia during Russian (1) Karl Marx (3) Leon Trotsky	(2)	lution? Friedrich Engels Vladimir Lenin
56.	Which incident led to the start of World War II?(1) Russian invasion of Poland(3) German invasion of Poland	(2) (4)	German invasion of Russia Japans sinking of ship at Pearl Harbour
57.	When as the first world cup cricket successfully staged (1) 1975 (3) 1974	(2) (4)	1947 1976
58.	 Why did the Indians oppose the Rowlatt Act? (1) It increased the taxes on land (2) It gave the British the power to arrest and detain a (3) It put a ban on the congress party (4) All of the above 	perso	on without a trial
59.	 Who said When France sneezes the rest of Europe cat (1) TT.S. Eliot (3) Count Cavour 	tches (2) (4)	
60.	Who was the founder of Hoa Hao movement? (1) Huynh Phun So (3) Phan Boi Chan	(2) (4)	Liang Oichad Ngyuagen Dinchien
61.	During French colonization Thailand was known as (1) Mekong (3) Sagon	(2) (4)	Yunnan Siam

62.	Which of the following was the first book printed by Gute(1) New Testament(3) chap Books	enber (2) (4)	
63.	Which one of the following was the 'city of gold'? (1) Peru (3) Spain	(2) (4)	Mexico El Dorado
64.	"Godan" is a famous novel by (1) Bhartendu Harishandra (3) Jaishankar Prasad	(2) (4)	Premchand Namvar Singh
65.	Iraq became independent in 1932 from which rule(1) French(3) British	(2) (4)	U.S.A Germany
66.	Which country had faced the worst recorded famine is th(1) Mexico(3) Pakistan	he wo (2) (4)	orld history in the year 1958 to 1960? India China
67.	On what charges was Nelson Mandela sentenced to life(1) for corruption charges(3) for treason		isonment? for breaking the laws for possessing illegal proper
68.	The number of seats reserved for Scheduled Caste (SC (1) 69 (3) 79		ne Lok Sabha is 41 89
69.	 Which body exposed to the world that prisoners at Gual US laws? (1) United Nations (3) International court of Justice 	ntana (2) (4)	amo Bay were being tortured in ways that violated the Amnesty international International Labour Organization
70.	Which of the following system of power sharing is called(1) Separation of power(3) Horizontal division of powers		-
71.	Which one is the group of federal countries? (1) India, USA, Iraq (3) USA, India, Switzerland	(2) (4)	USA, Switzerland and Libya USA, India and Libya
72.	 Which party enjoys a strong hold in Tripura, Kerala and (1) CPI (3) Trinamool Congress 	(2)	Bengal? CPI (M) CPI (L)
73.	Who is the chairman of the planning commission?(1) Finance Minister(3) President	(2) (4)	chief Minister Prime Minister
74.	World Trade Organization (WTO) was started at the initi(1) Developing Countries(3) Developed Countries	iative (2) (4)	of Asian Countries European Countries
75.	 In which sectors maximum underemployment is found in (1) Secondary Sector (3) Tertiary Sector 		a Primary Sector None of the above
76.	In which year National Rural Employment Gurantee Act (1) 2008 (3) 1991	-	assed? 2005 1995
77.	 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) is the total value of (1) All good and services (3) All intermediate and final good and services 		All final goods and services
78.	Golden Revolution associated with the product of(1) Oil seeds(3) Horticulture	(2) (4)	Poultry Cotton

- 79. What was the aim of antyoday programe
 - (1) unliftment of schedule tribe people
 - (3) helping the poorest of poor

- (2) upliftment of women
- (4) children welfare
- **80.**is an example of indirect taxes is
 - (1) Corporate Tax(3) Estate Tax

- (2) Income Tax
- (4) Entertainment Tax

- 81. If $(-1)^n + (-1)^{4n} = 0$, then n is
 - (1) any positive(3) any odd natural number

- (2) any negative
- (4) any even natural number

82. If α and β be the zeroes of the polynomial $ax^2 + bx + c$, then the value of $\sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\beta}} + \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}}$ is

- (1) b (2) $\frac{-b}{\sqrt{ac}}$
- $(3) \quad \frac{-b}{ac} \qquad \qquad (4) \quad \frac{1}{ac}$

83. If -4 is a root of the quadratic equation $x^2 + px - 4 = 0$ and the quadratic equation $x^2 + px + k = 0$ has equal roots, find the value of k,

- (1) $\frac{3}{4}$ (2) $\frac{7}{4}$ (3) $\frac{2}{9}$ (4) $\frac{9}{4}$
- **84.** The value of $\sqrt{6+\sqrt{6+\sqrt{6+...}}}$ is (1) 4 (2) 3 (3) -4 (4) 3.5

85. In an A.P., sum of first n terms is $\frac{3n^2}{2} + \frac{5n}{2}$. Find its 25th term.

- (1)
 100
 (2)
 25

 (3)
 75
 (4)
 76
- **86.** ABC is a right angle triangle, right angled at c. If p is the length of the perpendicular from C to AB, AB = c and BC = a and AC = b, then
 - (1) $\frac{1}{a^2} = \frac{1}{b^2} \frac{1}{p^2}$ (2) $\frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{b^2}$ (3) $\frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{1}{a^2}$ (4) $\frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$

87. In a given figure, x in term of a, b and c is

(1)	$x = \frac{ac}{a+c}$	
(2)	$x = \frac{ab}{b+c}$	a a
(3)	$x = \frac{ac}{b+c}$	$\begin{array}{c} & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ P \xrightarrow{46^{\circ}} & & \\ & & \\ P \xrightarrow{46^{\circ}} & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ P \xrightarrow{46^{\circ}} & \\ & & \\ & & \\ \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{T \xrightarrow{46^{\circ}} C } R}$
(4)	$x = \frac{bc}{a+c}$	P ← D → T ← C F.

88. Two dice are thrown simultaneously. Find the probability of getting the sum prime number

(1) 12/5(3) 5/12

(2) 12/15 (4) 1

89. Two poles of height a meters and b meters are p meters apart. Height of the point intersection of the lines joining the top of each pole to the foot of the opposite pole is given by,

(1)	ab a+b	(2)	$\frac{a+b}{ab}$
(3)	ab a−b	(4)	$\frac{a-b}{ab}$

- **90.** If $\tan \theta = \frac{x \sin \phi}{1 \cos \phi}$ and $\tan \phi = \frac{y \sin \theta}{1 y \cos \theta}$ (1) $\frac{\sin \phi}{\sin \theta}$ (2) $\frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \phi}$ (3) $\frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}$ (4) $\frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \phi}$
- **91.** If tangents PA and PB from a point P to a circle with centre O are inclined to each other at angle of 80°, then \angle POA is equal to,

C

(1)	50°	(2)	60°
(3)	70°	(4)	80°

- 92. In the diagram, PQ and QR are tangents to the circle centre O, at P and R respectively. Find the value of x.
 - (1)
 25
 (2)
 35

 (3)
 45
 (4)
 55
- 93. If h be the height and α the Semi-vertical angle of a right circular cone, then its volume is given by

50'

(1)	$\frac{1}{3}\pi h^3 \tan^2 \alpha$	(2)	$\frac{1}{3}\pi h^2 \tan^2 \alpha$
(3)	$\frac{1}{3}\pi h^2 \tan^3 \alpha$	(4)	$\frac{1}{3}\pi h^3 \tan^3 \alpha$

94. If the mean of x and 1/x is M, the mean of x^3 and $1/x^3$ is

(1)
$$\frac{M^2-3}{2}$$

(3) M^3
(2) $M(4M^2-3)$
(4) M^3+3

95. If $x = a \sec \theta + b \tan \theta$ and $y = a \tan \theta b \sec \theta$ prove that the value of $x^2 - y^2$ will be (1) $a^2 - b^2$ (2) $a^2 + b^2$ (3) $a^2 + 1$ (4) $a^2 - 1$

96. A circle with radius 2 unit is placed against a right angle. Another smaller circle is also placed as shown in figure. What is the radius of the smaller circle?

- (1) $3-2\sqrt{2}$ (2) $4-2\sqrt{2}$ (3) $7-4\sqrt{2}$ (4) $6-4\sqrt{2}$
- 97. Sum of n terms of the series $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{8} + \sqrt{18} + \sqrt{32} + \dots$ is

(1)
$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$
 (2)

(3)
$$\frac{n(n+1)}{\sqrt{2}}$$
 (4) 1

98. Sum of first n odd natural numbers is

(1) n^2 (2) n+1(3) 2n+1 (4) n

2n(n+1)

- If x = 1 a common root of the equations $ax^2 + ax + 3 = 0$ and $x^2 + x + b = 0$, then ab 99.
 - (1) 3 (3) 6 (2) 3.5 (4) -3
- The value of K if the linear equations x + 2y = 3 and 5x + ky + 7 = 0 has unique solution is 100.
 - (1) $K \neq 1$ (3) $K \neq 15$

- (2) $K \neq 10$ (4) $K \neq 5$



ANSWERS

1.	3	2.	3	3.	2	4.	4	5.	4
6.	2	7.	3,4	8.	1	9.	3	10.	3
11.	1	12.	2	13.	2	14.	4	15.	4
16.	1	17.	3	18.	1	19.	4	20.	3
21.	1	22.	3	23.	4	24.	3	25.	1
26.	4	27.	4	28.	3	29.	4	30.	3
31.	2	32.	4	33.	4	34.	3	35.	4
36.	4	37.	1	38.	2	39.	2	40.	3
41.	3	42.	4	43.	4	44.	4	45.	2
46.	2	47.	3	48.	2	49.	3	50.	1
51.	2	52.	3	53.	3	54.	3	55.	4
56.	3	57.	1	58.	2	59.	2	60.	1
61.	4	62.	2	63.	4	64.	2	65.	3
66.	4	67.	3	68.	3,(Or no option	n) 69.	2	70.	3
71.	3	72.	2	73.	4	74.	1	75.	2
76.	2	77.	2	78.	1	79.	3	80.	4
81	3	82.	2	83.	4	84.	2	85.	4
86.	3,4	87.	3	88.	3	89.	1	90.	2
91.	1	92.	3	93.	1	94.	2	95.	1
96.	4	97.	3	98.	1	99.	1	100.	. 2