

**FIRST YEAR OF 3-YEAR B.A. (HONS.)
ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 2017**

**CLUSTER—1 (FRENCH, GERMAN,
RUSSIAN AND SPANISH)**

[Field of Study Code : FRNU (406)/
GERU (407)/RSNU (408)/SPNU (409)]

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

- (i) Attempt **all** questions.
- (ii) All questions must be answered in the Question Paper itself.
- (iii) The Question Paper has four Units. Units—1, 2 and 3 are Multiple Choice based Questions and Unit—4 is Subjective.
- (iv) Answer the questions of Units—1, 2 and 3 by putting a circle around the letter [(a) or (b) or (c) or (d)]; for example, (a) representing the correct choice.
- (v) If more than one answer is selected, the answer will be marked wrong.
- (vi) There is no negative marking.
- (vii) Extra pages are provided for Rough Work at the end of the booklet.

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SUBJECT
(Field of Study/Language)

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UNIT—1

(Marks : 35)

Answer **all** questions

Each question carries 1 mark

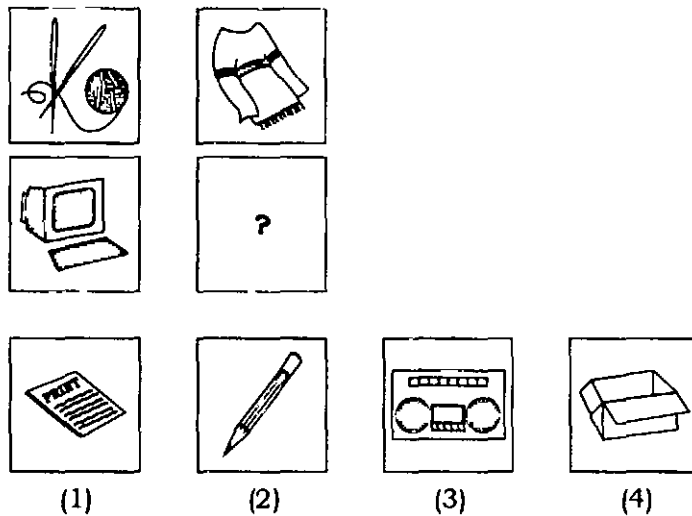
1. Here below is a series. Fill in the blank with one of the options given below :

$B_2CD, \dots, BCD_4, B_5CD, BC_6D.$

- (a) B_2C_2D (b) BC_3D
(c) B_2C_3D (d) BCD_7
2. On the basis of the paragraph below, find out which **one** is the **correct** statement among the four statements that follow :

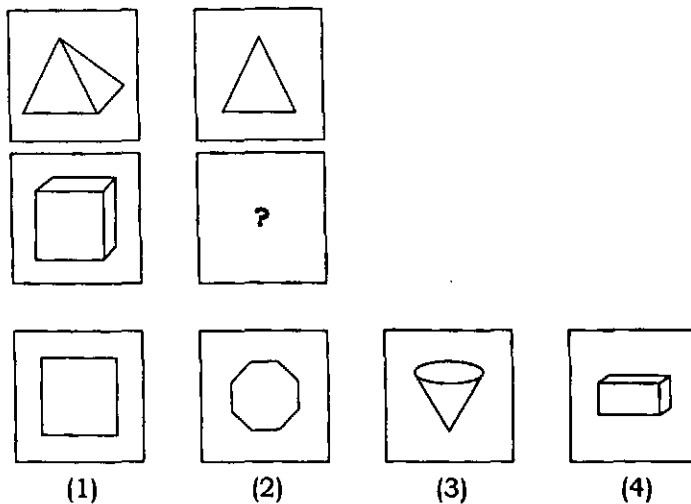
Tato is twelve years old. For three years, he has been asking his parents for a dog. His parents have told him that they believe a dog would not be happy in an apartment, but they have given him permission to have a bird. Tato has not yet decided what kind of bird he would like to have.

- (a) Tato's parents like birds better than they like dogs.
(b) Tato does not like birds.
(c) Tato and his parents live in an apartment.
(d) Tato and his parents would like to move.
3. Choose the picture that would go in the empty box so that the two bottom pictures are related in the same way as the top two are related :



- (a) 1 (b) 2
(c) 3 (d) 4

4. Choose the picture that would go in the empty box so that the two bottom pictures are related in the same way as the top two are related :



- (a) 1 (b) 2
 (c) 3 (d) 4
5. Each problem consists of three statements. Based on the first two statements, the third statement may be true, false, or uncertain.

Smrithi is older than Jean.
 Olivier is older than Smrithi.
 Jean is older than Olivier.

If the first two statements are true, the third statement is

- (a) true
 (b) false
 (c) uncertain
 (d) None of the above
6. Shera weighs less than Bruno.
 Shera weighs more than Boomer.
 Of the three dogs, Boomer weighs the least.
 If the first two statements are true, the third statement is
- (a) true
 (b) false
 (c) uncertain
 (d) None of the above

7. Find the odd one out :

- (a) Pendulum
- (b) Pencil
- (c) Penicillin
- (d) Pesticide

8. Find the odd one out :

- (a) Poet
- (b) Novelist
- (c) Critic
- (d) Dramatist

9. Find the odd one out :

- (a) Roar
- (b) Bark
- (c) Howl
- (d) Quack

10. Find the odd one out :

- (a) Wheat
- (b) Ragi
- (c) Millet
- (d) Corn flakes

11. There are five suitcases. The weight of each one is given below.

Suitcase *A* weighs 33 kg

Suitcase *B* weighs 35 kg

Suitcase *C* weighs 60 kg

Suitcase *D* weighs 42 kg

Suitcase *E* weighs 15 kg

Which is the odd one out?

(a) Suitcase *A*

(b) Suitcase *B*

(c) Suitcase *C*

(d) Suitcase *D*

12. In the left-hand side, fill up on the position of @ the correct mathematical operations like addition, subtraction, multiplication, division etc., so as to arrive at the correct right-hand side number

$$35 @ 16 @ 5 = 112$$

Options :

(a) Addition and subtraction

(b) Multiplication and subtraction

(c) Multiplication and division

(d) Division and addition

13. Who ruled Russia in 1914?

(a) Tsar Nicolas II

(b) Novgorod Rurik

(c) Peter the Great

(d) Ivan IV

14. Jadidists were
- (a) the merchants selling the stone called Jade
 - (b) Jews living outside Germany
 - (c) Muslim reformers within the Russian empire
 - (d) supporters of the king of France during the French Revolution
15. The Nuremberg Tribunal judged
- (a) the Tsars of Russia after Revolution
 - (b) the Nazis after the Second World War
 - (c) the supporters of Lenin after his death
 - (d) the deputies of Weimar Republic
16. After the First World War, who demilitarized Germany to weaken its power?
- (a) United Nations
 - (b) The axis powers
 - (c) The newly formed USSR
 - (d) The allied powers
17. The National Anthem of France called *Marseillaise* was written by
- (a) Rouget de Lisle
 - (b) Charles Baudelaire
 - (c) La Martine
 - (d) Rousseau
18. Nanine Vallain was a
- (a) French traveller who came to India in 19th century
 - (b) French female painter in the Court of the last Tsar of Russia
 - (c) German female painter whose works represented hope in post Second World War Germany
 - (d) French female painter who painted on themes related to the French Revolution

- 19.** The French speaking province of Canada is
- (a) Nova Scotia
 - (b) Quebec
 - (c) Manitoba
 - (d) Saskatchewan
- 20.** The Spanish working class responded with a Revolution in 1936 to the troops of
- (a) Franco
 - (b) Salazar
 - (c) Mussolini
 - (d) Hitler
- 21.** Felipe VI is a king of
- (a) England
 - (b) Monaco
 - (c) Spain
 - (d) Belgium
- 22.** Santiago is the capital city of
- (a) Chile
 - (b) Brazil
 - (c) Peru
 - (d) Cuba
- 23.** Machu Picchu is in
- (a) Bali province of Indonesia
 - (b) South America
 - (c) Africa
 - (d) North America

- 24.** The painting *Mona Lisa* is in which museum?
- (a) Musée d'Orsay
 - (b) Musée du Louvre
 - (c) Museo del Prado
 - (d) Galleria Nazionale d'Arte Moderna
- 25.** *Oktoberfest* is celebrated in
- (a) Marseille
 - (b) Monaco
 - (c) Madrid
 - (d) Munich
- 26.** *Día de muertos* is celebrated in
- (a) Argentina
 - (b) Mexico
 - (c) Spain
 - (d) Chile
- 27.** *Hermitage* Museum is in which city?
- (a) Saint Petersburg
 - (b) Moscow
 - (c) Berlin
 - (d) Barcelona
- 28.** Neymar Jr., the famous footballer plays for which football club?
- (a) FC Barcelona
 - (b) Real Madrid
 - (c) Paris Saint-Germain FC
 - (d) FC Bayern Munich

Based on the given statements, answer the questions that follow :

Anita and Amit play hockey and cricket.

Amit and Madhu like to play chess and hockey.

Alok and Anita play football and cricket.

Alok and Srishti play golf and football.

Srishti is good at golf, football and chess.

- 29.** Who among the following plays chess, hockey and cricket?
- (a) Anita
 - (b) Alok
 - (c) Srishti
 - (d) None of them
- 30.** Who among the following plays golf, football and cricket?
- (a) Srishti
 - (b) Anita
 - (c) Alok
 - (d) None of them
- 31.** Who among the following plays hockey and chess but not cricket?
- (a) Srishti
 - (b) Alok
 - (c) Madhu
 - (d) Amit
- 32.** Who among the following plays golf, football and chess?
- (a) Srishti
 - (b) Alok
 - (c) Madhu
 - (d) Amit

33. Who among the following plays cricket, hockey and football?

- (a) Amit
- (b) Anita
- (c) Srishti
- (d) Madhu

Based on the given statements, answer the questions that follow :

Vaibhav is son of Mahesh's father's sister. Prateek is son of Rekha, who is mother of Vineet and grandmother of Mahesh. Mukesh is father of Neeti and grandfather of Vaibhav. Rekha is wife of Mukesh.

34. How is Vaibhav related to Rekha?

- (a) Grandson
- (b) Son
- (c) Nephew
- (d) Data inadequate

35. How is Vineet's wife related to Neeti?

- (a) Sister
- (b) Niece
- (c) Sister-in-law
- (d) Data inadequate

UNIT—2

(Reading Comprehension)

(Marks : 10)

A quarter of all global deaths of children under five are due to unhealthy or polluted environments, including dirty water and air, second-hand smoke and a lack of adequate hygiene, the World Health Organization (WHO) said on Monday.

Such unsanitary and polluted environments can lead to fatal cases of diarrhoea, malaria and pneumonia, the WHO said in a report, and kill 1.7 million children a year.

“A polluted environment is a deadly one—particularly for young children,” WHO Director-General Margaret Chan said in a statement. “Their developing organs and immune systems, and smaller bodies and airways, make them especially vulnerable to dirty air and water.”

In the report—“Inheriting a sustainable world : Atlas on children’s health and the environment”—the WHO said harmful exposure can start in the womb, and then continue if infants and toddlers are exposed to indoor and outdoor air pollution and second-hand smoke.

This increases their childhood risk of pneumonia as well as their lifelong risk of chronic respiratory diseases such as asthma. Air pollution also increases the lifelong risk of heart disease, stroke and cancer, the report said.

The report also noted that in households without access to safe water and sanitation, or that are polluted with smoke from unclean fuels such as coal or dung for cooking and heating, children are at higher risk of diarrhoea and pneumonia.

Children are also exposed to harmful chemicals through food, water, air and products around them, it said.

Maria Neira, a WHO expert on public health, said this was a heavy toll, both in terms of deaths and long-term illness and disease rates. She urged governments to do more to make all places safe for children.

“Investing in the removal of environmental risks to health, such as improving water quality or using cleaner fuels, will result in massive health benefits,” she said.

[Source : *The Hindu*, March 6, 2017]

Reading Comprehension questions :

36. The newspaper article primarily discusses
- (a) the environmental risk to health
 - (b) environmental hazards leading to global deaths of children
 - (c) hazards of air pollution
 - (d) pollution leading to long-term illness

- 37.** Fatal cases of diarrhoea, malaria and pneumonia in children are caused due to
- (a) low immune system in children
 - (b) bad water quality
 - (c) unsanitary and polluted environments
 - (d) harmful chemicals through food
- 38.** In order to improve the situation and lower the death rates in children, Maria Neira, a WHO expert on public health, suggests which of the following?
- (a) Improving water quality or using cleaner fuels
 - (b) Government should do more to improve the environment
 - (c) Avoid harmful exposure to chemicals
 - (d) Work with WHO
- 39.** An antonym used for 'resilient' in the article is
- (a) unsafe
 - (b) endangered
 - (c) unprotected
 - (d) vulnerable
- 40.** Harmful exposure to children can start in the womb due to
- (a) indoor and outdoor air pollution and second-hand smoke
 - (b) using unclean fuels
 - (c) dirty air and water
 - (d) unhygienic sanitation

UNIT—3

(Marks : 10)

Answer **all** questions

Each questions carries 2 marks

Given below is a list of three words in an artificial language and their English meanings. The question that follows requires you to translate an English word into the artificial language.

Choose one from the choices given :

- 41.** Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

Bezбота means without employment

Dostobota means enough employment

Okhranvedomost means defense ministry

Which word could mean 'employment ministry'?

- (a) Botavedomost
- (b) Bezokhran
- (c) Dostookhran
- (d) Botaokhran

- 42.** Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

Narodproxy means mass protest

Jenaproxy means women protest

Phoebeteti means February revolution

Which word could mean 'February women revolution'?

- (a) Phoebenarodteti
- (b) Jenaphoebeproxy
- (c) Phoebjenateti
- (d) Phoebjenaproxy

43. Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

Contrarose means human respect

Acontrarose means mutual respect

Altropenja means self being

Which word could mean 'being human'?

- (a) Altrocontra
- (b) Panjaacontra
- (c) Penjarose
- (d) Penjacontra

44. Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

Conteskult means people's culture

Contesnulkht means people's narrative

Kultpassant means cultural tradition

Which word could mean 'people's narrative tradition'?

- (a) Contesnultpassant
- (b) Nulktcontespasant
- (c) Passantnulkhtcontes
- (d) Contesnulkhtpassant

45. Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

Husslebussle means artistic music

Musslebussle means rock music

Tusslenussle means commercial cinema

Which word could mean 'artistic cinema'?

- (a) Hussletussle
- (b) Musslenussle
- (c) Nusslehussle
- (d) Husslenussle

UNIT—4

(Marks : 45)

1. Please rearrange the order of the given sentence in correct form : 1
French King Louis XVI / the French Revolution / was tried / on January 21,
1793 / and executed / after / the
2. Please rearrange the order of the given sentence in correct form : 1
the Hollywood Theatre / is a not-for-profit organization / whose mission is to
entertain, / inspire, / educate / and connect / the community / through the
art of film
3. Please rearrange the order of the given sentence in correct form : 1
touch / told / woman / anything / museum / to / me / the / not / the/ in
4. Write the full forms of the following : 2×6=12
NASA :
GST :
ISRO :
ATM :
HTTP :
GDP :

(Essay)

(Marks : 20)

- 5.** Write a short essay on the advantages and disadvantages of Social Media like Facebook, Twitter and Whatsapp etc. Is social media a medium to empower people or is it used to enslave people and cripple communication skills? Support your answer with concrete examples.

[Opinion (150 words)]

(Marks : 10)

6. Look at the image, read the passage and write about what you think of the festival. Argue your position clearly, in a coherent and logical manner by taking into account the various arguments that are involved in sports that involve animal participants and the tradition of a particular society.



Jallikattu (or Sallikkattu), also known as *Eru thazhuvuthal* and *Manju virattu*, is a traditional sport in which a bull is released into a crowd of people, and multiple human participants attempt to grab the large hump on the bull's back with both arms and hang on to it while the bull attempts to escape.

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