

UPPCS Prelims 2025 Test 16 (Question) – CSAT 2 Full Length (SSW - 8077834630)

नीचे दिए गए गद्यांश को ध्यानपूर्वक पढ़िए और उसके आधार पर प्रश्न संख्या 1 से 5 के उत्तर दीजिए:

नेतृत्व केवल सत्ता या अधिकार जताने का माध्यम नहीं है, बल्कि यह एक ऐसी प्रक्रिया है जिसके माध्यम से किसी समूह या संगठन के भीतर विश्वास, प्रेरणा और सामूहिक उत्तरदायित्व की भावना विकसित होती है। वास्तविक नेतृत्व वह नहीं है जिसमें व्यक्ति अपने पद या शक्ति का प्रदर्शन कर केवल आदेश देता रहे, बल्कि वह है जिसमें नेता स्वयं को समूह का अभिन्न हिस्सा मानते हुए दूसरों को आगे बढ़ने का अवसर प्रदान करता है। जब कोई नेता अपने आचरण, विचारों और नीतियों के माध्यम से सहयोगियों के हृदय में विश्वास और सम्मान स्थापित कर लेता है, तब समूह के सदस्य उसके निर्देशों का अंधानुकरण नहीं करते, बल्कि उसकी दूरदर्शी दृष्टि को आत्मसात कर अपने कर्तव्यों का निर्वहन स्वेच्छा और निष्ठा से करने लगते हैं। यही कारण है कि श्रेष्ठ नेतृत्व की पहचान केवल दिशा दिखाने तक सीमित नहीं होती, बल्कि वह ऐसी कार्य-संस्कृति का निर्माण करता है, जहाँ प्रत्येक सदस्य स्वयं को उत्तरदायी और प्रेरित महसूस करे तथा सामूहिक लक्ष्य की प्राप्ति के लिए अपने प्रयासों को समर्पित कर दे।

Question 1. गद्यांश के अनुसार, वास्तविक नेतृत्व की सबसे प्रमुख विशेषता क्या है?

- (a) शक्ति और पद का प्रदर्शन
- (b) आदेशों का पालन करवाना
- (c) विश्वास और सम्मान की स्थापना
- (d) संगठनात्मक ढाँचे का नियंत्रण

Question 2. गद्यांश में किस प्रकार के नेतृत्व को श्रेष्ठ बताया गया है?

- (a) वह नेतृत्व जिसमें नेता सदैव सबसे आगे चलता है
- (b) वह नेतृत्व जिसमें नेता समूह का अभिन्न अंग बनकर दूसरों को आगे बढ़ने का अवसर देता है
- (c) वह नेतृत्व जिसमें आदेशों और अनुशासन का कठोर पालन हो
- (d) वह नेतृत्व जिसमें शक्ति और अधिकार का प्रभाव अधिक दिखे

Question 3. जब किसी समूह के सदस्य अपने नेता की दृष्टि को आत्मसात कर लेते हैं, तो उसका क्या परिणाम होता है?

- (a) वे केवल आदेशों का पालन करते हैं
- (b) वे निष्क्रिय और निर्भर हो जाते हैं

(c) वे अपने कर्तव्यों का निर्वहन स्वेच्छा और निष्ठा से करते हैं

(d) वे नेतृत्व को चुनौती देते हैं

Question 4. गद्यांश के अनुसार, श्रेष्ठ नेतृत्व का कार्य केवल किस तक सीमित नहीं है?

- (a) योजना बनाना और दिशा दिखाना
- (b) आदेश देना और अनुशासन लागू करना
- (c) सहयोगियों को प्रेरित करना
- (d) सामूहिक संस्कृति का निर्माण करना

Question 5. गद्यांश का केंद्रीय संदेश किस विकल्प से सर्वाधिक मेल खाता है?

- (a) नेतृत्व का अर्थ है शक्ति का प्रयोग
- (b) श्रेष्ठ नेतृत्व विश्वास, प्रेरणा और सामूहिक उत्तरदायित्व पर आधारित है
- (c) सशक्त संगठन के लिए केवल आदेश और अनुशासन आवश्यक हैं
- (d) नेता को सदैव पीछे रहकर कार्य करना चाहिए

Question 6. हिन्दी वर्णमाला में कुल व्यंजन वर्णों की संख्या है –

- (A) 33
- (B) 35
- (C) 36
- (D) 39

Question 7. अधोलिखित में से अशुद्ध वर्तनी वाला शब्द है

- (a) शृंगार
- (b) दुष्कर
- (c) पुष्ट
- (d) विद्वान

Question 8. निम्नलिखित में शुद्ध वाक्य है

- (a) बाजार में भारी-भरकम भीड़ जमा थी।
- (b) यह कार्य अत्यंत महत्वपूर्ण है।
- (c) उधर ना जाना।
- (d) आप अपने मन में सोचें।

Question 9. निम्न में से कौन-सी क्रिया अकर्मक है?

- (A) खाना

- (B) पीना
- (C) जाना
- (D) काटना

Question 10. 'धर्मात्मा' शब्द में कौन-सी संधि है?

- (A) गुण संधि
- (B) अयादि संधि
- (C) दीर्घ संधि
- (D) व्यंजन संधि

Question 11. 'व्रत' शब्द से क्या अभिप्राय हो सकता है?

- (A) उपवास
- (B) नियम
- (C) कार्य-निष्ठा
- (D) उपर्युक्त सभी

Question 12. 'जल' का पर्यायवाची नहीं है –

- (A) अम्बु
- (B) नीर
- (C) सलिल
- (D) अनिल

Question 13. 'विशाल' का विलोम होगा –

- (a) लघु
- (b) सूक्ष्म
- (c) संकीर्ण
- (d) अल्प

Question 14. 'दो नावों पर सवार होना' का तात्पर्य है –

- (A) भ्रम में होना
- (B) जोखिम उठाना
- (C) एक साथ दो कार्य करना
- (D) असमंजस में होना

Question 15. 'थाली का बैंगन' कहावत का अर्थ है –

- (A) स्वादिष्ट व्यक्ति
- (B) नीति विहीन व्यक्ति
- (C) जल्दी पकने वाला
- (D) ढीठ व्यक्ति

Question 16. निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सा शब्द तत्सम है?

- (A) आम
- (B) अग्नि

- (C) पोत
- (D) कुत्ता

Question 17. निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सा शब्द शुद्ध है?

- (A) अभिप्राय
- (B) अभिप्रायः
- (C) अभिप्रायय
- (D) अभिप्रायं

Question 18. निम्नलिखित में से अशुद्ध वाक्य चुनिए –

- (A) वह परीक्षा दे रहा है।
- (B) वह परीक्षा लिख रहा है।
- (C) वह परीक्षा में सम्मिलित हो रहा है।
- (D) वह परीक्षा में बैठा है।

Question 19. "बच्चों शोर मत करो।" में अशुद्धि है –

- (A) सम्बोधन दोष
- (B) वाक्य विन्यास दोष
- (C) क्रिया दोष
- (D) कोई दोष नहीं

Question 20. निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सी बोली पूर्वी उत्तर प्रदेश में प्रमुख रूप से बोली जाती है?

- (A) कन्नौजी
- (B) अवधी
- (C) ब्रजभाषा
- (D) भोजपुरी

Question 21. निम्नलिखित में से कौन-सा शब्द सही रूप से उस व्यक्ति के लिए प्रयुक्त होता है "जो दूसरों के दुःख से दुःखी होता है"?

- (A) सहृदय
- (B) दयालु
- (C) करुणामय
- (D) निर्दयी

Question 22. 'दु' उपसर्ग प्रायः नकारात्मक या दोषसूचक होता है। नीचे दिए गए शब्दों में से किसमें 'दु' उपसर्ग का प्रयोग 'कठिनाई/दुष्करता' के अर्थ में हुआ है, न कि दोष/अभाव के अर्थ में?

- (A) दुर्गम
- (B) दुर्बल
- (C) दुर्व्यवहार
- (D) दुश्चरित्र

Question 23. 'युद्धभूमि' शब्द किस समास से बना है?

- (A) तत्पुरुष
- (B) द्वंद्व
- (C) अव्ययीभाव
- (D) बहुव्रीहि

Question 24. 'राम' शब्द का षष्ठी एकवचन रूप है –

- (A) रामः
- (B) रामे
- (C) रामस्य
- (D) रामेण

Question 25. निम्नलिखित युग्मों में से कौन-सा गलत है?

- (a) रवि – सूर्य
- (b) शशि – चन्द्र
- (c) मरीचि – अग्नि
- (d) वसुधा – पृथ्वी

Read the following passage carefully and answer **questions number 26 to 30** based on the passage

Environmental conservation is often seen as a moral duty, but it also has strong economic rationale. Forests, wetlands, and rivers provide ecosystem services that are crucial to agriculture, industry, and urban living. These include water purification, climate regulation, pollination, and flood control. Yet, such services are rarely priced or accounted for in national budgets. As a result, short-term developmental goals often lead to long-term ecological damage. Economists have recently argued for integrating natural capital accounting into economic planning. This would involve assessing the value of nature's services and incorporating them into decision-making. The challenge lies in quantifying these intangible benefits in a world driven by GDP figures. However, doing so may be key to achieving sustainable development.

26. According to the passage, why are ecosystem services under threat?

- (a) They are costly to maintain
- (b) Their value is not reflected in economic planning
- (c) Governments lack data about natural resources
- (d) There is no public awareness about nature

27. What does the passage imply about the role of economics in conservation?

- (a) Economics has no relevance in environmental debates
- (b) Conservation should be entirely left to moral conscience
- (c) Economic tools can help protect the environment
- (d) Economists oppose sustainable development

28. Which of the following is NOT an ecosystem service mentioned in the passage?

- (a) Water purification
- (b) Climate regulation
- (c) Soil erosion
- (d) Flood control

29. What does the author identify as a key challenge in sustainable development?

- (a) Lack of technology for environmental protection
- (b) Inability to balance growth with equality
- (c) Difficulty in quantifying nature's benefits
- (d) Absence of funding for infrastructure

30. Which of the following statements best captures the main idea of the passage?

- (a) National budgets must increase spending on rural areas
- (b) The environment must be protected through legal action only
- (c) Ecosystem services are vital but undervalued in economic systems
- (d) Climate change is the biggest threat to agriculture

Question 31. Change into passive:

"Who wrote this poem?"

- (A) Who this poem was written by?
- (B) By whom was this poem written?
- (C) This poem was written by whom?
- (D) Who was this poem written?

Question 32. Choose the correct indirect form:

He said to me, "Do you like this place?"

- (A) He asked me if I like this place.
- (B) He told me whether I liked that place.

(C) He asked me if I liked that place.

(D) He asked me do I like this place.

Question 33. Choose the correct meaning of the idiom:

“Spill the beans”

(A) To scatter things

(B) To reveal a secret

(C) To waste food

(D) To be careless

Question 34. What is meant by the phrase:

“To be in hot water”

(A) To take a bath

(B) To be in trouble

(C) To cook something

(D) To be relaxed

Question 35. Identify the antonym of ‘PRECISE’.

(A) Vague

(B) Accurate

(C) Definite

(D) Clear

Question 36. Select the synonym of ‘ABANDON’.

(A) Retain

(B) Keep

(C) Forsake

(D) Collect

Question 37. One who does not believe in the institution of marriage –

(A) Ascetic

(B) Pessimist

(C) Misogamist

(D) Philogynist

Question 38. Choose the correct meaning of the word ‘PRUDENT’.

(A) Generous

(B) Cautious

(C) Arrogant

(D) Indecisive

Question 39. He is indifferent _____ fame or fortune.

(A) to

(B) with

(C) about

(D) for

Question 40. She sings _____ than anyone else.

(A) sweeter

(B) sweetly

(C) more sweetly

(D) most sweetly

Question 41. To meet the psychological needs of competence, relatedness, and autonomy, which type of skills is essentially required?

(a) Repetitive skills

(b) Aggressive skills

(c) Precision skills

(d) Interpersonal skills

Question 42. The optimal way of effective problem-solving is –

(a) Balancing specificity and processing

(b) Balancing convergent and divergent thinking

(c) Balancing egocentricity and innovations

(d) Balancing concept and inference

Question 43. The main objective of decision-making should be –

(a) To identify the correct option

(b) To identify the best option

(c) To identify the risky option

(d) To identify the reinforced option

Question 44. Approximately what percentage of a person’s working time is spent in interpersonal communication?

(a) 80 – 90%

(b) 60 – 70%

(c) 100%

(d) 40 – 50%

Question 45. A conflict always involves –

(a) Revenge

(b) Anger

(c) Passion

(d) Difference of opinion

Question 46. In problem-solving, current information is transformed into –

- (a) Mental disposition
- (b) Mental background
- (c) External mental representation
- (d) Internal mental representation

Question 47. Creative problem-solving is related to –

- (a) Convergent thinking
- (b) Groupthink
- (c) Active listening
- (d) Divergent thinking

Question 48. Which of the following is not a barrier to mindful listening?

- (a) Prejudgment
- (b) Dual perspective
- (c) Message overload
- (d) Message complexity

Question 49. In decision-making, which statement(s) is/are correct?

1. Human rationality is limited.
2. Any individual can improve decision-making through practice.

Codes:

- (a) Only 1 is correct
- (b) Only 2 is correct
- (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct

Question 50. Which model emphasizes the dynamism of interpersonal communication?

- (a) Linear model
- (b) Interactive model
- (c) Transactional model
- (d) None of the above

Question 51. In decision-making, personal probabilities are generally known as –

- (a) Social probability
- (b) Adjustable probability
- (c) Subjective probability
- (d) Non-pragmatic probability

Question 52. The most commonly cited source of interpersonal conflict is –

- (a) Organizational norms

- (b) Poor communication
- (c) Structural arrangements
- (d) Social pressure

Question 53. The use of analogy in problem-solving represents –

- (a) Applying techniques used in similar past situations
- (b) Increasing commitment
- (c) Explaining
- (d) Uncertainty of techniques

Question 54. In organizations, which of the following statements about interpersonal communication is/are correct?

1. An efficient communication is not always effective.
2. An effective communication is not always efficient.

Codes:

- (a) Only 1 is correct
- (b) Only 2 is correct
- (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct

Question 55. Communication among members of the same group is –

- (a) Downward communication
- (b) Lateral communication
- (c) Optimal communication
- (d) Upward communication

Question 56. “Sleep on the problem” is a type of –

- (a) Abstraction
- (b) Emotional instability
- (c) Incubation
- (d) Inactivity

Question 57. In the communication process, deliberate manipulation of information is called –

- (a) Filtering
- (b) Assertiveness
- (c) Distortion
- (d) Abstraction

Question 58. Communication becomes effective if –

- (a) It is delivered slowly and clearly
- (b) It is delivered through the right medium
- (c) It is received in the same sense intended by the sender
- (d) It is received immediately

Question 59. The type of communication that saves time and facilitates coordination in an organization is –

- (a) Neutral communication
- (b) Upward communication
- (c) Lateral communication
- (d) Downward communication

Question 60. If a person tries to solve a problem based on past experience, it is called –

- (a) Functional fixedness
- (b) Mental set
- (c) Transfer effect
- (d) Confirmation bias

Question 61. How many natural numbers from 1 to 100 are divisible by 4 and also contain the digit '4'?

- (A) 7
- (B) 10
- (C) 12
- (D) 14

Question 62. If a number leaves a remainder 3 when divided by 6, 9, and 15, what is the smallest such number?

- (A) 93
- (B) 183
- (C) 273
- (D) 123

Question 63. The average of 5 numbers is 44. If one of the numbers is 64, what is the average of the remaining four numbers?

- (A) 43
- (B) 41
- (C) 40
- (D) 42

Question 64. A and B can complete a task in the ratio of efficiency 3 : 4. If A alone can complete the task in 24 days, how long will B alone take?

- (A) 18 days
- (B) 20 days
- (C) 16 days
- (D) 24 days

Question 65. A's salary is 25% more than B's salary. What percentage is B's salary less than A's?

- (A) 20%
- (B) 25%
- (C) 30%
- (D) 33.33%

Question 66. A trader marks an article 40% above the cost price and allows a discount of 10%. What is the profit percentage?

- (A) 26%
- (B) 28%
- (C) 30%
- (D) 32%

Question 67. Find the compound interest on ₹10,000 for 2 years at 10% p.a., compounded annually.

- (A) ₹1,950
- (B) ₹2,000
- (C) ₹2,100
- (D) ₹2,150

Question 68. A can complete a task in 6 days. B is 50% more efficient than A. In how many days will B complete the task alone?

- (A) 5
- (B) 4
- (C) 3
- (D) 6

Question 69. A train 180 m long passes a man walking at 6 km/h in the same direction in 18 seconds. Find the speed of the train.

- (A) 36 km/h
- (B) 40 km/h
- (C) 50 km/h
- (D) 60 km/h

Question 70. If the price of an article increases by 25%, by what percentage should the

consumption be reduced to keep expenditure constant?

- (A) 25%
- (B) 20%
- (C) 18%
- (D) 16%

Question 71. Factorize: $x^3 - 27$

- (A) $(x - 3)(x^2 - 3x + 9)$
- (B) $(x - 3)(x^2 + 3x + 9)$
- (C) $(x - 3)(x^2 - x + 9)$
- (D) $(x - 3)(x^2 + x + 9)$

Question 72. In a survey, 50 people liked tea, 30 liked coffee and 10 liked both. Find the number of people who liked either tea or coffee.

- (A) 70
- (B) 60
- (C) 40
- (D) 80

Question 73. In a class of 100 students, 80 study English, 45 study Mathematics and 30 study both. How many students study neither English nor Mathematics?

- (A) 5
- (B) 10
- (C) 15
- (D) 20

Question 74. Let $A = \{x: x \text{ is a prime number less than } 10\}$, and $B = \{2, 3, 5\}$. Then $A - B$ is:

- (A) $\{7\}$
- (B) $\{2, 3\}$
- (C) $\{\}$
- (D) $\{7, 2\}$

Question 75. What is the diagonal of a square of side 5 cm?

- (A) 5 cm
- (B) $\sqrt{50}$ cm
- (C) 7 cm
- (D) 10 cm

Question 76. If the perimeter of a square is equal to the circumference of a circle, then ratio of side of square to radius of circle is:

- (A) $2 : \pi$

(B) $\pi : 2$

(C) $1 : \pi$

(D) $\pi : 1$

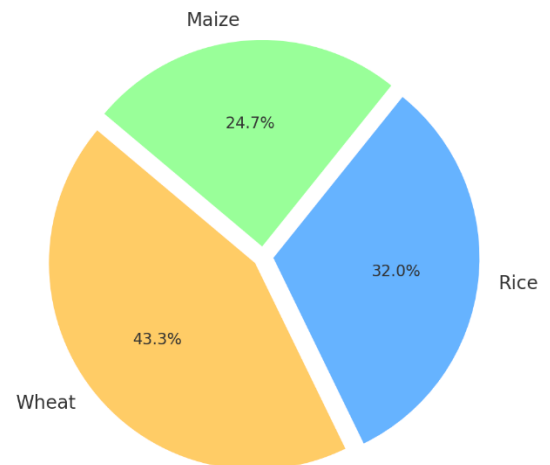
Question 77. The height and slant height of a cone are 12 cm and 13 cm. Find its total surface area. ($\pi = 3.14$)

- (A) 320.32 cm^2
- (B) 350.12 cm^2
- (C) 282.6 cm^2
- (D) 380 cm^2

Table (Q78–Q82)

The following Pie Chart shows the percentage share of different crops in the total crop production of 2022 (150 thousand tonnes) in a district.

Crop Production Distribution in 2022 (Total = 150 thousand tonnes)



Q78. If the district wants to export 20% of the total 2022 crop production, and the export quantity is divided among Wheat, Rice, and Maize in the same ratio as their share, how much Rice (in thousand tonnes) will be exported?

- (A) 8.5
- (B) 9.6
- (C) 10.2
- (D) 12.0

Q79. What is the central angle corresponding to Wheat in the Pie Chart?

- (A) 140°
- (B) 150°
- (C) 156°
- (D) 160°

Q80. By how many thousand tonnes does Wheat production exceed Maize production in 2022?

- (A) 25
- (B) 27
- (C) 28
- (D) 30

Q81. If the cost of producing Wheat, Rice, and Maize is ₹2000, ₹2500, and ₹3000 per tonne respectively, what is the total cost of production in 2022 (in crores)?

- (A) ₹3.4 crore
- (B) ₹3.6 crore
- (C) ₹3.7 crore
- (D) ₹3.8 crore

Q82. If the total production of crops in 2022 increases by 10% in 2023 while maintaining the same distribution ratio, how much Wheat will be produced in 2023?

- (A) 70
- (B) 71.5
- (C) 72
- (D) 75

Question 83. TELESCOPE : ASTRONOMER ::
MICROSCOPE : ?

- (A) Doctor
- (B) Physicist
- (C) Biologist
- (D) Astronaut

Question 84. Find the odd one in the number series: 5, 11, 17, 23, 31

- (A) 5
- (B) 11
- (C) 17
- (D) 31

Question 85. Statements:

I. All apples are fruits.

II. All fruits are nutritious.

Conclusions:

I. All apples are nutritious.

II. All nutritious things are fruits.

(A) Only conclusion I follows

(B) Only conclusion II follows

(C) Both I and II follow

(D) Neither I nor II follows

Question 86. Statement: Should India invest more in space exploration?

Arguments:

I. Yes, it enhances scientific and technological advancement.

II. No, India has more pressing problems like poverty and unemployment.

(A) Only I is strong

(B) Only II is strong

(C) Both are strong

(D) Neither is strong

Question 87. Statement: All scientists are truth-seekers.

Conclusions:

I. All truth-seekers are scientists.

II. Some truth-seekers are scientists.

(A) Only I follows

(B) Only II follows

(C) Both follow

(D) Neither follows

Question 88. Choose the alternative which is closely resembles the mirror image of the given combination.

EFFECTIVE

(1) EVITCEFFFE

(3) EVITCEFFE

(2) EVITCEFFE

(4) EVITCEFFFE

(A) 1

(B) 2

(C) 3

(D) 4

Question 89. Find the missing number:

2, 6, 12, 20, 30, ?

(A) 40

(B) 41

(C) 42

(D) 44

Question 90. Find the missing term:

Z, X, U, Q, ?

(A) L

(B) M

(C) N

(D) O

Question 91. If in a certain code language, RAIL is written as KCTN, How will READ be written in that code language?

(A) CGTF

(B) FTCG

(C) CTGF

(D) CFFT

Question 92. If A + B means A is the mother of B,

A – B means A is the brother of B,

A × B means A is the father of B,

A ÷ B means A is the sister of B.

What does P + Q × R mean?

(A) P is the grandmother of R

(B) P is the mother of R

(C) Q is the father of R

(D) R is the son of P

Question 93. In a class of 55 students, Sohan is ranked 25th from top. What is his rank from bottom?

(A) 30

(B) 31

(C) 29

(D) 32

Question 94. Neha starts from point A and walks 5 m south, turns left and walks 6 m, again turns left and walks 5 m. What is the shortest distance from her starting point?

(A) 5 m

(B) 6 m

(C) 11 m

(D) 0 m

Question 95. Among 100 people, 60 like reading, 50 like music, and 30 like both. How many like neither reading nor music?

(A) 20

(B) 10

(C) 30

(D) 40

Question 96. Six people A, B, C, D, E, and F are sitting in a straight line facing north. D is to the immediate right of E. C is at an extreme end and B is to the immediate left of C. A is to the right of D but not next to F. Who is sitting at the other extreme end?

(A) A

(B) B

(C) F

(D) E

Question 97. If 15th August 1947 was a Friday, what day of the week was 26th January 1950?

(A) Thursday

(B) Wednesday

(C) Thursday

(D) Friday

Question 98. The present ages of a father and his son are in the ratio 5:2. If after 10 years, the ratio becomes 7:4, what is the father's present age?

(A) 35

(B) 40

(C) 45

(D) 50

Question 99. How many times do the hands of a clock coincide in a day?

(A) 11

(B) 12

(C) 22

(D) 24

Question 100.

3	2	13
4	3	25
5	4	?

(A) 35

(B) 36

(C) 41

(D) 45