

Quiz Date: 20th August 2020

Directions (1-15): In the questions given below a sentence is given with two blanks in each. Corresponding to each question two columns are given with three words in each column. Which combination of words from the two columns will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful.

Q1. A common eligibility test would _____ these candidates to appear once and apply to any or all of these recruitment agencies for the _____ level of examination.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Enrage	(IV) Higher
(II) Incensed	(V) Extreme
(III) Enable	(VI) Extended

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V
- (c) III-VI
- (d) III-IV
- (e) none of these

Q2. He said the COVID-19 _____ in Delhi was much better now and the economy of the city had to be brought back on _____.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Situation	(IV) Clear
(II) Case	(V) Track
(III) Enigma	(VI) Path

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V
- (c) III-VI
- (d) II-IV
- (e) none of these

Q3. In the process, not only was the construction site _____ and building material merrily looted, the old gates of the university were _____ to the ground.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Governed	(IV) Combined
(II) Distinguished	(V) Autonomous
(III) Vandalized	(VI) Bulldozed

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V
- (c) III-VI
- (d) II-IV
- (e) none of these

Q4. Safeguarding the authentic heritage of Tagore is an objective that, while being _____ all over India and not least in West Bengal, is also a point of _____ contention.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Connected	(IV) Strong
(II) Lauded	(V) Fierce
(III) Appreciation	(VI) Distressed

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V
- (c) III-VI
- (d) II-IV
- (e) none of these

Q5. India's highest court seems even more _____ when India and much of the world face a very uncertain future _____ by the Covid-19 pandemic.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Comfortable	(IV) Absolute
(II) Crisp	(V) Ravaged
(III) Reassuring	(VI) Uninvited

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-VI
- (c) III-VI
- (d) II-IV
- (e) III- V

Q6. India's _____ strength lies in recognizing and _____ its unity in diversity of language, religion, social mores and ethnicity.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Highest	(IV) Resembling
(II) Greatest	(V) Reinforcing
(III) Desperate	(VI) Corroborating

- (a) I- VI

- (b) II-V
- (c) II-IV
- (d) III-V
- (e) none of these

Q7. How we _____ and restore our rightful, geographical _____ will be the biggest symbol of self-reliance in post-pandemic India and our future.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Object	(IV) Restricted
(II) Protect	(V) Sanctity
(III) Conventional	(VI) Demount

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V
- (c) III-VI
- (d) II-IV
- (e) none of these



Q8. Monetary measures were _____ by easing interest rates, expanding liquidity, special _____ and much more.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Assembled	(IV) Pioneering
(II) Constructed	(V) Acquisitions
(III) Reinforced	(VI) Interventions

- (a) II-V
- (b) I-V

- (c) III-VI
 (d) II-IV
 (e) none of these

Q9. The devastating Coronavirus shock has raised the _____ of an all-round erosion of net worth amongst households and businesses, with a severely _____ public balance sheet.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Spectre	(IV) Touched
(II) Inherent	(V) Truism
(III) Affect	(VI) Weakened

- (a) II-IV
 (b) I-VI
 (c) III-V
 (d) I-IV
 (e) II-V

Q10. Dinkar's _____ by the *sanghparivar* is better explained by the _____ vision between the poet and the political party.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Appropriation	(IV) Offended
(II) Inept	(V) Thorough
(III) Derogatory	(VI) Shared

- (a) III-VI
 (b) II-IV
 (c) II-V
 (d) I-V
 (e) I-VI

Q11. In India, women, who were slowly _____ the glass ceiling, are among the worst victims of the economic _____.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Desultory	(IV) Confuse
(II) Misstating	(V) Twist
(III) Breaking	(VI) Slump

- (a) II-V
 (b) I-V
 (c) III-VI

- (d) II-VI
(e) None of these

Q12. Computing ability _____ several skills, including the ability to use the internet, _____ in a virtual workspace, and so on.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Combines	(IV) Contract
(II) Describes	(V) Participate
(III) Justifies	(VI) Intentional

- (a) II-V
(b) I-V
(c) III-VI
(d) II-IV
(e) none of these

Q13. It is high time the government _____ the digital divide by making laptops available to girls and _____ them to make use of these gadgets.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Addresses	(IV) Deliberately
(II) Permits	(V) Training
(III) Spite	(VI) Presage

- (a) II-V
(b) I-V
(c) II-VI
(d) III-IV
(e) None of these

Q14. Digital technology, which can be _____ in a meaningful way when used ethically, is increasingly becoming a prisoner of _____ political agenda.

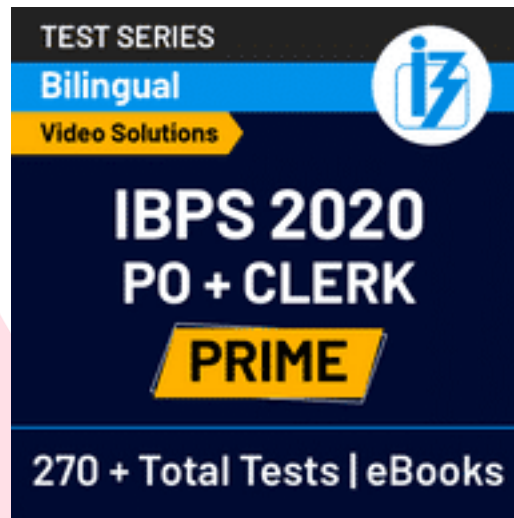
Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Contradict	(IV) Forefend
(II) Unmask	(V) Cloak
(III) Transformative	(VI) Dubious

- (a) II-V
(b) I-V
(c) III-VI
(d) II-IV
(e) none of these

Q15. While some _____ of gender gap in education have narrowed down, the _____ in computing ability persists.

Column (1)	Column (2)
(I) Varieties	(IV) Chasm
(II) Forms	(V) Forefront
(III) Emphasis	(VI) Accentuating

- (a) II-V
 (b) I-V
 (c) III-VI
 (d) II-IV
 (e) none of these



Solutions

S1. Ans. (d)

Sol. (III-IV): Enable: Higher; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

S2. Ans. (b)

Sol. (I-V): Situation: Track; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S3. Ans. (c)

Sol. (III-VI): Vandalized: Bulldozed; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S4. Ans. (a)

Sol. (II-V): Lauded: Fierce; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (a)** is the right answer choice.

S5. Ans.(e)

Sol. (III-V)will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (e)** is the right answer choice.

S6. Ans. (b)

Sol. (II-V): Greatest: Reinforcing; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S7. Ans. (a)

Sol. (II-V): Protect: Sanctity; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (a)** is the right answer choice.

S8. Ans. (c)

Sol. (III-VI): Reinforced: Interventions; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S9. Ans. (b)

Sol. (I-VI): Spectre: Weakened; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S10. Ans. (e)

Sol. (I-VI): Appropriation: Shared; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (e)** is the right answer choice.

S11. Ans. (c)

Sol. (III-VI): Breaking: Slump; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S12. Ans. (b)

Sol. (I-V): Combines: Participate; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S13. Ans. (b)

Sol. (I-V): Addresses: Training; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (b)** is the right answer choice.

S14. Ans. (c)

Sol. (III-VI): Transformative: Dubious; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (c)** is the right answer choice.

S15. Ans. (d)

Sol. (II-IV): Forms: Chasm; will perfectly fit into the blanks to make the sentence contextually correct and meaningful. Hence, **option (d)** is the right answer choice.

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