S71. Ans. (e)
Sol. The first paragraph of the passage states that Rani Matsya was beautiful. She assisted the king in his judicial probes and would always keep her finger on the pulse of victims and culprits. Also, she was generous and her hands always reached out to help the compassionate and the poor. So, we can conclude that Rani Matsya was beautiful, kind and intelligent. Hence, option (e) is the correct answer.

S72. Ans. (b)
Sol. The phrase ‘pulled a long face’ means to have an unhappy or disappointed expression. Hence, option (b) is the correct answer.

S73. Ans. (a)
Sol. The story in the given passage revolves around the generous Rani Matsya and self-centered Raman. He desired for a bag full of gold coins, which would enable him to buy food and supplies for his family. When Rani asked Raman what he could give her in return, he simply gave five grains of rice to her and in turn Rani gave him only five gold coins. At that moment, Raman realized that if he had given the entire bowl, the Rani would have given him a sack full of gold coins. So, the moral of the story is ‘do unto others as you want others to do to you.’ Hence, option (a) is the correct answer.

S74. Ans. (d)
Sol. The second paragraph of the passage clearly states that Raman was wrecked with poverty as he had lost all his land to the landlord and his age enabled him little towards manual work. So, begging was the only option to salvage his wife and children. Hence, option (d) is the correct answer.

S75. Ans. (c)
Sol. The second paragraph of the passage states that Raman was self-centered. He would eat and drink to his heart’s content and return home with whatever he found excess. So, we can conclude that Raman was ‘selfish’. ‘Deceitful’ means behaving in a dishonest way by telling lies. We can say Raman was ‘deceitful’ because he never let anyone discover his interests as he always put a long face when he returned home. Hence, option (c) is the correct answer.

S76. Ans. (e)
Sol. ‘Galloped’ refers to the way a horse or any animal moves when it is running very fast. Hence, option (e) is the correct answer.

S77. Ans. (e)
Sol. ‘Revered’ means to show a great respect or admiration for someone. Hence, option (e) is the correct answer.

S78. Ans. (d)
Sol. ‘Hands’ is a synonym of ‘limb’ because both are used as a grasping organ. Hence, option (d) is the correct answer.

S79. Ans. (b)
Sol. ‘Reveal’ means to make something known to somebody. ‘Conceal’, which means to keep something secret, is an antonym of the word. Hence, option (b) is the correct answer.

S80. Ans. (d)
Sol. ‘Elated’ means very happy and excited. ‘Depressed’ is opposite in meaning to the word. Hence, option (d) is the correct answer.

S81. Ans. (a)
Sol. You can use either ‘in spite of’ or ‘despite’. Despite is never followed by ‘of’

S82. Ans. (c)
Sol. Insist is always followed by ‘on’

S83. Ans. (d)
Sol. Replace ‘desire’ with ‘desirous’ because an adjective is required to qualify the subject ‘He’.

S84. Ans. (b)
Sol. Use ‘important’ in place of ‘importance’ because ‘How’ is an adverb and adverb cannot qualify Noun ‘importance’

S85. Ans. (e)
Sol. No error

S86. Ans. (a)
Sol. Here an interrogative pronoun is required as the object to the verb ‘do’ so ‘what’ should be used because ‘how’ is not a pronoun. For example, what you have said is not true.
S87. Ans. (b)
Sol. Replace ‘torn’ with tore because ‘torn’ is V³ and ‘tore’ is V².
S88. Ans. (c)
Sol. Use ‘for’, not ‘since’.
S89. Ans. (e)
Sol. No error.
S90. Ans. (c)
Sol. The possessive case of ‘They’ is ‘their’, so use ‘their’ in place of ‘there’
S91. Ans. (e)
S92. Ans. (c)
S93. Ans. (b)
S94. Ans. (c)
S95. Ans. (a)
S96. Ans. (a)
S97. Ans. (d)
S98. Ans. (b)
S99. Ans. (d)
S100. Ans. (e)