

Reasoning Logical Sequence of Words Questions, Answers & Explanation

DIRECTIONS (Qs. 1-12): Arrange the following in a logical order:

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| 1. | 1. Birth
3. Funeral
5. Education
(a) 1,3,4,5,2
(c) 2,3,4,5, 1 | 2. Death
4. Marriage

(b) 1, 5, 4, 2, 3
(d) 4, 5, 3, 1, 2 |
| 2. | 1. Police
3. Crime
5. Judgement
(a) 1,2,3,4,5
(c) 3,1,4,5,2 | 2. Punishment
4. Justice

(b) 3,1, 2, 4, 5
(d) 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 |
| 3. | 1. Foetus
3. Baby
5. Youth
(a) 1,2,4,3,5
(c) 2,3,5,4,1 | 2. Child
4. Adult

(b) 1, 3, 2, 4, 5
(d) 5, 4, 2, 3, 1 |
| 4. | 1. Probation
3. Selection
5. Advertisement
(a) 562341
(c) 564231 | 2. Interview
4. Appointment
6. Application
(b) 5 6 3 2 4 1
(d) 6 5 4 2 3 1 |
| 5. | 1. Ocean
3. Sea
5. River
(a) 5,2,3,1,4
(c) 5,2,3,4,1 | 2. Rivulet
4. Glacier

(b) 4, 2, 5, 3, 1
(d) 4, 2, 1, 3, 5 |
| 6. | 1. Amoeba
3. Worm
(a) 1,3,2,4
(c) 4, 3, 2, 1 | 2. Oyster
4. Cow
(b) 1,2,3,4
(d) 3, 2, 4, 1 |
| 7. | 1. Conference
3. Participate | 2. Registration
4. Invitation |

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| | 5. Representative
(a) 1,2,4,5,3
(c) 4,1,5,2,3 | (b) 1, 4, 5, 2, 3
(d) 4, 5, 1, 3, 2
2. Fever
4. Diagnose

(b) 1,4,3,2,5
(d) 2,4,3,5, 1 |
| 8. | 1. Doctor
3. Prescribe
5. Medicine
(a) 2,1,3,4,5
(c) 2,1,4,3,5 | |
| 9. | 1. Line
3. Square
(a) 2,1,4,3
(c) 4,2,1,3 | 2. Angle
4. Triangle
(b) 3,4,1, 2
(d) 1,2,4,3 |
| 10. | 1. Childhood
3. Infancy
5. Babyhood
(a) 4,1,3,2,5
(c) 2,5,1,4,3 | 2. Adulthood
4. Adolescence

(b) 3,5,1,4,2
(d) 5,4,2,3,1 |
| 11. | 1. Books
3. Letters
5. Chapter
(a) 3, 2, 6, 5, 4, 1
(c) 3, 2, 4, 5, 6, 1 | 2. Words
4. Sentences
6. Pages
(b) 3, 2,5,4, 6,1
(d) 3,2,4, 6,5,1 |
| 12. | 1. Millenium
3. Silver Jubilee
5. Golden Jubilee
(a) 2, 3, 5, 4, 1
(c) 3, 5, 2, 4, 1 | 2. Diamond Jubilee
4. Centenary

(b) 2,5,3,1,4
(d) 2,3,5, 1,4 |
- DIRECTIONS (Qs. 13-16):** Arrange the following words as per order in the dictionary
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| 13. | 1. Noble
3. Noblesses
5. Nobble
(a) 1,4,3,2, 5
(c) 5,2,4, 1, 3 | 2. Nobilitary
4. Nobility

(b) 3,4,1,2,5
(d) 2,4,3,5, 1 |
| 14. | 1. Pick
3. Pile
5. Pour
(a) 4,1,2,3,5
(c) 4, 3, 2, 1, 5 | 2. Pith
4. Perk

(b) 4, 1,3,2, 5
(d) 5,4,3,2, 1 |

15. 1. Infricate 2. Interview
3. Intransigent 4. Interrogation
5. Intravenous
(a) 2,4,5,3, 1 (b) 5,3,1,2,4
(c) 1,4,2,3,5 (d) 3,5,2, 1,4
16. 1. Preposition 2. Preparatively
3. Preposterous 4. Preponderate
5. Prepossess
(a) 2, 4, 1, 5, 3 (b) 1,5,2,4,3
(c) 5, 4, 2, 3, 1 (d) 4,2,5, 1,3
17. Arrange the following words in their descending order:
1. Weekly 2. Bi-annual
3. Fortnightly 4. Monthly
5. Annual
(a) 1, 3,4,2,5 (b) 2,5,4, 1, 3
(c) 4, 1,2,3,5 (d) 5,2,4,3,1

DIRECTIONS (Qs. 18-25): From the given alternatives select the word which cannot be formed using the letters of the given word.

18. CARPENTER
(a) NECTAR (b) CARPET
(c) PAINTER (d) REPENT
19. TRIBUNAL
(a) LATIN (b) BRAIN
(c) URBAN (d) TRIBLE
20. ORGANISATION
(a) NATION (b) GRAN'T
(c) RECOGNISE (d) SATAN
21. DEPARTMENT
(a) ENTER (b) PERMIT
(c) TEMPER (d) RENTED
22. CONSTITUTIONAL
(a) LOCATION (b) TUTION
(c) TALENT (d) CONSULT
23. INVESTIGATION
(a) INSTIGATION (b) GESTATION
(c) VEST (d) STIGMA
24. SANCTION

- (a) ACTION (b) NATION
(c) NOTION (d) NION
25. RESEARCH
(a) SEARCH (b) REACH
(c) HEAR (d) READ

DIRECTIONS (Qs. 26-30): In each of the following question*, a group of letters is given which are numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Below are given four alternatives containing combinations of these numbers. Select that combination of numbers so that letters arranged accordingly form a meaningful word.

26. I N L A S G
1 2 3 4 5 6
(a) 6,1,3,5,4,2 (b) 5, 1, 6, 2, 4, 3
(c) 3,4,6,1,2,5 (d) 2, 4, 3, 6, 1, 5
27. T L P N A E
1 2 3 4 5 6
(a) 3,2,5,4,6,1 (b) 3, 2, 5, 4, 1, 6
(c) 4,5,3,6,2,1 (d) 4, 6, 1, 3, 5, 2
28. R M N B U E
1 2 3 4 5 6
(a) 2,6,3,4,1,5 (b) 4, 6, 3, 2, 1, 5
(c) 3,5,2,4,6,1 (d) 1, 5, 4, 2, 6, 3
29. E H R A S P
1 2 3 4 5 6
(a) 5,2,4,6, 1,3 (b) 6, 2, 3, 4, 5, 1
(c) 2, 4,6,1,3,5 (d) 3, 4, 2, 1, 6, 5
30. A M D E N R
1 2 3 4 5 6
(a) 2, 1,3,5,4,6 (b) 6, 4, 2, 1, 5, 3
(c) 3,4,5, 2, 1,6 (d) 1, 6, 2, 4, 5, 3
31. If with the third, fourth, fifth, seventh and tenth letters of the word 'PERSONALITY', a meaningful word is formed, then first letter of the word is the answer. If no word is possible then X is the answer.
(a) O (b) T
(c) R (d) S

32. If by arranging the letters of the word NABMODINT, the name of a game is formed, what are the first and the last letters of the word so formed?
 (a) B,T (b) B,N
 (c) N, D (d) M, T
33. Which one of the given responses would be a meaningful order of the following?
 1. apartment 2. town
 3. street 4. building
 5. complex
 (a) 1, 5, 4, 3, 2 (b) 4, 5, 3, 2, 1
 (c) 2, 1, 3, 4, 5 (d) 1, 4, 5, 3, 2
34. If the following words are arranged in reverse dictionary order, which word comes second?
 (a) Explosion (b) Express
 (c) Exploit (d) Expulse
35. A group of alphabets are given with each being assigned a number, these have to be unscrambled into a meaningful word and correct order of letters may be indicated from the given responses.
 TMHREO
 5 4 3 2 10
 (a) 025314 (b) 315402
 (c) 405312 (d) 504231
36. From the given alternative words, select the word which cannot be formed using the letters of the given word :
 TRIVANDRUM
 (a) RAIN (b) DRUM
 (c) TRAIN (d) DRUK
37. How many meaningful English words can be made with the letters 'OEHM' using each letter only once in each word?
 (a) FOUR (b) THREE
 (c) TWO (d) ONE
38. Which one of the given responses would be a meaningful order of the following?
 1. Orange 2. Indigo 3. Red 4. Blue 5. Green 6. Yellow 7. Violet
 (a) 7, 2, 4, 5, 6, 1, 3 (b) 7, 2, 4, 6, 5, 1, 3
 (c) 7, 2, 6, 4, 5, 1, 3 (d) 7, 2, 6, 4, 1, 5, 3
39. Arrange the following words as per order in the dictionary 1. Forecast 2. Forget 3. Foreign 4. Forsook 5. Force.
 (a) 3, 5, 1, 2, 4 (b) 5, 1, 3, 2, 4
 (c) 5, 1, 3, 4, 2 (d) 5, 1, 2, 3, 4
40. From the given alternatives select the word which, can be formed using the letters of the given word.
 ULTRANATIONALISM
 (a) ULTRAMONTANE
 (b) ULTRAMORDEN
 (c) ULTRAIST
 (d) ULULATE
41. From the given alternatives select the word which, cannot be formed using the letters given in the word.
 (a) ALERT (b) ALEGATION
 (c) GALLANT (d) NATAL

ANSWER KEY

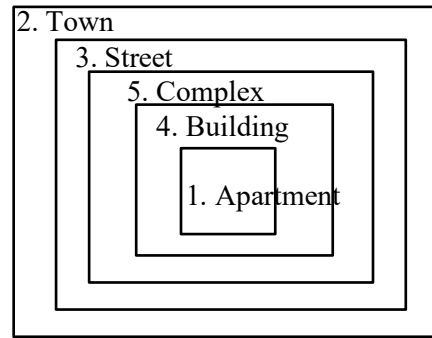
1	(b)	6	(b)	11	(d)	16	(a)	21	(b)	26	(b)	31	(c)	36	(d)	41	(a)
2	(c)	7	(a)	12	(c)	17	(d)	22	(c)	27	(a)	32	(b)	37	(d)		
3	(b)	8	(c)	13	(c)	18	(c)	23	(d)	28	(c)	33	(d)	38	(a)		
4	(a)	9	(d)	14	(b)	19	(d)	24	(c)	29	(b)	34	(b)	39	(b)		
5	(b)	10	(b)	15	(c)	20	(c)	25	(d)	30	(b)	35	(c)	40	(c)		

Hints and Explanation

- (b) Clearly, the given words when arranged in the order of various events as they occur in man's life, term the sequence: Birth — Education — Marriage — Death — Funeral. So the correct order becomes 15 4 2 3
- (c) The correct sequence
Crime - Police - Justice - Judgement - Punishment So sequence will 3, 1,4,5,2.
- (b) The correct sequence is Foetus - Baby - Child - Adult - Youth
- (a) The correct sequence is- Advertisement-Application-Interview-Selection - Appointment - Probation.
So, correct option is (a).
- (b) Glacier
↓
Rivulet
↓
River
↓
Sea
↓
Ocean
- (b) 1. Amoeba
2. Oyster
- Worm
- Cow
- (a) 1. Conference
2. Registration
4. Invitation
5. Representative
3. Participate
- (c) Correct sequence is :
Fever → Doctor → Diagnose → Prescribe →
(2) (1) (4) (3)
Medicine
(5)
- (d) Line < Angle < Triangle < Square
1,2,4,3
- (b) 3,5,1,4,2
- (d) Letters → Words → Sentences → Pages →
(3) (2) (4) (6)
Chapter → Book
(5) (1)
- (c) Silver jubilee-25yr,
Golden jubilee - 50 yr.
Diamond jubilee -75 yr.
Centenary - 100 yr.
Millennium -1000 yr.
- (c) 5. Noble
2. Nobiliary

4. Nobility
 1. Noble
 3. Noblesses
14. (b) Perk>Pick>Pile>Pith> Pour
15. (c) 1. Infricate
 4. Interrogation
 2. Interview
 3. Intransigent
 5. Intravenous
16. (a) 2. Preparatively
 4. Preponderate
 1. Preposition
 5. Prepossess
 3. Preposterous
17. (d) Annual-1 year Monthly - 30 days
 Weekly - 7 days Biannual - 6 month
 Fortnightly-15 days.
18. (c) Painter cannot be made from the letters of the given word as I letter is not mentioned in the given word.
19. (d) Tribble cannot be made from the letters of the given word as E letter is not mentioned in the given word.
20. (c) Recognise cannot be made from the letters of the given word as C letter is not mentioned in the given word.
21. (b) Permit cannot be made from the letters of the given word as I letter is not mentioned in the given word.
22. (c) Talent cannot be made from the letters of the given word as E letter is not mentioned in the given Word.
23. (d) STIGMA cannot be formed using word 'INVESTIGATION' because letter M is not in the given reference word.
24. (c) NOTION cannot be formed because two Os are not in the reference word.
25. (d) READ cannot be formed as letter D is not in the reference word.
26. (b) SIGNAL

27. (a) PLANET
 28. (c) NUMBER
 29. (b) PHRASE
 30. (b) REMAND
 31. (c) The respective letters of the given word are R, S, O, A and T. The word formed is ROAST. So the first letter is R
 32. (b) The name of the game is BADMINTON.
 33. (d)



34. (b) Arrangement in Reverse dictionary order—
 Expulse→ Express→ Explosion→ Exploit
 1 2 3 4
35. (c)
 4 0 5 3 1 2
 ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
 M O T H E R
36. (d) DRUK cannot be formed using TRIVANDROM as it does not contain letter 'K'.
37. (d) Home, only one meaningful word is formed.
38. (a) These all are colours of the rainbow. Hence, meaningful order is VIBGYOR.
39. (b) Force → Forecast → Foreign →Forget → Forsook
40. (c) By options,
 (a) can not be formed as there is no 'E' in the given word.
 (b) can not be formed as there is no 'D' in the given word.
 (d) can not be formed as there is no 'E' and only 'U' in the given word.

41. (a) ALERT can not be formed as there is no 'R' correct option.
in the word LEGALIZATION. Hence, (a) is the

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