

## TM NATIONAL TALENT SEARCH EXAMINATION

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## **SOLUTIONS**

1.	Mansi wanted a doctor when she was in Primary School.				
	(1) became	(2) to become	(3) becomes	(4) had become	
Ans.	<b>(2</b> )				
Sol.	Here the verb want is follo	owed by infinitive			
<b>2</b> .	Jaydeep helps his friends	s but he not by ther	n.		
	(1) is $+$ help	(2) does + help	(3) is $+$ helped	(4) does + helped	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	Usage of pasive form of s	imple present tense			
<b>3</b> .	The next year, the Gover	nment of Gujarat bu	usiness summit at Mahatn	na Mandir, Gandhinagar.	
	(1) organize	(2) organized	(3) will organize	(4) is organized	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	It is showing a plan to be	executed in future through r	modal verb		
4.	Before we reached the ci	nema hall, the film 'Bajaran	gi Bhaijan'		
	(1) to start	(2) started	(3) had started	(4) was started	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	When we want to talk ab	out an action that happened	d before a pastevent, we	often use the past perfect.	
<b>5</b> .	I saw a beggar near the te	emple. He work clot	hes, though it was winter	•	
	(1) tears	(2) tearing	(3) torn	(4) to tear	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	THE WORD TORN DES	CRIBES THE NOUN CLOT	HES		
<b>6</b> .	Meet and I study in the sa	ame school but Meet is clev	erer than		
	(1) I	(2) my	(3) me	(4) mine	
Ans.	(1, 3)				
Sol.	Pronoun antecedent agre				
7.	Give the piural from of w				
	(1) mouses	(2) mousies	(3) mices	(4) mice	
Ans.					
Sol.	Plural form of mouse is mice, irregular form of noun.				
<b>8</b> .	Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam was a great scientist,?				
	(1) was he	(2) is he	(3) wasn't he	(4) won't he	
Ans.	• •				
Sol.	If the question is in positive form the question tag is in negative form				
9.	Amit has not a big mobil		(0) 1	(4) • 1	
<b>A</b> -		2) have he	(3) have not he	(4) isn't	
Ans.					
Sol.	If the question is in negative form the question tag is in positive form				

10.	Come on India	We want a six.			
	(1) !	(2) ,	(3) .	(4) ?	
Ans.	<b>(1)</b>				
Sol.	The phrase is showing a strong excitement or cheers, thus !mark is used to express the emotion				
11.	Choose the correct inversion question of the following sentence.				
	Kiran played cricke	t yesterday.			
	(1) Is Kiran played	cricket yesterday?	(2) Was Kiran plag	yed cricket yesterday?	
	(3) Dose Kiran play	yed cricket yesterday?	(4) Did Kiran play	yed cricket yesterday?	
Ans.	(NA)				
Sol.	The options are all	wrong			
<b>12</b> .	India is one of	oldest civilization in the	e world.		
	(1) a	(2) an	(3) the	(4) at	
Ans.	<b>(3)</b>				
Sol.	The determiner "Th	e" shows superlative degree '	'Oldest''		
<b>13</b> .	I will stay	you return.			
	(1) either	(2) until	(3) or	(4) after	
Ans.	<b>(2</b> )				
Sol.	The conjunction "u	ntil" shows a parallel action	or time.		
Read	the passage and give	e the answer given below it. (	(14 to 17)		
14	and turned it into cat. Now the cat was afraid of dog. So the magician turned the cat into a dog. The dog began to fear tigers. Now the magician turned the dog into a tiger. The tiger began to fear hunters. Once day the magician said, 'Be the mouse, again, you are no better than mouse at heart.'				
14.	What was mouse a		(2)	(4) 1	
<b>A</b>	(1) dog	(2) cat	(3) car	(4) bus	
Ans.	` '				
Sol. 15.		nce to context with the given cian turn the cat into?	i passage		
13.	(1) rat		(3) tiger	(4) ant	
Ans.		(2) dog	(5) liger	( <del>4)</del> ant	
Sol.		nce to context with the given	nassaga		
16.	What did magician	_	passage		
10.	(1) turned cat	(2) mouse	(3) tiger	(4) hunter	
Ans.		(2) 1110030	(o) liger	(1) Hanel	
Sol.					
17.	Tiger was turned into?				
	(1) cat	(2) dog	(3) hunter	(4) mouse	
Ans.		(=) 4.03	(e) Healter	(1) 1110 1100	
Sol.					
18.	Pick odd one out.				
	(1) cat	(2) mouse	(3) rat	(4) hunter	
Ans.		. ,	. ,	•	
	• ,	ence to context with the given	nassage		

19.	As brave as a				
	(1) cat	(2) lion	(3) mouse	(4) horse	
Ans.	<b>(2)</b>				
Sol.	According to reference to	context with the given passa	age		
<b>20</b> .	As blind as				
	(1) a bee	(2) a eagle	(3) a crow	(4) a bat	
Ans.	<b>(4)</b>				
Sol.	According to reference to	context with the given passa	age		
<b>21</b> .	Choose the correct passiv	re form of the sentence.			
	He gave me a chocolate.				
	(1) I was given me a cho	colate.	(2) A chocolate is given by	, me.	
	(3) A chocolate was given	n to me by him	(4) A chocolate is given by	him	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	The verb is in simple past	form, so the passive voice v	would also be in same tense		
<b>22</b> .	Choose the opposite of 'd	usk'			
	(1) morning	(2) day	(3) dawn	(4) evening	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	The opposite of Dusk is D	awn (			
<b>23</b> .	Maya playing in	the garden now.			
	(1) was playing	(2) are playing	(3) is playing	(4) am playing	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	Signal word "now" indica	tes that the action is in progr	ress		
<b>24</b> .	Meena a so	chool bag.			
	(1) have	(2) has	(3) is	(4) was	
Ans.	<b>(2</b> )				
Sol.	The subject is singular so	"has". Eg. She, He, Jagdish	- has		
<b>25</b> .	Peacock is most				
	(1) a	(2) an	(3) of	(4) the	
Ans.					
Sol.	Superlative degree is expressed by article "The"				
<b>26</b> .	I am waiting forI				
	(1) a	(2) an	(3) the	(4) since	
Ans.	` '				
Sol.	Vowel sounds in singular COUNTABLE NOUNS TAKE article "an"				
<b>27</b> .	Change the gender of 'Po		(0) 5	(4) 5	
Ā	(1) Poet	(2) Poettess	(3) Pootess	(4) Peotiess	
Ans.	` '				
Sol.	Feminine gender of Poet is Poetess				
<i>2</i> 8.	I know the person		(0) 1	(4) 1	
	(1) whose	(2) whom	(3) when	(4) who	
Ans.	` '				
	Here WHO IS SUBJCTIV				
<b>29</b> .	If I could fly, Ito		(2) ==	(4)	
<b>A</b>	(1) could go	(2) would go	(3) go	(4) gone	
Ans.	` '	a but IICECONID C 1111 111	,		
Sol.	The sentence shows desire by "SECOND Conditional"				

<b>30</b> .	What do you think	this place?			
	(1) on	(2) for	(3) by	(4) about	
Ans.	<b>(4)</b>				
Sol.	The VERB THINK IS FOI	LLOWED BY THE PREPOS	SITION ABOUT		
<b>31</b> .	Rhyming word of 'hill' is _	·			
	(1) ball	(2) doll	(3) fall	(4) chill	
Ans.	<b>(4)</b>				
Sol.	Rhymes with Hill - Chill				
<b>32</b> .	Plural form of the word <u>m</u>	<u>nineral</u> is			
	(1) minerales	(2) minerals	(3) minarals	(4) minaral's	
Ans.	(2)				
Sol.	Regular Plural form				
<b>33</b> .	Add proper question tag.				
	Utsav passed the examina	ation ?			
	(1) wasn't he	(2) didn't he	(3) was he	(4) did he	
Ans.	(2)	• •	, ,	, ,	
Sol.	If the question is in positiv	e form the question tag is in	negative form		
<b>34</b> .	Gandhiji said, "My life is r	my"			
	(1) massage		(3) messge	(4) meseg	
Ans.	(2)				
Sol.	Spelling error.				
<b>35</b> .	I have come here just	minutes ago.			
	(1) some	(2) many	(3) a few	(4) much	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	Determiner a few is used b	pefore countable nouns			
<b>36</b> .	Find out odd one from the	e following			
	(1) mouse	(2) laptop	(3) pen	(4) pendrive	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	Other things are name of peripherals of computer				
<b>37</b> .	The cow is	animal.			
	(1) domestic	(2) domastic	(3) domise	(4) demestic	
Ans.	<b>(1)</b>				
Sol.	Spelling error				
<b>38</b> .	Mina from the mall the next week.				
	(1) buy toys	(2) bought toys	(3) will be bought toys	(4) will buy toys	
Ans.	<b>(4)</b>				
Sol.	The modal "will" is used to	show some future action			
<b>39</b> .	Indian Team reached Chennai train				
	(1) in	(2) by	(3) with	(4) on	
Ans.	<b>(2)</b>				
Sol.	"By" is used while we say which transportation medium we used from the available choice				
<b>40</b> .	Find out the correct spelling from the following				
	(1) Convineint	(2) Convenient	(3) Conenenint	(4) Convanient	
Ans.	<b>(2)</b>				
Sol.	Spelling error				

41.	Choose the opposite	word of 'manual'.			
	(1) machenecal	(2) michenical	(3) mechanical	(4) mechinecal	
Ans.	<b>(3)</b>				
Sol.	Spelling error				
<b>42</b> .	fine out the similar m	neaning of the following phi	rase : "Look for"		
	(1) look in	(2) look after	(3) look into	(4) Scarch	
Ans.	<b>(4)</b>				
Sol.	Look for means sear	ch			
<b>43</b> .	Choose the past part	ticipale form of the verb : "S	Spread"		
	(1) spreal	(2) spreaded	(3) sprond	(4) speading	
Ans.	(NA)				
Sol.	NA				
44.	water is the	ere in the glass ?			
	(1) How many	(2) How much	(3) How far	(4) How long	
Ans.	<b>(2</b> )				
Sol.	"Howmuch" is used b	pefore uncountable nouns to	o know the quantity		
<b>45</b> .	We use sola	ar energy in our daily life.			
	(1) must	(2) should	(3) would	(4) could	
Ans.	<b>(2</b> )				
Sol.	. Modal "should" is used to show obligation / moral duty				
<b>46</b> .	Virat Kohali has been	n batting early morr	ning.		
	(1) for	(2) from	(3) since	(4) during	
Ans.	(3)				
Sol.	Since is a preposition	n which is used to indicate t	he point of time		
<b>47</b> .	The teacher distribut	ted the chocolates	children.		
	(1) between	(2) among	(3) each other	(4) both	
Ans.	<b>(2)</b>				
Sol.	Between is used for a	choices involving two items	and "among" for choices that	involve more than two items.	
<b>48</b> .	captain pla	ayed well. India lost the ma	itch.		
	(1) If	(2) Unless	(3) Though	(4) Because	
Ans.	<b>(3)</b>				
Sol.	Though, Although, E	But, Yet, Still shows two con	tradiction in sentences combi	ined	
<b>49</b> .	Rohit is not	clever as Manisha.			
	(1) As		(3) So	(4) Than	
Ans.	(1,3)				
Sol.	In Positive degree w similar.	e use as As or so	as to compare two or mor	re than two things which are equal	
<b>50</b> .	Gandhiji believed in	·			
		(2) violence	(3) non - violence	(4) non - violence	
Ans.	(3,4)				
Sol.	Spelling errors				