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INSRUCTION TO EXAMINEES

- A) This question paper is common for admission to full time Chinese, Japanese and Korean Languages (CF 1, JF 1, and KF 1).
- B) The paper is self-explanatory. **DO NOT ASK ANY QUESTIONS.**
- C) The paper is divided into *FOUR* sections:
 - I. Language Aptitude
 - II. Reasoning
 - III. English Language
 - IV. General Knowledge and Awareness
- D) There are 50 questions in all. Questions in Language Aptitude carry 2 marks each and that of other sections carry 1 mark each.
- E) All questions are compulsory.
- F) There is *NO* negative marking for wrong answers.
- G) Mark your answer in the Answer Sheet provided separately.
- H) Use a blue or black ballpoint pen to mark your answers. *DO NOT* use pencil.
- I) Fill in the relevant portions in detail in your answer sheet.

Section I: Language Aptitude

(10×2 = 20 marks)

Given below are six sentences in English and how they are written in an imaginary language. Read them and figure out the sentence structure and grammatical pattern of the imaginary language. Then, answer the questions that follow. The list of words in English with their meaning in the imaginary language is provided in the box.

Words in English and their meaning in the imaginary language:

to be (are):	hayani	everyday:	chikar	dress:	tingse
to be (is):	ilibei	tomorrow:	gochta	English:	zukimo
to buy:	mamaxi	yesterday:	kelong	father:	tionag
to come:	kukran			friend:	mijano
to drink:	keisol	beautiful:	shumog	home:	latpic
to eat:	iliso	big:	herein	mango:	xiangi
to go:	tenalu	small:	honire	market:	wochil
to study:	nirias			milk:	negoti
to teach:	naladi	he:	sasane	mother:	jereli
		I:	kasami	office:	pilkus
and:	osodoi	they:	misake	school:	qingne
no/not:	odosoi	you:	setang	teacher:	chisuk

Sample Sentences:

	English	Translation in Imaginary Language
A	My dress is not beautiful.	tingse itir kasami xero ilibei shumog odosoi.
B	His friend will come home tomorrow.	gochta mijano itir sasane xero latpic roxe kukran tiri.
C	Does he go to office everyday?	chikar sasane pilkus roxe tenalu itri akarlo?
D	India is big and beautiful.	india ilibei herein osodoi shumog.
E	My home and office are small.	latpic osodoi pilkus itir kasami xero hayani honire.
F	He went to market to buy milk.	sasane wochil roxe tenalu riti negoti roxe mamaxi riti.

1. He is not my teacher.

- a) sasane ilibei itri chisuk itir kasami xero odosoi.
- b) sasane ilibei odosoi kasami xero chisuk itri.
- c) sasane ilibei kasami xero chisuk itri odosoi.
- d) sasane ilibei chisuk itir kasami xero odosoi.

2. Their father teaches English.

- a) tionag itir misake roxe zukimo xero naladi itri.
- b) tionag itir misake xero zukimo roxe naladi riti.
- c) tionag itir misake roxe zukimo xero naladi riti.
- d) tionag itir misake xero zukimo roxe naladi itri.

3. I ate mango yesterday.

- a) kelong kasami xiangi roxe keisol riti.
- b) kelong kasami xiangi roxe ilisoy tiri.
- c) kelong kasami xiangi roxe ilisoy riti.
- d) Kelong kasami xiangi roxe ilisoy riti.

4. They do not study English.

- a) misake odosoi zukimo roxe nirias itri.
- b) misake zukimo roxe nirias tiri odosoi.
- c) misake zukimo xero nirias itri odosoi.
- d) misake zukimo roxe nirias itri odosoi.

5. Do you drink milk every day?

- a) Chikar setang nagoti xero keisol itri akarlo?
- b) chikar setang negoti roxe keisol itri akarlo?
- c) chikar setang negoti roxe keisol tiri akarlo?
- d) chikar setang negoti xero keisol riti akarlo?

6. Don't come home tomorrow.

- a) gochta setang latpic xero kukran tiri odosoi.
- b) gochta setang latpic roxe kukran tiri odosoi.
- c) gochta setang latpic roxe kukran tiri osodoi.
- d) gochta setang latpic roxe kukran riti odosoi.

7. My father and mother are teachers.

- a) jereli osodoi tionag itir kasami xero hayani chisuk.
- b) tionag osodoi jereli itir kasami xero ilibei chisuk.
- c) tionag osodoi jereli itir kasami xero hayani chisuk.
- d) tionag odosoi jereli itir kasami xero hayani chisuk.

8. I will buy a dress tomorrow.

- a) gochta kasami xero tingse mamaxi tiri.
- b) gochta kasami tingse xero mamaxi itri.
- c) gochta kasami tingse roxe mamaxi tiri.
- d) gochta ksami tingse roxe mamaxi itri.

9. His school is big; my school is small.

- a) qingne itir sasane xero ilibei honire, qingne itir kasami xero ilibei herein.
- b) sasane xero qingne ilibei herein, kasami xero qingne ilibei honire.
- c) qingne itir sasane xero ilibei herein, qingne itir kasami xero ilibei honire.
- d) sasane xero qingne ilibei tiri herein, kasami xero qingne ilibei tiri honire.

10. He will go to England to study English.

- a) sasane England roxe tenalu tiri zukimo roxe niras tiri.
- b) sasane england roxe tenalu tiri zukimo roxe niras tiri.
- c) sasane england roxe tenalu tiri zukimo roxe niras itri.
- d) sasane England roxe tenalu riti zukimo roxe niras itri.

Section II: Reasoning

(10×1 = 10 marks)

1. Arrange the following words as per their order in the dictionary:
1. guarantee 2. group 3. grotesque 4. guard 5. groan
a) 13524 b) 25143 c) 23514 d) 53214
2. 'Money' is to 'Misappropriation' as 'Writing' is to:
a) Theft b) Deception c) Mistake d) Plagiarism
3. If 0.06% of a number is 84, then 30% of that number is:
a) 25.2 b) 420 c) 42000 d) 2520
4. Choose the missing term in the following alphabet series:
JE, LH, OL, SQ, _____.
a) WV b) WX c) VW d) XW
5. Y is in the East of X which is in the north of Z. If P is in the south of Z, then in which direction of Y is P?
a) North b) South c) Southeast d) None of these
6. In a certain code "786" means "study very hard", "958" means "hard work pays" and "645" means "study and work". Which of the following is the code for "very"?
a) 8 b) 6 c) 7 d) 4
7. Which of the following four does not belong to the same classification as the other three?
a) Leopard b) Cougar c) Elephant d) Lion
8. Two candidates fought an election. 20% of the total votes polled were declared invalid. One of the candidates got 55% of total valid votes. If the total number of votes was 7500, how many valid votes did the other candidate get?
a) 2500 b) 2700 c) 2900 d) 3100
9. The last day of a century cannot be
a) Monday b) Friday c) Tuesday d) Wednesday
10. A trader mixes 26 kg of rice at Rs. 20 per kg with 30 kg of rice of other variety at Rs. 36 per kg and sells the mixture at Rs. 30 per kg. His profit percent is:
a) 2% b) 5% c) 8% d) 10%

Section III: English Language

(15×1 = 15 marks)

1-5. Each sentence below is followed by four alternative answers. Choose the correct one:

1. Where is _____ pen that I lent you _____ time back?
a) a, some b) the, some c) that, few d) the, every
2. I did not have _____ money _____ buy a car.
a) enough, to b) some, to c) enough, for d) some, for
3. She apologized _____ being late _____ meeting.
a) to, for b) for, to c) for, for d) for, in
4. I am allergic _____ this medicine and so don't want to _____.
a) to, take b) to, eat c) for, take d) of, have
5. He has been _____ leave _____ the past one week.
a) on, in b) at, in c) on, for d) at, for

6-10. Choose the appropriate word to complete the following idioms:

6. Don't cry over _____ milk.
a) spoilt b) divided c) spilt d) spiked
7. Too many _____ spoil the broth.
a) chefs b) people c) knives d) cooks
8. Make hay while the _____.
a) rain pours b) day dawns c) sun shines d) day is long
9. The pen is _____ than the sword.
a) sharper b) mightier c) stronger d) shapelier
10. She has a holier than _____ attitude.
a) thee b) thou c) all d) though

11-15. In the four choices, choose what you think comes closest in meaning to the word given in CAPITAL letters:

11. SOPORIFIC

- a) alkaline b) full of holes c) heroic d) sleep-inducing

12. VERBATIM

- a) adverbial b) word for word c) monotonous d) playful

13. INEQUITABLE

- a) at the same table b) different c) unjust d) impartial

14. CONDONE

- a) cheat b) imply c) give away d) forgive

15. ANTIPATHY

- a) genuine love b) hatred c) antidote d) disliking animals

(15×1 = 15 marks)

a) Thar b) Kalahari
c) Sahara d) Sonoran

a) Novelist b) Philosopher
c) Scientist d) Dramatist

a) Governor
b) The President
c) Lt. Governor
d) Council of Ministers

a) Cricket b) Football
c) Badminton d) Hockey

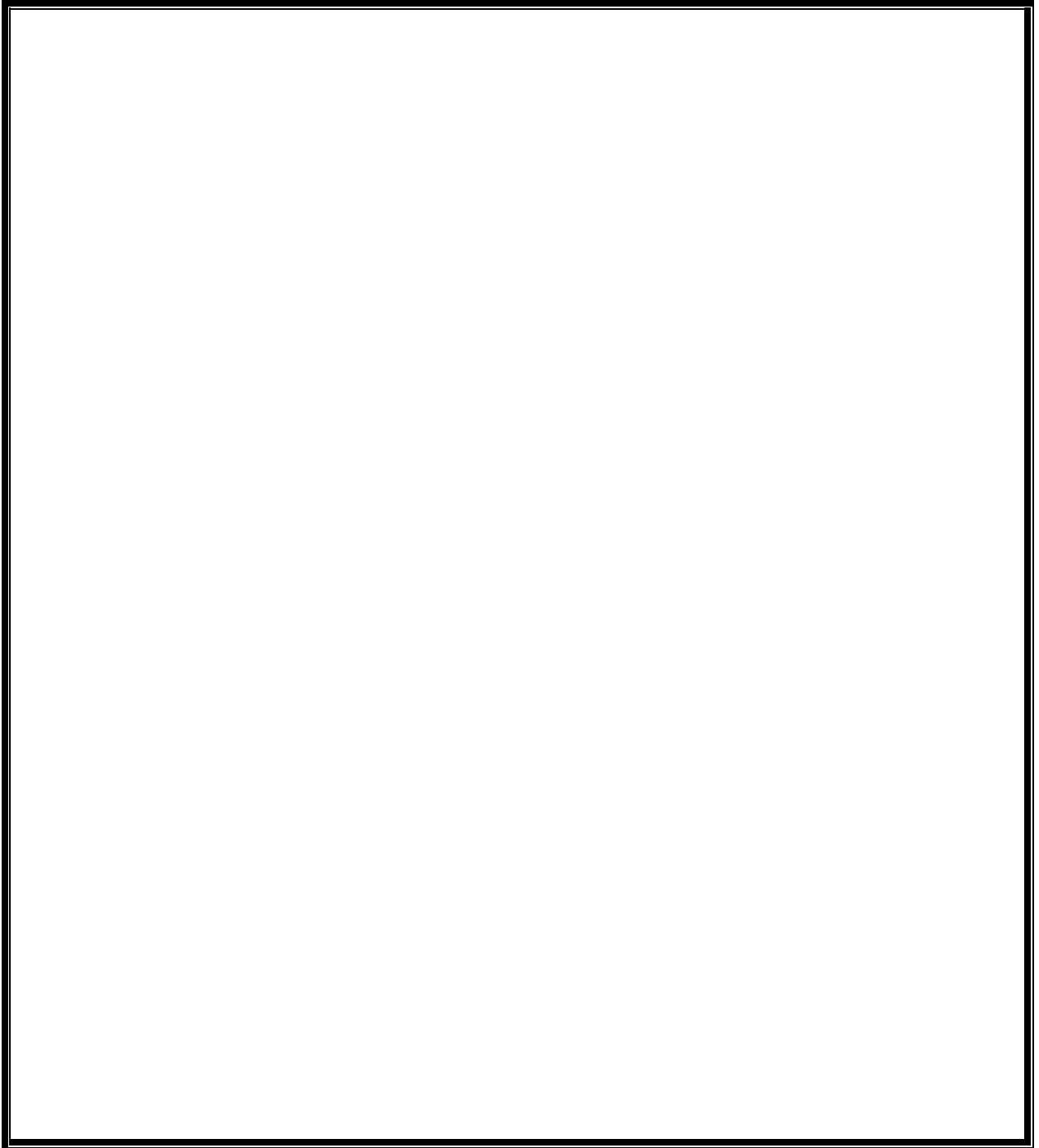
a) Albert Einstein b) Isaac Newton
c) Gregor J. Mendel d) Charles R. Darwin

a) V. V. Giri b) Dr. Rajendra Prasad
c) Dr. S. Radhakrishnan d) Zakir Hussain

a) Priscilla Chan b) Bill Gates
c) Mark Zuckerberg d) Sundar Pichai

8. Which variety of glass is heat resistant?
- a) Pyrex glass
 - b) Bottle glass
 - c) Flint glass
 - d) Hard glass
9. Which of the following is not found in human bone?
- a) Calcium
 - b) Carbon
 - c) Oxygen
 - d) Phosphorous
10. Who won the Indonesia Open men's singles badminton trophy, 2017?
- a) Kidambi Srikanth
 - b) Kazumasa Sakai
 - c) Manu Attri
 - d) Chen Long
11. The President of which country was impeached from office in March 2017?
- a) South Korea
 - b) China
 - c) North Korea
 - d) Taiwan
12. In which year did Tiananmen Square incident take place in China?
- a) 1966
 - b) 1976
 - c) 1989
 - d) 1992
13. Which of the following is the capital of Denmark?
- a) Helsinki
 - b) Prague
 - c) Oslo
 - d) Copenhagen
14. Who is the author of the novel 'Sea of Poppies'?
- a) Amitav Ghosh
 - b) Arundhati Roy
 - c) Vijay Tendulkar
 - d) Chetan Bhagat
15. Which one of the following is a folk dance of India?
- a) Kathak
 - b) Manipuri
 - c) Odissi
 - d) Chau

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Answer Key

Section I: Language Aptitude

1. d) 2. d) 3. c) 4. d) 5. b)
6. b) 7. c) 8. c) 9. c) 10. b)

Section II: Reasoning

1. d) 2. d) 3. c) 4. d) 5. d)
6. c) 7. c) 8. b) 9. c) 10. b)

Section III: English Language

1. b) 2. a) 3. c) 4. a) 5. c)
6. c) 7. d) 8. c) 9. b) 10. b)
11. d) 12. b) 13. c) 14. d) 15. b)

Section IV: General Knowledge and Awareness

1. c) 2. b) 3. c) 4. a) 5. d)
6. b) 7. c) 8. a) 9. c) 10. a)
11. a) 12. c) 13. d) 14. a) 15. d)

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