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Workbook for

International **ENGLISH** Olympiad & Other
National/International Olympiads/Talent Search Exams.

Based on CBSE, ICSE, GCSE, State Board Syllabus & NCF (NCERT)

100's of Q's with answers

- Chapterwise Practice Q's
- Revision Q's
- Sample Paper



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SYLLABUS GUIDELINES

Based on CBSE, ICSE & GCSE Syllabus
& NCF guidelines devised by NCERT

Section I.

Comprehension | General topic | Story based.

Section II.

Knowledge | Classification | Analogy | Distinguishing between real and imaginary | Distinguishing between fact and opinion | Distinguishing through definition and example.

Section III.

Grammar | Sentences | Noun | Pronoun | Verb | Articles | Preposition | Conjunction | Voice | Direct and indirect speech | Antonym / Synonym | Elementary Idea of tenses | Jumbled sentences.

Section IV.

Writing Skills | Story Construction | Essay Construction.



Use the correct word.

- Q.1.** These ___ my books.
(a) are (b) is
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.2.** That ___ a girl.
(a) am (b) is
(c) are (d) none of these
- Q.3.** They ___ coming on Sunday.
(a) am (b) are
(c) is (d) none of these
- Q.4.** This ___ my own book.
(a) is (b) are
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.5.** These ___ your boxes.
(a) are (b) am
(c) is (d) none of these
- Q.6.** This ___ my inkpot.
(a) is (b) are
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.7.** Those ___ girls.
(a) is (b) are
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.8.** These ___ my boxes.
(a) is (b) are
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.9.** That ___ a black car.
(a) was (b) were
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.10.** That ___ my cat.
(a) were (b) was
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.11.** This ___ my building.
(a) were (b) is
(c) am (d) none of these
- Q.12.** That ___ a good decision taken by him.
(a) were (b) was
(c) am (d) none of these

- Q.13.** They__ having a large bungalow.
 (a) were (b) was
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.14.** This __ my inkpot.
 (a) are (b) is
 (c) were (d) none of these
- Q.15.** They __ enjoying the food.
 (a) are (b) were
 (c) am (d) both (a) and (b)
- Q.16.** This__ an old car.
 (a) is (b) are
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.17.** This __ a tiger.
 (a) is (b) are
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.18.** That __ not a difficult phase.
 (a) are (b) am
 (c) was (d) none of these
- Q.19.** She __ a beautiful girl.
 (a) was (b) is
 (c) am (d) both (a) and (b)
- Q.20.** That __ a beautiful house.
 (a) is (b) was
 (c) were (d) both (a) and (b)
- Q.21.** These __ boys.
 (a) are (b) am
 (c) is (d) none of these
- Q.22.** That__ a boy.
 (a) were (b) was
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.23.** That __ a car.
 (a) are (b) am
 (c) was (d) none of these
- Q.24.** There __ many boys in the class.
 (a) are (b) is
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.25.** These__ keys of my house.
 (a) is (b) are

- (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.26.** That __ not a tiger.
 (a) was (b) are
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.27.** They ___not in a position to handle it.
 (a) are (b) is
 (c) am (d) non of these
- Q.28.** That ___ not an aeroplane.
 (a) were (b) was
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.29.** Gold ___ a precious metal.
 (a) was (b) is
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.30.** There __ many islands.
 (a) are (b) is
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.31.** There ___ many reasons to celebrate this day.
 (a) am (b) are
 (c) is (d) none of these
- Q.32.** There ___ a little hope for this.
 (a) was (b) were
 (c) am (d) none of these
- Q.33.** There__ many women who were interested in cooking.
 (a) are (b) am
 (c) is (d) none of these
- Q.34.** There __ few important decisions which will be taken by me.
 (a) are (b) is
 (c) were (d) none of these
- Q.35.** They ___ very stingy.
 (a) am (b) are
 (c) is (d) none of these
- Q.36.** They ___ surprised when we reached to their place.
 (a) was (b) were
 (c) am (d) none of these

- Q.37.** There ___ much noise in the class.
 (a) were (b) are
 (c) was (d) none of these
- Q.38.** There are ___ bags in the house.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) was (d) none of these
- Q.39.** There was ___ work to do.
 (a) some (b) much
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.40.** There are ___ girls in the class.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) some (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.41.** He has ___ people who will be there in the distress.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) few (d) none of these
- Q.42.** There was ___ scope for improvement.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) few (d) none of these
- Q.43.** There were ___ bags of sugar.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) some (d) none of these
- Q.44.** Everyday she drank ___ liters of milk.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.45.** There are ___ people in the house.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) any of these (d) none of these
- Q.46.** There are ___ books in the shelf.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.47.** There is ___ sugar in the pot.
 (a) many (b) more
 (c) much (d) none of these
- Q.48.** ___ a boys visited the temple.
 (a) Much (b) Many
 (c) More (d) None of these
- Q.49.** There are ___ boys in the class.

- (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.50.** There is ___ milk in the tea-pot.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.51.** There are ___ people around her all the time.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.52.** He has to take ___ sleep.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.53.** I have ___ doubts in my mind.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.54.** He has given ___ pieces of advice.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.55.** There are ___ pairs of sandals in the room.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.56.** She will become ___ independent now.
 (a) more (b) much
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.57.** She has ___ commonsense.
 (a) more (b) much
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.58.** There are ___ animals in the zoo.
 (a) many (b) more
 (c) much (d) none of these
- Q.59.** There was ___ rain last night.
 (a) much (b) more
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.60.** He has done ___ acts of bravery.
 (a) much (b) more
 (c) many (d) none of these

- Q.61.** I needed ___ sleep.
 (a) much (b) many
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.62.** There was ___ fun last night.
 (a) many (b) more
 (c) much (d) none of these
- Q.63.** The utensil broke and there fell ___ grains.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.64.** There are ___ clothes lying on the floor.
 (a) much (b) more
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.65.** There was ___ disturbance last night.
 (a) many (b) much
 (c) more (d) none of these
- Q.66.** There are ___ birds in the cage.
 (a) much (b) more
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.67.** There were ___ bottles in the freeze.
 (a) much (b) more
 (c) many (d) none of these
- Q.68.** We ___ two scooters.
 (a) have (b) has
 (c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.69.** This farmer ___ two bulls.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.70.** I ___ two pencils.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) both (b) and (c)
- Q.71.** They ___ three dresses.
 (a) have (b) had
 (c) has (d) both (a) and (b)
- Q.72.** I ___ two brothers.
 (a) had (b) has
 (c) have (d) none of these

- Q.73.** They ___ two brothers.
 (a) has (b) had
 (c) have (d) none of these
- Q.74.** They will ___ a house by now.
 (a) had (b) have
 (c) has (d) none of these
- Q.75.** They do ___ a right to say this.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.76.** They ___ all the valuables with them.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.77.** She ___ all the right to say this.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.78.** They all ___ a light arrangement.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.79.** I ___ brought my book today
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.80.** She ___ a pencil.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.81.** I ___ a pen but it is broken now.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.82.** He ___ black hair.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.83.** I ___ two uncles.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.84.** The beggar ___ one leg.
 (a) has (b) have
 (c) had (d) none of these
- Q.85.** She ___ a car, but now she doesn't have.

- (a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.86.** I ___ no sister.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these.
- Q.87.** Do you ___ a stole.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.88.** The blind doesn't ___ eyes.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.89.** She ___ no complaints about this function.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.90.** They ___ no electricity at home.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.91.** She ___ big eyes.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.92.** I ___ two eyes and one nose.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these.
- Q.93.** They do not ___ a large bungalow.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.94.** They will ___ a big garage by next month.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.95.** This is a table. It ___ a large bridge.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.96.** They will not ___ a drum.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.97.** Our cow will ___ a big shelter.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these

- Q.98.** They ___ two cars.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) both (a) and (c)
- Q.99.** They ___ a large piece of land, now they don't have.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.100.** She ___ a big jewellery box at home.
(a) has (b) have
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.101.** He doesn't ___ any friend.
(a) have (b) has
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.102.** They ___ many toys at home.
(a) have (b) has
(c) had (d) none of these
- Q.103.** She ___ too many qualities to describe.
(a) have (b) has
(c) had (d) none of these



ANSWERS

1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (b) 4. (a) 5. (a) 6. (a) 7. (b) 8. (b)
9. (a) 10. (b) 11. (b) 12. (b) 13. (a) 14. (b) 15. (d) 16. (a)
17. (a) 18. (c) 19. (d) 20. (d) 21. (a) 22. (b) 23. (c) 24. (a)
25. (b) 26. (a) 27. (a) 28. (b) 29. (b) 30. (a) 31. (b) 32. (a)
33. (a) 34. (a) 35. (b) 36. (b) 37. (c) 38. (b) 39. (b) 40. (d)
41. (b) 42. (b) 43. (b) 44. (a) 45. (b) 46. (a) 47. (c) 48. (b)
49. (a) 50. (b) 51. (b) 52. (b) 53. (a) 54. (a) 55. (a) 56. (a)
57. (b) 58. (a) 59. (a) 60. (c) 61. (a) 62. (c) 63. (a) 64. (c)
65. (b) 66. (c) 67. (c) 68. (d) 69. (d) 70. (d) 71. (d) 72. (c)
73. (c) 74. (b) 75. (b) 76. (b) 77. (d) 78. (b) 79. (b) 80. (d)
81. (c) 82. (d) 83. (b) 84. (a) 85. (c) 86. (b) 87. (b) 88. (b)
89. (a) 90. (b) 91. (a) 92. (b) 93. (b) 94. (b) 95. (a) 96. (b)
97. (b) 98. (d) 99. (c) 100. (a) 101. (a) 102. (a) 103. (b)



Preposition

Use the correct preposition:

- Q.1.** I will come ___ Sunday.
 (a) on (b) in
 (c) during (d) none of these
- Q.2.** We came here ___ 2003.
 (a) in (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.3.** He met many people ___ her stay here.
 (a) in (b) during
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.4.** She was sitting ___ her room.
 (a) in (b) at
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.5.** She went ___ the room.
 (a) into (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.6.** He lives ___ England.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.7.** He went ___ the classroom.
 (a) into (b) to
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.8.** My brother lives ___ R.K. Puram.
 (a) at (b) or
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.9.** I reached home ___ 20 minutes.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) within (d) none of these
- Q.10.** They live ___ a bungalow.
 (a) at (b) or
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.11.** I go to school ___ bus.
 (a) by (b) in
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.12.** The ball fell ___ the well.

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- (a) by (b) into
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.13.** He went ___ Delhi to Nagpur.
 (a) for (b) from
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.14.** He got ___ his horse.
 (a) of (b) off
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.15.** He got ___ his bicycle.
 (a) on (b) in
 (c) onto (d) none of these
- Q.16.** The child fell ___ his scooter.
 (a) for (b) from
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.17.** I am looking ___ my book.
 (a) to (b) for
 (c) from (d) none of these
- Q.18.** Please listen ___ me.
 (a) to (b) for
 (c) from (d) none of these
- Q.19.** Please keep this book ___ the almirah.
 (a) in (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.20.** He had no place ___ go.
 (a) to (b) at
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.21.** I agreed ___ his proposal.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.22.** The pen is ___ write with.
 (a) to (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.23.** He had ___ go home early.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.24.** ___ what were you talking?
 (a) At (b) About
 (c) On (d) None of these

- Q.25.** The cow is ___ the tree.
 (a) behind (b) at
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.26.** My uncle left ___ noon.
 (a) in (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.27.** I agreed ___ his idea.
 (a) to (b) in
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.28.** Please listen ___ me.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.29.** I thought ___ his proposal.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) over (d) none of these
- Q.30.** I agreed ___ his view.
 (a) to (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.31.** They made fun ___ the poor old man.
 (a) on (b) in
 (c) of (d) none of these
- Q.32.** I have to write ___ a pen.
 (a) at (b) with
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.33.** He had no idea ___ convey.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) to (d) none of these
- Q.34.** She had nothing ___ fall upon.
 (a) to (b) at
 (c) on (d) none of these
- Q.35.** He has great desire ___ fame.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) for (d) none of these
- Q.36.** This book is ___ much use.
 (a) of (b) at
 (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.37.** My mother has great pity ___ poor.
 (a) of (b) for

- (c) in (d) none of these
- Q.38.** My aunty will be coming ___ the afternoon.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) of (d) none of these
- Q.39.** Don't be a slave ___ your body.
 (a) to (b) on
 (c) at (d) none of these
- Q.40.** Ria had no taste ___ music.
 (a) in (b) into
 (c) for (d) none of these
- Q.41.** He is no match ___ me.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) for (d) none of these
- Q.42.** I have great respect ___ my parents.
 (a) at (b) in
 (c) for (d) none of these
- Q.43.** I use to come here ___ my work.
 (a) at (b) on
 (c) for (d) none of these
- Q.44.** Hard work is the key ___ success.
 (a) in (b) at
 (c) to (d) none of these



ANSWERS

1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (a) 5. (a) 6. (b) 7. (a) 8. (a)
 9. (c) 10. (c) 11. (a) 12. (b) 13. (b) 14. (b) 15. (c) 16. (b)
 17. (b) 18. (a) 19. (a) 20. (a) 21. (c) 22. (a) 23. (c) 24. (b)
 25. (a) 26. (c) 27. (a) 28. (c) 29. (c) 30. (a) 31. (c) 32. (b)
 33. (c) 34. (a) 35. (c) 36. (a) 37. (b) 38. (b) 39. (a) 40. (c)
 41. (c) 42. (c) 43. (c) 44. (c)



International English Olympiad Sample Paper

Time : 40 min

Question : 25

Direction: Read the passage and answer the Q.1 to Q.5

One day a kind butcher gave a large piece of bone to a hungry dog. As he was passing by a bridge, he looked into the stream. He saw a dog with a large piece of bone in his mouth in the stream. He was not aware that it was his own reflection. He thought that it was another dog with a piece of bone. He became greedy and thought of taking it from that dog, with such thoughts the dog barked loudly. There was no reply to his barking only a loud splash. He lost his bone in the water, so he became sad and hungry.

- Q.1.** What should be the correct title for the story?
(a) greed is curse. (b) the dog in the stream
(c) reflection (d) none of these
- Q.2.** What is the correct moral of the story?
(a) be contented with what you have.
(b) greed is curse.
(c) if you have one you should not ask for more.
(d) none of these
- Q.3.** From where did the dog get the bone?
(a) road (b) jungle
(c) a kind butcher (d) none of these
- Q.4.** What did he saw in the stream?
(a) his own reflection. (b) another dog
(c) a cat (d) none of these
- Q.5.** Tick the antonym of 'danger'.
(a) safety (b) annual
(c) begin (d) none of these
- Q.6.** Who is this famous personality?



- (a) Abdul Kalam (b) Barack Obama
(c) Manmohan Singh (d) none of these

- Q.7.** Tick the right synonym for the word 'accuses'.
- (a) blame (b) afraid
(c) certain (d) none of these
- Q.8.** Fill with the right articles. " ___ iron is more useful than ___ gold".
- (a) the, an
(b) an, the
(c) a, an
(d) none of these
- Q.9.** What is the opposite gender for 'madam'?
- (a) madam (b) sir
(c) mistress (d) none of these
- Q.10.** What is the name of the famous building?



- (a) Taj Mahal (b) Hawa Mahal
(c) Jal Mahal (d) none of these
- Q.11.** Fill in with the right preposition "I prefer milk ___ tea."
- (a) than (b) from
(c) to (d) none of these
- Q.12.** What is the masculine of 'lady'?
- (a) gentleman (b) sister
(c) girl (d) none of these
- Q.13.** What is the singular form of 'bodies'?
- (a) lady (b) baby
(c) body (d) none of these
- Q.14.** The name of a person, thing or place is called-
- (a) noun (b) collective noun
(c) verb (d) none of these
- Q.15.** Tick the word that does not belong to the group-
- (a) building (b) mountain
(c) Delhi (d) none of these
- Q.16.** A group of words that makes sense, but not complete sense is called a -
- (a) sentence (b) phrase
(c) verb (d) none of these

- Q.17.** Put the abstract noun to fill in the blanks-
"We get useful ___ from books."
- (a) knowledge (b) laughter
(c) seen (d) none of these
- Q.18.** What is the correct rhyming word for "near"?
- (a) dear (b) mall
(c) tall (d) none of these
- Q.19.** 'I will buy some mangoes.' Here some indicates-
- (a) an adjective (b) verb
(c) noun (d) pronoun
- Q.20.** Solve the riddle
- "The poor have two, the rich have none,
Millions have one, and you too have one, what am I?"
- (a) money (b) alphabet "o"
(c) property (d) none of these

INTERACTIVE SECTION

Answer questions based on the figure.

Here is Sir Isaac
Newton, the great
man of science. Newton had
a great mind.



He is sitting ___ Q.21 ___
apple tree.

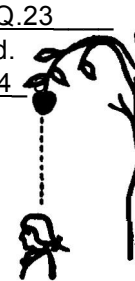
It is the year 1666.

___ Q.22 ___ are apples which
are ___ his head.

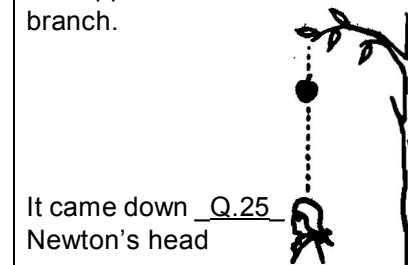
The seat has three legs.



Here is an apple ___ Q.23 ___
was ___ his head.
The apple was ___ Q.24 ___
branch of the tree.



The apple came down the
branch.



It came down ___ Q.25 ___
Newton's head

- Q.21.** He is sitting _____ apple tree.
 (a) Beside, a (b) Under, an
 (c) Under, a (d) None of these
- Q.22.** _____ are apples which are _____ his head.
 (a) That, above (b) This, over
 (c) Those, over (d) None of these
- Q.23.** Here is an apple _____ was _____ his head.
 (a) That, below (b) Which, over
 (c) Which, below (d) None of these
- Q.24.** The apple was _____ a branch of a tree.
 (a) On (b) Off
 (c) Over (d) None of these
- Q.25.** It came down _____ Newtons head.
 (a) On (b) Off
 (c) Over (d) None of these



ANSWERS

1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (c) 4. (a) 5. (a) 6. (b) 7. (a) 8. (b)
 9. (b) 10. (c) 11. (a) 12. (a) 13. (c) 14. (a) 15. (d) 16. (b)
 17. (a) 18. (a) 19. (a) 20. (b) 21. (b) 22. (c) 23. (b) 24. (a)
 25. (a)

