SNAP-VA Questions

DIRECTIONS for questions 1 and 2: Choose the correct option to fill the blank for correct grammatical use.

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1.	He has given great trouble to my friend and			
	1] my	2] I	3] me	4] mine
2.	From the moment you arrive,the time you leave, you will be treate with the utmost hospitality.			
	1] before	2] after	3] since	4] till
DIR	ECTIONS for ques	stions 3 and 4: C	hoose the correc	et alternative.
3.	From the options 1] Crux		e word with the ind 3] Courtsey	
4.	Choose the word 1] Persistance	•	3] Accordance	4] Relativety
wor	ds.			with the correct pair of
5.	He was hit a lunatic 1] by from 3] at by		a club. 2] by with 4] in of	
6.	'Frazzled' is a for the 1] metaphor unaffected 2] similedisabled 3] euphemism mentally challenged 4] synonym fatigued			
	ECTIONS for que		: Choose the o	ption that is closest in
7.	This will suit you 1] Conditionally		3] Exactly	4] Relatively



- 8. He visits me off and on.
 - 1] Occasionally
- 2] Regularly 3] Sparsely
- 4] Habitually

DIRECTIONS for questions 9 and 10: Select the most appropriate meaning of the underlined idiomatic phrase.

- The teacher gave the student a piece of her mind. 9.
 - 1] The teacher advised the student.
 - 2] The teacher scolded the student.
 - 3] The teacher favoured the student over other students.
 - 4] The teacher contradicted whatever the student had to say.
- 10. The court won't accept the guarantee of a man of straw.
 - 1] A man who has no legal knowledge
 - 21 A man of no substance
 - 3] A man who is extremely fashionable
 - 4] A man who has high moral values

DIRECTIONS for question 11: Choose the correct alternative.

- 11. If 'inter' means between as in international, 'intra' as in intranet means
 - 1] Into
- 2] Up to
- 3] Within
- 4] Without

DIRECTIONS for question 12:Match the parts of speech (in bold) to their usage.

- 12. FAST
 - 1. Adjective
- 5. Mohammedans fast in the month of Ramzan.
- 2. Noun
- 6. My mother kept a fast today.
- 3. Verb
- 7. She asked me to walk fast.
- 4. Adverb
- 8. They are fast friends.
- 1] 1-8, 2-5, 3-6, 4-7

2] 1-8, 2-6, 3-5, 4-7

3] 1-6, 2-8, 3-7, 4-5

4] 1-7, 2-5, 3-6, 4-8

DIRECTIONS for question 13: Match the items in Column I with those in Column II. Choose the correct answer combination given below.

- 1 11
- 1. As light as
- 5. a picture
- 2. As poor as
- 6. a mule
- 3. As obstinate as 7. a church mouse
- 4. As pretty as
 - 8. a feather
- 1] 1-5, 2-6, 3-7, 4-8

2] 1-8, 2-5, 3-6, 4-7

3] 1-7, 2-5, 3-6, 4-8

4] 1-8, 2-7, 3-6, 4-5



DIRECTIONS for question 14: Match the parts of speech (in bold) to their usage.

14. STILL

Adjective
 Adverb
 Noun
 Verb
 I am still waiting for her reply.
 Still waters run deep.
 The mother tried to still the frightened child.
 Verb
 It's publicity still from his new movie.

1] 1-8, 2-7, 3-5, 4-6 2] 1-6, 2-7, 3-5, 4-8

3] 1-8, 2-5, 3-6, 4-7 4] 1-6, 2-5, 3-8, 4-7

DIRECTIONS for questions 15 and 16: Choose the segment with an error. If there is no error, choose '4'.

15. The condition
$$\frac{\text{of the}}{1]}$$
 government-run hospitals $\frac{\text{in India}}{2]}$ $\frac{\text{are appalling}}{3]}$

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16. Every student
$$\frac{\text{was asked}}{1} \frac{\text{to show}}{2} \frac{\text{their identity}}{3}$$
 card at the college entrance.

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DIRECTIONS for question 17: Choose the best construction.

- 17. 1] Notwithstanding the resistance offered by him, he was arrested by the police.
 - 2] Inspite of notwithstanding the resistance offered by him, he was arrested by the police.
 - 3] Notwithstanding the resistance being offered by him, he was arrested by the police
 - 4] He was arrested by the police notwithstanding of the resistance offered by him

DIRECTIONS for questions 18 to 20: Read the passage carefully and answer within the context.

There is a general consensus that most children with autism have difficulty recognizing emotional expressions, especially in non-verbal contexts. This difficulty affects social interactions as children with autism often miss key emotion-related social cues preventing them from engaging in the 'expected' behaviour Yet, our understanding of the deficits in the processing of verbal information is more limited. For example, are children with high functioning autism impaired in recognizing the emotional content provided in the words of a conversation, the emotional content embedded in how the words are spoken, or both? In addition, what could be the underlying cause of such deficit? One possibility is that affected children differ from typically developing children in the way their brains process such emotional information. For example, it is thought that the right hemisphere plays a key role in the processing of 'negative emotions' while the left hemisphere plays a role in the processing of positive emotions (although there is a compelling alternative theory that refutes such 'emotional valance' explanation and instead



proposes that different hemispheres process different motivational content [approach vs. withdrawal] with the left hemisphere processing approach related content and the right hemisphere processing withdrawal related information). Nonetheless, there is preliminary evidence that suggest that kids with autism do not show this 'typical' hemisphere specialization and instead show involvement of both hemispheres with processing emotional verbal content.

- 18. It can be inferred from the above passage that an autistic child is least likely to engage in which of the following behaviours?
 - 1] Stopping a particular theme in a conversation when someone appears to be uncomfortable or upset about the topic.
 - 2] Carrying on with a conversation even when somebody has a bored look on the face.
 - 3] Getting scared when someone has threatening tone of voice.
 - 4] None of the above
- 19. A 'cue' is:
 - 1] A value system
 - 2] A signal
 - 3] An accepted behaviour
 - 4] A sudden malfunction
- 20. Identify the correct statement(s), based on the paragraph.
 - 1] Autistic children can recognize the emotional content of words.
 - 2] The involvement of both hemispheres is required for processing emotional verbal content.
 - 3] Both [1] and [2] are incorrect.
 - 4] Both [1] and [2] are correct.

