## TNPSC GROUP-2 (CSSE-1) EXAM GK + GENERAL ENGLISH Keys 22 Mar 2009

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## EXPECTED CUT-OFF QUESTIONS

Expected Cut off Qns for INTERVIEW: MALES: 161 + (or) - 3 Questions out of 200 questions.
FEMALES: 158 + (or) ${ }^{3}$ Questions out of 200 questions.
FOR SURE GROUP-2 POST MALES: 165 + (or) - 3 Questions out of 200 questions.
FEMALES: 163 + (or) - 3 Questions out of 200 questions
For the Post of A.S.O. : MALES: 175 + (or) - 3, FEMALES: 172 + (or) - 3.
INTERVIEW (ORAL TEST) Marks is also going to be the Deciding Factor.

## GROUP-I PRELIMS MODEL TEST <br> PRIZE: RS. 10,000/-

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## GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

BOOKLET SERIES - (A)
For the first time in this GROUP-2 Exam, Many Questions are taken outside the conventional TAMIL NADU TEXT BOOKS. Now NCERT books are also a Source.(WELCOME STEP) The SAME TREND can be expected in GROUP-I Exam Also. Concentrate on INDIAN PHILOSOPHY, MATHS \& STATISTICS for GROUP-I Exam.

1) (c) $K . E=(1 / 2) M V^{2}$, therefore whenever ' $v$ ' becomes ' 2 v ', KE becomes 4 times.
2) (c) Zero
3) (b) Michael Faraday
4) (c) Therefore the top most point in any plug point is larger in size to allow faster passage of current in case of short circuit.
5) (a) is lowered.
6) (d) DNA is made up of building blocks called nucleotides
7) (a) Oxidation. The formation of rust is a very complex process which is thought to begin with the oxidation of iron to ferrous (iron " +2 ") ions. Fe ------> $\mathrm{Fe}^{+2}+2 \mathrm{e}^{-}$
8) (a) $a-1 \quad b-3 \quad c-2 \quad d-4$
9) (d) Carbon dioxide and water form carbonic acid. Alkaline salts such as sodium bicarbonate are added to soda water to decrease the acidity. In fact it is slightly basic.
10) (b) Enriched uranium is a kind of uranium in which the percent composition of uranium-235 has been increased through the process of isotope separation. Natural uranium (or NU ) is $99.284 \%{ }^{238} \mathrm{U}$ isotope, with ${ }^{235} \mathrm{U}$ only constituting about $0.711 \%$ of its weight. ${ }^{235} \mathrm{U}$ is the only isotope existing in nature (in any appreciable amount) that is fissionable by thermal neutrons.
11)(c) Glycolysis is the metabolic pathway that converts glucose, $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{O}_{6}$, into pyruvate, $\mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{3}{ }^{-}$. The free energy released in this process is used to form the high
energy compounds, ATP (adenosine triphosphate) and NADH (reduced nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide).
11) (c) Huxley
13)(b) A molecule which contains high energy phosphate bonds.
14)(a) Stomata
15)(a) Lactic Acid (NCERT Book)
16)(d) All of these.
17)(b) Anti-Coagulant.
18)(b) $9: 3: 3: 1$
19)(c) $1^{\text {st }}$ December
20)(c) (i) and (iv) (Careful: Choose the Incorrect one)
21)(d) Eucalyptus
22)(c) Russia
23)(b) Neyveli
12) (a) Vasectomy
13) (a) $1,94,481$.
$1,76,400+8,820=1,85,220 ;$
$1,85,220+9,261=1,94,481$
14) (a) January 17, 2001.
27)(c) 1991
28)(a) January 25, 2001
29)(c) Mohammad Shafi Qureshi
30)(b) Veerappa Moili
31)(b) Sudesamithran
32)(c) V.O. Chidambaranar
15) (b) 2006
16) (c) Bharathidasan
17) (c) Germany
36)(c) 2143

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37)(a) Sri Perambudur.
38)(c) Kalaimamani Award
39)(d) H.A.Krishnapillai
40) (c) Kavadi Attam
41) (c) Jharkhand
42)(b) Western Ghats
43)(d) Erode
44) (a) Tirunelveli
45) (a) Both (A) and (B) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of $(A)$.
46)(d) 4123
47)(a) The direction in which water currents move depends on winds and the earth's spin.
48)(c) Southern Ocean
49) (a) $29^{\text {th }}$ October 1999.
50) (c) Tsunami
51)(d) Samudragupta
52)(a) $6^{\text {th }}$ Century BC
53) (c) Vardhamana
54) (a) Carvaka
55)(c) Number
56)(b) Dayanand Saraswati
57)(d) Pancha Bheda
58)(b) Manikkavasagar is called as Thiruvadhavoor Munivar.
59)(a) Four saints. (Authors of Devaram and Thirukkural).
60) (b) Ayurveda
61)(b) a historical introduction to an inscription.
62)(a) Latin and Greek words.
63)(c) Comte
64)(c) Pallavas
65)(c) Family system
66)(a) Jawaharlal Nehru
67) (a) Direct Election
68) (b) Nehru
69) (d) Ireland
70) (d) the Prime Minister and approved by the Cabinet.
71)(d) $42^{\text {nd }}$ Amendment (But the Correct Answer is $24^{\text {th }}$ Amendment)
72)(a) procedures established by law.
73) (b) the President can reduce the salaries of state civil servants including those of the judges of the High Court.
74) (d) Bihar.
75) (c) 1944
76) (a) Infant Mortality Rate
77)(d) inadequate productive capacity
78) (a) Lakdawala Committee
79) (a) 62.4 Million
80) (c) (i) and (iii) are correct.
81) (a) Luca Pacciola
82)(b) Branch Banking. But some may argue for Mixed Banking system.
83) (b) Rs. 1,50,000.
84) (c) Import of goods for re-export
85) (c) 1969
86) (b) Civil disobedience movement
87) (b) Kalki
88)(b) to examine Centre-State relation
89) (c) C. Rajagopalachari
90) (d) Ettayapuram
91)(a)Total Sum of first 6 numbers $=58 \times 6=348$. 1

$(1)+2=726 \rightarrow 3$
Total num of all 11 numbers $=11 \times 60=660 \rightarrow 4$
The value of sixth number $=3-4=66$
92)(d) Their present ages are $3 x$ and $4 x$.

TEN YEARS AGO
$A / B=(3 x-10) /(4 x-10)=1 / 2$
Therefore $x=5$, So their present ages $=7 x=35$.
93)(c) Population $=1800$

First year $10 \%$ increase $=18,000+1,800=$ 19,800
Second year $20 \%$ increase $=19,800+1,980+$ 1,980 = Rs. 23,760
94)(c) Suppose if radius is 10 , then Area $=100$ pi

If New radius is 5 ( $50 \%$ Less) then Area $=25$ pi Therefore the Area is decreased by $\mathbf{7 5 \%}$.
95)(b) [(Standard Deviation)/(Mean)]×100
96)(c) (Q3-Q1) / (Q3+Q1)
97) (a) $S D=$ Square root of $\left\{\left[(2-5)^{2}+(4-5)^{2}+(5-5)^{2}+(6-\right.\right.$ $\left.\left.5)^{2}+(8-5)^{2}\right] / 5\right\}=\operatorname{SQRT}(20 / 5)=\operatorname{SQRT}(4)$

SD = $\mathbf{2}$
98)(b) 7
99) (d) Program
100) (c) FORTRAN

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Windows-System Software.
Excel-Application Software.
FORTRAN-is a Language but not a software.

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| Qn. | Ans | $\begin{array}{l}\text { GENERAL ENGLSH } \\ \text { BOOKLET SERIES (D) }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 101 | C | By (We sat by the ground) |$\}$


| 124 | B | John is cleverer than any other boy |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| 125 | A | Mango is one of the sweetest fruits |
| 126 | C | India is one of the most powerfull as India |
| 127 | C | Star (find out the noun) |$|$| 128 | D |
| :--- | :--- |
| 3412 (Eg. Far) |  |
| 129 | B |
| 3412 (Eg. Glitter) |  |
| 130 | A |
| 2413 (Eg. The U.K) |  |
| 131 | A |
| 132 | Blowers |
| 133 | A |
| 134 | Water flows down the hill |
| Engnt to improve my knowledge in |  |
| English |  |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 148 | B | Babies | 179 | B |  |
| 149 | C | Fish | 180 | A | Modern (it was an ancient Indian prince who first developed music) |
| 150 | B | Children |  |  |  |
| 151 | D | Amn't I (I am in your way .....) | 181 | B | Past continuous (As we were climbing up the hill) |
| 152 | A | S.V.O (They announced the results) |  |  |  |
| 153 | B | S.V.I.O.D.O (My teacher taught me | 182 | A | Bought (veda .... a car) |
|  |  | English) | 183 | D | Went (we ... to cochin last summer) |
| 154 | A | S.V.A (She laughed loudly) | 184 | D | was waiting (While I .... for the bus a car came) |
| 155 | B | S.V.C (He appeared angry) |  |  |  |
| 156 | D | S.V ( the baby is crying) | 185 | A | Teaches (mani...english) |
| 157 | C | My Sister will come in a day or two | 186 | B | served (He ....in the army during the freedom struggle) |
| 158 | B | The cow is a useful animal |  |  |  |
| 159 | C | Rajan is waiting for an hour | 187 | D | At (Ruby came ......day break) |
| 160 | B | Yesterday I met a European | 188 | A | Before (My uncle came ..... a week) |
| 161 | D | Locked | 189 | C | By (A cake was shared ....two sisters) |
| 162 | D | Swallow up | 190 | C | Since (He has been working ...1984) |
| 163 | B | Some (several) | 191 | A | To walk (.... In the right side of the road is dangerous) |
| 164 | C | Differentiate (Distinguish) |  |  |  |
| 165 | B | Youngones(Cubs) | 192 | B | To fly (Kala likes .... In the air) |
| 166 | D | Sorrow (Grief) | 193 | C | Swimming (... good for health) |
| 167 | C | It is raining isn't it? | 194 | A | Playing (Kala doesn't like .... In the streets) |
| 168 | D | My mother cooks well doesn't she? |  |  |  |
| 169 | A | he cannot understand English Can he | 195 | A | Eaten (I have ... breakfast in the morning) |
| 170 | B | john sings well doesn't he | 196 | B | Simple present (P.M. visits flood vicitims) |
| 171 | D | In (My mother is ...the kitchen) | 197 | A | Present continuous (The stars are shining) |
| 172 | B | En (danger) |  |  |  |
| 173 | C | Er (Small) | 198 | B | Past perfect (I had passed the exam) |
| 174 | D | Ful (beauty) | 19 |  | Future continuous (At 10 'o clock tomorrow I shall be traveling to Agra) |
| 175 | A | Dis (cover) |  |  |  |
| 176 | C | Mis (lead) | $200$ | D | Present perfect (Several prisoners have broken out the jail) |
| 177 | D | Dies (United nations lives on) |  |  |  |
| 178 | D | Shallow (it is very deep sleep) |  |  |  |

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