ORDERING OF WORDS IN A SENTENCE
15 Minutes   20 Questions

Directions: In each of the following items, there is a sentence of which some parts have been **jumbled up**. You are required to re-arrange these parts which are labeled P, Q, R and S to produce the correct sentence. Choose the proper sequence and mark it in your Answer Sheet accordingly.

1.   Her mother
      P: when she was at school
      Q: often failed to pay Madhu's fees
      R: who died at an early age
      S: after the death of the father

      The proper sequence should be:
      (a)   Q S R P   (b)   S R P Q
      (c)   S R Q P   (d)   Q P S R

2.   I told my friend
      P: on the first of April
      Q: that I was going to Germany
      R: whom I met at Nagpur
      S: at a Conference in January.

      The proper sequence should be:
      (a)   Q S R P   (b)   R S Q P
      (c)   R P Q S   (d)   Q P R S

3.   A magician
      P: failed to satisfy the students
      Q: who was invited to the college
      R: the old tricks to them
      S: when he showed

      The proper sequence should be:
      (a)   Q S R P   (b)   S P R Q
      (c)   S R P Q   (d)   Q P S R

4.   On seeing the tiger
      P: the lamb
      Q: began to cry
      R: which had lost its mother
      S: and tried to run away

      The proper sequence should be:
      (a)   P Q R S   (b)   P R Q S
      (c)   P Q S R   (d)   P R S Q

5.   The primitive people
      P: that all natural events
      Q: who believed
      R: were ignorant of the physical world
      S: were caused by some power

      The proper sequence should be:
      (a)   Q R P S   (b)   R P Q S
      (c)   Q P S R   (d)   R Q P S

6.   A typical Prakash Padukone day
        P: or even a game of tennis
        Q: starts off
        R: on some days
        S: with an early morning jog.

        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   RPSQ   (b)   RSQP
        (c)   QSRP   (d)   QSPR

7.   The Collector said that the
        P: supply of water for irrigation
        Q: dams should receive water
        R: up to a particular level
        S: to ensure uninterrupted
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   SPRQ   (b)   QRSP
        (c)   RQSP   (d)   SRPQ

8.   As we all know
        P: a legislation
        Q: needs the assent of the President
        R: passed by the houses of the Parliament
        S: to become law
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   SPQR   (b)   PRQS
        (c)   PQSR   (d)   RSQP

9.   during routine, investigation
        P: other Harappan sites
        Q: archaeologists discovered artifacts
        R: that perfectly matched.
        S: remains from
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   QRSP   (b)   PRQS
        (c)   PQSR   (d)   RSQP

10.   Village and small industries while requiring limited capital
        P: can provide
        Q: a variety of goods for consumption
        R: and produce
        S: employment to large numbers.
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   PQRS   (b)   PRQS
        (c)   PSRQ   (d)   PRSQ

11.   The natives of the Caribbean
        P: regarded the papaya
        Q: because of its ability
        R: as a magic tree
        S: to keep them healthy.
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   PRQS   (b)   RPQS
        (c)   PRSQ   (d)   RPSQ

12.   The Indian woman wants
        P: in a male dominated society
        Q: as an equal partner
        R: and it is not too much to demand
        S: her rightful place
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   SRPQ   (b)   RSQP
        (c)   SQPR   (d)   QPSR

13.   This is a letter
        P: from a young lady
        Q: who was lately wounded in a duel
        R: written in the most passionate terms
        S: wherein she laments the misfortune of a gentleman.
        The proper sequence should be:
        (a)   RPSQ   (b)   PRSQ
        (c)   RPQS   (d)   PRQS

14.   It is
        P: for a man
        Q: when he accompanies a lady
        R: an accepted custom
        S: to open the door.
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   PSQR   (b)   PSRQ
        (c)   RPSQ   (d)   RPQS

15.   We
        P: agreed with
        Q: the manner in which you said it
        R: but we objected to
        S: what you said.
        The proper sequence should be:
        (a)   PSQR   (b)   SPQR
        (c)   SPRQ   (d)   PSRQ

16.   The Buddha
        P: who had
        Q: set views
        R: was opposed to all those
        S: or closed system of thought
        The proper sequence should be:
        (a)   P Q R S   (b)   R P Q S
        (c)   P Q S R   (d)   S R P Q

17.   The doctor's offer
        P: not only saved Julie
        Q: but enabled her to blossom into a happy woman
        R: from the jaws of death
        S: of marriage.
        The proper sequence should be
        (a)   PSQR   (b)   PQRS
        (c)   SPQR   (d)   SPRQ

18.   Towards midnight

P: so that the sky was lighted with
Q: and the clouds drifted away
R: the rain creased
S: the incredible lamp of stars.
The proper sequence should be:
(a)   RPQS   (b)   SQPR
(c)   RQPS   (d)   SPQR

19.   The effectiveness of a film
P: the needs of the audience
Q: is judged by
R: and by its relation to
S: its theme.
The proper sequence should be:
(a)   PSQR   (b)   QRPS
(c)   PQRS   (d)   QSRP

20.   Only
P: to make himself
Q: by shouting at the top of his voice
R: was he able
S: heard.
The proper sequence should be:
(a)   QRPS   (b)   PSQR
(c)   QPRS   (d)   PSRQ

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