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Direction (1-15): Out of the four alternatives choose the one which can be substituted for the given words/sentence in the question.

Q1. Sudden or unpredictable changes of mood or mind

- (a) Middling
- (b) Minatory
- (c) Maverick
- (d) Mercurial

Q2. Not appropriate or well-timed

- (a) Involute
- (b) Infelicitous
- (c) Inveterate
- (d) Inebriated

Q3. Cautious about doing something

- (a) Choleric
- (b) Churlish
- (c) Chary
- (d) Cabal

Q4. Fear of travelling

- (a) Hodophobia
- (b) Ochophobia
- (c) Blennophobia
- (d) Hormephobia

Q5. A secret or disguised way of writing

- (a) Compere
- (b) Cypher
- (c) Posse
- (d) Claque



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Q6. A harsh-tempered or overbearing woman

- (a) Heretic
- (b) Coquette
- (c) Sinhalese
- (d) Termagant

Q7. A place in a large institution for the care of those who are ill

- (a) Menagerie
- (b) Scullery
- (c) Sheath
- (d) Infirmary

Q8. Something that has grown or accumulated slowly

- (a) Acidulous
- (b) Accretion
- (c) Blurt
- (d) Bog

Q9. Wave or flourish as a threat or in anger or excitement

- (a) Brawn
- (b) Brawl
- (c) Brim
- (d) Brandish

Q10. A group of people attending or surrounding an important person

- (a) Dawdle
- (b) Wayward
- (c) Entourage
- (d) Emissary

Q11. Difficult to handle

- (a) Intestate
- (b) Intractable
- (c) Interdict
- (d) Indignation

Q12. Someone who acts as an assistant

- (a) Rampart
- (b) Aide
- (c) Tarry
- (d) Noob

Q13. Examine thoroughly and in great depth

- (a) Raiment
- (b) Tout
- (c) Plumb
- (d) Canto

Q14. Avoid or try to avoid fulfilling, answering or performing

- (a) Parry
- (b) Ravel
- (c) Surly
- (d) Waive

Q15. A person who is not conversant with a particular activity or skill

- (a) Bier
- (b) Muggle
- (c) Cabby
- (d) Deism

Direction (16-30): The questions below consist of a set of labelled sentences. Out of the four options given, select the most logical order of the sentences to form a coherent paragraph.

Q16. It seemed to them far easier to conceive

- P-that the water had gone down, than
- **Q**-that solid land had risen
- **R**-upward into its present position
- (a) PQR
- (b) RQP
- (c) RPQ
- (d) QRP

Q17. We drank a little and flung

P-soon were all asleep

Q-sand, thoroughly tired out, and R-ourselves down on the

- (a) RPQ
- (b) QRP
- (c) QPR
- (d) RQP

Q18. Aqueous rocks of equal

P-exhibit in like manner a stratification nearly undisturbed Q-over the lake-district of North America, and **R**-antiquity extend for hundreds of miles

- (a) RQP
- (b) RPQ
- (c) QRP
- (d) QPR

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Q19. Now I just have to keep my

P-place and not let that scrawny **Q**-guy with gelled **R-**hair edge in front of me (a) QRP (b) PQR (c) RPQ (d) PRQ

Q20. The idea of a standard time

P-lives that we often take it for

Q-zone has become so integral to our

R-granted and assume it to be a part of natural phenomena

(a) RQP

(b) PQR

(c) QRP

(d) QPR

Q21. Evidently it was too

P-of a deadly-looking cobra or

Q-two we saw no reptiles

R-dry for game, and with the exception

(a) QRP

(b) QPR

(c) PRQ

(d) RPQ

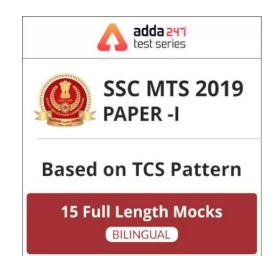
Q22. Some of these

P-height of more than **0-2000 feet above the sea R-**rocks rise to the (a) QRP (b) RPQ (c) QPR

(d) PRQ

Q23. It was three o'clock in the afternoon

P-find our bearers **Q**-before we woke, to **R**-preparing to return (a) QPR (b) PRQ (c) PQR (d) RQP





Q24. Now the first and most

P-strata of marine origin occur above the Q-simple appearance is where
R-level of the sea in horizontal position

(a) PRQ
(b) QPR
(c) PQR
(d) RQP

Q25. I've taken out my

P-and stay poised and vigilant
Q-ear buds so I can
R-listen for announcements
(a) RPQ
(b) QRP
(c) PRQ
(d) QPR

Q26. In the Northeast, the sun

P-sets by four in the evening
Q-morning and in winter it
R-rises as early as four in the
(a) PQR
(b) QRP
(c) RQP

(d) RPQ

Q27.Their judgment can be

P-easily swayed by false Q-propaganda, as is being done R-right now across the country (a) QRP (b) RPQ

- (c) PRQ
- (d) PQR

Q28. Although no convincing

P-arguments were made againstQ-was commotion in the HouseR-the amendment, there

- (a) RPQ
- (b) QRP
- (c) PRQ
- (d) QPR

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Q29. It is a good sign

P-that the ratio remains the same despite **Q**-the revenue base coming down because **R-**of increased devolution to States (a) QRP

- (b) RPQ
- (c) PRQ
- (d) PQR

Q30. India is extremely short

P-of water, and there will be even less **Q-**is taken out

R-of it as groundwater

(a) RPQ

- (b) QRP
- (c) PRQ

(d) QPR

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