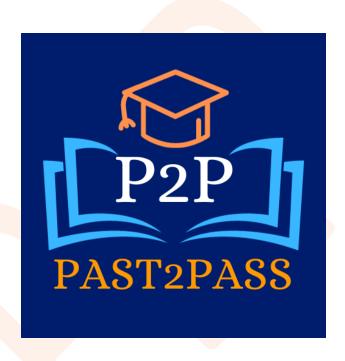
Dangote Cement

Aptitude Test

Questions and Answers



- https://www.facebook.com/past2pass/
- https://www.instagram.com/past2pass /
- https://www.twitter.com/past2pass/

VERBAL REASONING

1) Choose the word most opposite in meaning to "Expand": A. Enlarge B. Contract C. Increase D. Spread Answer: B. Contract
2) Select the correctly spelled word: A. Recieve B. Receive C. Receeve D. Recive Answer: B. Receive
3) Choose the sentence that is grammatically correct: A. She don't like reading. B. She doesn't likes reading. C. She doesn't like reading. D. She not like reading. Answer: C. She doesn't like reading.
4) Synonym of "Courageous": A. Fearless B. Weak C. Timid D. Careful Answer: A. Fearless
5) Antonym of "Scarce": A. Rare B. Plenty C. Empty D. Insufficient Answer: B. Plenty
6) Identify the part of speech of "beautiful" in "She is beautiful." A. Noun B. Verb C. Adjective

D. Adverb Answer: C. Adjective
7) Complete the sentence: "The meeting will start 10 a.m." A. On B. At C. By D. In Answer: B. At
8) Choose the correct option: "Neither the chairman nor his assistants present." A. Is B. Are C. Were D. Have Answer: A. Is
9) Choose the correct form: "He has lived here 2010." A. For B. Since C. By D. From Answer: B. Since
 10) Pick the correct sentence: A. She told me she is coming tomorrow. B. She told me she was coming tomorrow. C. She told me she would come tomorrow. D. She told me she will come tomorrow. Answer: C. She told me she would come tomorrow.
11) "He was elated after receiving the news." The word "elated" means: A. Angry B. Excited C. Confused D. Depressed Answer: B. Excited
12) Synonym of "Generous": A. Mean B. Kind

C. Selfish D. Harsh
Answer: B. Kind
13) Antonym of "Transparent": A. Clear B. Opaque C. Bright D. Thin Answer: B. Opaque
14) Choose the correct phrase: "He congratulated me my success." A. For B. On C. With D. At Answer: B. On
15) Find the correctly punctuated sentence: A. The CEO said "We will expand next year". B. The CEO said, "We will expand next year." C. The CEO, said "We will expand next year." D. The CEO said "We will expand, next year." Answer: B. The CEO said, "We will expand next year."
16) Choose the most suitable word: "The workers were after a long day." A. Exhausted B. Exciting C. Relax D. Sleep Answer: A. Exhausted
17) "To hit the nail on the head" means: A. To make a mistake B. To be exact C. To hurt someone D. To act in anger Answer: B. To be exact
18) Antonym of "Permanent": A. Constant

B. Temporary C. Solid D. Lasting Answer: B. Temporary
19) Synonym of "Abundant": A. Scarce B. Limited C. Plentiful D. Small Answer: C. Plentiful
20) "She runs faster than in her class." A. Any girl B. All girl C. Any other girl D. Every girl Answer: C. Any other girl
21) Correct the error: "He is one of the boy who always plays." A. Boys B. Boy C. Played D. Playing Answer: A. Boys
 22) Choose the correct sentence: A. I look forward to meet you. B. I look forward to meeting you. C. I am looking forward meet you. D. I look forward meet you. Answer: B. I look forward to meeting you.
23) Fill in the blank: "We arrived the airport on time." A. To B. In C. At D. On Answer: C. At

 24) Which of these sentences is in passive voice? A. The manager approved the proposal. B. The proposal was approved by the manager. C. The manager is approving the proposal. D. The proposal approves the manager. Answer: B. The proposal was approved by the manager.
25) Synonym of "Precise": A. Vague B. Exact C. Rough D. Guess Answer: B. Exact
26) Antonym of "Victory": A. Success B. Triumph C. Loss D. Gain Answer: C. Loss
27) Choose the correct preposition: "She depends her parents." A. With B. For C. On D. From Answer: C. On
28) "To go the extra mile" means: A. To do more than expected B. To travel far C. To delay work D. To rest longer Answer: A. To do more than expected
29) Which word is a synonym of "Obsolete"?A. ModernB. AncientC. Outdated

D. Advanced Answer: C. Outdated
30) Antonym of "Deep": A. Wide B. Shallow C. Low D. Narrow Answer: B. Shallow
31) Choose the correct sentence: A. He prefer coffee to tea. B. He prefers coffee to tea. C. He prefer coffee than tea. D. He prefers coffee than tea. Answer: B. He prefers coffee to tea.
32) Find the correct spelling: A. Seperate B. Separate C. Seperrate D. Seperete Answer: B. Separate
33) Choose the correct tense: "By next year, she graduated." A. Has B. Will have C. Will D. Is Answer: B. Will have
34) Antonym of "Ignorant": A. Uninformed B. Knowledgeable C. Stupid D. Simple Answer: B. Knowledgeable
35) Choose the correct option: "The guests already arrived." A. Has B. Have

C. Is D. Was
Answer: B. Have 36) The opposite of "Optimistic" is: A. Cheerful B. Hopeful C. Pessimistic D. Positive Answer: C. Pessimistic
37) Identify the correctly punctuated sentence: A. No, I can't attend. B. No I can't attend. C. No I, can't attend. D. No I can't, attend. Answer: A. No, I can't attend.
38) Meaning of "Once in a blue moon": A. Very often B. Rarely C. Always D. Occasionally Answer: B. Rarely
39) Choose the correct conjunction: "She was tired she went to bed." A. So B. But C. Although D. Because Answer: A. So
40) Choose the correct comparative form: "This road is than that." A. Wide B. Widest C. Wider D. More wide Answer: C. Wider
41) Choose the correct sentence: A. He prefer coffee to tea.

B. He prefers coffee to tea.C. He prefer coffee than tea.D. He prefers coffee than tea.Answer: B. He prefers coffee to tea.
42) Find the correct spelling: A. Seperate B. Separate C. Seperrate D. Seperete Answer: B. Separate
43) Choose the correct tense: "By next year, she graduated." A. Has B. Will have C. Will D. Is Answer: B. Will have
44) Antonym of "Ignorant": A. Uninformed B. Knowledgeable C. Stupid D. Simple Answer: B. Knowledgeable
45) Choose the correct option: "The guests already arrived." A. Has B. Have C. Is D. Was Answer: B. Have
46) The opposite of "Optimistic" is: A. Cheerful B. Hopeful C. Pessimistic D. Positive Answer: C. Pessimistic

47) Identify the correctly punctuated sentence: A. No, I can't attend. B. No I can't attend. C. No I, can't attend. D. No I can't, attend. Answer: A. No, I can't attend.
48) Meaning of "Once in a blue moon": A. Very often B. Rarely C. Always D. Occasionally Answer: B. Rarely
49) Choose the correct conjunction: "She was tired she went to bed." A. So B. But C. Although D. Because Answer: A. So
50) Choose the correct comparative form: "This book is than that one." A. Interestinger B. More interesting C. Most interesting D. Interestingest Answer: B. More interesting
51) Choose the correct phrasal verb: "He up early to catch the flight." A. Woke B. Wake C. Waking D. Woken Answer: A. Woke
52) Choose the correct direct speech form: He said that he was leaving. Convert to direct speech.A. He said, "I am leaving."B. He said, "I were leaving."C. He said, "I was leaving."

D. He said, "He is leaving." Answer: A. He said, "I am leaving."
 53) Choose the correct sentence: A. There is less people today. B. There are fewer people today. C. There is fewer people today. D. There are less people today. Answer: B. There are fewer people today.
54) Choose the correct preposition: "She is responsible the project." A. For B. To C. With D. At Answer: A. For
 55) Which is the correct plural form? A. Criterion → Criterions B. Phenomenon → Phenomena C. Datum → Datums D. Index → Indexes (never indices) Answer: B. Phenomenon → Phenomena
56) Choose the correct relative pronoun: "The man car was stolen reported to the police." A. Which B. Who C. Whose D. Whom Answer: C. Whose
57) Fill in the blank: "If I you, I would apologize." A. Was B. Were C. Am D. Be Answer: B. Were
58) Choose the synonym of "Obscure": A. Clear B. Vague

C. Famous D. Bright Answer: P. Vague
Answer: B. Vague 59) Choose the correctly punctuated sentence: A. Its time to go. B. It's time to go. C. Its' time to go. D. Its time, to go. Answer: B. It's time to go.
60) Choose the correct word to complete: "She is taller her sister." A. As B. Than C. Like D. From Answer: B. Than
NUMERICAL REASONING
61) If 2x + 5 = 15, find x. A. 3 B. 4 C. 5 D. 6 Answer: B. 5
62) A car travels 60 km in 1 hour. How far will it travel in 4 hours? A. 180 km B. 240 km C. 300 km D. 360 km Answer: B. 240 km 63) What is 25% of 200? A. 25 B. 50 C. 75 D. 100
Answer: B. 50

64) If a rectangle has a length of 8 m and width of 3 m, what is its perimeter? A. 22 m B. 24 m C. 26 m D. 28 m Answer: B. 22 m
65) Solve: 3/5 of 250 = ? A. 100 B. 125 C. 150 D. 200 Answer: C. 150
66) If the cost of 5 pens is ₦250, what is the cost of 8 pens? A. ₦300 B. ₦350 C. ₦400 D. ₦450 Answer: C. ₦400
67) The average of 10, 20, 30, 40, and 50 is: A. 25 B. 30 C. 35 D. 40 Answer: C. 30
68) A man buys an item for ₦6000 and sells it for ₦7500. What is his profit percentage? A. 20% B. 25% C. 30% D. 35% Answer: B. 25%
69) Find the simple interest on ₩5000 at 10% per annum for 2 years. A. ₩500 B. ₩800 C. ₩1000

D. ₩1200 Answer: C. ₩1000
 70) If 3 workers complete a job in 6 days, how long will 6 workers take (same rate)? A. 2 days B. 3 days C. 4 days D. 5 days Answer: B. 3 days
71) What is the next number in the sequence: 3, 6, 12, 24, ? A. 36 B. 40 C. 46 D. 48 Answer: D. 48
72) Solve for x: 7x – 21 = 0. A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 Answer: C. 3
73) If 15% of a number is 45, find the number. A. 250 B. 275 C. 300 D. 325 Answer: C. 300
74) The sum of the angles in a triangle is: A. 90° B. 120° C. 180° D. 360° Answer: C. 180°
75) Convert 0.75 to a fraction. A. 3/4

B. 2/3

C. 4/5 D. 1/2 Answer: A. 3/4
76) Simplify: (2/3) × (9/4). A. 3/2 B. 3 C. 4/3 D. 2/3 Answer: A. 3/2
77) If a car covers 150 km in 3 hours, what is its speed? A. 40 km/h B. 45 km/h C. 50 km/h D. 55 km/h Answer: C. 50 km/h
78) Find the median of: 4, 8, 6, 10, 12. A. 6 B. 8 C. 9 D. 10 Answer: B. 8
79) 3x + 2y = 12, find y if x = 2. A. 2 B. 3 C. 4 D. 5 Answer: B. 3
80) 2 ⁵ ÷ 2 ² = ? A. 2 B. 4 C. 6 D. 8 Answer: D. 8
81) A sum doubles in 5 years at simple interest. What is the rate per annum? A. 10%

B. 15% C. 20% D. 25% Answer: C. 20%
82) Find the area of a circle with radius 7 cm (π = 22/7). A. 144 cm² B. 154 cm² C. 164 cm² D. 176 cm² Answer: B. 154 cm²
83) The average of five consecutive even numbers is 36. The smallest number is: A. 28 B. 30 C. 32 D. 34 Answer: C. 32
84) 60% of a number is 48. Find the number. A. 70 B. 75 C. 80 D. 90 Answer: C. 80
85) Find the ratio of 3 hours to 45 minutes. A. 3:1 B. 2:1 C. 4:1 D. 1:4 Answer: C. 4:1
86) If the population of a town increases by 10% yearly, what is the population after 2 years if current is 10,000? A. 11,000 B. 12,000 C. 12,100 D. 12,210 Answer: D. 12,210

87) What is the square root of 256? A. 12 B. 14 C. 15 D. 16 Answer: D. 16
88) If 5 men can do a job in 8 days, how many days will 10 men take? A. 2 B. 3 C. 4 D. 5 Answer: C. 4
89) A train moves at 90 km/h. How long does it take to cover 180 km? A. 1 hour B. 1.5 hours C. 2 hours D. 2.5 hours Answer: C. 2 hours
90) The difference between the simple interest and compound interest on ₩10,000 at 10% for 2 years is: A. ₩10 B. ₩20 C. ₩30 D. ₩40 Answer: D. ₩40
91) What is 12% of ₦8000? A. ₦640 B. ₦720 C. ₦800 D. ₦900 Answer: B. ₦960
92) If 8 workers produce 120 units in 5 days, how many units will 12 workers produce in 5 days? A. 150 B. 160 C. 180

D. 200 Answer: C. 180
93) Simplify: (4 ³ × 4 ²) ÷ 4 ⁴ A. 4 B. 8 C. 16 D. 1 Answer: A. 4
94) The perimeter of a square is 48 cm. Find the area. A. 100 cm ² B. 121 cm ² C. 144 cm ² D. 169 cm ² Answer: C. 144 cm ²
95) A trader bought goods for ₩2500 and sold them at a loss of 10%. Find the selling price. A. ₩2000 B. ₩2200 C. ₩2250 D. ₩2300 Answer: C. ₩2250
96) Solve for x: 9x = 81. A. 9 B. 8 C. 7 D. 10 Answer: A. 9
97) A car's fuel consumption is 8 litres per 100 km. How many litres for 350 km? A. 24 B. 26 C. 28 D. 30 Answer: C. 28
98) The average of 6, 8, 10, and 12 is: A. 8 B. 9

C. 10 D. 11 Answer: C. 9
99) Find 15% of ₩2000. A. ₩200 B. ₩250 C. ₩300 D. ₩350 Answer: B. ₩300
100) The sum of first 10 natural numbers is: A. 45 B. 50 C. 55 D. 60 Answer: C. 55
101) Convert 3/8 to percentage. A. 25% B. 35% C. 37.5% D. 40% Answer: C. 37.5%
102) Find the simple interest on ₩4000 at 5% per annum for 4 years. A. ₩600 B. ₩700 C. ₩800 D. ₩900 Answer: C. ₩800
103) If 15 mangoes cost ₩450, what is the cost of 25 mangoes? A. ₩650 B. ₩700 C. ₩750 D. ₩800 Answer: C. ₩750
104) The area of a triangle with base 10 cm and height 8 cm is:

B. 30 cm ² C. 40 cm ² D. 50 cm ² Answer: C. 40 cm²
105) Solve: (15 + 25) × 2 = ? A. 60 B. 70 C. 80 D. 90 Answer: C. 80
106) The ratio of 2 hours to 90 minutes is: A. 3:2 B. 4:3 C. 5:3 D. 6:5 Answer: B. 4:3
107) A number is increased by 20% and becomes 60. Find the original number. A. 40 B. 45 C. 48 D. 50 Answer: D. 50
108) What is 3/4 of ₩3200? A. №2100 B. ₩2200 C. ₩2300 D. №2400 Answer: D. ₩2400
109) A car travels at 80 km/h for 2.5 hours. Find the distance. A. 160 km B. 180 km

C. 200 km D. 220 km

Answer: C. 200 km

110) Simplify: 0.25 × 0.4 = ? A. 0.01 B. 0.05 C. 0.10 D. 0.15 Answer: C. 0.10
 111) Find the compound interest on ₩10,000 at 5% per annum for 2 years. A. ₩500 B. ₩510 C. ₩520 D. ₩525 Answer: B. ₩510
112) Find ¾ of 64. A. 42 B. 46 C. 48 D. 50 Answer: C. 48
113) A man's salary is increased from \\dagger40,000 to \\dagger50,000. What is the percentage increase? A. 20% B. 22% C. 25% D. 30% Answer: C. 25%
114) Convert 2.5 hours to minutes. A. 120 B. 140 C. 150 D. 160 Answer: C. 150
115) Find the perimeter of a rectangle 10 cm by 5 cm.A. 25 cmB. 30 cmC. 35 cm

D. 40 cm Answer: D. 40 cm
116) Simplify: (18 ÷ 3) × 2. A. 8 B. 10 C. 12 D. 14 Answer: C. 12
117) If a number is divided by 5 and gives 9, what is the number? A. 40 B. 45 C. 50 D. 55 Answer: B. 45
118) 120 is 80% of what number? A. 130 B. 140 C. 150 D. 160 Answer: C. 150
119) Find the HCF of 18 and 24. A. 2 B. 3 C. 4 D. 6 Answer: D. 6
120) Simplify: (5 ² × 5 ³) ÷ 5 ⁴ A. 5 B. 10 C. 15 D. 25 Answer: A. 5
121) If ALL cats are animals and SOME animals are not pets, which of the following is true? A. All cats are pets

B. Some cats are not pets

C. No animal is a cat
D. All pets are cats
Answer: B. Some cats are not pets
122) Choose the next number in the series: 3, 6, 12, 24, 48, ? A. 72 B. 96 C. 100 D. 120 Answer: B. 96
123) If A = 1, B = 2, C = 3, then Z = ? A. 25 B. 26 C. 27 D. 30 Answer: B. 26
124) Find the missing term: 5, 10, 20, 40, ? A. 50 B. 60 C. 70 D. 80 Answer: D. 80
 125) If all squares are rectangles, and all rectangles are shapes, then all squares are: A. Circles B. Shapes C. Lines D. Triangles Answer: B. Shapes
126) Choose the odd one out: 2, 4, 8, 16, 20. A. 2 B. 4 C. 8 D. 20 Answer: D. 20
127) In a certain code, CAT = 24, DOG = 26. What is BAT? A. 22

B. 23 C. 25 D. 27 Answer: B. 23
128) A is the father of B, but B is not the son of A. How is that possible? A. B is A's daughter B. B is A's friend C. B is A's wife D. B is A's sister Answer: A. B is A's daughter
129) If in a certain code, ROAD = QNZC, what is PATH? A. OZSG B. OYSG C. OYRF D. OZRF Answer: B. OYSG
130) The next letter in the sequence: A, C, F, J, O, ? A. Q B. R C. S D. U Answer: C. S
131) Find the missing number: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, ? A. 30 B. 35 C. 36 D. 40 Answer: C. 36
 132) Which figure completes the pattern? (Four shapes increasing sides: triangle, square, pentagon, ?) A. Hexagon B. Circle C. Rectangle D. Heptagon Answer: A. Hexagon

 133) If today is Wednesday, what day will it be 10 days later? A. Saturday B. Sunday C. Monday D. Friday Answer: B. Saturday
134) In a certain code, BOOK = 52, PEN = 35, then NOTE = ? A. 60 B. 61 C. 62 D. 63 Answer: B. 61
135) The relationship between 2 and 8 is the same as between 3 and: A. 9 B. 15 C. 27 D. 18 Answer: C. 27
 136) If "Some men are strong" and "All strong people are brave", which conclusion is valid? A. All men are brave B. Some men are brave C. No men are brave D. Some brave are not men Answer: B. Some men are brave
137) What comes next: 7, 14, 28, 56, ? A. 84 B. 100 C. 112 D. 120 Answer: C. 112
138) Choose the odd pair: A. Circle–Round B. Square–Sides C. Triangle–Angle

D. Line-Curved

Answer: D. Line-Curved

139) If $6 \times 3 = 18$ and $9 \times 2 = 18$, what does 12×1.5 equal?

- A. 16
- B. 17
- C. 18
- D. 19

Answer: C. 18

140) Choose the word most opposite to "Always":

- A. Seldom
- B. Never
- C. Rarely
- D. Occasionally

Answer: B. Never

141) If 'TREE' is coded as 'SQQD', how is 'BUSH' coded?

- A. ATQG
- B. ATRG
- C. ATQF
- D. ASRG

Answer: A. ATQG

142) If $2 \rightarrow 6$, $3 \rightarrow 12$, $4 \rightarrow 20$, then $5 \rightarrow ?$

- A. 25
- B. 30
- C. 35
- D. 40

Answer: B. 30

143) Which one does not belong: Mango, Apple, Orange, Potato.

- A. Mango
- B. Apple
- C. Orange
- D. Potato

Answer: **D. Potato**

144) If A is older than B, and B is older than C, who is youngest?

- A. A
- B. B

```
D. Cannot say
Answer: C. C
145) In a certain pattern: 3 \rightarrow 9, 4 \rightarrow 16, 5 \rightarrow 25, then 6 \rightarrow ?
A. 30
B. 35
C. 36
D. 40
Answer: C. 36
146) Find the missing number: 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, ?
A. 24
B. 25
C. 27
D. 29
Answer: D. 29
147) Which figure is next in sequence: △, ■, •
A. 🔺
В. ■
C. ●
D. ■■
Answer: C. ●
148) What is the next term: 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, ?
A. 48
B. 50
C. 60
D. 64
Answer: D. 64
149) If in a code, 'CEMENT' = 36, what is 'DANGOTE'?
A. 56
B. 58
C. 60
D. 62
Answer: C. 60
150) If all cars are vehicles and some vehicles are bikes, which of the following must be true?
```

C. C

A. All cars are bikes

B. Some vehicles are cars C. No vehicle is car D. All bikes are cars Answer: B. Some vehicles are cars	
151) Choose the odd one: 121, 144, 169, 180. A. 121 B. 144 C. 169 D. 180 Answer: D. 180	
152) If five friends sit in a row and A is to the left of B but right of C, who is in the middle if E at extreme left and E at extreme right? A. A B. B C. C D. D Answer: A. A) is
153) Which number logically completes the series: 1, 3, 6, 10, 15, ? A. 18 B. 20 C. 21 D. 22 Answer: C. 21	
154) The opposite of "valid" is: A. True B. Right C. False D. Invalid Answer: D. Invalid	
155) A cube has how many edges? A. 8 B. 10 C. 12 D. 14 Answer: C. 12	

156) Find the missing term: 2, 6, 12, 20, 30, ? A. 36 B. 40 C. 42 D. 44 Answer: C. 42
157) If the statement "All engineers are logical" is true, then "Some logical people are engineers" is: A. True B. False C. Uncertain D. Invalid Answer: A. True
158) What is next in the pattern: A1, C3, E5, G7, ? A. H8 B. I9 C. J9 D. I8 Answer: B. I9
159) Choose the odd word: A. January B. March C. August D. Sunday Answer: D. Sunday
160) Which number should come next: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, ? A. 42 B. 43 C. 44 D. 49 Answer: D. 49
161) If all rectangles are squares and all squares are circles, which is true?A. All circles are rectanglesB. All squares are rectanglesC. All rectangles are circles

D. All circles are triangles Answer: C. All rectangles are circles
162) In a certain code, JUNE = KVQF. What is MAY? A. NBZ B. MBZ C. LBX D. NCZ Answer: A. NBZ
163) Find the odd one: 4, 8, 16, 20, 32. A. 4 B. 8 C. 16 D. 20 Answer: D. 20
164) Which pair is similar to the relationship between "Teacher: School"? A. Doctor: Hospital B. Farmer: Shop C. Soldier: Kitchen D. Pilot: Restaurant Answer: A. Doctor: Hospital
165) Which is the next in the sequence: 3, 9, 27, 81, ? A. 108 B. 162 C. 243 D. 324 Answer: C. 243
166) A cube painted red on all sides is cut into 27 smaller cubes. How many small cubes have only one red face? A. 6 B. 8 C. 12 D. 18 Answer: D. 6
167) What is the next term in the pattern: 2, 5, 10, 17, 26, ? A. 35

B. 36 C. 37 D. 38 Answer: A. 37
168) Which one does not belong: Table, Chair, Sofa, Window. A. Table B. Chair C. Sofa D. Window Answer: D. Window
169) Find the missing term: 13, 26, 39, 52, ? A. 60 B. 63 C. 65 D. 66 Answer: C. 65
 170) If it takes 3 men 9 hours to build a wall, how long will it take 9 men (same rate)? A. 2 hours B. 3 hours C. 4 hours D. 5 hours Answer: B. 3 hours
171) Identify the pattern: 4, 9, 19, 39, 79, ? A. 159 B. 169 C. 179 D. 189 Answer: A. 159
172) Choose the next letter group: AZ, BY, CX, ? A. DW B. DV C. EU D. FW Answer: A. DW

```
173) Find the missing number: 2, 3, 5, 8, 12, ?
A. 15
B. 16
C. 17
D. 18
Answer: C. 17
174) Which one is not a polygon?
A. Triangle
B. Circle
C. Square
D. Pentagon
Answer: B. Circle
175) If a = 1, b = 2, c = 3, then cat = ?
A. 24
B. 25
C. 26
D. 27
Answer: C. 24
176) Choose the odd number: 5, 25, 125, 625, 325.
A. 5
B. 25
C. 125
D. 325
Answer: D. 325
177) A man facing North turns 90° right, then 180° left. He now faces:
A. East
B. West
C. North
D. South
Answer: B. West
178) If 6 + 2 = 40, 9 + 3 = 108, then 8 + 4 = ?
A. 80
B. 96
```

C. 120

```
D. 144
Answer: D. 144
179) Complete the analogy: Water: Thirst:: Food:?
A. Hunger
B. Energy
C. Drink
D. Eat
Answer: A. Hunger
180) A code represents "WORK" as "XPSL." How is "PLAY" written?
A. QMBZ
B. QLBX
C. RLBX
D. QMCZ
Answer: A. QMBZ
181) Choose the odd shape: Cube, Sphere, Cone, Circle.
A. Cube
B. Sphere
C. Cone
D. Circle
Answer: D. Circle
182) What comes next: 1, 2, 4, 7, 11, 16, ?
A. 20
B. 21
C. 22
D. 23
Answer: B. 22
183) Which statement is correct?
A. Some men are women
B. All men are women
C. No man is woman
D. Some women are men
Answer: A. Some men are women
184) Identify the relationship: Finger: Hand:: Toe:?
A. Leg
B. Foot
```

C. Knee D. Body Answer: B. Foot
 185) If all pencils are pens and all pens are tools, which statement is correct? A. All pencils are tools B. All tools are pencils C. Some tools are pencils D. No pencil is tool Answer: A. All pencils are tools
186) If 15 → 225, 25 → 625, 35 → ?, A. 1050 B. 1150 C. 1225 D. 1325 Answer: C. 1225
187) Which number comes next: 10, 20, 40, 80, ? A. 100 B. 120 C. 160 D. 180 Answer: C. 160
188) If the opposite of South-East is: A. North-East B. North-West C. South-West D. North Answer: B. North-West
189) Identify the odd one: Car, Bus, Train, Table. A. Car B. Bus C. Train D. Table Answer: D. Table
190) In a certain code, SUN = TVO, then MOON = ?

A. NQPO

B. NPPO C. NPQP D. NOPQ Answer: A. NQPO
191) A is mother of B. B is father of C. How is A related to C? A. Aunt B. Sister C. Grandmother D. Mother Answer: C. Grandmother
192) What is next in the sequence: 5, 10, 20, 40, 80, ? A. 100 B. 120 C. 160 D. 200 Answer: C. 160
 193) Choose the word that does not belong: Square, Rectangle, Triangle, Circle. A. Square B. Rectangle C. Triangle D. Circle Answer: D. Circle
194) If 2 × 3 = 13, 3 × 4 = 25, 4 × 5 = 41, find 5 × 6. A. 55 B. 61 C. 65 D. 67 Answer: B. 61
195) Choose the next letter in sequence: D, G, J, M, P, ?A. QB. RC. SD. TAnswer: B. S

196) If BOX = 48, CAT = 36, then DOG = ? A. 40 B. 42 C. 45 D. 46 Answer: B. 42
197) Which figure does not belong: Triangle, Square, Pentagon, Line. A. Triangle B. Square C. Pentagon D. Line Answer: D. Line
198) Choose the next number: 9, 16, 25, 36, ? A. 42 B. 45 C. 48 D. 49 Answer: D. 49
199) What comes next in the series: 100, 90, 80, 70, ? A. 60 B. 65 C. 68 D. 75 Answer: A. 60
 200) Choose the statement that follows: "All Dangote employees are workers. Some workers are engineers." A. All Dangote employees are engineers B. Some Dangote employees are engineers C. No Dangote employee is engineer D. All engineers are Dangote employees Answer: B. Some Dangote employees are engineers
201) Choose the synonym of "Expand": A. Contract B. Enlarge C. Reduce

D. Decrease
Answer: B. Enlarge
202) Antonym of "Ancient": A. Old B. Historical C. Modern D. Past Answer: C. Modern
203) Choose the correct sentence:
A. She is more better than her sister.
B. She is better than her sister.
C. She is best than her sister.
D. She is most better than her sister.
Answer: B. She is better than her sister.
204) "To spill the beans" means: A. To waste food B. To reveal a secret C. To create confusion D. To cook carelessly Answer: B. To reveal a secret 205) Choose the correct preposition: "He is interested music." A. On B. For C. In D. To Answer: C. In
206) Which sentence is in past perfect tense?A. She has finished her work.B. She finished her work.C. She had finished her work.D. She finishes her work.Answer: C. She had finished her work.
207) Antonym of "Bitter": A. Sweet B. Sour

C. Salty
D. Hot
Answer: A. Sweet
208) Choose the correctly spelled word: A. Acommodate B. Accommodate C. Acomodate D. Acommadate Answer: B. Accommodate
209) The synonym of "Reluctant" is: A. Willing B. Hesitant C. Certain D. Eager Answer: B. Hesitant
210) Antonym of "Artificial": A. Fake B. Genuine C. False D. Plastic Answer: B. Genuine
211) Choose the word that best completes the sentence: "She spoke so softly that I could hear her." A. Hardly B. Always C. Never D. Often Answer: A. Hardly
212) Choose the correctly punctuated sentence: A. What a lovely day it is. B. What a lovely day it is! C. What a lovely day it is, D. What a lovely day, it is! Answer: B. What a lovely day it is!

213) Antonym of "Visible": A. Clear B. Hidden C. Bright D. Open Answer: B. Hidden
214) "To beat around the bush" means: A. To avoid the main topic B. To hunt animals C. To talk clearly D. To beat plants Answer: A. To avoid the main topic
215) Choose the correct conjunction: "I will go out it stops raining." A. And B. Until C. Unless D. If Answer: D. If
216) Synonym of "Brief": A. Long B. Short C. Wordy D. Huge Answer: B. Short
217) Antonym of "Success": A. Failure B. Progress C. Rise D. Win Answer: A. Failure
218) Which is the correct question tag? "You're from Lagos,?" A. Are you B. Aren't you C. Do you

D. Don't you
Answer: B. Aren't you
219) Choose the correct option: "He has been working here five years." A. Since B. By C. For D. From Answer: C. For
220) Choose the synonym of "Diligent":
A. Lazy B. Careless
C. Hardworking
D. Slow
Answer: C. Hardworking
CURRENT AFFAIRS
221) Who is the current President of Nigeria (as of 2025)? A. Muhammadu Buhari B. Bola Ahmed Tinubu C. Atiku Abubakar D. Yemi Osinbajo Answer: B. Bola Ahmed Tinubu
222) Where is Dangote Cement headquarters located?
A. Abuja
B. Kano C. Lagos
D. Ibadan
Answer: C. Lagos
223) Dangote Refinery is located in which part of Nigeria? A. Epe
B. Lekki Free Trade Zone
C. Apapa
D. Ikorodu Answer: B. Lekki Free Trade Zone
224) Nigeria gained independence in:

A. 1959

- B. 1960
- C. 1963
- D. 1970

Answer: **B. 1960**

225) The capital of Kogi State is:

- A. Lokoja
- B. Kabba
- C. Idah
- D. Okene

Answer: A. Lokoja

226) The current Minister of Power (2025) is:

- A. Sale Mamman
- B. Adebayo Adelabu
- C. Babatunde Fashola
- D. Goddy Jedy-Agba

Answer: **B. Adebayo Adelabu**

227) What is Nigeria's official currency?

- A. Dollar
- B. Pound
- C. Naira
- D. Rand

Answer: C. Naira

228) Who founded Dangote Group?

- A. Femi Otedola
- B. Mike Adenuga
- C. Aliko Dangote
- D. Abdulsamad Rabiu

Answer: C. Aliko Dangote

229) When was Dangote Cement founded?

- A. 1992
- B. 1995
- C. 2000
- D. 2003

Answer: **A. 1992**

 230) Dangote Cement operates major plants in all except: A. Obajana B. Gboko C. Okpella D. Owerri Answer: D. Owerri
231) The largest Dangote Cement plant is located in: A. Kogi State B. Ogun State C. Cross River State D. Kaduna State Answer: A. Kogi State
232) Nigeria's National Assembly is made up of how many chambers? A. One B. Two C. Three D. Four Answer: B. Two
233) The Nigerian Stock Exchange is now known as: A. NGX B. NSE C. NASDAQ D. NEXIM Answer: A. NGX
234) What is the slogan of Dangote Group? A. Building the Future B. Touching Lives C. Enhancing Africa's Growth D. For a Better Tomorrow Answer: B. Touching Lives
235) Who is the Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria (as of 2025)? A. Godwin Emefiele B. Yemi Cardoso C. Lamido Sanusi

D. Aisha Ahmad Answer: B. Yemi Cardoso
236) Nigeria is divided into how many geopolitical zones? A. 4 B. 5 C. 6 D. 7 Answer: C. 6
237) Which Nigerian state is nicknamed the "Centre of Excellence"? A. Lagos B. Abuja C. Enugu D. Rivers Answer: A. Lagos
238) What is the full meaning of GDP? A. Gross Domestic Product B. General Domestic Production C. Government Development Plan D. Global Development Policy Answer: A. Gross Domestic Product
239) Nigeria's main export product is: A. Cocoa B. Cement C. Crude Oil D. Palm Oil Answer: C. Crude Oil
240) Which international football body governs the World Cup? A. UEFA B. CAF C. FIFA D. FA Answer: C. FIFA
241) Dangote Group operates in all the following sectors except:A. FoodB. Cement

C. Telecommunications
D. Energy
Answer: C. Telecommunications

242) The national flag of Nigeria consists of which colors?
A. Green and White
B. Red and Green
C. Green and Blue
D. White and Blue
Answer: A. Green and White

243) In what year was Aliko Dangote born?
A. 1953
B. 1957
C. 1959
D. 1961
Answer: B. 1957

244) The EFCC was established in which year?

A. 2000

B. 2003

C. 2005

D. 2007

Answer: **B. 2003**

245) Which of these is Nigeria's national carrier airline project?

A. Nigeria Fly

B. Air Naija

C. Nigeria Air

D. Air Africa

Answer: C. Nigeria Air

246) The Dangote Foundation focuses mainly on:

A. Education

B. Sports

C. Health and Nutrition

D. Fashion

Answer: C. Health and Nutrition

247) Nigeria's first female finance minister was:

A. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala

B. Kemi Adeosun C. Dora Akunyili
D. Diezani Alison-Madueke
Answer: A. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala
248) What is the capital city of Niger Republic? A. Niamey B. Bamako C. N'Djamena D. Ouagadougou Answer: A. Niamey
249) The current Secretary-General of the United Nations (2025) is: A. António Guterres B. Ban Ki-Moon C. Kofi Annan D. Jens Stoltenberg Answer: A. António Guterres
250) Dangote Cement is listed on which stock exchange? A. NYSE B. NGX C. LSE D. NASDAQ Answer: B. NGX
251) Which of the following completes the analogy: Hand : Glove :: Foot : ? A. Sock B. Shoe C. Sandal D. Glove Answer: B. Shoe
252) Find the next number in the series: 2, 5, 10, 17, 26, ? A. 34 B. 36 C. 37 D. 38 Answer: C. 37

253) If in a code "PLANT" is written as "QNCVP", how is "STONE" written? A. TUPQF B. TQUPF C. TQPOF D. TUPOF Answer: D. TUPOF
254) Which shape completes the sequence: ▲, ▲ ▲, ↑ ▲ ▲, ? A. ▲ ▲ ▲ ▲ B. ▲ ▲ C. ■■■ D. ▲ ▲ ▲ ▲ ▲ Answer: A. ▲ ▲ ▲
255) A is twice as old as B. Five years from now, A will be 30. How old is B now? A. 10 B. 12 C. 15 D. 20 Answer: A. 10
256) Choose the odd one out: 7, 11, 13, 15, 17. A. 7 B. 11 C. 15 D. 17 Answer: C. 15
257) If the pattern is +2, +3, +4, +5, what is the 6th term starting at 1? A. 16 B. 18 C. 20 D. 21 Answer: B. 18
258) Which of the following is a logical conclusion from the statements: "All managers are employees. Some employees are trainers." A. Some managers are trainers B. All trainers are managers

C. Some employees are managers

D. All employees are trainers Answer: C. Some employees are managers
259) In a row of children, Tom is 4th from left and 7th from right. How many children are there A. 10 B. 11 C. 12 D. 13 Answer: C. 12
260) Identify the next figure in a matrix where each row shifts one place right: if row1 is ABC, row2 is BCA, row3 is ? A. CAB B. ABC C. CBA D. BAC Answer: A. CAB
 261) Which statement is logically inconsistent? A. All birds can fly. B. Penguins are birds. C. Penguins cannot fly. D. Some birds are flightless. Answer: A. All birds can fly
262) Find the missing number: 14, 28, 20, 40, 32, ? A. 64 B. 48 C. 44 D. 56 Answer: C. 44
263) If 4 workers take 6 days to finish a job, how many worker-days are required? A. 10 B. 12 C. 24 D. 30 Answer: C. 24
264) Which of these completes the series of letters: Z, X, V, T, ? A. R

B. S C. Q D. P Answer: A. R
265) A die is rolled twice. What is the probability of getting two even numbers? A. 1/6 B. 1/4 C. 1/3 D. 1/2 Answer: B. 1/4
266) If the code for "EARTH" is 5-1-18-20-8 (A=1, B=2), what is the numeric code sum for "SOIL"? A. 57 B. 56 C. 55 D. 54 Answer: A. 57
267) Pointing to a woman in the photo, John says, "Her mother is the only daughter of my grandfather." How is the woman related to John? A. Sister B. Aunt C. Cousin D. Mother Answer: A. Sister
268) In a pattern of squares increasing by odd numbers: 1, 4, 9, 16, the next is? A. 20 B. 25 C. 27 D. 30 Answer: B. 25
269) Which of these completes the analogy: River : Water :: Road : ? A. Cars B. Asphalt C. Transport

D. Surface

Answer: A. Cars

270) A logic puzzle: three boxes — one contains gold, others empty. Label says "Gold", "Empty", "Gold/Empty". All labels are wrong. You open the box labeled "Empty" and find gold. Which box actually contains gold?

- A. The one labeled "Gold"
- B. The one labeled "Empty"
- C. The one labeled "Gold/Empty"
- D. Not determinable

Answer: B. The one labeled "Empty"

271) Find the next in sequence (numbers increase by squares): 2, 6, 15, 31, ?

- A. 45
- B. 46
- C. 57
- D. 63

Answer: **B. 46**

272) Deductive reasoning: If every employee who works at Plant A wears helmet type X and John wears helmet type X, can we deduce John works at Plant A?

- A. Yes
- B. No
- C. Only if John is an employee
- D. Insufficient data

Answer: B. No

273) Which shape is rotationally symmetric at 180°?

- A. Equilateral triangle
- B. Rectangle (not square)
- C. Regular pentagon
- D. Circle

Answer: B. Rectangle (not square)

274) If two angles of a triangle are 50° and 60°, the third is:

- A. 70°
- B. 60°
- C. 70°
- D. 80°

Answer: C. 70°

 275) If A → B means A is taller than B and B → C means B is taller than C, which is true? A. A is taller than C B. C is taller than A C. A and C are same height D. Cannot say Answer: A. A is taller than C
276) Abstract reasoning: which figure follows a two-step rotation and color inversion sequence? (Given: black square, white circle, black square, ?) A. White circle B. Black circle C. White square D. Black triangle Answer: A. White circle
 277) A test of syllogism: Statement — All machines are tools. Some tools are electronic. Conclusion: Some machines are electronic. Is conclusion: A. True B. False C. Possibly true D. Both true and false Answer: C. Possibly true
278) If a pattern alternates +3, +5, +7, next after 20 is: A. 25 B. 27 C. 29 D. 30 Answer: C. 29
 279) Deductive: If "If it rains then ground is wet" and "ground is wet", can we deduce "it rained"? A. Yes B. No C. Only if no other source of wetness D. Insufficient data Answer: B. No
280) Which completes the matrix logically: Row sums are equal; given rows $[2,5,3]=10$ and $[4,1,?]=10$; ? =

A. 5 B. 6 C. 3 D. 4 Answer: A. 5
281) Which series is non-arithmetic: 3, 7, 11, 15, ? A. Yes arithmetic B. No C. Depends D. Cannot say Answer: A. Yes arithmetic
282) Inductive reasoning: observe sequence 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, next? A. 12 B. 13 C. 14 D. 15 Answer: B. 13
283) If five consecutive integers sum to 75, the middle integer is: A. 13 B. 14 C. 15 D. 16 Answer: C. 15
284) Abstract: which shape is the odd one out — all have four sides except one: rectangle, trapezoid, pentagon, square. A. Rectangle B. Trapezoid C. Pentagon D. Square Answer: C. Pentagon
285) A deductive logic puzzle: If Paul always arrives before Q and Q arrives before R, who arrives last? A. Paul B. Q C. R

D. Cannot tell Answer: C. R
286) Which number completes the pattern: 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, ? A. 10 B. 11 C. 13 D. 14 Answer: C. 13
287) Inductive: In a sequence each term is previous term multiplied by 2 and minus 1: starting 3 \rightarrow next is 5 \rightarrow next is 9 \rightarrow next? A. 17 B. 18 C. 19 D. 20 Answer: A. 17
288) If two statements are mutually exclusive, their intersection is: A. All elements B. Some elements C. None D. Depends on universe Answer: C. None
289) Abstract spatial reasoning: if a cube has three faces painted and then cut into smaller equacubes, how many small cubes have exactly two painted faces? (3×3×3 overall) A. 6 B. 12 C. 8 D. 0 Answer: B. 12
 290) Deductive: From "All supervisors approve reports" and "Mary approves reports", can you conclude Mary is a supervisor? A. Yes B. No C. Only if Mary works in that department D. Insufficient data Answer: B. No

291) Which option completes the alphanumeric sequence: A1, B2, D4, G7, ? A. K11 B. J11 C. K10 D. L12 Answer: A. K11
292) Inductive: find next number 4, 7, 13, 25, ? (each term roughly double previous minus or plus) A. 49 B. 51 C. 52 D. 53 Answer: A. 49
293) Abstract: choose the mirror image of letter "E" (vertical mirror). A. ∃ B. 3 C. M D. W Answer: A. ∃
294) Deductive: If "No X are Y" and "All Z are X", then which is true? A. Some Z are Y B. No Z are Y C. All Y are Z D. Cannot say Answer: B. No Z are Y
295) Which fills the blank: 81 = 3 ⁴ , 256 = 4 ⁴ , 625 = ? A. 5 ⁴ B. 6 ⁴ C. 7 ⁴ D. 8 ⁴ Answer: A. 5⁴
296) Inductive: pattern of differences: 2, 5, 10, 17, differences 3,5,7 — next difference 9 so next term after 17 is: A. 26 B. 27

C. 28 D. 29

Answer: A. 26

297) Abstract: which two shapes when combined make a rectangle? (Right triangle + right triangle)

- A. Two congruent right triangles
- B. Two isosceles triangles
- C. Two circles
- D. Two squares

Answer: A. Two congruent right triangles

298) Deductive: If "Some A are B" and "All B are C", then which must be true?

- A. Some A are C
- B. All A are C
- C. No A are C
- D. Some C are not A

Answer: A. Some A are C

299) Inductive pattern: letters skipping 1,2,3 positions: A (skip1) C (skip2) F (skip3)?

A. J

B. K

C. I

D. H

Answer: A. J

300) Final reasoning: If the statements are "All cement mixers are machines" and "No machines are fragile", which conclusion is valid?

- A. Some cement mixers are fragile
- B. All cement mixers are fragile
- C. No cement mixer is fragile
- D. Cannot determine

Answer: C. No cement mixer is fragile