

### DIRECTIONS:

In these questions you have to choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word in bold text.

#### 1) Exonerate

- a) Convict                      b) Admit  
c) Reject                        d) Release

#### 2) Potent

- a) Fragile                        b) Inefficient  
c) Weak                         d) Soft

#### 3) Accord

- a) Disrespect                  b) Disagreement  
c) Conformity                 d) Welcome

#### 4) LIABILITY

- a) debt                          b) property  
c) treasure                      d) assets

#### 5) RUTHLESS

- a) compassionate              b) malicious  
c) gracious                      d) generous

#### 6) Stimulate

- a) Tempt                        b) Encourage  
c) Instigate                      d) Discourage

#### 7) Guilty

- a) Irreverent                  b) Innocent  
c) Immature                      d) Ignorant

#### 8) WONDER

- a) amusement                 b) surprise  
c) stock                         d) expectation

#### 9) Affluence

- a) Difficult                      b) Not being fluent  
c) Unhealthy                      d) Poverty

#### 10) BENEVOLENCE

- a) malevolence                 b) derision  
c) contempt                      d) hatred

#### 11) Progressive

- a) Repulsive                    b) Repressive  
c) Aggressive                   d) Retrogressive

#### 12) SELDOM

- a) laily                          b) never  
c) rarely                         d) often

#### 13) COSSET

- a) divert                        b) pinch  
c) neglect                       d) pamper

#### 14) Repulsion

- a) Disparagement              b) Attraction  
c) Denigration                 d) Disapproval

#### 15) HAPLESS

- a) kind                          b) futile  
c) lucky                         d) helpful

#### 16) FAIR

- a) unjust                        b) harsh  
c) untrue                        d) coarse

**Explanation :** Fair means impartial. Its opposite is unjust.

#### 17) DELETE

- a) insert                        b) injure  
c) impound                      d) inspire

#### 18) ABOLISH

- a) reside                        b) establish  
c) remove                       d) confront

#### 19) PRETENTIOUS

- a) calm                         b) cowardly  
c) unassuming                 d) secretive

#### 20) BOOST

- a) obstruct                      b) rebuke  
c) hinder                        d) discourage

**21) CONFESS**

- a) refuse                      b) contend  
c) deny                         d) contest

**22) INNOCUOUS**

- a) harmless                    b) anger  
c) offensive                    d) organic

**23) MORIBUND**

- a) healthy                      b) growing  
c) restored                      d) wholesome

**24) INTEGRAL**

- a) major                        b) independent  
c) minor                        d) essential

**25) Humble**

- a) Haughty                    b) Rich  
c) Strong                        d) Powerful

**26) PERIGEE**

- a) hybrid                        b) night  
c) apogee                        d) descent

**27) FLAGITIOUS**

- a) ignorant                    b) innocent  
c) frivolous                    d) vapid

**28) Artificial**

- a) Artistic                      b) Artful  
c) Natural                      d) Machine-made

**29) MELANCHOLY**

- a) prejudiced                    b) cheerful  
c) depressed                    d) reckless

**30) Opposed**

- a) Favouring                    b) Resistant  
c) Similar                        d) Against

**31) Flourish**

- a) Decay                        b) Perish  
c) Dismiss                      d) Degenerate

**32) Fantastic**

- a) Classic                        b) Old  
c) Rational                      d) Ordinary

**33) ABSOLUTE**

- a) limited                        b) bucolic  
c) scarce                        d) prolific

**34) PAMPER**

- a) scold                         b) discourage  
c) neglect                        d) scorn

**35) Enduring**

- a) Permanent                    b) Fleeting  
c) Long lasting                    d) Painful

**36) LACONIC**

- a) profligate                    b) bucolic  
c) prolix                         d) prolific

**37) Deny**

- a) Hold                         b) Accept  
c) Promote                        d) Proceed

**38) Philistine**

- a) Sober                         b) Cultured  
c) Educated                        d) Libertine

**39) HAPLESS**

- a) kind                         b) futile  
c) lucky                         d) helpful

**40) Vague**

- a) Unknown                      b) Clear  
c) Shady                         d) Dull