



AFCAT- 1 2024 MODEL TEST PAPER

Time: 120 min.

M.M.:300

**INSTRUCTION:** Read questions carefully. For each wrong answer, one-third (1) of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted. Each question contains (3) marks. / प्रश्नों को ध्यान से पढ़ें। प्रत्येक गलत उत्तर के लिए, उस प्रश्न के लिए निर्धारित अंकों में से एक तिहाई (1) अंक काट लिये जायेंगे। प्रत्येक प्रश्न में (3) अंक हैं।









In 490 BC there was a big war between the Persians and the Greeks. Persia was a huge empire, much bigger than Greece. It wanted to capture Athens. The Greek soldiers waited on top of the hill while the Persian army waited on the plain of Marathon below. There were 48,000 Persian soldiers and only 10,000 Greek soldiers. The Greeks sent a messenger, Pheidippides, to Sparta to get help. He ran for two days over the mountains to ask the Spartans. But the Spartans would not fight until there was a full moon. Pheidippides returned to Marathon alone. The Greeks could not wait and attacked the Persian army. The Greeks ran towards the enemy. Persian arrows flew through the air on the Greek soldiers. Despite that, the Greeks won; 6,400 Persians were killed but only 192 Greeks died.

The Persians ran to their ships and tried to escape. They tried to go to Athens to capture the Greek women, children and old people waiting there. Pheidippides now had another job. He ran 40 kilo metres to Athens to tell the Greeks that they had won and to tell them that the Persians were coming. He arrived at the city gates very tired. 'Rejoice, we conquer!' he shouted. Then he died. From this great event, the first marathon race of the modern Olympic Games was run in 1896. It was won by a Greek runner, Spiridon Louis. And, like Pheidippides a long time before, he also carried messages. He was a postman.

66. The messenger, Pheidippides ran 40 kilo metres to Athens  
 (a) To inform them that they have won the battle against Spartans  
 (b) To send some wealth for their upcoming war with Persians  
 (c) To tell the Greeks about their victory and arrival of Persians  
 (d) To tell the Athenians that they must help Spartans in this war
67. Which of the following statements is incorrect according to the given passage?  
 (a) Greek arrows flew through the air on the Persian soldiers.  
 (b) The Persians ran to their ships and tried to escape.  
 (c) The first marathon race of modern Olympic was won by a Louis.  
 (d) The Greeks could not wait and attacked the Persian army.
68. Why did the Marathon war break out between Persia and Greeks?  
 (a) Because Greece wanted to rule on Persia and increase its power

(b) Because Persia was very prosperous empire and Greeks wanted its wealth  
 (c) Because Persia was a huge empire and it wanted to capture Greece  
 (d) Because Greece attacked Persia to avenge its defeat from Persians

**Direction:** In the following passage, some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and choose the answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

On 20th July, Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister of India, (69) the nod of the Indian Parliament soas to spend an additional Rs 23,675 crore in the current financial year including Rs 17,000 crore for the HealthMinistry. To meet the various issues related (70) Covid and other health preparedness, Rs 16,463 crore extra spending has been (71) for the health and family welfare department.

69. (a) Amazed (b) Arranged  
 (c) Organized (d) Sought
70. (a) To (b) With  
 (c) Across (d) None of these
71. (a) Issue (b) Issued  
 (c) Issuing (d) Issues
72. Select the meaning of the given idiom.  
**An iron-will**  
 (a) An iron – will (b) No longer in use  
 (c) By all means (d) A firm opinion

73. Select the meaning of the given idiom  
**All Greek to me**

- (a) Very dear  
 (b) Out of danger  
 (c) Consulting seriously  
 (d) Incomprehensible

74. **Direction:** Choose the word almost opposite in meaning to the word given below:

**Prouity**

- (a) Dishonesty (b) Timidity  
 (c) Integrity (d) Insincerity

**Direction:** Fill in the blank with correct phrasal verb from the options provided below:

75. The boss simply could not his Inefficiency any more.  
 (a) Put off (b) Put up with  
 (c) Put down (d) Put across
76. Which currency has not been correctly matched with its country?  
 (a) Albania-Lek (b) Cambodia-Riel  
 (c) Ethiopia-Birr (d) Finland-Pound
77. Jab term is related to which game?  
 (a) Basket ball (b) Boxing  
 (c) Chess (d) Football





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ANSWER KEY

<u>1.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>31.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>61.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>91.</u>	<u>A</u>
<u>2.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>32.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>62.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>92.</u>	<u>B</u>
<u>3.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>33.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>63.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>93.</u>	<u>B</u>
<u>4.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>34.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>64.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>94.</u>	<u>B</u>
<u>5.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>35.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>65.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>95.</u>	<u>A</u>
<u>6.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>36.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>66.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>96.</u>	<u>A</u>
<u>7.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>37.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>67.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>97.</u>	<u>A</u>
<u>8.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>38.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>68.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>98.</u>	<u>C</u>
<u>9.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>39.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>69.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>99.</u>	<u>D</u>
<u>10.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>40.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>70.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>100.</u>	<u>C</u>
<u>11.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>41.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>71.</u>	<u>B</u>		
<u>12.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>42.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>72.</u>	<u>D</u>		
<u>13.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>43.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>73.</u>	<u>D</u>		
<u>14.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>44.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>74.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>15.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>45.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>75.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>16.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>46.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>76.</u>	<u>D</u>		
<u>17.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>47.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>77.</u>	<u>B</u>		
<u>18.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>48.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>78.</u>	<u>C</u>		
<u>19.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>49.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>79.</u>	<u>B</u>		
<u>20.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>50.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>80.</u>	<u>C</u>		
<u>21.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>51.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>81.</u>	<u>B</u>		
<u>22.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>52.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>82.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>23.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>53.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>83.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>24.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>54.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>84.</u>	<u>B</u>		
<u>25.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>55.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>85.</u>	<u>C</u>		
<u>26.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>56.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>86.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>27.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>57.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>87.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>28.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>58.</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>88.</u>	<u>D</u>		
<u>29.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>59.</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>89.</u>	<u>A</u>		
<u>30.</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>60.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>90.</u>	<u>A</u>		