

NAT II Arts & Humanities Verbal

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	PRAISE	A. Forgive B. Criticize C. Deny D. Condemn E. Silent
2	EQUILIBRIUM	A. Parallel B. Tranquilizer C. Membrane D. Imbalance E. Overseer
3	Foot : Toe	A. Body: Legs B. Belly: Intestines C. Nail: Fingers D. Hand: Fingers E. Leaves: Tree

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Q: Before men invented writing,

Recent advances in science and technology have made it possible for geneticists to find out abnormalities in the unborn foetus and take remedial action to rectify some defects which would otherwise prove to be fatal to the child. Though genetic engineering is still at its infancy, scientists can now predict with greater accuracy, a genetic disorder. It is not yet an exact science since they are not in a position to predict when exactly a genetic disorder will set in. While they have not yet been able to change the genetic order of the gene in germs, they are optimistic and are holding out that in the near future they might be successful in achieving this feat. They have, however, acquired the ability to manipulate tissue cells. However, genetic misinformation can sometimes be damaging for it may adversely affect people psychologically. Genetic information may lead to a tendency to brand some people as inferiors. Genetic information can therefore be abused and its application in deciding the sex of the foetus and its subsequent abortion is now hotly debated on ethical lines. But on this issue geneticists cannot be squarely blamed though this charge has often been leveled at them. It is mainly a societal problem. At present genetic engineering is a costly process of detecting disorders but scientists hope to reduce the costs when technology becomes more advanced. This is why much progress in this area has been possible in scientifically advanced and rich countries like the U.S.A., U.K., and Japan. It remains to be seen if in the future this science will lead to the development of a race of supermen or will be able to obliterate illness from this world.

Q: Which of the following is the opposite in meaning to the word "charged" as used in the passage?

A. Literature was passed on by word of mouth
 B. Prayers were considered literature
C. Literature was just singing and dancing
 D. there was no literature

A. Calm
 B. Disturbed
 C. Discharged
D. Acquittal

6	Awami Muslim League was formed in which of the following provinces?	A. East Bengal B. Frontier Province C. Baluchistan D. Punjab
7	MACHINE GUN : MUSKET::	A. Tank : Chain B. Frigate : Cruiser C. Autumnal : Vernal D. Palace : Cottage
8	Mohtarma Fatima Jinnah contested the election against.	A. Zulfiqar Ali Butto B. Ayub Khan C. Liaqat Ali Khan D. Yahya Khan
9	GARGOYLE	A. Stone spout B. Golden eagle C. Garish D. Vile E. Negation
10	SERRATED	A. Oily B. Joined C. Smooth D. Greeted E. Indecisive
11	SIMULATED	A. Sequential B. Authentic C. Discouraged D. Mixed E. Depressed
12	From where the Quaid-e-Azam started his political activities during his studies.	A. London B. Bombay C. Delhi D. Kolkatta

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Q: The first war-song

14	He had the nerve to suggest that I was cheating.	A. Strength B. Capacity C. Audacity D. Courage
15	FOIBLE	A. Feasible B. Gull C. Luxurious D. Forte E. Powerful
16	BARREN	A. Fertile B. Rejecting C. Crater D. Lacking freedom E. Concave
17	DOUR	A. Implausible B. Cheerful C. Boring D. Portal E. Spotted
18	When the last session of the All India Muslim League working committee was held?	A. Aug 13, 1947 B. Sep, 11, 1947 C. Dec 13, 1947 D. 1st July, 1948

Through the U.S. prides itself on being a leader in the world community, a recent report shows that it lags far behind other industrialized countries in meeting the needs of its youngest and most vulnerable citizens. The U.S. has a higher infant mortality rate, a higher proportion of low birth weight babies, a smaller proportion of babies immunized against childhood diseases and a much higher rate adolescent pregnancies. These findings, described as a quiet crisis requiring immediate and far-reaching action, appeared in a report prepared by a task force of educators, doctors, politicians and business people. According to the report, a fourth of the nation's 12 infants and toddlers live in poverty. As many as half confront risk factors that could harm their ability to develop intellectually, physically and socially. Child immunizations are too low, more children are born into poverty, more are in substandard care while their parents work and more are being raised by single parents. When taken together, these and other risk factors can lead to educational and health problems that are much harder and more costly to reverse.

19 The crisis begins in the womb with unplanned parenthood. Women with unplanned pregnancies are less likely to seek pre-natal care. In the U.S. 80% of teenage pregnancies and 56% of all pregnancies are unplanned. The problems continue after birth where unplanned pregnancies and unstable partnerships often go hand in hand. Since 1950, the number of single parent families had nearly tripled. More than 25 percent of all births today are to unmarried mothers. As the number of single parent families grows and more women enter the work force, infants and toddlers are increasingly in the care of people other than their parents.

Most disturbingly, recent statistics show that American parents are increasingly neglecting or abusing their children. In only four years from 1987-1991, the number of children in foster care increased by over 50 percent. Babies under the age of one are the fastest growing category of children entering foster care. The crisis affects children under the age of three most severely the report says. Yet, it is this period- from infancy through preschool years- that sets the stage for a child's future.

Which of the following does not constitute the quiet crisis in the U.S. as per the task force report?

- A. Lower rate of babies surviving childhood diseases
- B. Larger proportion of babies who are deprived of immunization
- C. Lower proportion of new born babies with normal weight
- D. Higher incidence of adolescent girls becoming mothers
- E. Increasing cases of teenage couples getting divorced

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- A. Unprejudiced
- B. Servile
- C. Remitted
- D. Discounted Variable