



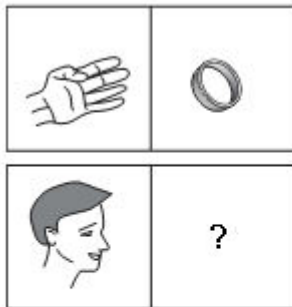
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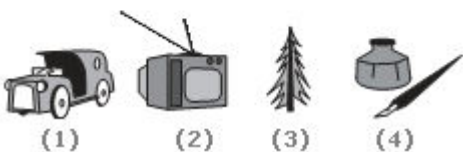
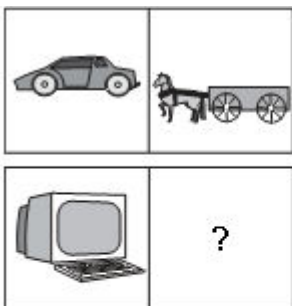
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Answer: Option A

Explanation:

Hand is to ring as head is to cap. A ring is worn on a person's hand; a cap is worn on a person's head.

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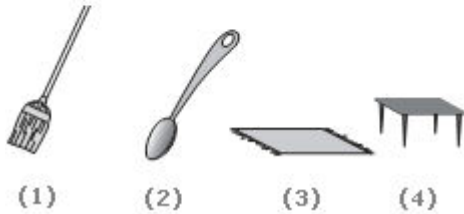
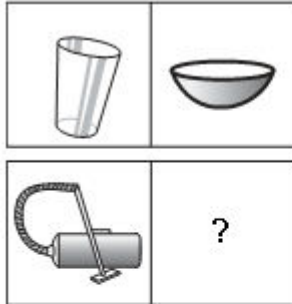
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Answer: Option D

Explanation:

Car is to horse and buggy as computer is to pen and ink. This relationship shows the difference between modern times and times past.

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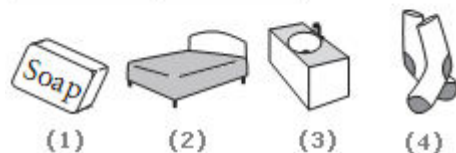
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Answer: Option A

Explanation:

Cup is to bowl as vacuum cleaner is to broom. This is another relationship about function. The cup and bowl are both used for eating. The vacuum cleaner and broom are both used for cleaning.

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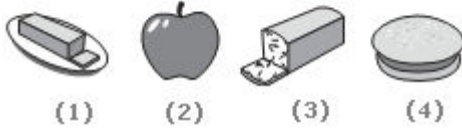
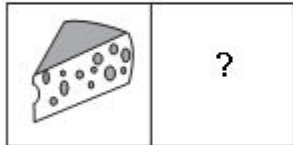
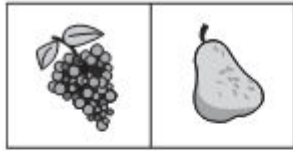
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Answer: Option B

Explanation:

Towel is to bathtub as chest of drawers is to bed. The towel and bathtub are both found in a bathroom; the chest and the bed are both found in a bedroom.

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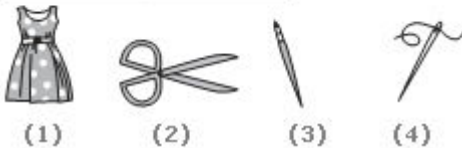
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Answer: Option A

Explanation:

Grapes are to a pear as cheese is to butter. This relationship shows the grouping or category to which something belongs. Grapes and pears are fruit; cheese and butter are both dairy products.

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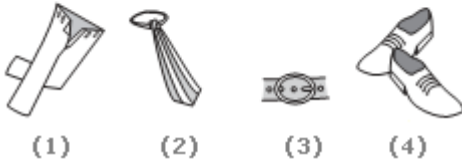
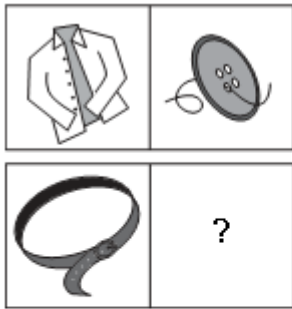
Answer: Option D

Explanation:

A can of paint is to a paintbrush as a spool of thread is to a sewing needle. This is a relationship of function. Both show the tool needed to perform a task.



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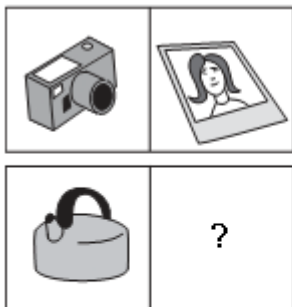
Answer: Option C

Explanation:

A shirt is to a button as a belt is to a belt buckle. A button is used to close a shirt; a belt buckle is used to close a belt.



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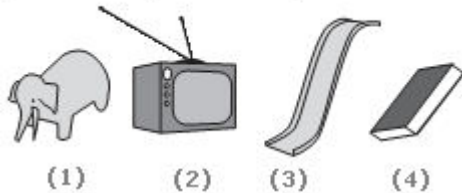
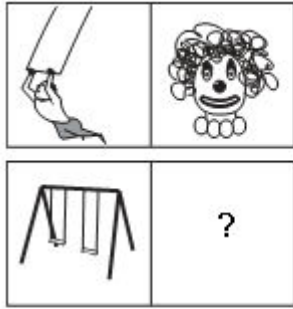
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Answer: Option C

Explanation:

Camera is to photograph as teakettle is to a cup of tea. The camera is used to make the photo; the teakettle is used to make the tea.

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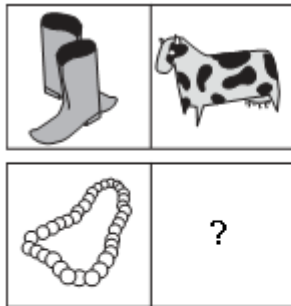
- A. 1
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- D. 4

Answer: Option C

Explanation:

A trapeze performer is to a clown as swings are to a sliding board. This relationship shows a classification. Trapeze performers and clowns are found at circuses; swings and sliding boards are found on playgrounds.

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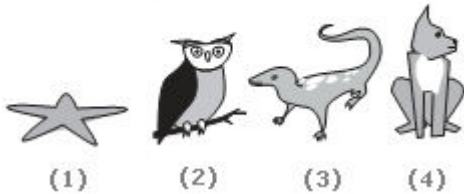
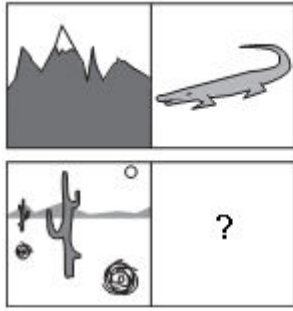
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- D. 4

Answer: Option C

Explanation:

Leather boots are to cow as pearl necklace is to oyster. The leather to make the boots comes from a cow; the pearls to make the necklace come from oysters.

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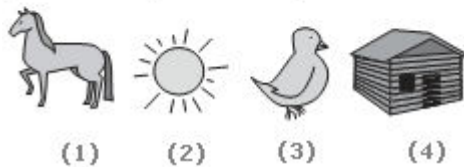
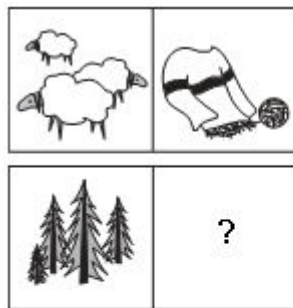
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Answer: Option A

Explanation:

A snow-capped mountain is to a crocodile as a cactus is to a starfish. This relationship shows an opposition. The crocodile does NOT belong on the mountain; the starfish does NOT belong in the desert.

12.



A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

Sheep are to sweater as pine trees are to log cabin. Wool comes from the sheep to make a sweater; wood comes from the trees to make the log cabin.



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- A. 1
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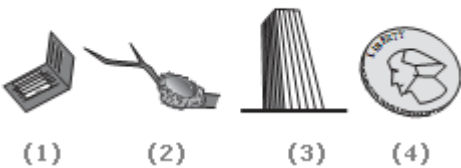
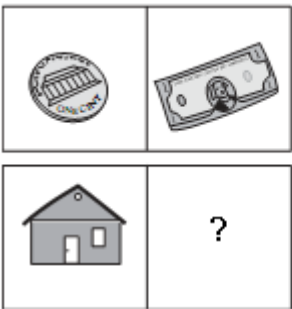
- B. 2
- D. 4

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

An oar is to a canoe as a steering wheel is to a car. This is a functional relationship. The oar helps steer the canoe in the way that the steering wheel steers the car.

14.



- A. 1
- C. 3

- B. 2
- D. 4

Answer: Option C

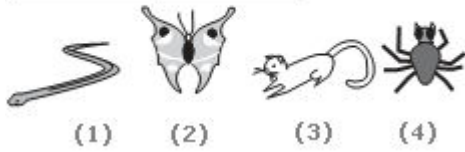
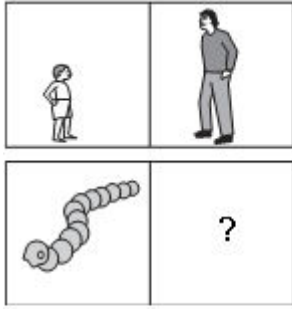
Explanation:

A penny is to a dollar as a small house is to a skyscraper. This relationship shows smaller to larger. A penny is much smaller than a dollar; a house is much smaller than a skyscraper.





15.



A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

A toddler is to an adult as a caterpillar is to a butterfly. This relationship shows the young and the adult. The caterpillar is an early stage of the adult butterfly.

The words in the bottom row are related in the same way as the words in the top row. For each item, find the word that completes the bottom row of words.

1. candle lamp floodlight

hut cottage ?

A. tent

B. city

C. dwelling

D. house

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

Above the line, the relationship shows a progression of sources of light. The relationship below the line shows a progression of types of housing, from smallest to largest. (Choice a) is incorrect because a tent is smaller than a house. Choices b and c are wrong because they are not part of the progression.

2. daisy flower plant

bungalow house ?

A. building

B. cottage

C. apartment

D. city

C. rodent

D. cat

Answer: Option B**Explanation:**

The three above the line are all insects. The hamster and squirrel are rodents, so the correct choice is b because the mouse is also a rodent. The other three choices are not rodents.

7. carpenter saw nails
 pediatrician stethoscope ?

A. thermometer

B. baby

C. doctor

D. illness

Answer: Option A**Explanation:**

In the relationship above the line, the saw and the nails are tools a carpenter uses. In the relationship below the line, the stethoscope and thermometer are tools a pediatrician uses.

8. tadpole frog amphibian
 lamb sheep ?

A. animal

B. wool

C. farm

D. mammal

Answer: Option D**Explanation:**

The tadpole is a young frog; frogs are amphibians. The lamb is a young sheep; sheep are mammals. Animal (choice a) is incorrect because it is too large a grouping: Animals include insects, birds, mammals, reptiles, and amphibians. Choices b and c are incorrect because they are not part of the progression.

9. table wood oak
 shirt cloth ?

A. sewing

B. dress

C. cotton

D. tree

Answer: Option C**Explanation:**

A table made of wood could come from an oak tree. A shirt made of cloth could come from a cotton plant. Choice a looks like a reasonable answer if you apply the same sentence: "A shirt made of cloth could come from sewing." But this is not the same relationship as the one above the line. The oak and the cotton are both materials used to make the table and the shirt.

10. snow mountain ski

warmth lake ?

A. sand

B. swim

C. sunburn

D. vacation

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

The relationship above the line is that snow on a mountain creates conditions for skiing. Below the line, the relationship is that warmth at a lake creates conditions for swimming.

COURSE AND ACTION

In each question below is given a statement followed by two courses of action numbered I and II. You have to assume everything in the statement to be true and on the basis of the information given in the statement, decide which of the suggested courses of action logically follow(s) for pursuing.

Give answer

- (A) If only I follows
- (B) If only II follows
- (C) If either I or II follows
- (D) If neither I nor II follows
- (E) If both I and II follow.

1. **Statement:** A large number of people in ward X of the city are diagnosed to be suffering from a fatal malaria type.

Courses of Action:

- I. The city municipal authority should take immediate steps to carry out extensive fumigation in ward X.
- II. The people in the area should be advised to take steps to avoid mosquito bites.

A. Only I follows

B. Only II follows

C. Either I or II follows

D. Neither I nor II follows

E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option E

Explanation:

Clearly, prevention from mosquitoes and elimination of mosquitoes are

two ways to prevent malaria. So, both the courses follow.

2. **Statement:** Severe drought is reported to have set in several parts of the country.

Courses of Action:

- I. Government should immediately make arrangement for providing financial assistance to those affected.
- II. Food, water and fodder should immediately be sent to all these areas to save the people and cattle.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

In the break-out of a natural calamity, the basic duty of the government becomes to provide the basic amenities essential to save the lives of people and cattle. Providing financial assistance to all would put undue burden on the country's resources. So, only II follows.

3. **Statement:** Since its launching in 1881, Vayudoot has so far accumulated losses amounting to Rs 153 crore.

Courses of Action:

- I. Vayudoot should be directed to reduce wasteful expenditure and to increase passenger fare.
- II. An amount of about Rs 300 crore should be provided to Vayudoot to make the airliner economically viable.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option A

Explanation:

Clearly, for better economic gain, losses should be reduced and income increased. So, only course I follows.

4. **Statement:** Exporters in the capital are alleging that commercial banks are violating a Reserve Bank of India directive to operate a post shipment export credit denominated in foreign currency at international

rates from January this year.

Courses of Action:

- I. The officers concerned in the commercial banks are to be suspended.
 - II. The RBI should be asked to stop giving such directives to commercial banks.
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

The statement mentions that the commercial banks violate a directive issued by the RBI. The remedy is only to make the banks implement the Act. So, none of the courses follows.

5. **Statement:** A large number of people die every year due to drinking polluted water during the summer.

Courses of Action:

- I. The government should make adequate arrangements to provide safe drinking water to all its citizens.
 - II. The people should be educated about the dangers of drinking polluted water.
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option E

Explanation:

The situation demands creating awareness among people about the dangers of drinking polluted water so that they themselves refrain from the same, and at the same time taking steps to provide safe drinking water. So, both the courses follow.

6. **Statement:** Most of those who study in premier engineering colleges in India migrate to developed nations for better prospects in their professional pursuits.

Courses of Action:

- I. All the students joining these colleges should be asked to sign a bond at the time of admission to the effect that they will remain in India at least for ten years after they complete education.
 - II. All those students who desire to settle in the developed nations should be asked to pay entire cost of their education which the government subsidises.
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

Clearly, no student can be bound to live and work in the country against his wish. So, I does not follow. However, it is quite right to recover the extra benefits awarded to students if they do not serve their own country. So, II follows.

7. **Statement:** There is an unprecedented increase in migration of villagers to urban areas as repeated crop failure has put them into precarious financial situation.

Courses of Action:

- I. The villagers should be provided with alternate source of income in their villages which will make them stay put.
 - II. The migrated villagers should be provided with jobs in the urban areas to help them survive.
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option A

Explanation:

Clearly, increased migration would add to the burden on city's infrastructure. So, attempts should be made to make the villagers feel comfortable in the villages itself. So, only course I follows.

8. **Statement:** As stated in the recent census report the female to male ratio is alarmingly low.

Courses of Action:

- I. The government should conduct another census to verify the

results.

- II. The government should immediately issue orders to all the departments to encourage people to improve the ratio.
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

A census is always conducted with the utmost precision, leaving chances of only negligible differences. So, I does not follow. Further, the ratio can be improved by creating awareness among the masses and abolishing female foeticide. Thus, only course II follows.

9. **Statement:** Four districts in State A have been experiencing severe drought for the last three years resulting into exodus of people from these districts.

Courses of Action:

- I. The government should immediately start food for work programme in the district to put a halt to the exodus.
 - II. The government should make sincere efforts to provide drinking/potable water to these districts
- A. Only I follows
 - B. Only II follows
 - C. Either I or II follows
 - D. Neither I nor II follows
 - E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option E

Explanation:

The exodus can be stopped by providing the people conditions conducive to living. So, both the courses follow.

10. **Statement:** If the retired Professors of the same Institutes are also invited to deliberate on restructuring of the organisation, their contribution may be beneficial to the Institute.

Courses of Action:

- I. Management may seek opinion of the employees before calling retired professors.
- II. Management should involve experienced people for the systematic restructuring of the organisation.

- A. Only I follows
- B. Only II follows
- C. Either I or II follows
- D. Neither I nor II follows
- E. Both I and II follow

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

Clearly, the statement stresses that the contribution of retired Professors shall be beneficial. This means that these people's experience regarding working of the organisation is helpful. So, only course II follows.

CAUSE AND AFFECT

In each of the following questions, two statements numbered I and II are given. There may be cause and effect relationship between the two statements. These two statements may be the effect of the same cause or independent causes. These statements may be independent causes without having any relationship. Read both the statements in each question and mark your answer as

- (A) If statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect;
- (B) If statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect;
- (C) If both the statements I and II are independent causes;
- (D) If both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes; and
- (E) If both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause.

1. **Statements:**

- I. The prices of petrol and diesel in the domestic market have remained unchanged for the past few months.
- II. The crude oil prices in the international market have gone up substantially in the last few months.

- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
- B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
- C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
- D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
- E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

The prices of petrol and diesel being stagnant in the domestic market

and the increase in the same in the international market must be backed by independent causes.



2. **Statements:**

- I. The government has recently fixed the fees for professional courses offered by the unaided institutions which are much lower than the fees charged last year.
 - II. The parents of the aspiring students launched a severe agitation last year protesting against the high fees charged by the unaided institutions.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

The parents' protest against high fees being charged by the institutions led the government to interfere and fix the fees at a more affordable level.

3. **Statements:**

- I. The Reserve Bank of India has recently put restrictions on few small banks in the country.
 - II. The small banks in the private and co-operative sector in India are not in a position to withstand the competitions of the bigger in the public sector.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

The inability of the small banks to compete with the bigger ones shall not ensure security and good service to the customers, which is an essential concomitant that has to be looked into by the Reserve Bank. I seems to be a remedial step for the same.

4. **Statements:**

- I. All the schools in the area had to be kept closed for most part of

the week.

- II. Many parents have withdrawn their children from the local schools.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option D

Explanation:

Closing the schools for a week and the parents withdrawing their wards from the local schools are independent issues, which must have been triggered by different individual causes.

5. **Statements:**

- I. India has surpassed the value of tea exports this year over all the earlier years due to an increase in demand for quality tea in the European market.
 - II. There is an increase in demand of coffee in the domestic market during the last two years.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option C

Explanation:

The two statements discuss two separate statistical and generalised results

6. **Statements:**

- I. There is unprecedented increase in the number of young unemployed in comparison to the previous year.
 - II. A large number of candidates submitted applications against an advertisement for the post of manager issued by a bank.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes

D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes



E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option A

Explanation:

An increase in the number of unemployed youth is bound to draw in huge crowds for a single vacancy.

7. **Statements:**

I. The police authority has recently caught a group of house breakers.

II. The citizens group in the locality have started night vigil in the area.

A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect

B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect

C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes

D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes

E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option E

Explanation:

Both the statements are clearly backed by a common cause, which is clearly an increase in the number of thefts in the locality.

8. **Statements:**

I. Majority of the students in the college expressed their opinion against the college authority's decision to break away from the university and become autonomous.

II. The university authorities have expressed their inability to provide grants to its constituent colleges.

A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect

B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect

C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes

D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes

E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

Clearly, the university's decision to refuse grant to the colleges must have triggered the college authority to become autonomous.

9. Statements:

- I. The literacy rate in the district has been increasing for the last four years.
 - II. The district administration has conducted extensive training programme for the workers involved in the literacy drive.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option B

Explanation:

Clearly, the increase in the literacy rate may be attributed directly to the stringent efforts of the district administration in this direction.

10. Statements:

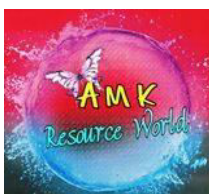
- I. The school authority has asked the X Std. students to attend special classes to be conducted on Sundays.
 - II. The parents of the X Std. students have withdrawn their wards from attending private tuitions conducted on Sundays.
- A. Statement I is the cause and statement II is its effect
 - B. Statement II is the cause and statement I is its effect
 - C. Both the statements I and II are independent causes
 - D. Both the statements I and II are effects of independent causes
 - E. Both the statements I and II are effects of some common cause

Answer: Option A

Explanation:

It seems quite evident that the parents have instructed their wards to abstain from private tuitions on Sundays and attend special classes organised by the school.

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