Read the directions on the back cover before opening the test book.
PART 1 Conversation
Time – approximately 30 minutes (Questions 1-50)

Directions: Questions 1 – 20: Short conversations between two people. After each conversation, you will see a question about the conversation, read the four possible answers and choose the best answer.

1. What does the man mean?
   (1) He doesn’t like the movie either.
   (2) He does not agree with the woman.
   (3) He doesn’t know the movie.
   (4) He likes the movie.

2. What will the woman probably do?
   (1) Pick up the kids later.
   (2) Pick up the kids after the party.
   (3) Buy a new van.
   (4) Not go to pick up the kids.

3. What does the woman imply?
   (1) The man should turn off the T.V.
   (2) The T.V should be left on.
   (3) The T.V is not working.
   (4) They should watch the show together.

4. What does the man mean?
   (1) He is too old to qualify for a free health fund.
   (2) He can get the free health fund.
   (3) He may not meet the requirements of the free health fund.
   (4) He does not want the free health fund.

5. Where is the woman most likely going?
   (1) Funeral.
   (2) Wedding
   (3) Dinner
   (4) Meeting.

6. What will the man probably do?
   (1) Scold Sam.
   (2) Meet with Sam.
   (3) He will meet with the teacher.
   (4) Take Sam to meet his teacher.

7. What does the man imply?
   (1) The man wants to share his work.
   (2) The man has not yet finished his work.
   (3) The man has finished his work.
   (4) The man is not doing any work.

8. What does the man mean?
   (1) They will not leave.
   (2) They will stay home.
   (3) They will leave.
   (4) They traffic is bad.
Woman: I feel like going to the party.
Man: Today we have some guests coming over.

9. What does the man imply?
   (1) He does not like going to parties.
   (2) They can meet their guests after the party.
   (3) There is no time to meet the guests.
   (4) The woman should not go to a party.

Woman: Don’t forget to pick me up at Starbucks.
Man: I will be on my way soon.

10. What will the man probably do?
    (1) Forget to pick her up.
    (2) Drink coffee at Starbucks.
    (3) Pick up the woman at Starbucks.
    (4) Stay in Starbucks.

Woman: I’ve heard that the new Yoga trainer is very rude.
Man: Oh, I would not say that. He is very polite.

11. What does the man mean?
    (1) The Trainer is not rude.
    (2) The Man is a trainer.
    (3) The Man wants to go to Yoga classes.
    (4) Yoga is not easy.

Man: I’ve heard great things about Samsung’s new virtual assistant Bixby.
Woman: I’d love to check it out, but for now I am happy with Siri.

12. What does the woman mean?
    (1) She does not like Bixby.
    (2) She does not like Siri.
    (3) She doesn’t know what Bixby is.
    (4) She would like to try Bixby sometime later.

Woman: I would not choose to join an exchange program abroad for learning English only. I think I can learn here in the academy.
Man: Normally I’d agree with you, but there are many other things apart from English in an exchange program like culture and new friends.

13. What does the man mean?
    (1) An Exchange program is expensive
    (2) He does not agree with the girl.
    (3) New friends are more important
    (4) Getting to know a new culture is more important.

Man: How did you feel about the movie?
Woman: I liked the action. What about you?
Man: Visual effects were not that good. Overall the movie was good.

14. What does the man mean?
    (1) The movie was romantic.
    (2) The movie had a nice start.
    (3) He liked most of the movie apart from the effects.
    (4) He did not like some of the movie.

Man: His head is bleeding so badly. When is the ambulance supposed to arrive?
Woman: I called the ambulance service over 15 minutes ago. They said the ambulance is on its way.
Man: Yea, but usually they take hours.
Woman: You’re right; No idea.

15. What do these people mean?
    (1) They don’t know when the ambulance is going to arrive.
    (2) They are sick.
    (3) The Ambulance is coming in 15 minutes.
    (4) They are in ambulance already.

Woman: The veggie salad smells bad. I don’t think it’s edible.
Man: Yes, it doesn’t look fresh.
16. What does the man imply?

(1) He likes veggie salad.
(2) He will eat the salad.
(3) He will not eat the salad.
(4) He will keep the salad in the refrigerator.

Woman: It looks like we will win the football world cup.
Man: Yes, if we work hard; we can definitely win this world cup.

17. What does the man imply?

(1) They are winning the world cup.
(2) They did not qualify for the world cup.
(3) They like to play football.
(4) They will win the world cup by working hard.

Woman: What does Pong think about moving to the U.S with the student exchange program?
Man: No, Pong wants to help his parents with their business here.

18. What does the man mean?

(1) Pong is lazy.
(2) Pong is in the USA.
(3) Pong does not want to go USA.
(4) Pong will go to USA with his parents.

Women: I would like to buy a new MacBook because this model supports wireless charging.
Man: I would like to wait for the next model because I’d love to see if they add water resistant features.

19. What does the man say about the new MacBook?

(1) He will wait for new features.
(2) He will buy this model.
(3) He likes his MacBook.
(4) He is using a MacBook.

Man: I am tired and I don’t want to do training.
Women: Yes, I am tired too. Let’s go to the sauna.
Man: That sounds OK to me; I will give them a ring to make a reservation.

20. What do they decide to do?

(1) The will eat.
(2) They are training.
(3) They don’t like training.
(4) They will go to Sauna.

Directions: Questions 21 – 25: in this section you will Read a conversation between two people talking about their trip.

Woman: Are you done with packing?
Man: Yes, I’m almost finished.

Woman: This trip to Japan is going to be very exciting.
Man: What are you most excited about?
Women: The food.
Man: Yes, Japanese food is delicious.
Women: And the temples.
Man: Why don’t we go to visit some mountains? I heard the ice looks beautiful. We’ll take many photos there.
Women: Sure, this is going to be a fun trip.

21. Where are they going?

(1) Japan
(2) Mountains
(3) Temple
(4) To eat

22. What are the things they are excited to see?

(1) Japan, temples, mountains
(2) Cold weather, temples, mountains
(3) Food, temples, mountains
(4) Travelling, temples, mountains

23. Which is correct?

(1) Japanese food was delicious.
(2) Japanese food can be delicious.
(3) Japanese food will be delicious.
(4) Japanese food is delicious.
24. What place to visit did the man suggest?
   (1) Where there is a Temple
   (2) Where there is Food
   (3) Where there are Mountains
   (4) Where there is Ice

25. What was the man doing, when the woman came to talk to him?
   (1) Travelling
   (2) Eating
   (3) Sitting
   (4) Packing

**Directions: Questions 26 – 27:** Read a conversation of a CEO talking to his team about the newest feature of company’s latest mobile.

I’d like to tell you about an interesting feature that mobiles have been missing for so long. Due to strong demand in the market we have taken the opportunity to develop a new virtual assistant feature called Bixby, which is more than just a voice. With Bixby, users can take pictures of objects and then look up information about that object.

26. What is the main purpose of the meeting?
   (1) CEO is giving a motivational talk.
   (2) CEO is explaining the marketing strategy.
   (3) CEO is talking about the new feature.
   (4) CEO is sharing some information.

27. What can the users do with Bixby?
   (1) Users can take good photos.
   (2) Users can share photos on Instagram.
   (3) Users can make a video with this new feature.
   (4) Users can research information about objects.

**Directions: Questions 28 – 30:** Read a paragraph about UBER.

Uber is a ride service which is digitally equipped with very new features. You can find your ride regardless of your location and the car will pick you up at your door step. Moreover, before the trip with the App you can even calculate your fare. The Uber App offers a map for locating your destination and has become easier to use.

28. What is Uber?
   (1) New Car
   (2) Ride service
   (3) New GPS game
   (4) Driver’s name

29. Uber has 10 stations in Bangkok; you can go to the station if you want to use Uber.
   (1) True
   (2) False
   (3) Not mentioned in the talk
   (4) All around Bangkok

30. What can you do with the Uber App?
   (1) Can calculate the distance and find location
   (2) Can calculate the fare and find Uber
   (3) Can calculate the fare from your location
   (4) Can calculate the fare and find location

**Directions: Questions 31 – 35:** in this section you will read a conversation between a lecturer and student in class.

Lecturer (Lady): Good morning students! In today’s lecture we will be taking a look at very important topic “Clean Energy”

Student (Boy): Wow! Sounds interesting.

Lecturer (Lady): Without energy the human race cannot survive. But over the years our excessive use of energy which is not clean, has polluted our environment and we are at the point of no return. Use of coal and gas harms our environment. Gas and coal are one of the main sources of energy.

Student (Boy): What are ways to generate clean energy and save our environment?

Lecturer (Lady): We have to find alternatives to coal and gas.

31. What is the topic?
   (1) Pollution
   (2) Gas
   (3) Clean Energy
   (4) Environment

32. What is ‘at the point of no return’?
   (1) Earth
   (2) energy
   (3) Gas
   (4) Coal
33. In the conversation, what were the main sources of energy?
   (1) Water and Electricity  
   (2) Diesel and Petrol  
   (3) Gas and Coal  
   (4) Carbon and Lithium

34. In the conversation, the student wanted to know two things?
   (1) How to produce energy and the environment.  
   (2) How to produce energy and restore the environment.  
   (3) How to produce clean energy and restore the environment.  
   (4) How to produce clean energy and the environment.

35. At the end of the talk, what did the lecturer imply?
   (1) We need to stop using Coal and Gas.  
   (2) We need to stop harming the environment.  
   (3) We need to start using clean energy.  
   (4) We need to use Coal and Gas.

36. What is the news?
   (1) Traffic congestion  
   (2) Traffic police  
   (3) New subways  
   (4) Joining the fitness club

37. How will subways help the man have more time for himself?
   (1) He will get free rides to work.  
   (2) He can work faster.  
   (3) Not spend so much time in traffic.  
   (4) He can work near the subway.

38. What does traffic congestion cause the man?
   (1) He does not like many people.  
   (2) He doesn't want to drive.  
   (3) He gets a headache.  
   (4) He does not like the waiting

39. Who announced the plan for new subways?
   (1) President  
   (2) Police  
   (3) Minister  
   (4) Government

40. How many years will it take to make subways all around the country?
   (1) 2 to 5 years.  
   (2) 3 to 4 years.  
   (3) 5 to 10 years.  
   (4) 1 to 10 years.

Directions: Questions 36 – 40:

I was reading in the news and found out that the government has announced that the government is going to make subways all around the country. Subways will reduce the traffic congestion and make life easier. By subways, we will be able to travel faster and this will be a big time-saver. I am very happy because traffic congestion gives me a headache. I would love to be at my work faster. I think I will have more time for myself as I will not be spending hours in traffic. I am thinking to join the fitness club after work but this all will take 5-10 years until that time I have to be patient.

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   (2) He can work faster.  
   (3) Not spend so much time in traffic.  
   (4) He can work near the subway.

41. The woman claims that running can…?
   (1) Repair bones and make joints stronger.  
   (2) Repair joints and make bones stronger.  
   (3) Repair joints and make bones younger.  
   (4) Prepare joints and make bones stronger.
42. What does the man want to know?
   (1) How to run?
   (2) Benefits of running
   (3) If she is running tomorrow
   (4) Where to run.

43. Before knowing the benefits of running the man had no interest in running.
   (1) True
   (2) False
   (3) He used to be a runner
   (4) None of above.

44. What is one of the benefits of running?
   (1) Power
   (2) Speed
   (3) Stamina
   (4) Youth

45. The man will be running tomorrow?
   (1) True.
   (2) False
   (3) Not mentioned in the talk
   (4) None of the above.

Directions: Questions 46 – 50:

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<tr>
<th>Girl:</th>
<th>Are you ready for this scholarship exam?</th>
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<td>Boy:</td>
<td>Yes, I have been preparing for two weeks for this test.</td>
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<td>Girl:</td>
<td>Which part do you think will be the hardest part of the exam?</td>
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<td>Boy:</td>
<td>I am not too good at listening. So I am afraid that I will struggle with that part. What about you?</td>
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<td>Girl:</td>
<td>I struggle with the comprehensions but we have to think carefully because it's a great opportunity.</td>
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<td>Boy:</td>
<td>Yes, if I can make it to the top 10 I would be happy.</td>
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<td>Girl:</td>
<td>Don’t worry! You will do great.</td>
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46. What is the conversation about?
   (1) Boy and girl
   (2) Scholarship exam
   (3) School test
   (4) Exchange program

47. In the conversation how many weeks did the girl prepare for this test?
   (1) 21 weeks
   (2) 20 weeks
   (3) 2 weeks
   (4) None of above

48. Which part of the exam is going to be hard for the girl?
   (1) Listening
   (2) Writing
   (3) Comprehensions
   (4) Writing

49. What did the girl suggest to the boy?
   (1) We have to cheat
   (2) We have to study hard
   (3) We have to work hard
   (4) We have to think carefully.

50. The Boy will be happy if he will...........?
   (1) Finish his exam in time
   (2) Finish his exam first
   (3) Make it to the top ten.
   (4) Finish his exam after ten students are done finishing.
PART II Structure & Written Expression (Questions 51-100)

Directions: Questions 51 – 76 are incomplete sentences. Below each sentence, you will see four choices indicated (1), (2), (3), and (4). Please select one choice that best completes the sentence. Then, on your answer sheet, please find the number of the question and fill in the space that corresponds to the answer you have chosen.

51. _______ you call the room service to clean my room please?
   (1) Are  (2) Is  (3) Do  (4) Can

52. He gave me a _______ on my birthday.
   (1) gifts  (2) presents  (3) gift  (4) donations

53. I take the _______ to get to school faster.
   (1) van  (2) sky train  (3) bus  (4) cycle

54. How many _______ and sisters _______ you have?
   (1) brothers - can (2) sisters - brothers  (3) brothers - do  (4) sisters - can

55. How _______ is the workplace from your home?
   (1) deep  (2) after  (3) lengthy  (4) far

56. I liked to watch cartoons _______ I was a kid.
   (1) where  (2) when  (3) ever  (4) whom

57. Adam is going to the _______ to buy groceries.
   (1) market  (2) school  (3) outside  (4) museum

58. I have never _______ so much fun while watching sports.
   (1) had  (2) will  (3) have  (4) ever

59. They _______ basketball every afternoon.
   (1) play  (2) player  (3) playing  (4) plays

60. MahaNakhon tower is the _______ building in Thailand.
   (1) long  (2) longest  (3) huge  (4) tallest

   (1) work  (2) works  (3) worked  (4) working

62. Don't try to _______ my assignment.
   (1) copy  (2) copying  (3) substitute  (4) replacement

63. _______ we going to the party?
   (1) Shall  (2) Are  (3) Will  (4) Do

64. _______ you be joining us at the dinner?
   (1) Will  (2) Are  (3) When  (4) Can

65. I have _______ sushi.
   (1) order  (2) ordering  (3) ordered  (4) orders

66. Apple _______ launching the Iphone 8 next year.
   (1) can  (2) will be  (3) will  (4) can be

67. There is a 20% _______ on the sale of G-shock.
   (1) watch  (2) sale  (3) gift  (4) discount

68. Is there a _______ in the town? I would like to watch the latest ‘Ironman’ film.
   (1) movie  (2) shop  (3) cinema  (4) internet
A newspaper _____77_____ a serial publication _____78_____ news _____79_____ current events, other _____80_____ articles about politics, sports, arts, and so on, and advertising. _____81_____ newspaper is usually, but not exclusively, printed _____82_____ relatively inexpensive, low-grade paper such as newsprint.

Question 77 - 82: Read Through the text, answer the questions that follow.

77. (1) are (2) the (3) is (4) can

78. (1) contains (2) containing (3) contained (4) contain

79. (1) about (2) of (3) related (4) for

80. (1) information (2) informative (3) inform (4) informed

81. (1) A (2) The (3) Is (4) An

82. (1) up (2) in (3) the (4) on
Question 83 - 89: Read Through the text, answer the questions that follow.

McDonald's

McDonald's is ____83____ American hamburger and fast food restaurant chain. It ____84____ founded ____85____ 1940 as a barbecue restaurant operated ____86____ Richard and Maurice McDonald. In 1948, ____87____ reorganized their business as ____88____ hamburger stand, ____89____ production line principles.

Wikipedia

83. (1) a (2) the (3) an (4) is

84. (1) is (2) were (3) will (4) was

85. (1) in (2) on (3) at (4) an

86. (1) the (2) by (3) from (4) with

87. (1) we (2) the (3) they (4) them

88. (1) a (2) an (3) the (4) is

89. (1) used (2) by (3) use (4) using

In Question 90 - 100: Each sentence has four underlined words or phrases. Identify the one underlined word or phrase that must be changed in order for the sentence to be correct.

90. We are go to the water park and then we will go to museum.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)

91. Indeed, You are a talented person and I like you research.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)

92. The Tourism Authority provide information for visitors to the Kingdom of Thailand.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)

93. I have never see an amazing artist like you because you have all the skills to be successful.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)

94. Steve Jobs is a American businessman and co-founder of Apple.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)

95. I am done with this project. I have decide to quit.
   (1) (2) (3) (4)
96. Scientists are working hard to inventing environment friendly products.

97. Thai culture is all about being obedient, politeness, and kind.

98. I didn't think I understood today's lecture. Can you help me, please?

99. The uses of fossil fuels is contributing in global warming.

100. Doctors are research to find the cure for incurable diseases.
PART III Vocabulary and Reading Comprehension
Time – approximately 30 minutes (Questions 101-150)

In questions 101-110 each sentence has an underlined word or phrase. Choose the one word or phrase that best keeps the meaning of the original sentence if it is substituted for the underlined word or phrase.

101. In the war against poverty, there can be no equitable peace, you either win or lose.

(1) equal peace  (2) honourable peace  (3) reasonable peace  (4) lasting peace

102. A dentist who laughs when drilling teeth sends out a mixed message to his patients.

(1) funny message  (2) strange message  (3) two message  (4) confusing message

103. The old man had a deep nostalgia for his old childhood home.

(1) deep memory  (2) deep longing  (3) deep love  (4) deep regret

104. It was clear to the manager, that the waiters and waitresses in his restaurant had dug in their heels concerning the payment of over-time allowances.

(1) stood still  (2) refused to take off their shoes  (3) refused to pay  (4) refused to change their minds

105. There is a great reverence for William Shakespeare amongst British actors.

(1) admiration  (2) respect  (3) love  (4) attachment

106. In 1559, Elizabeth I, the Queen of England, had a more pragmatic approach to religion than did most of her bishops and clergy.

(1) practical  (2) royal  (3) realistic  (4) reasonable

107. The students protested angrily when the school canteen was closed, and the older boys ran and shouted down the corridors for a call to arms.

(1) conflict  (2) struggle  (3) support  (4) protest

108. The government's policy was to be popular rather than effective with all the inherent problems that go with that decision.

(1) inherited  (2) bad  (3) characteristic  (4) worse

109. To frighten his audience in to supporting peace, the President evoked images of the last great war that the people had fought.

(1) summoned  (2) made  (3) drew  (4) suggested

110. The document contained the most intricate details concerning the biological functions of several species of invertebrates.

(1) complicated  (2) beautiful  (3) delicate  (4) small
Google began in 1996 as a project by Larry Page and Sergey Brin. Larry and Sergey were both studying at Stanford University California. In their research project they came up with a plan to make a search engine that ranked websites according to the number of other websites that linked to that site (and ultimately came up with the Google we have today). Before Google, search engines had ranked sites simply by the number of times the search term searched for appeared on the webpage, and the duo set out to make a more “aware” search engine. The domain google.com was registered on September 14th 1997 and Google Corporation was formed a year later in September 1998. Google started selling advertisements with its keyword searches in 2000, and so Google Adwords/Adsense was born. These advertisements used a system based on the pretense that you only paid for your advertising if someone clicked on your ad link – hence the term Pay Per Click (PPC) was born. The term PageRank was patented in September 2001 – this term is actually named after co-founder Larry Page and not, as some think, named because it is the rank of a page (webpage). Also in 2001 co-founder Larry Page stood down as the CEO of Google and former CEO of Novell Eric Schmidt was appointed as the new CEO of Google. Google moved its offices to its large Google estate (nicknamed GooglePlex) in Mountain view California in 2003, and is still based there today. In 2004, Google launched its own free web-based email service, known as Gmail. This service was made to rival the free online mail services supplied by Yahoo and Microsoft (hotmail). This new free email service shook up the very foundation of free email with its enormous 1 GB of email storage which dwarfed its rivals’ ten-fold. In 2004 Google launched Google Earth. Google Earth is an amazing creation that is a map of the earth based on satellite imagery. Google also owns storage services like Google drive. Google also has useful services like hangouts, docs, playstore, YouTube etc.

Source:
[http://www.cozy-digital.co.uk/history-of-google-cozy]

111. Who were the founders of Google?
(1) Larry Page
(2) Sergey Brin
(3) Eric Schmidt
(4) Option 1 & 2

112. In which year, was Google Adwords launched?
(1) 2000
(2) 1996
(3) 1997
(4) 1998

113. Before Google, how were search engines ranking websites?
(1) Ranked by beautiful graphics
(2) Ranked by number of linked websites.
(3) Ranked by the number of the times
(4) Ranked by Alphabet

114. The Google service which provides satellite imagery of our planet is known as _________.?
(1) Nasa
(2) Googleplay
(3) Google maps
(4) Google earth

115. Choose the Google's domain address.
(1) www.google.co.th
(2) google.com
(3) www.google.com
(4) google.org

116. In which year was the idea of ranking websites according to the other websites linked to that website introduced?
(1) Nineteen ninety three
(2) Nineteen ninety six
(3) Nineteen ninety four
(4) Two thousand

117. Google mail 1Gb storage is for free?
(1) Yes
(2) No
(3) $1
(4) None of these

118. What is pay per click?
(1) Selling likes
(2) Getting more people to like your page
(3) Advertisement with keywords searches
(4) None of these
119. Who became the CEO of Google after Larry Page?
   (1) Sergey Brin
   (2) Eric Schmidt
   (3) Pageranks
   (4) Sundar Pichai

120. When did Larry Page leave Google?
   (1) 2001
   (2) 1997
   (3) 2003
   (4) 2000

121. Eric Schmidt was the former CEO of?
   (1) Novotel
   (2) Novell
   (3) Nobel
   (4) Nike

122. How many Gigabytes storage did the Gmail offer?
   (1) 1 Gigabytes
   (2) 2 Gb
   (3) 4 Gigabytes
   (4) 5 Gb

123. When was Gmail launched?
   (1) 2002
   (2) 2003
   (3) 1996
   (4) 2004

124. Where is Google’s main office based?
   (1) Stanford University of California
   (2) State of California
   (3) New York
   (4) Harvard University

125. Google’s main office is also known as _________.
   (1) Googleplex
   (2) Mountainview
   (3) Google office
   (4) Google

126. Who are the main rivals of Gmail?
   (1) Google
   (2) YouTube
   (3) Microsoft and Yahoo
   (4) Hangouts

127. When was the Google Company formed?
   (1) 1996
   (2) 1998
   (3) 1997
   (4) 1995

128. Google is a more _________ search engine as compared to others.
   (1) aware
   (2) beautiful
   (3) easy
   (4) fast

129. Choose the services provided by Google.
   (1) Yahoo, outlook, Hotmail
   (2) Playstore, Youtube, Drive
   (3) Facebook, instagaram
   (4) All (1), (2), (3)

130. PageRank is named after _________.
   (1) Ranking of Pages
   (2) Ranking of websites.
   (3) Larry Page
   (4) Ranking of linked websites
Yoga’s history has many places of obscurity and uncertainty due to its oral transmission of sacred texts and the secretive nature of its teachings. The early writings on yoga were transcribed on fragile palm leaves that were easily damaged, destroyed or lost. The development of yoga can be traced back to over 5,000 years ago, but some researchers think that yoga may be up to 10,000 years old. Yoga’s long rich history can be divided into few main periods of innovation, practice and development.

Pre-Classical Yoga

the beginnings of Yoga was developed by the Indus-Sarasvati civilization in Northern India over 5,000 years ago. The word yoga was first mentioned in the oldest sacred texts, the Rig Veda. The Vedas were a collection of texts containing songs, mantras and rituals to be used by Brahmans, the Vedic priests. Yoga was slowly refined and developed by the Brahmans and Rishis (mystic seers) who documented their practices and beliefs in the Upanishads, a huge work containing over 200 scriptures. The most renowned of the Yogic scriptures is the Bhagavad-Gîtâ, composed around 500 B.C.E.

Classical Yoga

In the pre-classical stage, yoga was a mishmash of various ideas, beliefs and techniques that often conflicted and contradicted each other. The Classical period is defined by Patanjali’s Yoga-Sûtras, the first systematic presentation of yoga. Written sometime in the second century, this text describes the path of Raja Yoga, often called “classical yoga”. Patanjali organized the practice of yoga into an “eight limbed path” containing the steps and stages towards obtaining Samadhi or enlightenment. Patanjali is often considered the father of yoga and his Yoga-Sûtras still strongly influence most styles of modern yoga.

Post-Classical Yoga

A few centuries after Patanjali, yoga masters created a system of practices designed to rejuvenate the body and prolong life. They rejected the teachings of the ancient Vedas and embraced the physical body as the means to achieve enlightenment. They developed Tantra Yoga, with radical techniques to cleanse the body and mind to break the knots that bind us to our physical existence. This exploration of these physical-spiritual connections and body centered practices led to the creation of what we primarily think of yoga in the West: Hatha Yoga.

Source:
[http://www.yogabasics.com/learn/history-of-yoga/]

131. Early writings on yoga were written on ________.
   (1) Leaves  (2) Fragile  (3) Palm leaves  (4) Flowers

132. In the above passage, Yoga’s history is explained in ________ parts.
   (1) 4  (2) 3  (3) 1  (4) 5

133. Due to the oral transmission of Yoga, its history is not accurate.
   (1) True  (2) False  (3) Impossible  (4) None of these

134. Yoga is how many years old.
   (1) 10,000  (2) 5,000  (3) 5,000 to 10,000  (4) None of these

135. Yoga’s long history consists of ________.
   (1) Innovation, practice, development  (2) Technology, history  (3) Meditation, peace  (4) None of these

136. In the beginning, Yoga was developed by which Civilization?
   (1) Sanskrit  (2) Indus-Sarasvati  (3) North Indians  (4) Brahmans

137. In which sacred text, Yoga was first mentioned?
   (1) Sanskrit  (2) Sarasvati  (3) Rig Veda  (4) Brahmans
138. What were Vedas?
(1) A tribe
(2) People
(3) Civilization
(4) mantras and ritual

139. Classical yoga was a mixture of various ideas and techniques which caused it to be more _________.
(1) Innovative
(2) Contradictive
(3) Developed
(4) Popular

140. Classical period of Yoga was defined around _________.
(1) 5,000 years ago
(2) 10,000 years ago
(3) Second century
(4) 1,000 years ago

141. Who is considered as the father of Yoga?
(1) Sarasvatis
(2) Patanjali
(3) Brahmans
(4) Vedas

142. Patanjali organized the practice of yoga into _______ limbed paths.
(1) 80
(2) 18
(3) 8
(4) 88

143. The path of Raja Yoga is also known as _______.
(1) Modern Yoga
(2) Old Yoga
(3) Raja Yoga
(4) Classical Yoga

144. In which era did the Yoga masters rejected the teachings of Vedas?
(1) Innovative
(2) Modern Era
(3) Post classical
(4) Classical Yoga

145. Tantra was developed in which era of Yoga?
(1) Post classical
(2) Pre Classical
(3) Classical
(4) Modern

146. The most renowned of the Yogic scripture is _________.
(1) Tantra
(2) Vedas
(3) Bhagavad-Gîtâ
(4) Patanjali’s

147. In which era of Yoga, masters developed techniques that help us to connect spiritually and physically?
(1) Post classical
(2) Pre Classical
(3) Classical
(4) Modern

148. Body centered techniques were developed during _______ era of Yoga.
(1) Classical
(2) Pre Classical
(3) Post Classical
(4) Modern

149. Who were the first ones to use the Vedas?
(1) Brahmans
(2) The Vedas
(3) Sarasvati
(4) North Indian

150. Bhagavad-Gîtâ was composed around which year _________.
(1) 450 B.C.E
(2) 500 B.C.E
(3) 5,000 B.C.E
(4) 400 B.C.E

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   (2) How
   (3) What
   (4) Where

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