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## Coding Decoding Questions for SBI PO Pre, IBPS PO Pre, SBI Clerk Mains and IBPS Clerk Mains Exams.

## Coding Decoding Quiz 38

Directions: Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given beside.
In a certain code language, codes are decided on the basis of following rules and conditions.

Rules:

1. All the consonants that appear before ' N ' in alphabet series are to be coded as $0-9 .(C=1, D=2$ and so on)
2. All the consonants that appear after ' N ' in alphabet series are to be coded as $0-9 .(Q=1, R=2$ and so on)
3. ' N ' is to be coded as 1 .

## Conditions:

I. If a word starts with a cosonant but ends with a vowel then all the vowels of that word are to be coded as ' $\&$ ' and codes for last and first letters will be interchanged.
II. If a word has more than two vowels then the first vowel is to be coded as $\wedge$, second vowel as $\$$, third vowel as @ and then repeat the codes in the same sequence from fourth vowel onwards.
III. If in a word a consonant that appears after $M$ is either preceded or followed or both by a vowel then all the vowels of that word are to be coded as '\#' and 1 is added to the original code of all consonants. (If after adding 1 , the original code comes in double digit then add the digits until single digit is obtained.)
IV. If none of the above conditions is applicable in a word then vowels of such word are to coded as ' + '.
V. If more than one conditions are applicable in a single word then apply all the conditions as per the given order.

## 1. What is the code for "Parenting"?

A. $0^{\wedge} 2 \$ 14 @ 14$
B. $1 \# 3 \# 25 \# 25$
C. 1^3\$25@25
D. 0\#2\#14\#14
E. None of these
2. Code "\&6\#2\#31\#" is for which of the following words?
A. Charisma
B. Dramatic
C. Chronical
D. Desperate
E. Dormant
3. FL_OD_D

Among the following codes which one is the correct code for the above mentioned word, so that a meaningful English word can be formed?
A. $381+2+2$
B. 38\#\#2\#2
C. $38^{\wedge}$ \$2@2
D. 49^\$3@3
E. None of these
4. What is the code for "Highjacks"?
A. 5\#456\#173
B. $5+456+173$
C. $5^{\wedge} 456 \$ 173$
D. $5+489+173$
E. $5+567+173$
5. Code "1\#2\#7\#334" is for which of the following words?
A. Baptistry
B. Becowards
C. Baptizers
D. Baptizing
E. None of these.

## Correct Answers:

| $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| B | A | C | B | B |

## Explanations :

1. Codes for consonants before ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | B | C | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |

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| Letters | P | Q | R | S | T | V | W | X | Y | Z |

Conditions II and III are applicable on the word 'Parenting' .
After Condition II : 0^2\$14@14

After Condition III: 1\#3\#25\#25

Final Code : 1\#3\#25\#25

Hence option B is correct.
2. Codes for consonants before ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | P | Q | R | S | T | V | W | X | Y | Z |

Let us each of the options one by one starting with option A. Conditions I, II and III are applicable on the word 'Charisma' .
After Condition I: \&5\&1\&291
After Condition II : \&5^1\$29@
After Condition III: \&6\#2\#31\#
Final Code : \&6\#2\#31\#
Hence option A is correct.
3. Codes for consonants before ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | B | C | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |

Codes for consonants after ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | P | Q | R | S | T | V | W | X | Y | Z |

Let us each of the options one by one starting with option A.
Option A - $381+2+2-\ln$ this code ' + ' is used only when none of the given conditions are applicable and this shows that there must be two vowels in the word. The second blank filled with a vowel i.e. any of ( $\mathrm{a}, \mathrm{e}, \mathrm{i}, \mathrm{o}, \mathrm{u}$ ) and the first blank has the letter whose code is $1, \mathrm{Q}$ and C are such two letters whose codes are 1.

After filling the blank with possible letters, we get no meaningful word, thus option $A$ is wrong.
FLQOD_D or FLCOD_D
Option B - 38\#\#2\#2 - Use of symbol '\#' signifies that condition III is applicable here, that means the codes of consonants are 1 more than their original codes, but we can see that the consonants are coded with their original codes only here. Thus option B is also eliminated.

Option C- 38^\$2@2 - Use of three different symbols signifies that there must be three vowels and condition II is applicable. Let us check the possibilities of the vowels in both the blanks.

FLAODAD , FLEODED , FLOODOD , FLIODID, FLUODUD , FLAODED, FLOODED, FLOODAD
Out of these only FLOODED is the meaningful English word.
Hence option C is correct.
4. Codes for consonants before ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | B | C | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |

Codes for consonants after ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | P | Q | R | S | T | V | W | X | Y | Z |

None of the above conditions is applicable on the word 'Highjacks'.
After Condition IV : 5+456+173

Final Code : 5+456+173

Hence option B is correct
5. Codes for consonants before ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | B | C | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |

Codes for consonants after ' N '

| Code <br> Numbers | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Letters | P | Q | R | S | T | V | W | X | Y | Z |

Let us check each of the options one by one starting with option A.
Only Condition III applicable on the word 'Baptistry'.
After Condition III: 1\#15\#4539
Final Code : 1\#15\#4539
Clearly, option A is not the right answer.
Now, let's check option B.
Conditions II and III are applicable on the word 'Becowards'.
After Condition II : 0^1\$6@223
After Condition III : 1\#2\#7\#334
Final Code : 1\#2\#7\#334
Hence option B is correct.


