

09. Find the correctly spelt words.
a. Palete b. Palet c. Palate d. Pelate
10. Choose the correct meaning of the proverb/idiom given below.
To have an axe to grind
a. A private end to serve b. To fail to arouse interest
c. To have no result d. To work for both sides
11. Fill in the blank with an appropriate preposition.
He plays cricket _____ hockey.
a. beside b. within c. after d. besides
12. Choose the word which is most OPPOSITE in meaning of the word printed in bold.
FLOURISHING
a. Drooping b. Declining c. Fluctuating d. Opposing
13. Pick out the most effective word to fill in the blank to make the sentence meaningfully complete.
Man does not live by _____ alone.
a. food b. bread c. meals d. diet

Direction (Q.14 – 16): In the following passage there are blanks, each of which has been numbered. These numbers are printed below the passage, against each, four options are suggested, one of which fits the blank appropriately. Find out the appropriate word in each case.

King Vikramaditya was ...(14)... for his justice and kindness. In his kingdom, everyone was leading a happy and content life. His people loved him and were proud of him. Once, Vikramaditya decided to build a palace on a river bank. He ...(15)... his ministers to survey the site and start the ...(16)...

14. a. seen b. respect c. smart d. known
15. a. ordered b. indicated c. hinted d. pleaded
16. a. build b. works c. creation d. construction

ANSWER KEY

1	c	2	d	3	b	4	b	5	c	6	a	7	d	8	a
9	c	10	a	11	d	12	b	13	b	14	d	15	a	16	d