Building Materials Quiz Questions and Answers

Question: 1
Sand stone is
(A) igneous rock
(B) volcanic rock
(C) sedimentary rock
(D) metamorphic rock
Ans: C
sedimentary rock
Question: 2
The standard size of masonry bricks, is
(A) 16 cm x 6 cm x 6 cm
(B) 18 cm x 8 cm x 8 cm
(C) 19 cm x 9 cm x 9 cm
(D) 20 cm x 10 cm x 10 cm
Ans: C
19 cm x 9 cm x 9 cm
Question: 3
Lime mortar is generally made with
(A) hydraulic lime
(B) quick line

(C) plain lime
(D) fat lime
Ans: A
hydraulic lime
Question: 4
The commonly used raw material in the manufacture of cement, is
(A) Basalt
(B) Limestone
(C) Sandstone
(D) Slate
Ans: B
Limestone
Question: 5
Most commonly used solvent in oil paints, is
(A) turpentine
(B) coaltar
(C) spirit
(D) petroleum
Ans: D
petroleum
Question: 6

Plastic bitumen is generally used for
(A) crack fillings
(B) expansion joints
(C) road pavements
(D) none of these
Ans: A
crack fillings
Question: 7
Cast steel is manufactured by
(A) Bessemer process
(B) Cementation process
(C) Crucible process
(D) Open hearth process
Ans: C
Crucible process
Question: 8
For the manufacture of stainless steel, steel is mixed with
(A) tungsten
(B) chromium
(C) nickel
(D) copper

Ans: B
chromium
Question: 9
For sanitary pipes and chemical stoneware's
(A) opaque glazing is used
(B) lead glazing is used
(C) salt glazing is used
(D) none of these
Ans: C
salt glazing is used
Question: 10
The harmonious mixing of the clay ingredients, is known as
(A) tempering
(B) weathering
(C) blending
(D) none of these
Ans: C
blending