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Maximum : 100 marks

Time : 1 hour and 15 minutes

1. A person wants to contest election for the membership of Grama Panchayat, what should be his age?
(A) 18 Years or above (B) 19 Years or above
(C) 20 Years or above (D) 21 Years or above
2. All the electioneering campaigns during the time of elections are stopped :
(A) 12 Hours before actual poll (B) 24 Hours before actual poll
(C) 36 Hours before actual poll (D) 48 Hours before actual poll
3. Which of the following, river does not originate in Indian territory?
(A) Mahanadi (B) Ganga
(C) Brahmaputra (D) Champal
4. Wankhde Stadium is situated in :
(A) Chandigarh (B) Mumbai
(C) Chennai (D) Pune
5. What line connects the points on a map that receive equal amount of rainfall?
(A) Isobar (B) Isotherm
(C) Isohyet (D) Isohel
6. With which games is the Aghakhan Cup associated?
(A) Hockey (B) Football
(C) Cricket (D) Badminton
7. A plan for the division of India as India and Pakistan was presented in 1947 by :
(A) Lord Wavell (B) Lord Mountbatten
(C) Lord Simon (D) Lord Irvin
8. Who made the slogan, "Give me blood, I will give you freedom"?
(A) Bagat Singh (B) Bala Gangadhar Tilak
(C) Subash Chandra Bose (D) Bibin Chandra Pal

9. Headquarters of World Bank :
- (A) London (B) Paris
(C) New York (D) Berlin
10. The founder of Yogadarsana in India :
- (A) Jaimini (B) Patanjali
(C) Kanada (D) Kapila
11. The Train related to wagon tragedy in Kerala was run from Tirur to :
- (A) Trivandrum (B) Chennai
(C) Pothannur (D) Bangalore
12. Which was the protocol signed by United Nation's Frame Work Convention on Climate Change to reduce emissions of Green House Gases?
- (A) Somoa (B) Bali
(C) Edo (D) Kyoto
13. Who was the winner of International Women Courage Award of 2013?
- (A) Aneesa Ahammed (B) Zin Mar Aung
(C) Malalai Bahaduri (D) Samar Badavi
14. Name the nuclear project opposed recently by Tamilians :
- (A) Kalpakam (B) Kota
(C) Koodamkulam (D) Jaitapur
15. Who is the signatory on the one rupee note of India?
- (A) Governor of Reserve Bank of India
(B) Finance Secretary of Ministry of Finance
(C) Finance Minister of India
(D) Secretary of Reserve Bank of India
16. Name the master architect designed New Delhi :
- (A) Edwin Lutyns (B) Edwin Landseer
(C) Ernest George (D) Harold Peto

17. Which among the following train introduced by Indian Railway bringing travel by AC Class within the reach of common people?
- (A) Jan Satabdi (B) Duranto
(C) Samparkranti (D) Garib Rath
18. Oscar prize is related to :
- (A) Film (B) Literature
(C) Peace (D) Science
19. Where did the dance form Mohiniyattam originate?
- (A) Manipur (B) Kerala
(C) Tamil Nadu (D) Karnataka
20. Bramananda Swami Siva Yogi, a sanyasi of Kerala founded :
- (A) Atma Vidya Sangam (B) Ananda Maha Sabha
(C) Yogakshema Sabha (D) Adwaithasram
21. Among the following who was regarded as spiritual head of Sri Narayana Guru?
- (A) Sankaracharya (B) Chattambi swamikal
(C) Swami Vagbadanandha (D) Ayya Vaikundan
22. Who was known as Jhansi Rani of Travancore?
- (A) Rosamma Cheriyan (B) Gracy Aron
(C) Accama Cheriyan (D) Annamma Cheriyan
23. When did Indian Independence Bill passed in British Parliament?
- (A) April 1, 1947 (B) May 1, 1947
(C) June 1, 1947 (D) July 1, 1947
24. Which Straits separate India from Srilanka?
- (A) Palk (B) Mannar
(C) Cambay (D) Kutch
25. Winner of UEFA Champions League of Football conducted in 2013 :
- (A) Borussia Dortmund (B) Real Madrid
(C) Barcelona (D) Baiern Munich

26. Who composed the famous patriotic song 'Sare Jahamse Acha'?
- (A) Mohammed Iqbal (B) Bankim Chandra Chatterji
(C) Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad (D) Sir Sayyid Ahammed Khan
27. Netaji Subash National Institute of Sports is located at :
- (A) Kolkata (B) Delhi
(C) Chandigarh (D) Patiala
28. Which of the following uses non-conventional source of energy?
- (A) Kerosene Lamp (B) Wax Candle
(C) Torch (D) Solar Lantern
29. Who was the author of Anandmath novel from which national song 'Vande Madaram' was taken?
- (A) Rabindranath Tagore (B) Sharat Chandra Chatterji
(C) Bankim Chandra Chatterji (D) Bushan Bandopadhyia
30. Who is the present Chairman of National Human Rights Commission of India?
- (A) K.G. Balakrishnan (B) P. Sadasivam
(C) Man Mohan Singh (D) V.S. Sampath
31. Which among the following is not a source of revenue to the village Panchayat?
- (A) Property tax (B) House tax
(C) Land tax (D) Vehicle tax
32. The Wagah boarder is the only road border crossing between India and Pakistan lies on Grand Trunk Road between the cities of Amritsar in India and _____ in Pakistan.
- (A) Sialkot (B) Lahore
(C) Fasiabad (D) Islamabad
33. Bandipur Sanctuary is located in the state of :
- (A) Kerala (B) Tamil Nadu
(C) Karnataka (D) Andhrapradesh
34. Headquarter's of Asian Development Bank :
- (A) Manila (B) Singapore
(C) Banghok (D) Tokyo

35. Name the young Indian freedom fighter and revolutionary leader achieved martyrdom after a 63 days of hunger strike conducted in Lahore jail to improve the condition of prison during the British rule :
- (A) Bhagat Singh (B) Jatindas
(C) Rajguru (D) Sukhdev
36. The gas predominantly responsible for global warming is :
- (A) Carbon Monoxide (B) Carbon di Oxide
(C) Sulphur di Oxide (D) Nitrous Oxide
37. Who is the present governor of Reserve Bank of India?
- (A) D. Subbarao (B) Raghuram Rajan
(C) Y.V. Reddy (D) Bimal Jalal
38. June 5th is annually celebrating as :
- (A) Women's day (B) Solar day
(C) Mother's Day (D) Environment Day
39. In banking ATM stands for :
- (A) Automatic Teller Machine (B) Any Time Money
(C) Automated Tallying Machine (D) Automated Totaling Machine
40. Ramakkalmedu Power Plant in Kerala is related to :
- (A) Thermal Power (B) Hydro Electrical Power
(C) Gas or Liquid Fuel based Power (D) Wind Power
41. 11th Fundamental Duty of Indian citizen added by 42nd Amendment in the year 1976 meant for :
- (A) To respect national Symbols
(B) To respect other people's religion
(C) To respect all women citizens
(D) All parents ensure education for children between 6 and 14 years of age
42. The National Emblem of India was taken from the capital of Asokan Pillar at :
- (A) Saranath (B) Sanchi
(C) Delhi (D) Maski
43. Indian Physicist invented Optical Fibre :
- (A) C.V. Raman (B) Satyendranath Bose
(C) Homi J Baba (D) Narinder Singh Kopany

44. Name the World's largest masonry dam built across Krishna river :
- (A) Bakranangal (B) Hirakud
(C) Nagarjuna Sagar (D) Baglihar
45. Name the country hosted the celebration of World Tourism Day of 2013 :
- (A) Singapore (B) India
(C) China (D) Malaysia
46. The Rocket *launched Magalyan* on 5th November, 2013 :
- (A) PSLV-C25 (B) PSLV-C20
(C) GSLV-C25 (D) GSLV-C20
47. Next 2016th year Olympic Games will be held in the city of :
- (A) Rio de Janeiro (B) New York
(C) Vancouver (D) Tokyo
48. Name the British engineer designed the Metro city, Cochin as a great harbor :
- (A) Arthur Lawly (B) Robert Bristow
(C) Baron Wenlock (D) Lord Wellington
49. When Jawaharlal Nehru was making the midnight speech on the night of August 14th 1947, Gandhiji was at :
- (A) Delhi (B) Lahore
(C) Naokali (D) Patna
50. The Deputy Chairman of the Planning Commission of India :
- (A) Man Mohan Singh (B) Monteg Singh Aluvalia
(C) Prakash Singh Badal (D) Vijendar Singh
51. Fifty Rupees ————— what I ask you now.
- (A) was (B) were
(C) is (D) am
52. ————— Western Ghats should be protected to save the life of Kerala.
- (A) A (B) The
(C) An (D) On

53. The condition of complete disorder and uproar is called :
- (A) paroxysm (B) chaotic
(C) pandora's box (D) pandemonium
54. Which word has the closest in meaning to *versatile*?
- (A) veteran (B) having many skills
(C) verbatim (D) bright and smart
55. Coins jingle but arms :
- (A) clash (B) crosses
(C) clang (D) fights
56. Cat ----> Kitten; Tiger ----> :
- (A) little tiger (B) cab
(C) babe (D) cub
57. The government has decided to constitute a _____ of jurymen to study the case in detail.
- (A) panel (B) group
(C) bench (D) expert
58. Who _____ this window? The children may step over the pieces of glass.
- (A) broke (B) is breaking
(C) had break (D) has broken
59. So, you have been experimenting with the new model _____ three years.
- (A) since (B) for
(C) about (D) from
60. We must strongly protect our leader _____ he is our only hope.
- (A) as (B) since
(C) because (D) for
61. The driver _____ for the same mistake three times this week.
- (A) has booked (B) booked
(C) has been booked (D) had been booked

62. The government was quiet _____ with the judgement on the CBI.
(A) disappointed (B) disappointing
(C) disappoint (D) disappointingly
63. I commanded Tom _____ go to the evening party.
(A) don't (B) not to
(C) doesn't (D) will
64. Which part of the sentence is incorrect, *He has just completed a three years Diploma course?*
(A) He has just completed (B) three years
(C) a (D) Diploma course
65. The accused admitted _____ the gold bar in her shoes.
(A) hiding (B) hid
(C) hidden (D) to hide
66. Oh, that morning John was passing _____ his bicycle. I am sure.
(A) in (B) with
(C) taking (D) on
67. If you _____ me, I would give you the best chance in your life.
(A) ask (B) had asked
(C) asked (D) told
68. The work _____ by 7.30 pm tomorrow.
(A) will completed (B) would complete
(C) will have completed (D) will have been completed
69. I remember mother always _____ Bhajans in the evenings.
(A) sang (B) singing
(C) has sung (D) has been singing
70. Do you have _____ more questions on this topic?
(A) many (B) so
(C) some (D) any