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Maximum : 100 marks

Time : 1 hour and 30 minutes

1. In which year all Travancore Grandashala Sangam formed?
(A) September 1943 (B) September 1944
(C) September 1945 (D) None of these
2. Which newspaper is known as bible of the socially depressed?
(A) Vivekodhaym (B) Vidhyrangam
(C) Yukthivadhi journal (D) Mithavadhi
3. Who have the title "Rao Sahib"?
(A) Pandit Karuppan (B) Ayyathan Gopalan
(C) G.P. Pillai (D) C. Krishnan
4. Who wrote the historical novel Marthanda Varma in Malayalam?
(A) C.V. Raman Pillai (B) Appu Nedugadi
(C) S.K. Pottakadu (D) K.P. Kesava Menon
5. Climate of India is
(A) Mediterranean type (B) Equatorial type
(C) Desert type (D) Monsoon type
6. Which five year plan is also known as "Gadgil Yojana"?
(A) Second (B) Third
(C) Fourth (D) Fifth
7. Which metro station become the India's first metro to have its own FM radio station?
(A) Delhi metro (B) Lucknow metro
(C) Kolkata metro (D) Nagpur metro
8. The river Brahmaputra called in Tibet has :
(A) Dehang (B) Siyang
(C) Jamuna (D) Tsang po
9. In which year Mahatma Gandhi visited Sree Narayana Guru in Sivagiri at Varkala?
(A) 1925 (B) 1926
(C) 1930 (D) 1935

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10. Who was the first Indian woman to win the Nobel Prize?
(A) Indira Gandhi (B) Sarojini Naidu
(C) Mother Teresa (D) Lata Mangeshkar
11. To place something in the same position on every slide of presentation automatically, insert into :
(A) Slide Master (B) Notes Master
(C) Handout Master (D) None of the above
12. The _____ feature in MS word automatically corrects certain spelling errors.
(A) Auto correct (B) Auto spell
(C) AutoFix (D) AutoFill
13. From which panel you can insert header and footer in MS Word 2007?
(A) Format Panel (B) Review Panel
(C) Home Panel (D) Insert Panel
14. Where does the minimised application resides in Windows?
(A) My Computer (B) My Documents
(C) Recent Documents (D) Task Bar
15. Short cut key for Redo an action :
(A) Ctrl + R (B) Ctrl + D
(C) Ctrl + Y (D) Ctrl + V
16. _____ option helps to break lines between syllables of words in MS word.
(A) Hyperlink (B) Hyphenation
(C) Wrap text (D) Break lines
17. Which is not in MS Word?
(A) Table (B) Charts
(C) Ctrl (D) Formula bar
18. When you enter data in a cell in Excel, it also appears in the :
(A) Status bar (B) Row heading
(C) Name box (D) Formula bar
19. Which is not a data type in Excel?
(A) Single (B) Character
(C) String (D) Double

20. If you want to increase/decrease line spacing by a percentage, which option helps :
- (A) Atleast (B) Exactly
(C) Multiple (D) Double
21. Font size is measured in :
- (A) Inches (B) Points
(C) Millimeters (D) Pixels
22. Find and Replace short cut key is :
- (A) Ctrl+H (B) Alt + R
(C) Ctrl + R (D) Shift + R
23. Which tool allows us to send same letter to different addresses in MS Word?
- (A) Reference (B) Mailing
(C) Mail Merge (D) Markup
24. Short cut key to move cursor to the beginning of document :
- (A) Ctrl+Home (B) Ctrl+Start
(C) Ctrl+up arrow (D) None of the Above
25. Ctrl+X is used to :
- (A) Copy the selected text (B) Cut the selected Text
(C) Paste the text (D) Print the page
26. Which button in MS Word 2007 contains basic file management commands?
- (A) Start Button (B) Home Button
(C) Basic Button (D) None of the above
27. To Select an entire column in Excel use :
- (A) Ctrl+Space bar (B) Ctrl+C
(C) Ctrl+arrow key (D) Shift+S
28. Which of the following is a pointing device?
- (A) Scanner (B) Joystick
(C) Digitizer (D) Optical mark reader
29. Cell B12 on sheet 2 can be referred from sheet1 like :
- (A) Sheet2!B12 (B) Sheet1!B12
(C) Sheet2.B12 (D) B12 ()

30. Which short cut key opens Font Dialog Box in MS Word?
(A) Ctrl+F (B) Ctrl+Shift+F
(C) Alt+Ctrl+F (D) Alt+F
31. In Excel a valid cell address is like :
(A) A10 (B) 10A
(C) &A (D) &A10
32. The feature of MS Excel quickly completes a series of data :
(A) Auto complete (B) Auto Fill
(C) Fill handle (D) Sorting
33. Grid lines can be displayed with the _____ key combination in PowerPoint.
(A) Shift+F9 (B) Ctrl+F9
(C) Shift+F8 (D) Ctrl+F9
34. Which is not a Unicode encoding form?
(A) UTF-8 (B) UTF-16
(C) UTF-EBCDIC (D) UTF-64
35. Full Form for EBCDIC :
(A) Extended Binary Coded Device Interchange Code
(B) Extended Binary Control Device Interchange Code
(C) Extended Binary Coded Decimal Interchange Code
(D) None of the above
36. Excel displays the address of the active cell in :
(A) Formula Bar (B) Status Bar
(C) Title Bar (D) Name Box
37. To specify margins in MS word 2007, page setup can be selected from which menu?
(A) File (B) Format
(C) Insert (D) Edit
38. A valid range of cells in Excel is like :
(A) A1-A10 (B) A1:A10
(C) A1 to A10 (D) A1!A10

39. Any component of the computer you can see and touch is :
- (A) Software (B) Peripheral
(C) CPU (D) Hardware
40. Which of the following views is the best view to use when you need to reorganize your slides?
- (A) normal (B) outline view
(C) slide sorter view (D) reading view
41. Which of the following cannot be part of an E-mail address?
- (A) At sign (@) (B) Period (.)
(C) Space () (D) Underscore (_)
42. URL is :
- (A) Some Software
(B) The address of a page on the World Wide Web
(C) Unlimited Recourses for Learning
(D) A hardware piece
43. Which is the short cut key to insert a new slide in a PowerPoint presentation?
- (A) Ctrl+N (B) Ctrt+K
(C) Ctrl+M (D) Ctrl+O
44. Which menu allows us to change the slide size in PowerPoint?
- (A) Home (B) Edit
(C) Design (D) View
45. Full form of MB is :
- (A) Mega Bytes (B) Mini Bytes
(C) Micro Bytes (D) Milli Bytes
46. Which part of the computer is used for calculating and comparing?
- (A) ALU (B) CU
(C) Memory Unit (D) RAM
47. The effect applied to display when slides changes in slide show view is :
- (A) Slide Transition (B) Slide Animation
(C) Custom Transition (D) Custom Animation
48. Which key is used to start a slide show?
- (A) F1 (B) f2
(C) F5 (D) F10
49. _____ refer to text that are positioned slightly higher than the text on the line.
- (A) Subscript (B) Superscript
(C) Superiorscript (D) Extended script

50. Which function displays current date and time in MS Excel?
 (A) Today() (B) Time()
 (C) Now() (D) Date()
51. _____ and _____ are called guide keys.
 (A) k and j (B) n and m
 (C) a and s (D) a and ;
52. Due to over tension of main spring _____ happened.
 (A) Jerky movement (B) Sluggish movement
 (C) Stoppage (D) None of the above
53. Which brush is used to clean the type bar face?
 (A) Medium brush (B) Long brush
 (C) Short brush (D) Both (A) and (B)
54. Carriage tension can also be called :
 (A) Main spring tension (B) Pinion wheel tension
 (C) Escapement wheel tension (D) Ratchet wheel tension
55. The carriage rack is moves towards left when the _____ is operated.
 (A) Non-character key (B) Dead key
 (C) Back space key (D) Character key
56. The shape of the type segment is :
 (A) Circle (B) Semi-circle
 (C) Triangle (D) Rectangle
57. _____ Wheel connect escapement wheel and the carriage rack.
 (A) Pinion wheel (B) Thumb wheel
 (C) Ratchet wheel (D) None of the above
58. _____ helps the carriage moves instantly to predetermined position.
 (A) Shift key (B) Master key
 (C) Home keys (D) Tabulator key
59. In official letter, complementary close generally used is :
 (A) Yours sincerely (B) Yours truly
 (C) Yours faithfully (D) Yours lovingly
60. PIN code stands for :
 (A) Permanent Index Number (B) Postal Index Number
 (C) Permanent Identification Number (D) None of the above

Qns 61 to 65 : Read the passage given and answer the questions that follow.

The colours you see in flowers come from the DNA of a plant. Genes in a plant's DNA direct cells to produce pigments of various colours. When the flower is red, it means that the cells in the petals have produced a pigment that absorbs all colours but red. When you look at that flower, it reflects red light. So, the flower appears to be red. Flowers are the reproductive parts of plants. They attract insects to pick up pollen and transfer it to other plants and flowers. This helps the plant to reproduce. Some flowers change colour or fade over time. This is an indication to the pollinators that pollination is no longer needed. Many of the actual chemicals in the petals of a flower are called anthocyanins. These are water soluble compounds that belong to a bigger class of chemicals called flavonoids. Anthocyanins are responsible for creating blue, red, pink, pink and purple colours in flowers. Other pigments that produce floral colours include carotene (for red and yellow), chlorophyll (for green in petals and leaves) and xanthophyll (a pigment that produces yellow colours).

61. Which among the following statements is FALSE?
- (A) The colours of flowers come from genes in the DNA
 - (B) Pigments in the genes of colours produce DNA
 - (C) Genes in the DNA of a plant produce colours
 - (D) Pigments of various colours are produced by cells of a plant
62. (i) Flowers are meant for reproduction.
(ii) Flowers make insects stay away from them.
- (A) Only (i) is true
 - (B) Only (ii) is true
 - (C) Both (i) and (ii) are true
 - (D) Both (i) and (ii) are false
63. When the colour of some flowers fade in time, it :
- (A) hints that the flowers are going to wither
 - (B) hints that the cells in the flowers are drying up
 - (C) hints that pollination is not required
 - (D) hints that pollinators are going to crowd around it
64. Anthocyanins :
- (A) are chemicals in the petals of a flower
 - (B) belong to a bigger class of chemicals called flavonoids
 - (C) are compounds that are soluble in water
 - (D) all the above
65. Carotene, Chlorophyll and Xanthophyll are :
- (A) flowers
 - (B) pollinators
 - (C) reproductive parts
 - (D) pigments

66. One of the following words is misspelt. Identify the word :
- (A) continuos (B) congenital
(C) contemporary (D) contaminate
67. The music band played a beautiful melody on the occasion'. Change the voice :
- (A) On the occasion played the music band a beautiful melody
(B) The music band was played a beautiful melody on the occasion
(C) A beautiful melody was been played by the music band
(D) A beautiful melody was played by the music band on the occasion
68. "Did the cricket team come for practice yesterday?" asked the principal. Change to Reported Speech :
- (A) The principal asked that whether the cricket team came for practice the previous day
(B) The principal asked whether the cricket team had come for practice the previous day
(C) The principal asked whether the cricket team had been come for practice the previous day
(D) The principal asked whether the cricket team have come for practice the previous day
69. Choose the correct sentence :
- (A) She came to pick me when i reached mumbai railway station
(B) She came to pick me when I reached mumbai railway station
(C) She came to pick me when I reached Mumbai railway station
(D) she came to pick me when i reached Mumbai railway station
70. She promised me to return in _____ hour.
- (A) an (B) a
(C) the (D) only
71. He _____ neither softly nor loudly.
- (A) sings (B) sing
(C) sang (D) singing
72. "Did you forget what this project is designed _____?"
- (A) of (B) for
(C) off (D) above

73. The pack of elephants ————— the lake late in the evening.
(A) made up (B) made in
(C) made for (D) made of
74. “She keeps on repeating the mistake, —————”.
(A) doesn’t she? (B) does she?
(C) isn’t she? (D) is she?
75. I could give her the money, if she ————— me.
(A) contacted (B) contacting
(C) will contact (D) had contact
76. “Shall we call it a day?” means :
(A) Shall we declare a holiday?
(B) Shall we invite a special guest for the day?
(C) Shall we stop working?
(D) Shall we fix a day for the celebrations?
77. ‘I would rather, you went there to make the enquiry’ means :
(A) My suggestion is that you should go there and make the enquiry
(B) My suggestion is that you should not go there and make the enquiry
(C) I know that you are not willing to go there and make the enquiry
(D) I know that you went there to make the enquiry
78. The sentence that is correct is :
(A) I thought you will ring her up
(B) I think you would ring her up
(C) I thought you would ring her up
(D) I think you would have ring her up
79. This is his signature style means :
(A) His signature is stylish
(B) His style is to put his signature everywhere
(C) His style is like his signature
(D) He has a unique style
80. Five kilometres ————— a short distance.
(A) were (B) is
(C) are (D) will

81. பத்துப்பாட்டு நூல்களுள் அளவில் மிகப்பெரிய நூல் எது?
- (A) பெரும்பாணாற்றுப்படை
(B) மதுரைக்காஞ்சி
(C) மலைபடுகடாம்
(D) பட்டினப்பாலை
82. 'அழகாறு' – என்னும் சொல்லின் பொருள் என்ன?
- (A) துன்பம் (B) இன்பம்
(C) பொறாமை (D) ஆனந்தம்
83. 'பாவலரேறு' என்னும் சிறப்புப்பெயருக்கு உரியவர் யார்?
- (A) பெருஞ்சித்திரனார்
(B) பாரதியார்
(C) பாரதிதாசன்
(D) கண்ணதாசன்
84. வந்தச்சொல்லே வந்து தந்த பொருளையே தருவது என்ன அணி?
- (A) எடுத்துக்காட்டு உவமையணி
(B) தற்குறிப்பேற்ற அணி
(C) உவமையணி
(D) சொற்பொருள் பின்வருநிலையணி
85. 'ஆராய்ச்சி' – என்னும் இதழை நடத்தியவர் :
- (A) நா. வானமாமலை
(B) அறிஞர். அண்ணா
(C) காமராசர்
(D) தேசிங்கு ராஜா
86. தமிழில் கிடைக்கப்பெறும் முழுமையான முதல் இலக்கண நூல் எது?
- (A) நன்னூல்
(B) நம்பியகப்பொருள்
(C) தொல்காப்பியம்
(D) யாப்பருங்கலக்காரிகை

87. சார்பெழுத்துக்கள் எத்தனை வகைப்படும்?
- (A) 8 (B) 10
(C) 9 (D) 11
88. “வேளாண் வேதம்” – என்னும் சிறப்புப் பெயரால் அழைக்கப்படும் நூல் எது?
- (A) மணிமேகலை
(B) சிலப்பதிகாரம்
(C) நாலடியார்
(D) சீவகசிந்தாமணி
89. கீழே கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளவைகளுள் தமிழர் நாட்டுப்புறக் கலை எது?
- (A) மோகினியாட்டம் (B) கரகாட்டம்
(C) கதக்களி (D) களறியாட்டம்
90. ‘இதழியலின் தந்தை’ – எனப் போற்றப்படுபவர் யார்?
- (A) வா. செ. குழந்தைசாமி
(B) மு. வரதராசனார்
(C) ஜூலியஸ் சீசர்
(D) அழ. வள்ளியப்பா
91. மீண்டும் பிரிக்க இயலாத சொல் ————— எனப்படும்.
- (A) இடைநிலை (B) விகுதி
(C) சந்தி (D) பதம்
92. பதஞ்சலி முனிவரால் தொகுக்கப்பட்ட சமஸ்கிருத நூல் எது?
- (A) யோகம்
(B) யோக சூத்திரம்
(C) போகம்
(D) அஷ்டாங்கம்
93. ஜல்லிக்கட்டிற்கு சிறப்புப்பெற்ற ஊர் எது?
- (A) கோவை
(B) நெல்லை
(C) சென்னை
(D) அலங்காநல்லூர்

94. 'சூடிமக்கள் காப்பியம்' – என்னும் சிறப்பிற்குரிய காப்பியம் எது ?
 (A) சிலப்பதிகாரம் (B) மணிமேகலை
 (C) வளையாபதி (D) குண்டலகேசி
95. சிறுபாணாற்றுப்படை நூலின் ஆசிரியர் யார் ?
 (A) பாண்டியன் நெடுஞ்செழியன்
 (B) நல்லியக்கோடன்
 (C) நத்தத்தனார்
 (D) உருத்திரங்கண்ணனார்
96. மயிலுக்குப் போர்வை தந்த கடையேழு வள்ளல்களுள் ஒருவர் யார் ?
 (A) பரணர் (B) பேகன்
 (C) பாரி (D) குமணன்
97. 'கவின் கலை' – என்னும் சொல்லின் பொருள் என்ன ?
 (A) கலை (B) அழகியல்
 (C) ஒப்பனை (D) ஆடம்பரம்
98. அச்ச இயந்திரத்தை முதன்முதலில் கண்டுபிடித்த ஜெர்மானியர் யார் ?
 (A) ஜான் கூட்டன்பர்க்
 (B) கல்பனா சாவ்லா
 (C) ரைட் சகோதரர்கள்
 (D) ஜேம்ஸ் அகஸ்டஸ் ஹிக்கி
99. திருக்குறள் எத்தனை பிரிவுகளைக் கொண்டது ?
 (A) 3 (B) 2
 (C) 5 (D) 6
100. பாரதியாரின் இயற்பெயர் என்ன ?
 (A) சுப்பிரமணியன்
 (B) பாலசுப்பிரமணியன்
 (C) கண்ணதாசன்
 (D) கனகசுப்புரத்தினம்

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