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1. The Question Booklet consists of 32 pages and contains 100 questions. Count the number of pages and questions before attempting the questions. Discrepancy, if any, must immediately be brought to the notice of the Invigilator.
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1. Choose the most appropriate synonym of the word **'BOISTERIOUS'** :

- (a) Wild
- (b) Tolerance
- (c) Excited
- (d) Noisy and cheerful

2. Choose the synonym of the word **'HACKNEYED'** :

- (a) Chopped
- (b) Cheerful
- (c) Chortle
- (d) Banal

3. Which of the following is **not** a synonym of the word **'CONVALESCENCE'** ?

- (a) Recoup
- (b) Rally
- (c) Revival
- (d) Regression

4. Choose the antonym of the word **'HEDONISM'** :

- (a) Socialism
- (b) Asceticism
- (c) Revivalism
- (d) Intoxication

5.

Choose the antonym of the word 'TORTUOUS':

- (a) Straight
- (b) Fulsome
- (c) Noisy
- (d) Hypocritical

6.

Which of the following is **not** an antonym of the word 'DETERRENT' ?

- (a) Catalyst
- (b) Assistance
- (c) Disincentive
- (d) Hindrance

7.

Choose the most appropriate meaning of the idiom "To bury the hatchet" :

- (a) To have found a treasure
- (b) To make peace
- (c) To purchase something without discretion
- (d) To act suspicious

8.

Entomology is the study of :

- (a) Earthquakes
- (b) Insects
- (c) Birds
- (d) Fungi



9. 'A person who is indifferent to pleasure and pain', is called :

- (a) Sceptic
- (b) Stoic
- (c) Hedonism
- (d) Libertinism

10. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate preposition :
"Bacon, the father of English Essay, had a thirst _____ knowledge."

- (a) of
- (b) in
- (c) with
- (d) for

11. One word substitution of "A person by whom lease is made" is :

- (a) Lessee
- (b) Lessor
- (c) Lesser
- (d) Lessore

12. Choose the correct explanation of the legal term "*Mala in se*" :

- (a) A bad male
- (b) Careful act
- (c) Wrongful acts
- (d) In bad faith

13. What is the meaning of the idiom "Gallop through" ?
- (a) to travel to different places
 - (b) to make a sudden programme
 - (c) very little chance
 - (d) become useless

14. Choose an appropriate adjective of quantity for the following sentence :
"We have had enough exercise."

- (a) Have
- (b) Had
- (c) Enough
- (d) Exercise

15. Complete the following :

He succeeded _____ perseverance and sheer hard work.

- (a) in
- (b) with
- (c) in accordance with
- (d) by dint of

16. Choose the most appropriate synonym of the word 'INQUISITION' :

- (a) Punishment
- (b) Long speech
- (c) Thorough investigation
- (d) Intelligence

17. Which of the following is **not** a synonym of the word 'SOLEMN' ?

- (a) Traditional
- (b) Devotional
- (c) Pious
- (d) Frivolous

18. Choose the antonym of the word 'ENDEMIC' :

- (a) Epidemic
- (b) Hateful
- (c) Assaulting
- (d) Lethargic

19. Choose the antonym of the word 'OPTIMISM' :

- (a) Dread
- (b) Pessimism
- (c) Abandon
- (d) Straightforward

20. Which of the following is **not** an antonym of the word 'NADIR' ?

- (a) Peak
- (b) Zenith
- (c) Depths
- (d) Pinnacle

Synonyms

21. Choose the most appropriate meaning of the idiom "Kangaroo Court" :

- (a) A group of Kangaroos
- (b) The young Kangaroo
- (c) Unofficial Court
- (d) Unofficial estimate

22. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option :

_____ is the science regarding the study of birds.

- (a) Philology
- (b) Pathology
- (c) Anthropology
- (d) Ornithology

23. Fruit eating animals are called :

- (a) Carnivores
- (b) Herbivores
- (c) Omnivores
- (d) Frugivorous

24. "One who often talks of his achievements", is called :

- (a) Egoist
- (b) Egotist
- (c) Selfish
- (d) Epicure

25. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option :

' _____ uranium, we can use another metal thorium, to produce nuclear power.'

(a) Besides

(b) Beside

(c) Against

(d) Of

26. Government by priest or government which has its State Religion :

(a) Aristocracy

(b) Oligarchy

(c) Theocracy

(d) Sacerdotal

27. Ombudsman refers to the person :

(a) Who looks into the complaint against the Public Authority.

(b) Who is the Chief of Gang.

(c) Who is retired Judge.

(d) Which means process of the Court.

28. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option :

He doesn't work with hands, he works _____ the machine.

(a) with

(b) by

(c) at

(d) on

29. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option :
His performance did not come _____ my expectation.

- (a) to
- (b) upto
- (c) of
- (d) near

30. Antonym of 'JUDICIOUS' is :

- (a) Rash
- (b) Desirable
- (c) Painful
- (d) Rude

31. Antonym of 'ABET' is :

- (a) Prevent
- (b) Risk
- (c) Solace
- (d) Pacify

32. Synonym of 'ALTITUDE' is :

- (a) Behavior
- (b) Height
- (c) Position
- (d) Ambition

33. "One who knows everything", is called :

- (a) Omnipresent
- (b) Omniscient
- (c) Omnipotent
- (d) Optimist

34. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate option :

"Virtue always triumphs _____ evil."

- (a) on
- (b) over
- (c) upon
- (d) at

35. "Which cannot be erased or forgotten", is called ?

- (a) Incorrigible
- (b) Incurable
- (c) Indelible
- (d) Infallible

36. "Something that is considered to be too important to change or question", is called :

- (a) Sacrosanct
- (b) Sacristy
- (c) Saccharine
- (d) Sacrum

37. Which one of the following is **not** a synonym of 'DIFFICULT' ?

- (a) taxing
- (b) facile
- (c) demanding
- (d) onerous

38. "The state of becoming old-fashioned and no longer useful", is called :

- (a) perfidious
- (b) ominous
- (c) obsolescence
- (d) vitreous

39. The phrase "*Actus reus*" means :

- (a) In good faith
- (b) Recklessness
- (c) Guilty mind
- (d) Guilty act

40. The past participle of 'SWEAR' is :

- (a) Swore
- (b) Sworn
- (c) Swearing
- (d) Swored

41

National Voters Day is celebrated every year on 25th of which month ?

- (a) January
- (b) February
- (c) March
- (d) April

42.

The minimum age required for contesting Lok Sabha election is :

- (a) 21 years
- (b) 23 years
- (c) 25 years
- (d) 28 years

43.

Which of the following statements is **incorrect** about the framing of the Indian Constitution ?

- (a) The idea of a Constituent Assembly for India was put forward for the first time by M.N. Roy.
- (b) Dr. Sachchidanand Sinha was elected as provisional President of the Constituent Assembly.
- (c) Prem Behari Narain Raizada was the calligrapher of the Indian Constitution.
- (d) The total time taken to frame the Constitution was 2 years 10 months and 18 days.

44. Which among the following is **not** included in the Preamble of the Indian Constitution ?

- (a) Socialism
- (b) Secularism
- (c) Federalism
- (d) Democratic Republic

45. Citizenship in India is governed by constitutional provisions ranging from :

- (a) Articles 5 - 11
- (b) Articles 5 - 10
- (c) Articles 6 - 11
- (d) Articles 6 - 12

46. India borrowed the concept of Fundamental Duties from the Constitution of :

- (a) U.S.A.
- (b) U.K.
- (c) U.S.S.R.
- (d) None of the above

47. Which of the following writs is considered as bulwark of personal freedom ?

(a) Habeas Corpus

(b) Mandamus

(c) Prohibition

(d) Certiorari

48. Who among the following is the Chancellor of the National Law School of India University Bengaluru ?

(a) President of India

(b) Chief Justice of India

(c) Governor of Karnataka

(d) Chairman, The Bar Council of India

49. The first and longest serving Attorney General for India was :

(a) Soli Sorabjee

(b) K. Parasaran

(c) Milon K. Banerji

(d) M.C. Setalvad

50. The landmark case, *D.K. Basu vs. State of West Bengal* (1996) is related to :
- (a) Child sexual abuse
 - (b) Minority Rights
 - (c) Rights of Refugees
 - (d) Arrest and detention
51. The maximum strength of Judges in the Supreme Court of India is :
- (a) 33
 - (b) 34
 - (c) 35
 - (d) 36
52. The meaning of legal phrase "*amicus curiae*" is :
- (a) We command
 - (b) By what authority
 - (c) Friend of the Court
 - (d) At one's own risk
53. The term "*obiter dicta*" means :
- (a) Passing remarks of a Judge not relevant to the case
 - (b) Concluding part of a judgment
 - (c) Dissenting opinion of a Judge
 - (d) A concurring opinion

54. The famous *Kesavananda Bharati* (1973) case is associated with :

- (a) Appointment of Judges
- (b) Directive Principle of State Policy
- (c) Police Reforms
- (d) The concept of 'basic structure'

55. Legal Education in India is regulated by :

- (a) The Supreme Court
- (b) The High Court of the respective States
- (c) The Bar Council of India
- (d) The Confederation of Indian Bar

56. Match the names of writs in List-I with their correct meanings in List-II :

List-I	List-II
1. Habeas Corpus	A. To command
2. Mandamus	B. By what authority
3. Certiorari	C. You may have the body
4. Quo Warranto	D. To be informed

Choose the correct option from the following :

- (a) 1 - C, 2 - A, 3 - D, 4 - B
- (b) 1 - B, 2 - D, 3 - A, 4 - C
- (c) 1 - A, 2 - B, 3 - C, 4 - D
- (d) 1 - C, 2 - D, 3 - A, 4 - B

57. Consider the following statements :

- I. Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer was the Chief Justice of India.
- II. Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer is considered as one of the progenitors of public interest litigation (PIL).
- III. Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer was elected member of Madras Legislative Assembly.
- IV. Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer served as first Law Minister of independent India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct ?

- (a) I and II only
- (b) I, II and III only
- (c) I, II and IV only
- (d) II only

58. The legal principle 'bail is a rule and jail is an exception' is associated with :

- (a) Justice S.K. Das
- (b) Justice P.N. Bhagwati
- (c) Justice M.B. Lokur
- (d) Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer

59. The first woman Judge of the Supreme Court of India was :

- (a) Justice Sujata Manohar
- (b) Justice Ruma Pal
- (c) Justice R. Banumathi
- (d) Justice Fathima M. Beevi

60. The largest-ever 13 judges bench at the Supreme Court of India has been constituted in 1973 in :

- (a) *Kesavananda Bharati vs. State of Kerala*
- (b) *Minerva Mills vs. Union of India*
- (c) *Mohini Jain vs. State of Karnataka*
- (d) *Golaknath vs. State of Punjab*

61. The International Criminal Court is located in :

- (a) London
- (b) New York
- (c) Geneva
- (d) The Hague

62. Which of the following is **not** a specialised agency of the UN ?

- (a) UNESCO
- (b) WHO
- (c) WTO
- (d) ILO

63. The Nobel Peace Prize 2023 was awarded to Narges Mohammadi for her work in the field of :

- (a) To end sexual violence during armed conflict
- (b) International Campaign to Ban Landmines
- (c) Fight against oppression of women
- (d) Struggle against the suppression of children

64. The World Refugee Day is observed on :

- (a) 4 February
- (b) 22 March
- (c) 20 June
- (d) 10 December

65. In which case in 2017 the Supreme Court declared the practice of *triple talaq* as unconstitutional ?

- (a) *Mohd. Ahmed Khan vs. Shah Bano Begum*
- (b) *Shayara Bano vs. Union of India & Others*
- (c) *Shamim Ara vs. State of U.P.*
- (d) *Danial Latifi and another vs. Union of India*

66.

'Before Memory Fades' is an autobiography of :

- (a) Nani Palkhivala
- (b) M.C. Chagla
- (c) Soli J. Sorabjee
- (d) Fali S. Nariman

67.

Who among the following is **not** a Bharat Ratna recipient ?

- (a) Jawaharlal Nehru
- (b) Lal Bahadur Shastri
- (c) Gulzarilal Nanda
- (d) Vishwanath Pratap Singh

68.

In India, the concept of Judicial review was borrowed from the Constitution of :

- (a) U.K.
- (b) U.S.A.
- (c) Russia
- (d) Canada

69.

The doctrine of rule of law was enunciated by :

- (a) A.V. Dicey
- (b) William Blackstone
- (c) John Marshall
- (d) B.R. Ambedkar

70. The name of Montesquieu is associated with the principle of :

- (a) Judicial Review
- (b) Divisions of powers
- (c) Separation of powers
- (d) Balance of powers

71. As per the ruling of the Supreme Court in the *Shilpa Sailesh vs. Varun Sreenivasan* (2023) it can directly grant a divorce on grounds of 'irretrievable breakdown of marriage' under Article :

- (a) 14
- (b) 21
- (c) 121
- (d) 142

72. Special Protection Group (SPG) is entrusted with the task of providing proximate security to :

- (a) President
- (b) Vice-President
- (c) Prime Minister
- (d) All of the above

73. ✓ Who among the following is **not** a member of the committee that selects the CBI Director ?

- (a) Prime Minister
- (b) Home Minister
- (c) Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha
- (d) Chief Justice of India

74. Which of the following statements is / are **incorrect** regarding the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) ?

- (i) UNFCCC was adopted on 9 May, 1992.
- (ii) The objective of the UNFCCC is to stabilize greenhouse gas concentrations.
- (iii) The UNFCCC endorses the concept of common but differentiated responsibility.
- (iv) The UNFCCC puts onus on developing countries to lead the way in reducing emissions.

Choose the correct option from the following :

- (a) (i) and (ii)
- (b) (ii) and (iii)
- (c) (iii) only
- (d) (iv) only

75. The Supreme Court recently struck down the electoral bonds scheme as unconstitutional asserting that the scheme violates article :

(a) 14

(b) 19

(c) 21

(d) 25

76. The application of Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act, 1958 has been completely lifted from the State of :

(a) Assam and Tripura

(b) Meghalaya and Assam

(c) Manipur and Arunachal Pradesh

(d) Tripura and Meghalaya

77. Recently the Allahabad High Court declared the Uttar Pradesh Board of Madarsa Education Act, 2004, unconstitutional, citing violations of :

(a) Principle of secularism

(b) Right to equality

(c) Right to education

(d) Freedom to attend religious education

78. Who is eligible for free legal aid under the Legal Services Authorities Act ?

- (a) Only individuals below the poverty line
- (b) Only women and children
- (c) Only those accused of serious crimes
- (d) Every person

79. Which of the following is **not** a Constitutional Body ?

- (a) The National Human Rights Commission
- (b) The National Commission for Scheduled Tribes
- (c) The National Commission for Scheduled Castes
- (d) The Election Commission of India

80.

Which one of the following services was recently closed in India ?

- (a) Postal
- (b) Landline
- (c) Fax
- (d) Telegram

81. The ratio of income of two persons is 9 : 7 and the ratio of their expenditure is 4 : 3. If each of them manages to save Rs. 2,000 per month, then find their monthly income :

(a) Rs. 18,000, Rs. 14,000

(b) Rs. 27,000, Rs. 21,000

(c) Rs. 9,000, Rs. 7,000

(d) Rs. 36,000, Rs. 28,000

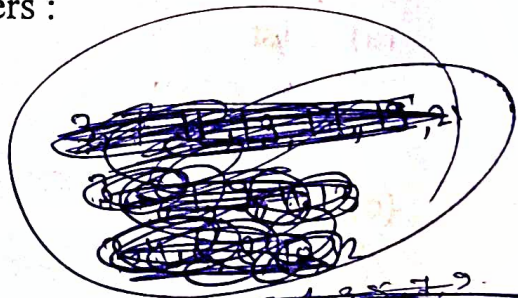
82. Find the mean of the first five even numbers :

(a) 4

(b) 5

(c) 6

(d) 7



83. Identify the odd word :

(a) Genius

(b) Geyser

(c) Gesture

(d) Revenge

84.

In the series 8 6 1 1 2 6 7 4 2 2 5 3 7 5 1 2 4 1 5 2 4 1 5 3. How many pairs of successive numbers have a difference of 2 each?

(a) Four

(b) Five

(c) Six

(d) Seven option D Right

85.

Mayank is 15th from the right end in a row of 50 boys. What is his position from the left end?

(a) 31st

(b) 32nd

(c) 33rd

(d) 36th

86.

A motorbike travels 220 km in 5 litres of petrol. How much distance will it cover in 1.5 litres of petrol?

(a) 65 km

(b) 66 km

(c) 67 km

(d) 68 km

87. Select the related word from the given alternatives :

Marathon : Race :: Hibernation : _____

- (a) Sleep
- (b) Dream
- (c) Bear
- (d) Winter

88. What number should fill in the blank in the following series

22, 21, 23, 22, 24, 23, _____ ?

$\begin{array}{cccccc} -1 & +2 & -1 & +2 & -1 & +2 \end{array}$

(a) 22

(b) 24

(c) 26

(d) 25

89. A bag containing 50 paise, 25 paise and 10 paise coins in the ratio 5 : 9 : 4, amounting to Rs. 206. Find the number of coins of each type respectively :

(a) 360, 160, 200

(b) 160, 360, 200

(c) 200, 360, 160

(d) 200, 160, 360

90. If 15 workers can build a wall in 48 hours, how many workers will be required to do the same work in 30 hours ?

(a) 24

(b) 25

(c) 26

(d) 27

91. What should come next in the following series

13, 34, 57, 82, _____ ?

(a) 109

(b) 113

(c) 135

(d) 141

92. Sunita stands with her face pointing in the south-east direction. She walks 15 metres and then turns northwards and walks another 12 metres. How far is she from the starting point ?

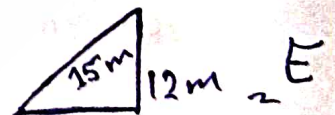
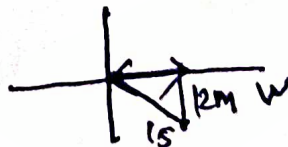
(a) 3 metres

(b) 27 metres

(c) 9 metres

option C right

(d) None of these



144

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (15)^2 + (12)^2 \\
 & 225 + 144 \\
 & \underline{225 + 144} \\
 & 369
 \end{aligned}$$

28

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 15 \times 15 = 225 \\
 & 12 \times 12 = 144 \\
 & \underline{225 + 144} \\
 & 369
 \end{aligned}$$

93. In a certain language HAPPY is coded as IBQQZ, how is RIGHT coded in that language ?

8, 1, 16, 16, 25

9, 2, 17, 17, 26

18, 9, 7, 8, 20

(a) SKGHU

(b) SGKHQ

(c) SJHIU

(d) QHFGS

SJHIU
19, 10, 8, 9, 21

94. Five years ago the combined age of my mother and mine was 40 years. Now the ratio of our age is 4 : 1. How old is my mother ?

(a) 10 years

(b) 40 years

(c) 60 years

(d) 20 years

Mother — 4
Son — 1

95. One-fourth of the number is 3 more than 7. The number is :

(a) 38

(b) 39

(c) 40

(d) 41

$$\frac{1}{4}x = 3 + 7$$

99. An electric pole 14 m high, casts a shadow of 10 m. Find the height of a tree that casts a shadow of 15 m under similar conditions :

(a) 19 m

(b) 20 m

(c) 21 m

(d) 22 m

100. The sum of all two digit numbers divisible by 5, is :

(a) 945

(b) 678

(c) 439

(d) 568