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1. A rule by the officials is called
 - (A) Monarchy
 - (B) Bureaucracy
 - (C) Administration
 - (D) Democracy

2. The state having largest area under waste land is
 - (A) Rajasthan
 - (B) Gujarat
 - (C) Madhya Pradesh
 - (D) Jammu and Kashmir

3. The least number which when divided by 8, 24 and 36 will leave, in each case, a remainder 3 is
 - (A) 68
 - (B) 75
 - (C) 76
 - (D) 72

4. A man rows down a river 18 km in 4 hours with the stream and returns in 12 hours. The rate at which the stream flows per hour is
 - (A) 1.5 km
 - (B) 1 km
 - (C) 2 km
 - (D) 3 km

5. 'Anthophobia' is a fear of
 - (A) Fire
 - (B) Flowers
 - (C) Dogs
 - (D) Ghost

6. The cost price of 16 books is equal to the selling price of 20 books. The percentage of loss is
 - (A) 30
 - (B) 20
 - (C) 15
 - (D) 10

7. The length and breadth of a rectangular parallelepiped is 4 cm and 5 cm respectively. If its volume be 320 cc, its height will be
 - (A) 24 cm
 - (B) 20 cm
 - (C) 12 cm
 - (D) 16 cm

8. If $\frac{a}{b+c} = \frac{b}{c+a} = \frac{c}{a+b} = k$, the value of k is
 - (A) $\frac{1}{2}$ or -1
 - (B) -1 or 1
 - (C) 2 or 1
 - (D) 3 or -1

9. Nuclear sizes are expressed in a unit, named—
 - (A) Tesla
 - (B) Newton
 - (C) Fermi
 - (D) Angstrom

10. Whom does the Gayatri Mantra in the Rig Veda address?
 - (A) Indra
 - (B) Ushas
 - (C) Savitri
 - (D) Agni

11. The compound interest on ₹ 5,000 for 2 years @5% p.a. is
 - (A) ₹ 521.50
 - (B) ₹ 512.50
 - (C) ₹ 512
 - (D) ₹ 500

12. A sum of money becomes ₹ 3250 in 3 years and ₹ 3875 in 5 years 6 months at simple interest. The rate of interest p.a. is
 - (A) 6%
 - (B) 5%
 - (C) 10%
 - (D) 8%

13. "The soldiers stood by the commander-in-chief."

Here 'stood by' means

- (A) to oppose
- (B) to show loyalty
- (C) to remain inactive
- (D) to advise

14. The values of x and y for which

$$\frac{3}{x+y} + \frac{4}{x-y} = 5 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{15}{x+y} + \frac{1}{x-y} = 6 \quad \text{hold}$$

simultaneously are

- (A) $x = 1, y = 2$
- (B) $x = 2, y = 3$
- (C) $x = 2, y = 1$
- (D) $x = 3, y = 1$

15. The ratio of the volumes of two spheres of radii 6 cm and 9 cm is

- (A) 8 : 21
- (B) 7 : 27
- (C) 8 : 27
- (D) 2 : 3

16. When is World Refugee Day observed every year?

- (A) June 20
- (B) June 25
- (C) June 30
- (D) July 1

17. The highest peak in the Eastern Ghats in India is

- (A) Anaimudi
- (B) Mahendragiri
- (C) Khari
- (D) Astamudi

18. Who was the founder of the City of Agra?

- (A) Ala-ud-din Khalji
- (B) Muhammad Tughlaq
- (C) Firoz Tughlaq
- (D) Sikandar Lodi

19. Choose the correct preposition to fill in the blank in the following sentence:

He attributed the loss _____ me.

- (A) upon
- (B) with
- (C) to
- (D) in

20. Which country supplies 'MH-60 Romeo Multi Role Helicopters' to India?

- (A) U.K.
- (B) Russia
- (C) France
- (D) USA

21. The appropriate verbal form of the noun 'flower' is

- (A) flowering
- (B) enflower
- (C) flowren
- (D) flourish

22. "The gentleman failed to convince the committee." The substitute word/words for 'convince' is

- (A) Put across
- (B) Put forward
- (C) Put around
- (D) Put by

23. Fill in the blank with appropriate word/group of words, in the following sentence:

One dark night a watchman _____ passing by an old temple.

- (A) found to
- (B) happened to be
- (C) went
- (D) None of the above

24. The word nearest in meaning to 'Prerogative' is

- (A) Privilege
- (B) Adage
- (C) Derogative
- (D) Accumulative

25. Fill in the blank with appropriate preposition:
The gentleman succumbed _____ the injury.
- (A) in
(B) by
(C) to
(D) with
26. The feminine form of the word 'Fox' is
- (A) Foxen
(B) Fex
(C) Vixen
(D) Foxess
27. Golf player Vijay Singh belongs to the country
- (A) India
(B) Fiji
(C) USA
(D) Pakistan
28. The synonym for the word 'Apogee' is
- (A) Appearance
(B) Beginning
(C) Highest point
(D) Back side
29. The greatest number of 4 digits and the least number of 5 digits that have 124 for their H.C.F., are
- (A) 9796, 10168
(B) 9976, 10681
(C) 9998, 10040
(D) 9920, 10044
30. The base of a right prism is a square of side 5 cm. If its volume be 1025 cc, its height will be
- (A) 31 cm
(B) 45 cm
(C) 36 cm
(D) 41 cm
31. The ratio of ages of A and B is 5:8. If the difference of their ages be 15 years, the sum of their ages will be
- (A) 75 years
(B) 60 years
(C) 65 years
(D) 52 years
32. What is the limit of Foreign Direct Investment permitted in road and highways sector in India?
- (A) 90%
(B) 100%
(C) 80%
(D) 75%
33. The amount of ₹1, for 5 years at 5% p.a. simple interest is
- (A) ₹ 12.50
(B) ₹ 1.25
(C) ₹ 10.25
(D) ₹ 1.75
34. Select the correct synonym of the following word from the alternatives provided:
'Incognito'—
- (A) Candid
(B) Impromptu
(C) Opposed
(D) Disguised
35. 'Litoria Mira', that has been discovered from the rainforests of New Guinea, is a _____.
- (A) Snake
(B) Frog
(C) Otter
(D) Toucan
36. A cooperensis has been identified recently as the biggest dinosaur of which country/ region?
- (A) Russia
(B) Australia
(C) Africa
(D) Antarctica

37. He is out at elbows now.

The underlined idiom used in the above sentence means

- (A) Rich
- (B) Free from difficulties
- (C) Liberal
- (D) Poor

38. Fill in the blanks with suitable words from options:

Good nature and good sense must ever join,
To _____ is human to forgive _____.

- (A) Die, Crime
- (B) Love, Sin
- (C) Err, Divine
- (D) Blame, Malign

39. The length of the longest chord of the circle of radius 6.5 cm is

- (A) 13 cm
- (B) 10 cm
- (C) 8 cm
- (D) 12 cm

40. Which of the following mountains are the oldest according to geological history?

- (A) Nilgiris
- (B) Satpura Range
- (C) Vindhyas
- (D) Aravalli

41. DE is parallel to BC of $\triangle ABC$. It intersects AB and AC at D and E respectively. AD = 4 cm, DB = 2 cm and the area of $\triangle ABC = 12$ sq. cm. Area of $\triangle ADE$ equals to

- (A) 8 cm^2
- (B) 6 cm^2
- (C) 5 cm^2
- (D) $5\frac{1}{3} \text{ cm}^2$

42. If $2\sin\theta - \sqrt{3} = 0$ and $2\cos\theta - k = 0$, the value of k is

- (A) 2
- (B) 1
- (C) 0
- (D) -1

43. A person suffering from uncontrollable desire to steal something is called

- (A) Introvert
- (B) Necromantic
- (C) Necrophobic
- (D) Kleptomaniac

44. Who won the second position of All England Open Badminton Championship, 2022?

- (A) P.V. Sindhu
- (B) K. Srikant
- (C) Lakshya Sen
- (D) Saina Nehwal

45. The full form of DAP fertiliser is

- (A) Dichloride Pottasium
- (B) Dihydroxyacetone Phosphate
- (C) Diammonium Phosphate
- (D) Dialuminium Phosphate

46. If $2x^3 + x^2 + 5$ be divided by $x + 2$, the remainder is

- (A) 5
- (B) 7
- (C) -7
- (D) -5

47. Rani Abbakka Chowta was a queen of which present-day state?

- (A) Kerala
- (B) Karnataka
- (C) Odisha
- (D) Andhra Pradesh

48. A man deposited ₹ 20,000 in post office @5% p.a. compound interest. After 2 years he will receive
- (A) ₹ 22,500
(B) ₹ 23,000
(C) ₹ 22,000
(D) ₹ 22,050
49. The marked price of an article is ₹ 450. If a seller marks up its price by 20% and then sells, a buyer will have to pay for it
- (A) ₹ 560
(B) ₹ 500
(C) ₹ 520
(D) ₹ 540
50. Fill in the blank:
Father is anxious _____ hear from his daughter.
- (A) about
(B) to
(C) for
(D) with
51. The greatest prime number of two digits is
- (A) 99
(B) 57
(C) 11
(D) 97
52. What is the name of the website launched for services related to broadcast in India?
- (A) Broadcast Seva Portal
(B) Bharat Broadcast
(C) Atmanirbhar Broadcast
(D) E- Broadcast Portal
53. Along which of the following rivers "Kaziranga National Park" is located?
- (A) Brahmaputra
(B) Sutlej
(C) Ganga
(D) Jamuna
54. 'Lachrymose nature' means
- (A) Lethargic
(B) Prone to anger
(C) Prone to tears
(D) Courageous
55. Who is regarded as the great law giver of the ancient India?
- (A) Panini
(B) Manu
(C) Kautilya
(D) Baraha Mihir
56. If $x = \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2}$ and $xy = 1$, the value of $(x + y)^2 + (x - y)^2$ is
- (A) 16
(B) 20
(C) 22
(D) 24
57. Who created the famous Rock Garden of Chandigarh?
- (A) Goudi
(B) Nekchand
(C) Saarien
(D) Chintamani Kar
58. In which of the following places Major Dhyanchand Sports University is being established?
- (A) Delhi
(B) Meerut
(C) Hyderabad
(D) Kolkata
59. The Earth's atmosphere is divided into _____ main layers.
- (A) 4
(B) 5
(C) 6
(D) 7

60. Highest Railway Bridge in the world will be constructed on the river—

- (A) Chenab
- (B) Ganga
- (C) Yamuna
- (D) Kaveri

61. Fill in the blanks with correct pair of words:
Does _____ know that _____ was absent?

- (A) her, I
- (B) she, me
- (C) her, me
- (D) she, I

62. In the sentence "I am at one with you."

The word 'one' is used as a

- (A) Noun
- (B) Pronoun
- (C) Adjective
- (D) Adverb

63. 'Apatanis' are the tribes found in

- (A) Sikkim
- (B) Nagaland
- (C) Arunachal Pradesh
- (D) Assam

64. A can do a piece of work in 2 days and B can do it in 4 days. If they work together the work will be finished in

- (A) $1\frac{1}{3}$ days
- (B) 2 days
- (C) $1\frac{1}{4}$ days
- (D) 3 days

65. A and B together have ₹ 640, B and C together have ₹ 580, A and C together have ₹ 860. A's sum is

- (A) ₹ 560
- (B) ₹ 500
- (C) ₹ 450
- (D) ₹ 460

66. The Merapi volcano, which is one of the most active volcanoes, is located in which country?

- (A) Indonesia
- (B) Australia
- (C) Canada
- (D) Kenya

67. Faizee lived in the court of

- (A) Humayun
- (B) Dara Shikoh
- (C) Bahadur Shah Zafar
- (D) Akbar

68. The values of x for which $x^2 + x - 90 = 0$, are

- (A) 9, 10
- (B) 6, 15
- (C) 9, -10
- (D) 5, 18

69. Which rock system has the maximum concentration of minerals?

- (A) Cuddapah System
- (B) Dharwar System
- (C) Gondwana System
- (D) Vindhyan System

70. The past participle form of the verb 'Swear' is

- (A) Swear
- (B) Swore
- (C) Sworn
- (D) Sworen

71. If a sum of money doubles itself in 10 years 6 months, it will be trebled itself in same rate of simple interest in

- (A) 21 years
- (B) 20 years
- (C) 24 years
- (D) 22 years

72. The First Battle of Panipat was fought between

- (A) Shershah Suri and Akbar
- (B) Humayun and Ibrahim Lodi
- (C) Ibrahim Lodi and Babur
- (D) Babur and Rana Sanga

73. Of the two numbers x and y , if x be increased by 15% and y be decreased by 10%, the two numbers become equal; then $x : y$ is

- (A) 3 : 2
- (B) 18 : 23
- (C) 13 : 15
- (D) 17 : 22

74. The 'Blue-eyed' person means

- (A) Gentleman
- (B) Richman
- (C) Youngman
- (D) Favourite person

75. A and B started a partnership business. A invested ₹ 500 for 9 months and B invested his capital for 6 months. Total profit was ₹ 69 and B got ₹ 46 as share of profit. B's capital is

- (A) ₹ 1,200
- (B) ₹ 1,500
- (C) ₹ 1,000
- (D) ₹ 1,600

76. 'Shavuot', which was making news recently, is a festival celebrated by which category of religious people?

- (A) Jews
- (B) Muslims
- (C) Christians
- (D) Buddhists

77. In $\triangle ABC$, $\angle B = 90^\circ$, $AB = 1.5$ cm, $AC = 2.5$ cm. The area of the triangle is

- (A) 2 sq. cm
- (B) 1.5 sq. cm
- (C) 3 sq. cm
- (D) 2.5 sq. cm

78. Which of the Vedas has been rendered musically?

- (A) Rig Veda
- (B) Sam Veda
- (C) Yayur Veda
- (D) Atharva Veda

79. The idiomatic expression 'At daggers drawn' means

- (A) violently opposed to each other.
- (B) violent to everyone.
- (C) dangerous to others.
- (D) intimate to each other.

80. Which of the following is not a strong Electrolyte?

- (A) Carbonic Acid
- (B) Hydrochloric Acid
- (C) Potassium Hydroxide
- (D) Sodium Hydroxide

81. The idiom 'Sinews of war' means
 (A) Winning a war
 (B) Money
 (C) Rescue
 (D) Disaster
82. The average of the first four of five numbers is 40 and that of the last four numbers is 25. The difference between the first and the last number is
 (A) 40
 (B) 50
 (C) 60
 (D) 70
83. Bathukamma is a floral festival celebrated in which Indian state?
 (A) Kerala
 (B) Telangana
 (C) West Bengal
 (D) Punjab
84. Which of the following rivers is also known as Vridha Ganga?
 (A) Krishna
 (B) Kaveri
 (C) Godavari
 (D) Narmada
85. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:
 He toyed _____ the idea _____ going to Delhi.
 (A) upon, for
 (B) with, of
 (C) by, on
 (D) to, in
86. "I worked for a while."
 In the above statement 'while' has been used as
 (A) Noun
 (B) Pronoun
 (C) Adverb
 (D) Adjective
87. Which 'Water Body' separates Andaman and Nicobar Islands?
 (A) 10 Degree Channel
 (B) 11 Degree Channel
 (C) Andaman Sea
 (D) Bay of Bengal
88. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:
 He is suffering _____ fever accompanied _____ headache.
 (A) from, with
 (B) of, by
 (C) in, to
 (D) None of the above
89. Instrument used for measuring very high temperature is
 (A) Pyroscope
 (B) Pyrometer
 (C) Seismograph
 (D) Xylometer
90. 'His bank account was in the black' means
 (A) he had untaxed money.
 (B) he had a credit balance.
 (C) he had a secret account.
 (D) he had a fake account.

91. Panchatantra was written by
 (A) Bhramabhat
 (B) Vishnu Sharma
 (C) Jaya Deva
 (D) None of them
92. Annie Besant arrived in India—
 (A) 1878
 (B) 1893
 (C) 1885
 (D) 1901
93. Choose the correct preposition to fill in the blank in the following sentence:
 The criminal hit the police _____ head with an iron pipe.
 (A) on
 (B) at
 (C) to
 (D) in
94. Which of the following rivers flows between Vindhyan and Satpura ranges?
 (A) Son
 (B) Mahanadi
 (C) Godavari
 (D) Narmada
95. The word 'long' indicates the dimension of shape of a thing but 'long for' means
 (A) Length
 (B) Desire
 (C) Distance
 (D) Pleasure
96. Molten rock below the surface of the earth is called
 (A) Lava
 (B) Magma
 (C) Crystals
 (D) Granite
97. If $\tan A = 1$ and $\tan B = \sqrt{3}$, the value of $\cos A \cdot \cos B - \sin A \cdot \sin B$ is
 (A) $\frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$
 (B) $\frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$
 (C) 3
 (D) 1
98. Choose the word nearest meaning to the word underlined in the following sentence:
 The children were very 'vivacious' in the playground.
 (A) Smiling
 (B) Sporting
 (C) Lively
 (D) Joyful
99. 'Myopia' is associated with
 (A) Eye
 (B) Nose
 (C) Lung
 (D) Kidney
100. 'To wink at' means
 (A) to look forward
 (B) to ignore
 (C) to criticise
 (D) to look eagerly

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