GENERAL KNOWLEDGE AND ENGLISH
(COMMON TO ALL)

Choose the correct

1. Who was the first Indian who presided over the International Court of Justice? / अंतरराष्ट्रीय स्नातक ने भारत के प्रथम अम्बेडकर की थी?
   (A) Nagendra Singh / नागेंद्र सिंह
   (B) Bhagat Singh / भगत सिंह
   (C) Dr. Hardayal / डॉ. हरदयाल
   (D) None of these / इनमें से कोई नहीं

2. Nehru Gold Cup is associated with - / नेहरू गोल्ड कप संबंधित है?
   (A) Hockey / हॉकी
   (B) Basketball / बास्केटबॉल
   (C) Cricket / क्रिकेट
   (D) Volleyball / वोलीबॉल

3. Dinko Singh is associated with - / डिंको सिंह किस खेल से संबंधित है?
   (A) Football / फुटबॉल
   (B) Boxing / बॉक्सिंग
   (C) Judo / जुडो
   (D) Badminton / बैडमिंटन

4. Who among the following was a famous Scientist and is known as the 'Father of India's Nuclear Programme'? / निम्न में से कौन एक प्रसिद्ध वैज्ञानिक था और 'भारत के परमाणु कार्यक्रम के जनक' के रूप में जाना जाता था?
   (A) Dr. Homi J. Bhabha / डॉ. होमी जे. भाभा
   (B) Dr. Satyendra Nath Bose/डॉ. सत्येन्द्र नाथ बोस
   (C) Dr. Vikram Sarabhai / डॉ. विक्रम सराबहाई
   (D) Dr. Satish Dhawan / डॉ. सतीश धवन

5. Which is not a All India Service? / निम्न में से कौन सा एक अखिल भारतीय सेवा नहीं है?
   (A) Indian Administrative Service / भारतीय प्रशासनिक सेवा
   (B) Indian Foreign Service / भारतीय विदेश सेवा
   (C) Indian Forest Service / भारतीय वन सेवा
   (D) None of the above / इनमें से कोई नहीं

6. The founder of 'Red Cross' was? / रेडक्रॉस का संस्थापक कौन था?
   (A) J.H. Durant / जे. एच. डूर्टन
   (B) Braden Polesh / ब्रेडन पोल्स
   (C) Trigwilly / ट्रिगवली
   (D) Frederick Parase / फ्रेडरिक पारसे

7. The river Mahanadi originates from which place? / महानाडी किस जगह से निकलती है?
   (A) Raipur / रायपुर
   (B) Patna / पटना
   (C) Ujjain / उज्जैन
   (D) Dehradun / देहरादून
8. Which slogan was given by the French Revolution to the world? / फ्रांसीसी क्रांति ने विश्व क्या नारा दिया था?

(A) Liberty, Authority, Equality / स्वतंत्रता, प्राधिकरण, समानता
(B) Liberty, Equality, Fraternity / स्वतंत्रता, समानता, भावंत्र
(C) Tradition, Authority, Law / परम्परा, प्राधिकरण, कानून
(D) None of the above. / इनमें से कोई नहीं

9. Bapu is the popular Nick Name of _______? / 'बापू' का प्रसिद्ध उपनाम है?

(A) Mahatma Gandhi / महात्मा गांधी
(B) Lal Bahdur Shastri / लाल बहादुर शास्त्री
(C) Moti Lal Nehru / मोतिलाल नेहरू
(D) None of the above. / इनमें से कोई नहीं

10. Main natural resource of Assam is _________? / आसम की मुख्य प्राकृतिक संसाधन क्या है?

(A) Water / पानी
(B) Fish / मछली
(C) Wood / लकड़ी
(D) Crude oil / कच्चा तेल

11. Tikarpada Crocodile Sanctuary is situated in _______ state? / टिकारपाड़ा मगरमच्छ अभयारण्य किस राज्य में स्थित है?

(A) Orissa / ओडिशा
(B) Andhra Pradesh / आंध्र प्रदेश
(C) Tamil Nadu / तमिलनाडु
(D) None of the above. / इनमें से कोई नहीं

12. Water soluble vitamins are / पानी में पूर्ण शील विटामिन होते हैं?

(A) A&D
(B) E&K
(C) B&C
(D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं

13. Bollywood is known for _______/ बॉलीवुड किस लिए प्रसिद्ध है?

(A) Film Industry / फिल्म उद्योग
(B) Sports / खेल
(C) Arts / कलाकारी
(D) Culture / संस्कृति

14. Yen (येन) is the currency (मुद्रा) of _______?

(A) Russia
(B) Pakistan
(C) Japan
(D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं
15. Mrs. Dilma Rousseff is the first woman President of _________. / सुश्री डिल्मा रोसेफ की प्रथम महिला राष्ट्रपति है?
   (A) Brazil / ब्राजील  
   (B) Uganda / उगांडा  
   (C) Peru / पेरु  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

16. Ravindra Sarovar Lake is in ________ state? / रविन्द्र सागर झील ________ राज्य में है?
   (A) Assam / असम  
   (B) Bihar / बिहार  
   (C) West Bengal / पश्चिम बंगाल  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

17. Ambedkar Football Stadium is located at ______ ? / अम्बेडकर फूटबॉल स्टेडियम कहाँ पर है?
   (A) Delhi / दिल्ली  
   (B) Bhopal / भोपाल  
   (C) Jaipur / जयपुर  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

18. In which state is the `Jasore' Wild Life sanctuary located? / जासोरे 'वन्य जीव अभयारण्य किस राज्य में स्थित है?
   (A) Gujrat / गुजरात  
   (B) Maharashtra / महाराष्ट्र  
   (C) Kerala / केरल  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

19. With which of the following books is Hobbes associated? / हॉब्स का संबंध निम्नलिखित में से किस पुस्तक के साथ है?
   (A) Lectures on Jurisprudence / लेक्चर्स ऑन ज्यूरिस्प्रुडेंस  
   (B) Republic / रिपब्लिक  
   (C) Leviathan / लेवियाथान  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

20. The book Devdas is written by ________? / देवदास पुस्तक को ________ ने लिखा है?
   (A) Sarat Chandra Chatterjee / सरत चंद्र चैतर्जी  
   (B) Jaya Dev / जयादेव  
   (C) Arundhati Roy / अरुणधाति राय  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

21. Which one of the following is not the result of underground water action? / नीम्नलिखित में कौन सा एक भूमिगत जल-क्रिया का परिणाम नहीं है?
   (A) Stalactites / हिमलुंबी  
   (B) Stalagmites / प्रतिहिमलुंबी  
   (C) Fiords / दंतुरंग  
   (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |
22. Malachite is an ore of / मैलकाइट एक खनिज है |
(A) iron / लोहा  (B) copper / तांबा  (C) mercury / पारा  (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

23. The Prime Minister of India is / भारत के प्रधानमंत्री
(A) Elected / निर्वाचित किया जाता है  (B) Nominated / मनोनिम किया जाता है  (C) Selected / चुनावता है  (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

24. Which of the following is an egg laying mammal ? / निम्नलिखित में से अंडा देने वाला स्तनपायी कौन सा है ?
(A) Bat / चमगादड (B) Leafy ant-eater / पर्णिल चीटिखार (C) Spiny ant-eater / कंटीला चीटिखार (D) None of these. / इनमें से कोई नहीं |

25. Life -span of human RBCs is about / लाल रक्त कोकिको कि तकनीक सत्र होति है?
(A) 45 days/दिन (B) 80 days (C) 120 days (D) 180 days |

Four alternatives are given for the idiom/phrase underlined in the sentence. Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase

He is always praised for his gift of the gab
(A) being lucky  (B) talent for speaking (C) great skill  (D) None of these

27. I am fully aware of your sentiments ___________ that attractive girl.
(A) towards  (B) to  (C) from  (D) for

28. What is the Collective noun for a 'group of bees' ?
(A) swarm  (B) heard  (C) flight  (D) None of these
29. Which of the following conjunctions would be appropriate to fill in the blank in the sentence 'Strike the iron _____ it is hot'?
   (A) when  (B) while
   (C) because  (D) None of these

30. A person who has no means of livelihood.
   (A) Beggar  (B) Refugee
   (C) Pauper  (D) None of these

31. The guests were served ________ tea.
   (A) with  (B) on
   (C) for  (D) to

32. What type of adverbs are the words underlined in the sentence. 'This morning I woke late. Why didn't you wake me up?'
   (A) Time, Time, Interrogative  (B) Time, Duration, Degree
   (C) Duration, Duration, Degree  (D) None of these

33. Use the correct articles/omission of articles (x) in the sentences, 'Our teacher is _____ M.L.A. People come to him for _____ advice. '?
   (A) a, a  (B) a, an
   (C) an, X  (D) None of these

34. Which of these Nouns is always used in Singular form?
   (A) Information  (B) Chief
   (C) Army  (D) God
35. What types of adjectives are the underlined words in the sentence, 'My parents are Wong people.'?
   (A) Possession, Descriptive (B) Possession, Demonstrative
   (C) Possession, Quantity (D) Demonstrative, Possessive

36. The judge sentenced him ________ death.
   (A) on (B) to
   (C) for (D)

37. What will be the Passive voice for 'They had tasted victory.'?
   (A) Victory had tasted by him? (B) Victory was tasted by them?
   (C) Victory had tasted them? (D) None of these

38. In a certain code RITA is written as SJUB. How is CUBA written in that code?
   (A) DVCB (B) CDQB
   (C) BCDQ (D) None of these

39. Four alternatives are given for the idiom/phrase underlined in the sentence. Choose the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase: The criminal was pardoned at the eleventh hour just as he was about to be hanged.
   (A) at eleven o'clock (B) at the very last moment
   (C) at midnight (D) None of these

40. Which is the correct Reported/Indirect speech form of 'She said to him, "I don't believe you."'
   (A) She said to him I don't believe you (B) She said I don't believe you
   (C) She told him that she didn't believe him (D) None of these

41. Which would be the appropriate conjunctions to fill up the blanks in the sentence, '______ did I reach the station, ______ the train started.'?
   (A) hardly, that (B) no sooner, than
   (C) soon, than (D) None of these

42. Choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word: CURTAIL
   (A) Continue (B) Resume
   (C) Start (D) None of these

43. Egg laying animals that creep or crawl.
   (A) Reptiles (B) Creepers
   (C) Primers (D) Insects

44. In a certain code GARIMA is written as 725432 and TINA as 6282. How is MARTINA written in that code?
   (A) 3256482 (B) 3265842
   (C) 3658426 (D) 3645862

45. A person who eats too much is called.
   (A) Glutton (B) Hungry
   (C) Starved (D) None of these

46. Choose the one which best expresses the meaning of the given word ALERT
   (A) watchful (B) brave
Read the passages carefully and select the correct options.

Passage 1 The psychological causes of unhappiness, it is clear, are many and various. But all have something in common. The typical unhappy man is one who, having been deprived in youth of some normal satisfaction, has come to value this one kind of satisfaction more than any other, and has therefore given to his life a one-sided direction, together with a quite undue emphasis upon the achievement as opposed to the activities connected with it. There is, however, a further development which is very common in the present day. A man may feel so completely thwarted that he seeks no form of satisfaction, but only distraction and oblivion. He then becomes a devotee of "pleasures". This is to say, he seeks to make life bearable by becoming less alive. Drunkenness, for example, is temporary suicide - the happiness that it brings is merely negative, a momentary cessation of unhappiness.

47. Who is a typical unhappy man?

(a) One who has been deprived of normal satisfaction in youth.
(b) One who finds life unbearable and attempts suicide.
(c) One who does not mind momentary unhappiness.
(d) One who seeks every form of satisfaction

48. What does "becoming less alive" imply?

(a) Neglect of health.
(b) Decline in moral values.
(c) Living in a make-believe world.
(d) Leading a sedentary way of living.

Passage 2 We should preserve Nature to preserve life and beauty. A beautiful landscape, full of green vegetation, will not just attract our attention but will fill us with infinite satisfaction. Unfortunately, because of modernization, much of nature is now yielding to towns, roads and industrial areas. In a few places some Natural reserves are now being carved out to avert the danger of destroying Nature completely. Man will perish without Nature, so modern man should continue this struggle to save plants, which give us oxygen, from extinction. Moreover, Nature is essential to man's health.
49. What does “Nature” in the passage mean?
   (a) Countryside covered with plants and trees.
   (b) Physical power that created the world.
   (c) Inherent things that determine character.
   (d) Practical study of plants and animals.

50. What does “Struggle” in the passage mean?
   (a) Man’s Struggle to exist in the world.
   (b) Man’s Struggle to save Nature.
   (c) Man’s Struggle to catch up with modern trends.
   (d) Man’s Struggle to conserve oxygen.