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### JANUARY 2017

- 1. Proposed capital of Andhra Pradesh -
- (a) Tirupati (b) Amaravathi (c) Vijayawada (d) Visakhapatnam
- **2.** Donald Trump belongs to which party?
- (a) Republican (b) Democratic (c) Conservative (d) Labour
- 3. New Chief of Army Staff -
- (a) DS Suhag (b) DS Dhanoa (c) Bipin Rawat (d) Pravin Bakshi
- 4. New Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu -
- (a) O Panneerselvam (b) Sasikala (c) Oomen Chandy (d) Karunanidhi
- 5. 2017 is the UN International Year of -
- (a) Pulses (b) Soils
- (c) Light Based Technologies (d) Sustainable Tourism for Development

- 6. Number of companies in BSE Sensex –
- (a) 25 (b) 30 (c) 50 (d)100
- 7. Volkswagen is a company based in EBCrack
- (a) Germany (b) Sweden (c) France (d) Russia
- 8. New 500 rupee note has the image of -
- (a) Mangalyaan (b) Red Fort (c) Taj Mahal (d) Tiger
- 9. Magnus Carlsen is associated with -
- (a) F1 Racing (b) Golf (c) Chess (d) Snooker
- 10. World AIDS Day is observed on -
- (a) December 25 (b) December 18 (c) December 10 (d) December 1
- 11. Theresa May is the Prime Minister of -
- (a) United Kingdom (b) Canada (c) Australia (d)New Zealand
- 12. Vitara Brezza is a car model launched by -
- (a) Hyundai (b) Honda (c) Maruti (d) Ford
- 13. New 2000 rupee note has the image of -
- (a) INS Vikramaditya (b) Mangalyaan (c) Red Fort (d) Thiruvalluvar
- 14. Chief Minister of Gujarat is -
- (a) Anandiben Patel (b) Gautam Adani (c) Hardik Patel (d) Vijay Rupani

- **15.** Which is a wind instrument?
- (a) Sitar (b) Shehnai (c) Pakhawaj (d)Mridangam
- 16. Rafale aircraft is being acquired from -
- (a) France (b) United Kingdom (c) Italy (d) Switzerland
- 17. Sundar Pichai is associated with -
- (a) Amazon (b) Microsoft (c) Google (d) Yahoo
- 18. Which tennis player retired recently (Dec 16) -
- (a) Ana Ivanovic (b) Maria Sharapova (c) Petra Kvitova (d) Venus Williams
- 19. Largest State in India is -
- (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Maharashtra (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Rajasthan
- 20. Prakash Parv is associated with which religion?
- (a) Jainism (b) Buddhism (c) Sikhism (d) Hinduism
- 21. Lava International is a mobile phone company based in -
- (a) China (b) South Korea (c) Taiwan (d) India
- **22.** Which is a foreign bank in India?
- (a) Catholic Syrian Bank (b) Citi Bank (c) Federal Bank (d) City Union Bank

- 23. The present speaker of Lok Sabha is -
- (a) Sumitra Mahajan (b) Meira Kumar (c) Sushma Swaraj (d) Najma Heptullah
- 24. Dachigam National Park is in -
- (a) Jammu & Kashmir (b) Uttarakhand (c) Assam (d) Madhya Pradesh
- 25. Nike is a multinational company with its headquarters in -
- (a) France (b) Germany (c) U.S.A. (d) Sweden
- 26. Agni-V missile has a range of about -
- (a) 1000 km (b) 3000 km (c) 5000 km (d) 10000 km
- 27. Geeta Phogat is well known -
- (a) Boxer (b) Wrestler (c) Shooter (d) Cricketer
- 28. The author of Jungle Book is -
- (a) Ruskin Bond (b) Jerry Pinto (c) Jim Corbett (d) Rudyard Kipling
- **29.** Who is not related to music?
- (a) Mozart (b) Bach (c) Picasso (d) Bethoven

**30.** 1 terabyte is equal to –

(a) 1000 gigabytes (b) 1000 megabytes (c) 10000 gigabytes (d) 10000 megabytes

31. 104th Convention of the Indian Science Congress was held at -

(a) Kolkata (b) Bhubaneshwar (c) Tirupati (d) Chennai

32. Pixel brand of mobile phones are made by -

- (a) Google (b) Microsoft (c) Amazon (d) Motorola
- 33. Sikh Guru Gobind Singh was born in -
- (a) Nanded (b) Patna (c) Amritsar (d) Talwandi
- **34.** The nationality of Antonio Guterres, the new Secretary General of UNO is –

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- (a) Portuguese (b) Austrian (c) Spanish (d) French
- 35. Sachin Bansal and Binny Bansal are associated with -

(a) PayTM (b) Ola Cabs (c) Snapdeal (d) Flipkart

36. MDR with respect to banking stands for -

- (a) Multiple Discount Rate (b) Merchant Debit Ratio
- (c) Merchant Discount Rate (d) Market Discount Ratio
- 37. The director of film Dangal is -

(a) Ali Abbas Zafar (b) Nitesh Tiwari (c) Rajkumar Hirani (d) Subhash Kapoor

- 38. Which is not an amphibian?
- (a) Toad (b) Frog (c) Salamander (d) Crocodile
- 39. Raja Ravi Varma was a famous -
- (a) Painter (b) Hunter (c) Singer (d) Physician
- 40. Who is India's External Affairs Minister?
- (a) Smriti Irani (b) Sushma Swaraj (c) Ravi Shankar Prasad (d) Manohar Parrikar
- 41. Bolivar is the currency of -
- (a) Brazil (b) Mexico (c) Venezuela (d) Spain
- 42. TAG Heuer is a famous brand of -
- (a) Watches (b) Cars (c) Jeans (d) Pens

43. Bedaquiline is a medicine used to treat -

(a) AIDS, (b) Ebola, (c) Dengue, (d) Tuberculosis

44. Sunil Bharti Mittal is associated with -

(a) Airtel (b) Vodafone (c) Telenor (d) Idea

45. Which city was severely affected by Cyclone Vardah?

(a) Visakhapatnam (b) Chennai (c) Bhubaneshwar (d) Kanya Kumari

46. Jallikattu is bull taming event held mainly in -

(a) Telangana (b) Goa (c) Karnataka (d) Tamil Nadu

47. The Chief Minister of Jammu and Kashmir is -

(a) Omar Abdullah (b) Mehbooba Sayeed (c) Ghulam Nabi Azad (d) Mufti Mohammad Sayeed

48. Who is the author of My Unforgettable Memories -

(a) Mamata Banerjee (b) Smriti Irani (c) Sushma Swaraj (d) Jayalalitha

49. Japanese art of paper folding is k<mark>n</mark>own as –

(a) Haiku (b) Ikebana (c) Origami (d) Karaoke

50. Which is not a Pro Wrestling League team?

(a) Hyderabad Hunters (b) Haryana Hammers (c) Punjab Royals (d) Dilli Veer

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51. Yakshagana is a dance form of -

(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Karnataka (c) Tamil Nadu (d) Maharashtra

52. 12 January observed as National Youth Day is the birth anniversary of

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(a) Major Dhyanchand (b) Swami Vivekanand (c) Bhagat Singh (d) Subhash Chandra Bose

53. Kadaknath is a breed of -

(a) Goat (b) Sheep (c) Chicken (d)Pig

54. First Indian to be chosen as the Person of the Year by TIME magazine -

(a) Mahatma Gandhi (b) Rabindranath Tagore (c) Mother Teresa (d) Narendra Modi

55. Most abundant element in the Universe -

(a) Helium (b) Carbon (c) Hydrogen (d) Argon

- 56. Usain Bolt belongs to which country -
- (a) Jamaica (b) USA (c) Ethiopia (d) Cuba
- 57. Mosul is a city located in -
- (a) Syria (b) Iraq (c) Yemen (d) Turkey
- 58. Liaoning is an aircraft carrier of which country -
- (a) Russia (b) South Korea (c) France (d) China
- 59. National Games in 2022 will be held in -
- (a) Meghalaya (b) Tripura (c) Kerala (d) West Bengal
- 60. The site of proposed nuclear power plant Kovvada is in -
- (a) Telangana (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Karnataka (d) Andhra Pradesh
- 61. Dingo is a type of -
- (a) Cat (b) Dog (c) Horse (d) Bull
- 62. Minimum age for which post is different from other three?
- (a) President (b) Vice-President (c) Governor (d) Member of Parliament

- 63. Fidel Castro was the former President of -
- (a) Argentina (b) Chile (c) Cuba (d) Jamaica
- 64. Padmini Rout is associated with -
- (a) Chess (b) Archery (c) Shooting (d) Squash
- 65. India holds Exercise Sampriti jointly with -
- (a) France (b) Maldives (c) Bangladesh (d) Nepal
- 66. Dr. Bindeshwar Pathak is the founder of -
- (a) Sulabh International (b) Rotary International
- (c) Lions Club (d) Save the Child Foundation
- 67. India's first International Stock Exchange has been set up at -
- (a) Mumbai (b) Gandhinagar (c) Hyderabad (d) New Delhi
- 68. Who of the following is a present nominated member of Rajya Sabha?
- (a) MC Mary Kom (b) PT Usha
- (c) Karnam Malleshwari (d) Vishwanathan Anand
- 69. The city known as City of Whispering Monuments is -
- (a) Aurangabad (b) Warangal (c) Gwalior (d) Bidar
- 70. Which was inscribed in the UNESCO World Heritage Sites list in 2016?

- (a) Khangchendzonga National Park (b) Bandhavgarh National Park
- (c) Bhitarkanika National Park (d) Jim Corbett National Park
- 71. Education is a fundamental right in India for children of age -
- (a) 6 to 14 years (b) 8 to 14 years (c) 4 to 16 years (d) 5 to 15 years
- 72. Christine Lagarde is the current MD of -
- (a) World Bank (b) International Monetary Fund
- (c) World Health Organisation (d) UNESCO
- 73. Ignis is the latest model of car launched by -
- (a) Hyundai (b) Maruti (c) Toyota (d) Ford
- 74. Diabetes is caused by poor functioning of -
- (a) Liver (b) Kidneys (c) Pancreas (d) Thyroid
- 75. How many countries compete at the FIFA World Cup? (a)
- 24 (b) 26 (c) 28 (d) 32
- 76. Giant Panda is mostly found in which country?
- (a) Russia (b) China (c) Greenland (d) Canada
- 77. Which festival occurs at a different time from the other three?

- (a) Sankranti (b) Ugadi (c) Lohri (d) Pongal
- 78. Which is the second longest river of India?
- (a) Godavari (b) Yamuna (c) Narmada (d) Krishna
- 79. World Wide Web was founded by -
- (a) Bill Gates (b) Jimmy Wales (c) Tim Berners Lee (d) Jack dorsey
- 80. Filmfare Best Film award for the current year has been given to -
- (a) Dangal (b) Udta Punjab (c) Sultan (d) Aligarh
- 81. Which river originates near Mahabaleshwar?
- (a) Godavari (b) Krishna (c) Narmada (d) Tapti
- 82. The founder of Paytm is -
- (a) Vijay Shekhar Sharma (b) Jack Ma
- (c) Sachin Bansal (d) Phanindra Sharma
- 83. Gangasagar Fair is held in -
- (a) Bihar (b) West Bengal (c) Jharkhand (d) Assam
- 84. Filmfare Best Actor (Female) for 2016 awarded to -

(a) Deepika Padukone (b) Kangana Ranaut (c) Alia Bhatt (d) Anushka Sharma

85. Team which won the 2016-17 Ranji Trophy?

(a) Mumbai (b) Hyderabad (c) Baroda (d) Gujarat

86. The first country to run all its trains on wind power-

- (a) Finland (b) Denmark (c) France (d) The Netherlands
- 87. MI6 is the intelligence agency of -
- (a) Israel (b) Russia (c) United Kingdom (d) France
- 88. Which is the only country where lemurs are found?
- (a) Madagascar (b) Mozambique (c) Maldives (d) Congo
- 89. The Capital of Mizoram is -

(a) Agartala (b) Kohima (c) Aizwal (d) Imphal

**90.** In which year (prior to 2016) were the high value currency notes demonetized?

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(a) 1978 (b) 1977 (c) 1976 (d) 1979

91. Vincent van Gogh belonged to which country?

- (a) Spain (b)The Netherlands (c) Italy (d)France
- 92. Jeevan Nedunchezhiyan is associated with -
- (a) Tennis (b) Cricket (c) Football (d)Chess
- 93. Murrah is a well-known breed of -
- (a) Buffalo (b) Horse (c) Goat (d)Sheep
- 94. Mission 41K has been launched by -
- (a) ONGC (b) Indian Railways (c) Air India (d) BSNL
- 95. Kampala is the capital of -
- (a) Nigeria (b) Sudan (c) Uganda (d) Congo
- 96. World's first carbon negative country is -
- (a) Denmark (b) Finaland (c) Japan (d) Bhutan
- 97. Mikhail Kalashnikov is the well-known inventor of -
- (a) Atom Bomb (b) AK-47 (c) Cluster Bomb (d) INSAS Rifle
- **98.** Donald Trump is the \_\_\_\_\_ President of USA
- (a) 42nd (b) 43rd (c) 44th (d) 45th

99. The author of Ratnavali was -

(a) Bana Bhatt (b) Harshavardhana (c) Chand Bardai (d) Kalidasa

**100.** Which planet has the shortest day?

(a) Mercury (b) Venus (c) Jupiter (d) Mars

101. Puskas Award is associated with which sport?

(a) Cricket (b) Baseball (c) Golf (d) Football

102. Golden Globe Award 2017 for the Best Animated Film was given to -

(a) Zootopia (b) Anomalisa (c) The Good Dinosaur (d) Moana

**103.** Which king introduced the Saka era, adopted as the Indian National Calendar?

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(a) Chandragupta II (b) Ashoka (c) Kanishka (d) Harshavardhana

**104.** Trident nuclear deterrent is associated with which country?

(a) U.S.A. (b) United Kingdom (c) France (d) Germany

**105.** Pablo Picasso belonged to which country?

(a) France (b) Germany (c) Spain (d) Italy

**106.** The new Vice-President of the USA is –

(a) David Shulkin (b) Mike Pence (c) Woody Johnson (d) Dan Coats

107. Lowest layer of atmosphere is -

(a) Troposphere (b) Stratosphere (c) Mesosphere (d) Ionosphere

108. The Child is the Father of Man is a quote by -

(a) John Keats (b) William Shakespeare (c) John Milton (d) William

Wordsworth

109. Osteology is the study related to -

(a) bones (b) teeth (c) ears (d) intestines

**110.** Lions in India are mainly found in –

(a) Gujarat (b) Haryana (c) Jharkhand (d) Assam

**111.** Which day was declared as the Independence Day in Lahore session of Indian National Congress?

(a) January 26 (b) August 15 (c) March 23 (d) October 2

112. National Voters Day is observed on -

(a) January 20 (b) January 22 (c) January 25 (d) January 27

- **113.** Which animal is extinct in India?
- (a) Lion (b) Leopard (c)Cheetah (d) Hyena
- 114. The longest river in Asia is -
- (a) Yangtze (b) Indus (c) Hwang-ho (d) Brahmaputra
- 115. Losoong Festival is celebrated in -
- (a) Manipur (b) Nagaland (c) Tripura (d) Sikkim
- 116. Author of Panchatantra -
- (a) Kalidasa (b) Somadeva (c) Vishnu Sharma (d) Kautilya
- 117. Apurvi Chandela is associated with -
- (a) Boxing (b) Shooting (c) Wrestling (d) Kick-boxing
- **118.** Spiders belong to which class?
- (a) Xiphosura (b) Eurypterida (c) Pycnogonida (d) Arachnida
- 119. India's first satellite Aryabhatta was launched in -
- (a) 1974 (b) 1975 (c) 1976 (d) 1977
- 120. Chemical used to induce artificial rain
- (a) Silver Iodide (b) Calcium Carbine (c) Sodium Hydroxide (d) Silver Bromide

- 121. The common animal with the scientific name canis lupus is –
- (a) Dog (b) Cat (c) Cow (d) Buffalo
- 122. 16 Psyche is the name of -
- (a) Planet (b) Comet (c) Asteroid (d) Galaxy
- **123.** The headquarters of European Central Bank which administers the currency Euro are in –
- (a) Paris (b) Frankfurt (c) London (d) Geneva
- 124. The first complete census of India was held in the year -
- (a) 1881 (b) 1871 (c) 1891 (c) 1901
- **125.** Flamingo Festival is organised in which State?
- (a) Telangana (b) Karnataka (c) Nagaland (d) Andhra Pradesh
- 126. Vitamin B1 is the common name of -
- (a) Thiamine (b) Riboflavine (c) Retinol (d) Calciferol
- 127. Alamatti dam is located on river

(a) Godavari (b) Narmada (c) Krishna (d) Kaveri

**128.** How many letters does a PAN number have?

(a) 5 (b) 6 (c) 7 (d) 10

129. January 23 is the birth anniversary of -

(a) Swami Vivekananda (b) Subhash Chandra Bose

(c) Rabindranath Tagore (d) Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar

**130.** Hollywood, the centre of American film industry is located in which US State?

(a) Florida (b) Oregon (c) California (d) Idaho

131. Hornbill Festival is organised in which State?

(a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Tripura (c) Nagaland (d) Sikkim

132. Yogakshemam Vahamyaham is the tag line of -

(a) HDFC Life Insurance (b) SBI Life Insurance

(c) Bharti AXA Life Insurance (d) Life Insurance Corporation

**133.** Peugeot is a car manufacturing company with its headquarters in

(a) France (b) Italy (c) Germany (d) Sweden

134. DND Flyway connects Delhi with

(a) Faridabad (b) Noida (c) Jaipur (d) Agra

135. Kambala is a traditional buffalo race held in the State of

(a) Karnataka (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Telangana (d) Kerala

**136.** Which Jamaican athlete tested positive for drugs recently?

(a) Nesta Carter (b) Usain Bolt (c) Asafa Powell (d) Michael Frater

**137.** The Constitution of India was signed by the members of the Constituent Assmebly on –

(a) 26 November 1949 (b) 24 January 1950 (c) 26 January 1950 (d) 27 January 1950

138. Mt Vinson Massif is located in -

(a) North America (b) Antarctica (c) Africa, (d) Europe

139. Alexander fought Porus on the banks of river -

(a) Ravi (b) Beas (c) Sutlej (d) Jhelum

140. Navroze marks the new year of which community -

(a) Parsees (b) Santhals (c) Khasis (d) Sikhs

141. The founder of Red Cross movement was -

(a) Baden Powell (b) JH Dunant (c) Melvin Jones (d) Florence Nightingale

142. Mahesh Das is well known as -

(a) Birbal (b) Tansen (c) Tulsidas (d) Guru Nanak

143. Ahatguri in Assam is famous for -

(a) Bullock-cart racing (b) Cock fighting (c) Bull taming (d) Buffalo fighting

**144.** The rate at which the Reserve Bank of India lends money to commercial banks is known as –

(a) Repo Rate (b) Base Rate (c) Bank Rate (d) Reverse Repo Rate

145. Favre Leuba is a famous brand of -

(a) Cars (b) Shoes (c) Cosmetics (d) Watches

146. Minamata disease is caused due to the poisoning effect of -

(a) Mercury (b) Cadmium (c) Iron (d) Cotton

147. Beating Retreat ceremony at the Rashtrapathi Bhavan is held on -

(a) 27 January (b) 28 January (c) 29 January (d) 30 January

148. Which was India's summer capital during British rule?

(a) Darjeeling (b) Simla (c) Srinagar (d) Nainital

**149.** Which sportsperson recently rejected an honorary doctorate from Bangalore University?

(a) Rahul Dravid (b) Anil Kumble (c) Kapil Dev (d) Sachin Tendulkar

150. Santhara is a practice associated with -

(a) Buddhism (b) Sikhism (c) Zoroastrianism (d) Jainism

### Answers

1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (c) 4. (a) 5. (d) 6. (b) 7. (a) 8. (b) 9. (c) 10. (d) 11. (a) 12. (c) 13. (b) 14. (d) 15. (b) 16. (a) 17. (c) 18. (a) 19. (d) 20. (c) 21. (d) 22. (b) 23. (a) 24. (a) 25. (c) 26. (c) 27. (b) 28. (d) 29. (c) 30. (a) 31. (c) 32. (a) 33. (b) 34. (a) 35. (d) 36. (c) 37. (b) 38. (d) 39. (a) 40. (b) 41. (c) 42. (a) 43. (d) 44. (a) 45. (b) 46.(d) 47. (b) 48. (a) 49. (c) 50. (a) 51. (b) 52. (b) 53. (c) 54. (a) 55. (c) 56. (a) 57. (b) 58. (d) 59. (a) 60. (d) 61. (b) 62. (d) 63. (c) 64. (a) 65. (c) 66. (a) 67. (b) 68. (a) 69. (d) 70. (a) 71. (a) 72. (b) 73. (b) 74. (c) 75. (d) 76. (b) 77. (b) 78. (a) 79. (c) 80. (a) 81. (b) 82. (a) 83. (b) 84. (c) 85. (d) 86. (d) 87. (c) 88. (a) 89. (c) 90. (a) 91. (b) 92. (a) 93. (a) 94. (b) 95. (c) 96. (d) 97. (b) 98. (d) 99. (b) 100. (c) 101. (d) 102. (a) 103. (c) 104. (b) 105. (c) 106. (b) 107. (a) 108. (d) 109. (a) 110. (a) 111. (a) 112. (c) 113. (c) 114. (a) 115. (d) 116. (c) 117. (b) 118. (d) 119. (b) 120. (a) 121. (a) 122. (c) 123. (b) 124. (a) 125. (d) 126. (a) 127.)(c) 128. (b 129. (b) 130. (c) 131. (c) 132. (d) 133. (a) 134. (b) 135. (a) 136. (a) 137. (b) 138. (b) 139. (d) 140. (a) 141. (b) 142. (a) 143. (d) 144. (c) 145. (d) 146. (a) 147. (c) 148. (b) 149. (a) 150. (d) 5 BCrac

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- 1. Rani-ki-vav is located in –
- (a) Adalaj (b) Patan (c) Isanpur (d) Asarwa
- 2. The airport of Lakshdweep is located on -
- (a) Agatti island (b) Kavaratti island (c) Minicoy island (d) Bangaram island
- 3. Who has won the maximum Grand Slam Men's Singles titles?
- (a) Novak Djokovic (b) Rafael Nadal (c) Roger Federer (d) Pete Sampras

**4.** Travellers from which country have not been banned from entry into the US?

- (a) Iran (b) Iraq (c) Sudan (d) Pakistan
- 5. As per Chinese Zodiac, 2017 is the year of -
- (a) Rooster (b) Monkey (c) Sheep (d) Dragon
- 6. Tirhuta script is used to write which language?
- (a) Manipuri (b) Maithili (c) Sindhi (d) Konkani
- 7. Hojagiri dance is native to which State?
- (a) Sikkim (b) Odisha (c) Assam (d) Tripura
- 8. The ancient text Padmavat was written by -
- (a) Malik Mohammad Jaysi (b) Chand Bardai
- (c) Bana Bhatt (d) Kalidasa
- 9. Patkai hills in India are located on its border with -
- (a) Bhutan (b) Nepal (c) Myanmar (d) Pakistan
- 10. The tree of Azadirachta indica is commonly known as
- (a) Peepal (b) Neem (c) Banyan (d) Mango
- 11. Which is not a Dravidian language?
- (a) Tamil (b) Telugu (c) Kannada (d) Konkani
- 12. World Cancer Day is observed every year on -
- (a) February 4 (b) February 5 (c) February 6 (d) February 7
- 13. Sham No Varunah is the motto of
- (a) Indian Air Force (b) Indian Navy (c) Coast Guard (d) CRPF
- **14.** Wijk aan Zee, the regular venue of Tata Steel Chess Tournament, is located in

- (a) South Korea (b) Finland (c) The Netherlands (d) China
- 15. Which day is not associated with Mahatma Gandhi?
- (a) October 2 (b) January 9 (c) January 30 (d) March 23
- 16. Ferrari is a sports car manufacturer based in -
- (a) Germany (b) Italy (c) Sweden (d) France
- 17. Which city hosts the Kala Ghoda Art festival in February every year?
- (a) Mumbai (b) Jaipur (c) Kolkata (d) Bengaluru

18. Which year saw the shifting of capital of India from Calcutta to Delhi? (a)

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1905 (b) 1908 (c) 1911 (d) 1915

- 19. World Economic Outlook is published by -
- (a) International Monetary Fund (b) World Bank
- (c) World Economic Forum (d) U.N.O.
- **20.** Which of the following rivers is the longest?
- (a) Brahmaputra (b) Indus (c) Ganga (d) Ravi
- 21. Kazi Nazrul Islam airport is located in -
- (a) Durgapur (b) Aligarh (c) Muzaffarpur (d) Bidar
- 22. Which motorcycle company has used metal from INS Vikrant to
- manufacture one of its models?
- (a) Hero (b) Bajaj (c) TVS (d) Honda
- 23. Gerontologist deals with diseases of -
- (a) Women (b) Children (c) Aged persons (d) New borns
- 24. Who does not submit his resignation to the President?
- (a) Vice-President (b) Prime Minister (c) Governor (d) Lok Sabha Speaker
- **25.** At which Indian port was an oil spill caused by the collision of two ships in January 2017?
- (a) Kochi (b) Chennai (c) Visakhapatnam (d) Kakinada
- 26. As of 31 Dec 2016, which State tops in solar power generation?
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Maharashtra
- 27. Sports channel DSPORT has been launched in India by -
- (a) Comcast (b) Discovery Comm. (c) Dish Network (d) Doordarshan
- 28. Youngest Indian to win an Olympic medal so far is -

- (a) Saina Nehwal (b) Sakshi malik (c) PV Sindhu (d) Gagan Narang
- 29. What is the quorum to constitute a sitting of Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha?
- (a) one-fourth (b) one-fifth (c) one-eighth (d) one-tenth
- 30. C language was developed by -
- (a) Dennis Ritchie (b) James Gosling (c) Larry Wall (d) Tim Berners Lee
- **31.** Which type of animal is a gecko?
- (a) Lizard (b) Snake (c) Spider (d) Bird
- 32. Bhoj Wetland is located in which city?
- (a) Indore (b) Surat (c) Bhopal (d) Jabalpur
- 33. R in QR Code stands for -
- (a) Reading (b) Response (c) Reckoning (d) Register
- 34. Hill station Dalhousie is located in -
- (a) Himachal Pradesh (b) Uttarakhand (c) West Bengal (d) Jammu and Kashmir

- 35. The tablet given to children for deworming -
- (a) Omeprazole (b) Albendazole (c) Metronidazole (d) Ciproflaxin
- 36. Lamitye is a joint military exercise by India and -
- (a) Maldives (b) Latvia (c) Mauritius (d) Seychelles
- 37. The capital of Dadra and Nagar Haveli is -
- (a) Silvassa (b) Diu (c) Haveli (d) Daman
- 38. The largest asteroid in solar system is -
- (a) Ganymede (b) Ceres (c) Vesta (d) Juno
- 39. Saurabh and Sameer Verma are associated with which sport?
- (a) Tennis (b) Snooker (c) Badminton (d) Table Tennis
- 40. E in VoLTE with respect to mobile communication stands for -
- (a) Encryption (b) Encapsulation (c) Exception (d) Evolution
- 41. Which mountain pass is used by pilgrims to Mansarovar?
- (a) Zojila (b) Shipki La (c) Lipulekh (d) Rohtang

- 42. Gorakhpur, the site of a nuclear power plant is located in -
- (a) Haryana (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Bihar (d)Rajasthan
- 43. Domiasiat in Meghalaya is well-known for reserves of -

(a) Gold (b) Thorium (c) Copper (d) Uranium

- 44. Number of MLAs in UP Legislative Assembly is -
- (a) 402 (b) 404 (c) 406 (d) 408
- 45. How many players take the field on each side in Kabaddi? (a)

5 (b) 6 (d) 7 (d) 8

- 46. Which is an eating disorder?
- (a) Bulimia (b) Dyslexia (c) Progeria (d) Dementia
- 47. Warli painting is indigenous to which State?
- (a) Gujarat (b) Rajasthan (c) Odisha (d) Maharashtra
- 48. The famous Brihadeshwara temple is located at -
- (a) Madurai (b) Thanjavur (c) Rameshwaram (d) Kanchipuram
- 49. Employment News is published by the Ministry of –
- (a) Home Affairs (b) Labour and Employment
- (c) Information and Broadcasting (d) Human Resource Development
- 50. Baikonur rocket launching station is located in -
- (a) Kazhakastan (b Russia (c) Ukraine (d) Georgia
- 51. Juno spacecraft is orbiting which planet -
- (a) Mars (b) Jupiter (c) Venus (d) Saturn
- 52. The longest railway platform is located in -
- (a) Kharagpur (b) Durgapur (c) Gorakhpur (d) Visakhapatnam
- 53. Mathematical Principles of Natural Philosophy was written by -
- (a) Issac Newton (b) Charles Darwin (c) Albert Einstein (d) Galileo
- 54. Which is not an endocrine gland?
- (a) Pineal Gland (b) Adrenal Gland (c) Thyroid Gland (d) Salivary Gland
- 55. Unbreakable is a book written by -
- (a) Mary Kom (b) Milkha Singh (c) Yuvraj Singh (d) Virat Kohli
- 56. Adhai din ka jhonpra in Ajmer was built by -
- (a) Alauddin Khilji (b) Qutubuddin Aibak (c) Iltutmish (d) Feroz Shah

Tughlak

- 57. Which award is given to the winners of National Film Awards in India?
- (a) Golden Elephant (b) Golden Peacock (c) Golden Lotus (d) Golden Palm
- 58. High Court of Madhya Pradesh is located in -
- (a) Bhopal (b) Indore (c) Gwalior (d) Jabalpur
- 59. Which State is the largest producer of saffron in India?
- (a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Himachal Pradesh
- (c) Uttarakhand (d) Sikkim
- 60. The famous train dacoity by Ram Prasad Bismil, Ashfaqulla Khan and others took place at –
- (a) Champaran (b) Kakori (c) Chittagong (d) Bardoli
- 61. Which is both an endocrine and an exocrine gland?
- (a) Sebaceous Gland (b) Pancreas (c) Kidneys (d) Adrenal Gland
- 62. Ambassador of which country to India died recently?
- (a) Russia (b) Ukraine (c) Kazakhastan (d) Georgia 🎽
- **63.** A Brief History of Time is written by –
- (a) Stephen Hawking (b) Albert Einstein (c) Bertrand Russell (d) Edwin Hubble
- 64. Low blood sugar in human body is known as -
- (a) Hyperglycemia (b) Hypernatrimia (c) Hypoglycemia (d) Hypotension
- 65. Which stringed instrument has the most number of strings?
- (a) Guitar (b) Ukulele (c) Violin (d) Sitar
- 66. Mossad is the intelligence agency of which country?
- (a) Palestine (b) Israel (c) Iran (d) North Korea
- 67. Who is the present coach of Indian cricket team?
- (a) Anil Kumble (b) Ravi Shastri (c) Rahul Dravid (d) Duncan Fletcher
- 68. Who is the present Chairman of ISRO?
- (a) Shailesh Nayak (b) AS Kiran Kumar (c) Avinash Chander (d) Ved
- Prakash
- 69. Which animal can breathe under water?
- (a) Whale (b) Dolphin (c) Shark (d) Crocodile

- 70. How many sheets does a ream of paper contain?
- (a) 100 sheets (b) 200 sheets (c) 300 sheets (d) 500 sheets
- 71. Khullam Khulla is a book written by
- (a) Naseeruddin Shah (b) Rishi Kapoor (c) Akshay Kumar (d) Salman Khan
- 72. Oseltamivir phosphate is generally prescribed for -
- (a) Malaria (b) AIDS (c) Swine Flu (d) Tuberculosis
- 73. The BIS hallmark for 24 carat gold is -
- (a) 958 (b) 999 (c) 916 (d) 875
- 74. Sar Utha ke Jiyo is the tag line of -
- (a) HDFC Life Insurance (b) Birla Sun Life Insurance
- (c) Aviva Life Insurance (d) Sahara India Life Insurance
- 75. The equivalent of Captain of the Indian Navy in the Indian Army
- (a) Captain (b) Brigadier (c) Lt Colonel (d) Colonel
- 76. Which State in India has the highest number of Buddhists?
- (a) Sikkim (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Maharashtra (d) Himachal Pradesh
- 77. Vijay Ghat is the memorial of which leader?
- (a) Lal Bahadur Shastri (b) Indira Gandhi (c) Jai Prakash Narayan (d)

Morarjee Desai

- 78. Mycology is the study of -
- (a) Bacteria (b) Fungi (c) Insects (d) Parasites
- 79. The outermost layer of the Earth is known as -
- (a) Lithosphere (b) Mantle (c) Crust (d) Core
- 80. How many States in India have a coastline?
- (a) Nine (b) Eight (c) Seven (d) Ten
- 81. Drakensberg is a mountain range in -
- (a) Asia (b) Australia (c) Africa (d) Antarctica
- 82. The first woman Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu was -
- (a) Jayalalitha (b) Janaki Ramachandran (c) VM Rajalakshmi (d) Sasikala
- 83. Counter Insurgency and Jungle Warfare School is located in -
- (a) Manipur (b) Mizoram (c) Assam (d) Meghalaya
- 84. Qantas Airlines is based in which country?

(a) Russia (b) Australia (c) Germany (d) France

**85.** In which State was the first diamond block auctioned by the Government of India?

(a) Chhattisgarh (b) Karnataka (c) Jharkhand (d) Madhya Pradesh

**86.** Which Indian cricketer was the fastest to reach 250 test wickets before R Ashwin?

(a) Kapil Dev (b) Anil Kumble (c) Harbhajan Singh (d) BS Chandrashekhar

87. With which musical instrument is Sandeep Das associated?

(a) Tabla (b) Sitar (c) Guitar (d) Violin

88. Which Indian satellite was launched along with 103 other satellites by

ISRO on February 15, 2017

(a) SCATSAT-1 (b) INSAT-3DR (c) IRNSS-3G (d) Cartosat 2D

89. Which State is the largest producer of jute in India?

(a) Jharkhand (b) Rajasthan (c) West Bengal (d) Bihar

90. Which country does not have any river flowing through it?

(a) Egypt (b) Israel (c) Iran (d) Saudi Arabia 🔍 🤇

91. With which sport is Jehan Daruvala associated?

(a) Snooker (b) Car Racing (c) Golf (d) Squash

92. Basin irrigation is usually used for the cultivation of -

(a) Rice (b) Grapes (c) Sugarcane (d) Oranges

93. TAMRA portal and app has been launched by the Ministry of -

(a) Railways (b) Agriculture (c) Mines (d) External Affairs

94. Who was the teacher of Alexander?

(a) Plato (b) Archimedes (c) Socrates (d) Aristotle

95. How many kilograms equal 1 bale of cotton in India?

(a) 150 kg (b) 170 kg (c) 190 kg (d) 210 kg

96. Which popular singer won 5 awards at 2017 Grammy Awards?

(a) Adele Adkins (b) Christiana Aguilera (c) Rihanna (d) Beyonce

**97.** How many States in India do not have either a coastline or an international border?

(a) 3 (b) 4 (c) 5 (d) 6

- 98. Who was the eldest son of Shahjahan?
- (a) Aurangzeb (b) Shah Shuja (c) Murad Baksh (d) Dara Shikoh
- 99. In which of the following the male gives birth to its offspring?
- (a) Seahorse (b) Octopus (c) Scorpion (d) Platypus
- 100. Oil rich Mangala area is located in -
- (a) Gujarat (b) Maharashtra (c) Rajasthan (d) Assam
- 101. Simone Biles is associated with which sport?
- (a) Gymnastics (b) Athletics (c) Tennis (d) Swimming
- 102. Oncology is the study of -
- (a) Nervous system (b) Cancer (c) Kidneys (d) Tuberculosis
- 103. Carat when used with precious stones is a measure of -
- (a) Purity (b) Brightness (c) Weight (d) Volume
- 104. Lufthansa is an airline company headquartered in -
- (a) Germany (b) France (c) Austria (d) Spain
- **105.** Which State is surrounded on three sides by Bangladesh?
- (a) Mizoram (b) Nagaland (c) Tripura (d) Manipur
- **106.** Which acid is present in bee sting?
- (a) Citric Acid (b) Acetic Acid (c) Sulphuric Acid (d) Formic Acid
- **107.** How many Indian Prime Ministers have died while in office? (a)
- 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 1
- 108. Tundra region is non-existent in -
- (a) Europe (b) Asia (c) North America (d) Africa
- 109. Bimbisara belonged to which of the following dynasties?
- (a) Mauryan (b) Haryanka (c) Nanda (d) Kushan
- 110. Foreign exchange reserves are kept in the custody of -
- (a) Reserve Bank of India (b) Government treasury
- (c) EXIM Bank (d) State Bank of India
- 111. 19 February is observed as the birth anniversary of -
- (a) Shivaji (b) Tipu Sultan (c) Rana Pratap (d) Lokmanya Tilak
- 112. Reunion Island in the Indian Ocean is the territory of -
- (a) Germany (b) Portugal (c) France (d) Spain

113. Vyas Samman is a literary award given by -

(a) Sahitya Akademi (b) KK Birla Foundation (c) Madhya Pradesh Govt (d) Bhartiya Jnanpith

**114.** The flag of which country is not rectangular in shape?

(a) Bhutan (b) Mongolia (c) Nepal (d) Vietnam

115. Stonehenge is a prehistoric monument located in -

- (a) France (b) Columbia (c) Venezuela (d) England
- 116. The smallest breed of dog is -
- (a) Chihuahua (b) Pomeranian (c) Spaniel (d) Shih Tzu
- 117. The first human heart transplant was performed by Dr. Christiaan Barnard in –

(a) United States (b) South Africa (c) France (d) Germany

**118.** The headquarters of Indian Space Research Organisation are located in

(a) Sriharikota (b) Thiruvananthapuram (c) Ahmedabad (d) Bengaluru

119. How many countries have land border with India?

(a) Five (b) Six (c) Seven (d) Eight

- **120.** Which company manufactures C-17 Globemaster aircraft?
- (a) Boeing (b) Airbus (c) Lockheed Martin (d) Agusta
- **121.** Ichthyology is the study of –
- (a) Spiders (b) Ants (c) Bats (d) Fishes
- **122.** Which is the largest land-locked country in the world?
- (a) Kazhakstan (b) Mongolia (c) Switzerland (d) Afghanistan

123. John Napier is the well-known discoverer of -

(a) Trigonometry (b) Logarithms (c) Calculus (d) Matrices

124. Aviva plc is an multinational insurance company headquartered in -

(a) Munich (b) Paris (c) London (d) Tokyo

**125.** In which state is a wild ass sanctuary located?

(a) Gujarat (b) Assam (c) Jharkhand (d) Telangana

126. The process of applying a zinc coating on iron is known as -

(a) Vulcanisation (b) Galvanisation (c) Brazing (d) Annealing

127. Becquerel is the unit of -

(a) Electromagnetism (b) Luminous Intensity (c) Conductance (d) Radioactivity

128. To which dynasty did Rani Rudramma Devi belong?

(a) Satvahana (b) Chola (c) Kakatiya (d) Chalukya

129. Sofia is the capital of -

(a) Belgium (b) Bulgaria (c) Serbia (d) Romania

130. Ganymede is the satellite of which planet?

(a) Mars (b) Neptune (c) Jupiter (d) Uranus

131. Srivilliputhur Wildlife Sanctuary in Tamil Nadu is famous for -

(a) Niligiri Tahr (b) Grizzled Squirrel (c) Elephant (d) Tiger

**132.** Which country is the most populated in Europe?

(a) Germany (b) France (c) Spain (d) Turkey

**133.** Which of the following is not a mammal?

(a) Sea Lion (b) Sea Otter (c) Sea Cow (d) Sea horse

134. Satoshi Nakamoto is associated with -

(a) World Bank (b) Bitcoin (c) Wiki Leaks (d) NASA

**135.** Which is the least populated State in India?

(a) Mizoram (b) Nagaland (c) Sikkim (d) Goa

136. Who defeated the Marathas in the 3rd Battle of Panipat?

(a) Ahmed Shah Abdali (b) Nadir Shah (c) Aurangzeb (d) The British

137. The slogan Aaram Haraam Hai is attributed to -

(a) Mahatma Gandhi (b) Subhash Chandra Bose

(c) Bhagat Singh (d) Jawaharlal Nehru

138. At present the number of Navratna CPSEs is -

(a) Nine (b) Twelve (c) Seventeen (d) Nineteen

**139.** Which instrument is used for finding the speed of wind?

(a) Anemometer (b) Udometer (c) Altimeter (d) Barometer

**140.** Which of the following countries has Hindi as one of its official languages?

(a) Bhutan (b) Fiji (c) Pakistan (d) Nepal

### Answers

1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (c) 4. (d) 5. (a) 6. (b) 7. (d) 8. (a) 9. (c) 10. (b) 11. (d) 12. (a) 13. (b) 14. (c) 15. (d) 16. (b) 17. (a) 18. (c) 19. (a) 20. (b) 21. (a) 22. (b) 23. (c) 24. (d) 25. (b) 26. (a) 27. (b) 28. (c) 29. (d) 30. (a) 31. (a) 32. (c) 33. (b) 34. (a) 35. (b) 36. (d) 37. (a) 38. (b) 39. (c) 40. (d) 41. (c) 42. (a) 43. (d) 44. (b) 45. (c) 46. (a) 47. (d) 48. (b) 49. (c) 50. (a) 51. (b) 52. (c) 53. (a) 54. (d) 55. (a) 56. (b) 57. (c) 58. (d) 59. (a) 60. (b) 61. (b) 62. (a) 63. (a) 64. (c) 65. (d) 66. (b) 67. (a) 68. (b) 69. (c) 70. (d) 71. (b) 72. (c) 73. (b) 74. (a) 75. (d) 76. (c) 77. (a) 78. (b) 79. (c) 80. (a) 81. (c) 82. (b) 83. (a) 84. (b) 85. (d) 86. (b) 87. (a) 88. (d) 89. (c) 90. (d) 91. (b) 92. (a) 93. (c) 94. (d) 95. (b) 96. (a) 97. (b) 98. (d) 99. (a) 100. (c) 101. (a) 102. (b) 103.(c) 104. (a) 105. (c) 106. (d) 107. (b) 108. (d) 109. (b) 110. (a)

111. (a) 112. (c) 113. (b) 114. (c) 115. (d) 116. (a) 117. (b) 118. (d) 119. (c) 120. (a)

121. (d) 122. (a) 123. (b) 124. (c) 125. (a) 126. (b) 127. (d) 128. (c) 129. (b) 130. (c)

131. (b) 132. (a) 133. (d) 134.(b) 135. (c) 136. (a) 137. (d) 138. (c) 139. (a) 140. (b)

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- 1. Which of the following is larger than the other three?
- (a) Mizoram (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Assam (d) Nagaland
- 2. Most cactus plants do not have -
- (a) Leaves (b) Flowers (c) Stem (d) Roots
- 3. Indian Council for Cultural Relations was founded by -
- (a) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (b) C. Rajagopalachari
- (c) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (d) Indira Gandhi
- 4. The flag of which country has the image of a dragon on it?
- (a) Bhutan (b) China (c) Thailand (d) South Korea
- 5. Uber Cup is associated with which sport?
- (a) Lawn Tennis (b) Golf (c) Football (d) Badminton
- 6. Defence undertaking Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers Ltd is headquartered at –

- (a) Mumbai (b) Kolkata (c) Goa (d) Kochi
- 7. The playing time of the Indian National Anthem is -
- (a) 48 seconds (b) 50 seconds (c) 52 seconds (d) 56 seconds
- 8. Hill station Mahabaleshwar is located in the -
- (a) Satpura Hills (b) Vindhyas (c) Aravali Hills (d) Sahyadri Hills
- 9. International Women's Day is observed on -
- (a) March 6 (b) March 7 (c) March 8 (d) March 9
- **10.** Which of the following is fully unreserved superfast train?
- (a) Antyodaya Express (b) Humsafar Express (c) Garib Rath Express (d) Suvidha Express
- 11. Great Sport, Great Spirit is the motto of -
- (a) FIDE (b) FIFA
- (c) International Cricket Council (d) International Olympic Committee
- **12.** Where is the Indian National Defence University proposed to be set up?
- (a) Gurugram (b) Pune (c) Vadodara (d) Nagpur
- **13.** Which State has the highest percentage of its area under forests?
- (a) Assam (b) Jharkhand (c) Uttarakhand (d) Mizoram

14. Who of the following was known as the Lion of Parliament?

(a) Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee (b) Lala Lajpat Rai

(c) Atal Bihari Vajpayee (d) Jai Prakash Narayan

15. Who of the following translated the Ramayana into Persian?

(a) Abul Fazl (b) Faizi (c) Rahim (d) Ibn Batuta

16. Where in Karnataka is RBI's Note Press located?

(a) Mysore (b) Mangalore (c) Kalaburagi (d) Dharwad

**17.** Which of the following was the first to be conferred the status of a classical language?

(a) Sanskrit (b) Tamil (c) Telugu (d) Bengali

18. 'Lipstick under my burkha' is a film directed by -

(a) Nitesh Tiwari (b) Alankrita Srivastava (c) Vishal Pandya (d) Vishal Bharadwaj

19. Nyctalopia is commonly known as -

(a) Short Sight (b) Long Sight (c) Lazy Eye (d) Night Blindness

20. At which place in Madhya Pradesh is an oil refinery located?

(a) Bina (b) Jabalpur (c) Indore (d) Ratlam

21. Which State has the lowest percentage of its area under forests?

(a) Kerala (b) Rajasthan (c) Punjab (d) Telangana

**22.** Who adopted the policy of blood and iron against rebels, traitors and robbers?

(a) Balban (b) Alauddin Khilji (c) Sikandar Lodhi (d) Iltutmish

23. Where is the Central Institute of Indian Languages located?

(a) Hyderabad (b) Tirupati (c) Mysore (d) Agra

24. 'For the Game, For the World' is the motto of -

(a) FIFA (b) International Tennis Federation

(c) International Olympic Committee (d) International Hockey Federation

25. Who of the following was instrumental in establishing the Indian

Institute of Science?

(a) Ghanshyam Das Birla (b) Jamshetji Tata

(c) Jamnalal Bajaj (d) Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar

**26.** A question in Parliament to which an oral answer is desired by the member is –

(a) Short Notice Question (b) Starred Question

(c) Unstarred Question (d) Prior Notice Question

27. Which of the following games has the largest court (playing area)?

- (a) Tennis (b) Volleyball (c) Basketball (d) Handball
- 28. Which was the first spacecraft to make a landing on the moon?
- (a) Luna 2 (b) Apollo 1 (c) Apollo 11 (d) Luna 3
- 29. Which Sikh guru became the Guru at the age of 5 years?
- (a) Guru Ram Das (b) Guru Hara Rai (c) Guru Tegh Bahadur (d) Guru Har Kishan
- **30.** Who of the following is/was not a painter?
- (a) Tyeb Mehta (b) Ramkinkar Baiz (c) Syed Haider Raza (d) Jamini Roy
- **31.** RACEMO Sports Car was recently unveiled by –
- (a) Maruti Suzuki (b) Toyota (c) Hyundai (d) Tata Motors
- 32. Xiaomi is a smartphone manufacturer based in -
- (a) China (b) South Korea (c) Taiwan (d) Japan
- **33.** For Income Tax assessees 100% of tax liability is to be paid by which date every year?
- (a) 01 March (b) 15 March (c) 22 March (d) 31 March
- 34. Who is the founder of space transport services company, SpaceX?
- (a) Jeff Bezos (b) Elon Musk (c) Evan Spiegel (d) Jack Dorsey
- 35. Galena is an ore of which metal?
- (a) Gold (b) Silver (c) Lead (d) Platinum
- 36. Aircraft carrier INS Viraat was formerly named -
- (a) Admiral Gorshkov (b) Admiral Kuznetsov (c) HMS Hercules (d) HMS Hermes
- 37. Which device is used to convert alternating current to direct current?
- (a) Rectifier (b) Transformer (c) Resistor (d) Inductance
- 38. Chand Bibi of Bijapur fought against the forces of -
- (a) Aurangzeb (b) Akbar (c) Alauddin Khilji (d) Bahadur Shah

- **39.** In which district of Andhra Pradesh is the temple of Tirupati located?
- (a) Kadapa (b) Anantpur (c) Chittoor (d) Nellore
- 40. Which State hosts the annual Surajkund crafts fair?
- (a) Haryana (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Uttar Pradesh (d) Rajasthan
- 41. What is the unit of blood glucose measurement?
- (a) mmol/L (b) mmHg (c) mm/Dl (d) mol/ml
- 42. One who studies and analyses elections is known as -
- (a) Philologist (b) Psephologist (c) Sophiology (d) Graphology
- 43. Festival of Holi falls on -
- (a) New Moon Day (b) Full Moon Day
- (c) One day before Full Moon (d) One day after New Moon
- **44.** Who was the first to go to jail as a journalist during the Indian

freedom movement?

(a) Lokmanya tilak (b) Mahatma Gandhi (c) Surendranath Banerjee (d)

Aruna Asaf Ali

- 45. Which is the biggest national park in India?
- (a) Jim Corbett National Park (b) Kaziranga National Park
- (c) Kanha National Park (d) Hemis National Park
- 46. Which is the largest muscle in the human body?
- (a) Gluteus Maximus (b) Latissimus dorsi (c) Stapedius (d) Sartorius
- 47. Which is the first word of the Rig Veda?
- (a) Indra (b) Agni (c) Surya (d) Shiva
- 48. In which country is the Taklamakan Desert located?
- (a) Egypt (b) Saudi Arabia (c) China (d) Argentina
- 49. Curcumin is a substance found in -
- (a) Saffron (b) Cinnamon (c) Capsicum (d) Turmeric
- 50. Which country has the most countries touching its borders?
- (a) China (b) Germany (c) Zimbabwe (d) Brazil
- 51. Which of the following is the only floating national park in India?
- (a) Balphakram National Park (b) Khirganga National Park
- (c) Mouling National Park (d) Keibul Lamjao National Park

- 52. Asafoetida is obtained from which part of the plant?
- (a) Resin (b) Stigma (c) Fruit (d) Flower bud
- 53. Which country has the most number of official languages?
- (a) Argentina (b) Zimbabwe (c) Spain (d) United Kingdom
- 54. Which is the largest producer of rubber in the world?
- (a) Brazil (b) Indonesia (c) Thailand (d) India
- 55. Aguada Central Jail is located in -
- (a) Pune (b) Port Blair (c) Goa (d) Puducherry
- 56. Which of the following is a monosaccharide?
- (a) Lactose (b) Fructose (c) Maltose (d) Sucrose
- 57. Dadasaheb Phalke Award is given by the Ministry of -
- (a) Information and Broadcasting (b) Culture
- (c) Home Affairs (d) Human Resource Development
- 58. In which organ of the body do we find alveoli?
- (a) Kidneys (b) Pancreas (c) Liver (d) Lungs
- **59.** With which of the following companies is Karshanbhai Patel associated?
- (a) Nirma (b) Hindalco (c) Lupin (d) Essar
- 60. C in FMCG (with respect to companies) stands for?
- (a) Cosmetic (b) Consumer (c) Competitive (d) Cheap
- 61. Which plant is known as the Terror of Bengal?
- (a) Water Hyacinth (b) Lantana Camara (c) Congress Grass (d) Money Plant

- 62. The Jallianwala Bagh massacre occurred in the year -
- (a) 1918 (b) 1919 (c) 1917 (d) 1916
- 63. In which country is the Komodo Dragon, the largest lizard found?
- (a) Madagascar (b) Indonesia (c) Brazil (d) Tanzania
- 64. In which of the following countries do vehicles run on the right?
- (a) Australia (b) Japan (c) China (d) South Africa
- 65. Heavy Vehicles Factory is located at -
- (a) Jabalpur (b) Nasik (c) Avadi (d) Khadki
- 66. The headquarters of International Cricket Council are located at -

- (a) London (b) Melbourne (c) New Delhi (d) Dubai
- 67. Gingivitis is a disease affecting the -
- (a) Gums (b) Ears (c) Eyes (d) Throat
- 68. Which is the largest freshwater lake in the world?
- (a) Lake Baikal (b) Lake Superior (c) Lake Victoria (d) Lake Michigan
- 69. An example of ball and socket joint in the human body can be found in the

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- (a) Shoulder (b) Knees (c) Ankles (d) Elbow
- 70. Manali Oil Refinery is located in which State?
- (a) Uttarakhand (b) Assam (c) Himachal Pradesh (d) Tamil Nadu
- 71. In which part of the body are nephrons found?
- (a) Brain (b) Kidneys (c) Lungs (d) Liver
- 72. Direct action, overwrite, boot, polymorphic are types of -
- (a) Browsers (b) Programs (c) Viruses (d) Processors
- 73. Which animal is not native to Africa?
- (a) Orangutan (b) Chimpanzee (c) Gorilla (d) Okapi
- 74. Maoris are people native to -
- (a) Canada (b) Greenland (c) Finland (d) New Zealand
- 75. यतो धम\_\_\_\_ततो जयः Whence Dharma, Thence victory is the motto of

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(a) Indian Air Force (b) Parliament (c) Supreme Court (d) University Grants Commission

76. Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute is located in -

- (a) Pune (b) Vadodara (c) Varanasi (d) Dehradun
- 77. River Narmada empties into the sea at -
- (a) Gulf of Kutch (b) Gulf of Khambhat (c) Gulf of Mannar (d) Laccadive Sea
- 78. In which year did the Fukushima nuclear disaster occur?
- (a) 2008 (b) 2009 (c) 2010 (d) 2011
- 79. Which acid is used in the production of fertilizers?
- (a) Nitric Acid (b) Hydrochloric Acid (c) Sulphuric Acid (d) Carbonic Acid
- 80. Which article of the Indian Constitution contains the fundamental

### duties?

- (a) Article 21A (b) Article 35 (c) Article 51A (d) Article 52
- 81. In which State is the Sessa Orchid Sanctuary located?
- (a) Mizoram (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Arunachal Pradesh (d) Sikkim
- 82. In which city was the Sheroes Hangout first opened in 2015?
- (a) Delhi (b) Agra (c) Jaipur (d) Kolkata
- 83. Ficus Reliogosa is the scientific name of which common tree?
- (a) Peepal (b) Neem (c) Banyan (d) Tulasi
- 84. In which country is Mt. Etna located?
- (a) Germany (b) Switzerland (c) Finland (d) Italy
- 85. Black Pagoda is located in -
- (a) Ladakh (b) Dharamshala (c) Konark (d) Gangtok
- **86.** Who of the following was known as Father of Indian Unrest by the British?
- (a) Lokmanya Tilak (b) Gopal Krishna Gokhale
- (c) Mahatma Gandhi (d) Surya Sen 558 Crock
- 87. Kalbelia is a folk dance form of which state?
- (a) Gujarat (b) Rajasthan (c) Himachal Pradesh (d) Uttarakhand
- 88. In which city is the Jolly Grant airport located?
- (a) Jodhpur (b) Chandigarh (c) Shimla (d) Dehradun
- **89.** Which State in India has the highest density of population as per 2011 census?
- (a) Kerala (b) Bihar (c) West Bengal (d) Jharkhand
- 90. If a doctor writes h.s. against a medicine, the medicine is to be taken -
- (a) at bedtime (b) twice in a day (c) after meals (d) before breakfast
- 91. Sela Pass is located in which State?
- (a) Sikkim (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Uttarakhand (d) Himachal Pradesh
- 92. Redmi is a model of smartphone manufactured by -
- (a) Xiaomi (b) Sony (c) Apple (d) Blackberry
- 93. Nowruz is the new year celebrated by -
- (a) Buddhists (b) Baha'is (c) Parsis (d) Jews

94. Radhakishan Damani is the founder of which company?

(a) Big Bazar (b) Spencers c) Foodworld (d) DMart

**95.** Which is the most reactive element?

(a) Flourine (b) Sodium (c) Caesium (d) Phosphorus

96. Who of the following is considered the inventor of atomic bomb?

(a) Samel Cohen (b) Edward Teller (c) Rober Oppenheimer (d) Alfred Nobel

97. Which dynasty constructed the Brihadeswara Temple in Thanjavur?

(a) Cholas (b) Kakatiyas (c) Pallavas (d) Chalukyas

98. FIFA World Cup 2018 is scheduled to be held in -

(a) Germany (b) Netherlands (c) Russia (d) China

99. Ongole is a famous breed of which domestic animal?

(a) Goat (b) Bull (c) Buffalo (d) Camel

**100.** Which sea separates Africa and Europe?

(a) Red Sea (b) Dead Sea (c) Gulf of Aden (d) Mediterranean Sea

**101.** Which State carved out 7 new districts out of its existing 9 districts recently?

(a) Mizoram (b) Nagaland (c) Manipur (d) Tripura

**102.** With which country does India conduct the joint military exercise named Khanjar?

(a) Kyrgystan (b) Kazhakastan (c) Bangladesh (d) Mongolia

**103.** The city in which India's first Railway University is proposed to be set up –

(a) Gurugram (b) Vadodara (c) Secunderabad (d) Bhopal

**104.** In which country is the Whanganui river located?

(a) China (b) Thailand (c) Cambodia (d) New Zealand

**105.** Which of the following is a non-metal and liquid at room temperature?

(a) Bromine (b) Sodium (c) Mercury (d) Potassium

**106.** In which place is an oil refinery located in Madhya Pradesh?

(a) Babina (b) Bina (c) Gwalior (d) Jabalpur

107. What type of living being is an Alexandra's Birdwing

(a) Beetle (b) Fish (c) Butterfly (d) Bird

108. Sheikh Zayed Stadium is located in -

- (a) Pakistan (b) Bangladesh (c) South Africa (d) U.A.E
- **109.** Which of the following is the common name for Ascorbic Acid?
- (a) Vitamin A (b) Vitamin B (c) Vitamin C (d) Vitamin D

110. The escape velocity on earth is about -

(a) 10 km/s (b) 11.2 km/s (c) 15 km/s (d) 22 km/s

111. In which part of the body are rods and cones found?

(a) Eye (b) Stomach (c) Intestines (d) Bones

112. Unwanted and unsolicited e-mail received is known as -

(a) Junk (b) Trash (c) Spam (d) Subscription

**113.** Which zoo in India recently added penguins to its collection of animals?

(a) Alipore Zoo, Kolkata (b) Veermata Jijabai Udyan, Mumbai

(c) Chhatbir Zoo, Chandigarh (d) National Zoo, Delhi

114. Ulaanbataar is the capital of -

(a) Kazakhstan (b) Uzbekistan (c) East Timor (d) Mongolia

115. Stratus, Cirrus and Cumulonimbus are types of -

(a) Clouds (b) Ocean currents (c) Sea winds (d) Rainfall

116. National Philatelic Museum is located in -

(a) Mumbai (b) Chennai (c) New Delhi (d) Hyderabad

**117.** Which of the following does not have a Northern Command?

(a) Indian Army (b) Indian Navy (c) Indian Air Force (d) Both 2 and 3

118. Horsley Hills is a hill station located in -

(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) Puducherry (d) Kerala

119. European Central Bank, the central bank for Euro, is located in -

(a) Frankfurt (b) Geneva (c) London (d) Madrid

**120.** India's first mission to the moon, Chandrayaan was launched in the year –

(a) 2006 (b) 2007 (c) 2008 (d) 2009

121. Rani Jhansi Marine National Park is located in -

(a) Andaman & Nicobar Islands (b) Lakshdweep Islands

(c) Tamil Nadu (d) Kerala

122. Poorna is film directed by -

(a) Nitesh Tiwari (b) Rakeysh O. Mehra (c) Rahul Bose (d) Omung Kumar

**123.** Ocimum Sanctumum is the scientific name of which common plant?

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(a) Tulasi (b) Neem (c) Sandalwood (d) Coriander

**124.** Which is the Upper House of Congress in the United States?

(a) House of Representatives (b) Senate

(c) House of Lords (d) House of Commons

- 125. In which state is the Hazara Rama Temple located?
- (a) Karnataka (b) Telangana (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Tamil Nadu

126. Who of the following was known as Rajarshi?

(a) Madan Mohan Malviya (b) Purshottam Das Tandon

(c) Deen Dayal Upadhyay (d) Syama Prasad Mukherjee

127. Which river is also known as Lavanavati?

(a) Chambal (b) Mahanadi (c) Luni (d) Kosi

128. Platelet count is severely affected in which of the following diseases?

(a) Cholera (b) Typhoid (c) Tuberculosis (d) Dengue

**129.** Which monument was constructed to generate employment during a famine in 1784?

(a) Bada Imambara, Lucknow (b) Buland Darwaza, Fatehpur Sikri

(c) Charminar, Hyderabad (d) Gateway of India, Mumbai

**130.** Which of the following is different from the other three?

(a) ebay (b) Amazon (c) Alibaba (d) PayPal

131. Which plant is commonly known as touch-me-not plant?

(a) Ailanthus triphysa (b) Mimosa pudica (c) Musa paradisicum (d) Ananas sativus

**132.** Which desert is rich in gold reserves?

(a) Atacama (b) Arabian (c) Thar (d) Gobi

**133.** Tinea Pedis affects which part of the body?

(a) Ear (b) Heart (c) Stomach (d) Feet

134. Who wrote the famous line 'The child is the father of man'?

(a) Lord Tennyson (b) John Keats (c) William Wordsworth (d) RL Stevenson

**135.** In which layer of atmosphere is the ozone layer found?

(a) Troposphere (b) Stratosphere (c) Mesosphere (d) Exosphere

**136.** In which city is the statue of Christ the Redeemer located?

(a) Rio de Janeiro (b) Mexico City (c) Buenes Aires (d) Sao Paolo

**137.** Which is the largest island in the Indian Ocean?

(a) Sri Lanka (b) Mauritius (c) Maldives (d) Madagascar

**138.** The Red Shirts movement was led by –

(a) Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan (b) Maulana Azad

(c) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan (d) Lala Lajpat Rai

139. The ISD code of U.S.A. is -

(a) +11 (b) +1 (c) +21 (d) +2

140. Who has the right to decide whether a bill is a money bill or not?

(a) President (b) Prime Minister (c) Lok Sabha Speaker (d) Finance Minister

141. Shiv Nadar is the founder of which company?

(a) Hexaware Technologies (b) HCL Enterprise

(c) Cognizant Technologies (d) Lenovo India

142. Who discovered the noble gases xenon, neon, argon and krypton?

(a) William Ramsay (b) Humphry Davy (c) Joseph Priestley (d) Henry Cavendish

143. Raghu Rai is a well-known –

(a) Painter (b) Film Director (c) Photographer (d) Sportsperson

144. Manohar Parrikar has become the Chief Minister of Goa for the -

(a) First time (b) Second time (c) Third time (d) Fourth time

**145.** Which President introduced the Visitor's Award for Central

Universities in India?

(a) Shri APJ Abdul Kalam (b) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

(c) Dr. Radhakrishnan (d) Shri Pranab Mukherjee

146. Which planet has a moon named Phobos?

(a) Mars (b) Jupiter (c) Saturn (d) Neptune

**147.** Next to Mandarin, which language has the most number of native speakers in the world?

(a) English (b) Arabic (c) Hindi (d) Spanish

148. Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics is located in -

(a) Kolkata (b) Bhubaneswar (c) Mumbai (d) Bengaluru

149. Gyan Prasarak Mandali was formed by -

(a) Lokmanya Tilak (b) Dadabhai Naoroji

(c) Gopal Krishna Gokhale (d) Raja Rammohan Roy

150. Which body separates Asian and European part of Turkey?

(a) Bosphorus strait (b) Kiel Canal (c) St. George's Channel (d) Strait of Baltiysk

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151. Business Standard Company of the Year Award 2017 was given to -

(a) Axis Bank (b) Indigo Airlines (c) NTPC (d) Spicejet

152. World Consumer Rights Day is observed on -

(a) March 8 (b) March 12 (c) March 15 (d) March 20

153. Helicopter display team of the Indian Air Force is known as -

(a) Sarang (b) Surya Kiran (c) Thunderbird (d) Saras

154. What is the name of GPS system launched by China?

(a) BeiDou (b) Weibo (c) Liaoning (d) Shenzou

155. Which of the following has both Upper and Lower houses in its

Parliament (Bicameral)?

(a) Nepal (b) Bangladesh (c) Sri Lanka (d) Bhutan

156. Which of the following is NOT a hormonal disease?

(a) Diabetes (b) Goitre (c) Acromegaly (d) Anaemia

**157.** Propagation of which plant is NOT carried out by stem cuttings?

- (a) Apple (b) Sugarcane (c) Tea (d) Rose
- **158.** Regal Cinema in which city closed down its business recently?

(a) Mumbai (b) Delhi (c) Jaipur (d) Kolkata

**159.** Which of the following is the oldest cricket tournament in India?

(a) Vijay Hazare Trophy (b) Irani Trophy (c) Ranji Trophy (d) Deodhar Trophy

160. Rh factor in human blood is named after a species of -

(a) Monkey (b) Frog (c) Fish (d) Bird



#### Answers

1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (c) 4. (a) 5. (d) 6. (b) 7. (c) 8. (d) 9. (c) 10. (a) 11. (c) 12. (a) 13. (d) 14. (a) 15. (b) 16. (a) 17. (b) 18. (b) 19. (d) 20. (a) 21. (c) 22. (a) 23. (c) 24. (a) 25. (b) 26. (b) 27. (d) 28. (a) 29. (d) 30. (b) 31. (d) 32. (a) 33. (b) 34. (b) 35. (c) 36. (d) 37. (a) 38. (b) 39. (c) 40. (a) 41. (a) 42. (b) 43. (b) 44. (c) 45. (d) 46. (a) 47. (b) 48. (c) 49. (d) 50. (a) 51. (d) 52. (a) 53. (b) 54. (c) 55. (c) 56. (b) 57. (a) 58. (d) 59. (a) 60. (b) 61. (a) 62. (b) 63. (b) 64. (c) 65. (c) 66. (d) 67. (a) 68. (b) 69. (a) 70. (d) 71. (b) 72. (c) 73. (a) 74. (d) 75. (c) 76. (a) 77. (b) 78. (d) 79. (a) 80. (c) 81. (c) 82. (b) 83. (a) 84. (d) 85. (c) 86. (a) 87. (b) 88. (d) 89. (b) 90. (a) 91. (b) 92. (a) 93. (c) 94. (d) 95. (a) 96. (c) 97. (a) 98. (c) 99. (b) 100. (d) 101. (c) 102. (a) 103.(b) 104. (d) 105. (a) 106. (b) 107. (c) 108. (d) 109. (c) 110. (b)

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- 1. Which country has the highest greenhouse gas emissions?
- (a) U.S.A. (b) Russia (c) India (c) China
- 2. Aditya Puri is the Managing Director of -
- (a) HDFC Bank (b) ICICI Bank (c) Yes Bank (d) Federal Bank

**3.** Taktsang Lhakhang (Tiger's Nest), a Buddhist temple is located in which country?

- (a) Nepal (b) China (c) Myanmar (d) Bhutan
- 4. Abdel Fattah el-Sisi is the President of which country?
- (a) Libya (b) Egypt (c) Tunisia (d) Syria
- 5. Ayodhya is situated on the banks of river -
- (a) Sarayu (b) Gomti (c) Betwa (d) Yamuna
- 6. Gulabo Sapera is associated with which form of folk dance?
- (a) Jhumar (b) Garba (c) Kalbelia (d) Lavani
- 7. Areawise which is the largest district in India?
- (a) Jaisalmer (b) Kutch (c) Leh (d) Anantapur
- 8. Which bone is not attached to any other bone in the human body?

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- (a) Stapes (b) Patella (c) Hyoid (d) Scapula
- 9. The minimum age for election as a member of Panchayat is -
- (a) 21 years (b) 25 years (c) 27 years (d) 30 years
- 10. Dantidurga was the founder of which ancient dynasty in India?
- (a) Chalukyas (b) Sunga (c) Rashtrakutas (d) Satavahana
- 11. World Health Organisation was formed on -
- (a) April 3 (b) April 5 (c) April 7 (d) April 9
- 12. Hundred years war was fought between -

(a) England and France (b) England and Spain (c) France and Germany (d) France and Italy

- 13. Gun metal is an alloy of -
- (a) Copper, Nickel and Zinc (b) Copper, Tin and Zinc
- (c) Bronze and Tin (d) Bronze and Zinc
- 14. Three laws of planetary motion were given by -
- (a) Johannes Kepler (b) Issac Newton (c) Albert Einstein (d)Galileo Galilei
- 15. Which Indian President was known as the Philosopher President?
- (a) Shri APJ Abdul Kalam (b) Dr. Rajendra Prasad
- (c) Dr. Radhakrishnan (d) Shri Pranab Mukherjee
- 16. By which treaty did the British sell Kashmir to Maharaja Gulab Singh?
- (a) Treaty of Purandar (b) Treaty of Lahore
- (c) Treaty of Allahabad (d) Treaty of Amritsar
- **17.** Which of the following was merged with SBI before 2017?
- (a) State Bank of Mysore (b) State Bank of Indore
- (c) State Bank of Hyderabad (d) State Bank of Patiala
- 18. Which of the following tribes is not native to Bihar and West Bengal?
- (a) Warli (b) Gond (c) Santal (d) Munda
- 19. Which town in Uttar Pradesh is known for its brass works?
- (a) Meerut (b) Firozabad (c) Moradabad (d) Faizabad
- **20.** How many emirates constitute the United Arab Emirates?
- (a) Four (b) Five (c) Six (d) Seven
- **21.** Which country has the highest number of legislators in its Parliament?
- (a) India (b) Germany (c) United Kingdom (d) China
- 22. Which State in India has the longest coastline?
- (a) Gujarat (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) West Bengal (d) Odisha
- 23. The High Court of Uttarakhand is located in -
- (a) Dehradun (b) Almora (c) Pauri Garhwal (d) Nainital
- 24. Which metal is responsible for the red colour of human blood?
- (a) Magnesium (b) Iron (c) Copper (d) Sodium
- 25. Which section of the Indian Penal Code deals with cheating and

dishonestly inducing delivery of property?

- (a) Section 378 (b) Section 398 (c) Section 420 (d) Section 444
- 26. In which State is Nanda Devi is located?
- (a) Jammu & Kashmir (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Sikkim (d) Uttarakhand
- 27. Krittivasi Ramayana is written in which language?
- (a) Bengali (b) Odiya (c) Sanskrit (d) Assamese
- **28.** In which State does the river Mahanadi originate?
- (a) Jharkhand (b) Chhattisgarh (c) Odisha (d) Bihar
- 29. Ace Against Odds is a book written by -
- (a) Saina Nehwal (b) Leander Paes (c) Sania Mirza (d) Vijay Amritraj

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- **30.** Which disease is transmitted by sand fly?
- (a) Kala Azar (b) Sleeping Sickness (c) Encephalitis (d) Plague
- 31. The headquarters of NASA are located in -
- (a) New York (b) Washington D.C. (c) Los Angeles (d) Atlanta
- 32. Jacob Zuma is the President of -
- (a) South Africa (b) Zimbabwe (c) Tanzania (d) Nigeria
- 33. Which State is the largest producer of salt in India?
- (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat (d) Karnataka
- 34. Which of these incidents occurred on Baisakhi day?
- (a) Launch of Quit India Movement (b) Jallianwalla Bagh massacre
- (c) Beginning of Dandi March (d) Execution of Bhagat Singh
- 35. Stockholm is the capital of -
- (a) Finland (b) Norway (c) Sweden (d) Denmark
- 36. The first match of IPL 2017 season was played at -
- (a) Chandigarh (b) Hyderabad (c) Pune (d) Rajkot
- **37.** River Nile does not pass through which country?
- (a) Libya (b) Egypt (c) Sudan (d) Uganda
- 38. St Petersburg in Russia was formerly named?
- (a) Stalingrad (b) Volgograd (c) Insterburg (d) Leningrad
- 39. The sole members of kingdom Monera are -
- (a) Mushrooms (b) Mammals (c) Viruses (d) Bacteria

- 40. Cassini is a NASA spacecraft to which planet?
- (a) Uranus (b) Saturn (c) Jupiter (d) Mars
- 41. The number of languages recognised by Indian Constitution is -
- (a) 21 (b) 22 (c) 23 (d) 24
- 42. Borra caves are located in -
- (a) Visakhapatnam (b) Aurangabad (c) Bastar (d) Bhubaneswar
- 43. Anand in Gujarat is famous for -
- (a) Textile industry (b) Diamond industry (c) Glass works (d) Dairy industry
- 44. The lowest officer rank in the Indian Navy is -
- (a) Second Lieutenant (b) Sub Lieutenant (c) Lieutenant (d) First

Lieutenant

- 45. The rate at which RBI borrows money from banks is known as -
- (a) Bank rate (b) Repo rate (c) Reverse Repo rate (d) Base rate
- 46. Sleeping on Jupiter is a book written by -
- (a) Anuradha Roy (b) Arundhati Roy (c) Jhumpa Lahiri (d) Chetan Bhagat
- 47. Bhilai steel plant is located in
- (a) Odisha (b) Chhattisgarh (c) Bihar (d) West Bengal
- 48. Which of the following is the fastest flying bird?
- (a) Ostrich (b) Bald Eagle (c) Hummingbird (d) Penegrine Falcon
- 49. Which company manufactures Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs)?
- (a) ECIL (b) Infosys (c) Engineers India Ltd (d) Beetel Teletech
- 50. When the total expenditure exceeds total receipts it is known as -
- (a) Revenue Deficit (b) Primary Deficit (c) Budget Deficit (d) Fiscal Deficit
- 51. 2017 marks 100 years of which important event?
- (a) Jallianwalla Bagh tragedy (b) Champaran Satyagraha
- (c) Partition of Bengal (d) Quit India movement
- **52.** Tashkent is the capital of which country?
- (a) Uzbekistan (b) Tajikistan (c) Turkmenistan (d) Kyrgyzstan
- **53.** The headquarters of International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF) located in –
- (a) Lausanne (b) Geneva (c) London (d) Monaco

54. In which State is the Nokrek Biosphere Reserve located?

(a) Nagaland (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Sikkim (d) Meghalaya

55. Brine is an aqueous solution of -

(a) Sodium Chloride (b) Sodium Hydroxide (c) Sodium Carbonate (d)

Sodium Bicarbonate

56. Which chemical is used in embalming bodies?

(a) Dioxane (b) Petrolatum (c) Formalin (d) Ethyl Acrylate

57. Teejan Bai is associated with which of the following folk singing style?

(a) Kalbelia (b) Nautanki (c) Pandavani (d) Burra katha

58. High Altitude Warfare School is located in -

(a) Gulmarg (b) Dalhousie (c) Wellington (d) Pithoragarh

**59.** Which scientist is associated with the discovery of sodium, barium, calcium and boron?

(a) Joseph Priestley (b) Humphry Davy (c) Henry Cavendish (d) William Ramsay

60. International Date Line passes through - CC

(a) 0 degrees longitude (b) 180 degrees E/W longitude

(c) 90 degrees latitude (d) 360 degrees longitude

**61.** Who is the only Indian to have won a gold medal (individual) at the Olympics?

(a) Leander Paes (b) Sushil Kumar (c) Mary Kom (d) Abhinav Bindra

62. Speed of light is maximum in -

(a) Solids (b) Liquids (c) Gases (d) Vacuum

63. Which type of soil is predominantly found in Indo-Gangetic plains?

(a) Alluvial soil (b) Laterite soil (c) Peaty soil (d) Arid soil

64. Sahara Desert can be visited in which of the following countries?

(a) Saudi Arabia (b) Kuwait (c) Egypt (d) Yemen

65. The memorial of Dr. BR Ambedkar is known as -

(a) Karma Bhoomi (b) Chaitya Bhoomi (c) Samta Sthal (d) Narayan Ghat

66. Which mineral is an ingredient of talcum powder?

(a) Magnesium (b) Manganese (c) Zinc (d) Aluminium

- 67. Who was appointed the first Viceroy of India after the 1857 mutiny?
- (a) Lord Curzon (b) Lord Canning (c) Lord Ripon (d) Lord Dufferin
- 68. Etihad Airways is an airline company based in -
- (a) Saudi Arabia (b) Kuwait (c) U.A.E. (d) Libya
- 69. The shape of coccus bacteria is generally -
- (a) Spherical (b) Rod like (c) Comma shaped (d) Spiral
- 70. Miranda House is a college located in -
- (a) Mumbai (b) Delhi (c) Kolkata (d) Chennai
- 71. Which virus has been linked with birth defect microcephaly?
- (a) Ebola (b) H1N1 (c) Zika (d) H5N1
- 72. The Tropic of Cancer does not pass through which Indian State?
- (a) Bihar (b) West Bengal (c) Tripura (d) Mizoram
- 73. Coconut oil is a rich source of -
- (a) Malic acid (b) Lauric acid (c) Formic acid (d) Tartaric acid
- 74. Which sporting event is not held in the same year as the other three?
- (a) Commonwealth Games (b) Asian Games
- (c) Football World Cup (d) Cricket World Cup
- 75. What percentage of earth's surface is covered by land? (a)
- 29% (b) 32% (c) 35% (d) 26%
- 76. Rakhigarhi is an archaeological site located in -
- (a) Rajasthan (b) Haryana (c) Gujarat (d) Punjab
- 77. In which year was the Supreme Court of India established? (a)
- 1947 (b) 1949 (c) 1950 (d) 1955
- 78. Sattriya is a classical dance form of which State?
- (a) Assam (b) West Bengal (c) Odisha (d) Kerala
- 79. Who said, "If God were to tolerate untouchability, I would not
- recognize him as God at all"?
- (a) Mahatma Gandhi (b) BR Ambedkar (c) Bal Gangadhar Tilak (d) Vinobha

Bhave

- **80.** Which river is known as Singi Khamban in Tibet?
- (a) Brahmaputra (b) Sutlej (c) Jhelum (d) Indus

81. Indian Institute of Petroleum and Energy is located at -

(a) Visakhapatnam (b) Vadodara (c) Mumbai (d) Mathura

82. Nikkei is a stock market index related to -

(a) New York Stock Exchange (b) Hong Kong Stock Exchange

(c) Tokyo Stock Exchange (d) National Stock Exchange

83. Alang in Gujarat is famous for -

(a) Diamond industry (b) Ship breaking (c) Textile industry (d) Dairy industry

84. Which material is also called plumbago?

(a) Teflon (b) Platinum (c) Graphite (d) Diamond

85. Which airport lies on the banks of river Beas?

(a) Shimla (b) Dehradun (c) Chandigarh (d) Bhuntar

86. Who was the first Indian to be elected to the British House of

Commons?

(a) Rabindranath Tagore (b) Dadabhai Naoroji

(c) Jamshetji Tata (d) Madame Bhikaji Cama OC

87. In which State is the Rumtek Monastery located?

(a) Sikkim (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Jammu and Kashmir (d) Arunachal Pradesh

88. Which of the following is called the Shrimp Capital of India?

(a) Ongole (b) Chittoor (c) Rajahmundry (d) Nellore

89. The Southern Command of Indian Army is headquartered at –

(a) Chennai (b) Bengaluru (c) Pune (d) Thiruvananthapuram

**90.** Who was the Chairman of the States Committee of the Constituent Assembly?

(a) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (b) Jawaharlal Nehru

(c) Dr. BR Ambedkar (d) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

**91.** With which country is 457 Visa related?

(a) United States (b) Oman (c) UAE (d) Australia

92. The colour of sky as observed from space during daytime is -

(a) Black (b) Blue (c) White (d) Red

93. Deuterium is an isotope of -

(a) Uranium (b) Hydrogen (c) Helium (d) Thorium

94. Which disease does not affect the skin?

(a) Vitiligo (b) Tetanus (c) Psoriasis (d) Leprosy

95. The process by which plants lose water into the atmosphere is known as

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(a) Transpiration (b) Osmosis (c) Perspiration (d) Photosynthesis

96. Who was the first Chairman of Indian Space Research Organisation?

(a) Satish Dhawan (b) MGK Menon (c) Vikram Sarabhai (d) K

Kasturirangan

97. Saline tolerant Pokkali rice is grown in -

(a) Gujarat (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Kerala

**98.** Motto of which organisation is 'It is better to light a candle than curse the darkness',

(a) Transparency International (b) Amnesty International

(c) UNESCO (d) Worldwide Fund for Nature

99. The shape of Bacillus bacteria is generally -

(a) Spherical (b) Comma shaped (c) Rod like (d) Spiral

**100.** Which of the following monuments is not made of marble?

(a) Humayun's Tomb (b) Moti Masjid (c) Tomb of Idmat-ud-duala (d) Taj Mahal

101. With which State is Bhavai dance form associated?

(a) Gujarat (b) Rajasthan (c) Chhattisgarh (d) Odisha

**102.** Who was the first Indian Chief of Naval Staff to hold the rank of Admiral?

(a) AK Chatterji (b) SM Nanda (c) RD Katari (d) BS Soman

103. Which city is on the banks of river Chao Phraya?

(a) Singapore (b) Kuala Lumpur (c) Bangkok (d) Hong Kong

104. Viruses that infect bacteria are called -

(a) Methanogens (b) Pathogens (c) Lichens (d) Bacteriophages

105. Which of the following does NOT contain calcium?

(a) Marble (b) Plaster of Paris (c) Bleaching Powder (d) Washing Soda

106. Nomadic Elephant is a joint military exercise of India and -

(a) Mongolia (b) Thailand (c) Singapore (d) Maldives

107. The flag of which country has the image of a lion?

(a) Bhutan (b) South Korea (c) Zimbabwe (d) Sri Lanka

**108.** Where is the Defence Institute of Advanced Technology located?

(a) Pune (b) Vadodara (c) Wellington (d) Secunderabad

109. Jorwe is an archaeological site located in -

(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Maharashtra (c) Gujarat (d) Punjab

110. Gahirmatha in Odisha is famous for -

(a) Dolphins (b) Olive Ridley turtles (c) Bengal tigers (d) Indian gharial

**111.** In which city is the Bellandur Lake located?

(a) Ahmedabad (b) Bengaluru (c) Mumbai (d) Pune

112. Ruby and sapphire are compounds of which metal?

(a) Aluminium (b) Copper (c) Calcium (d) Gold

**113.** Which of the following conditions does not affect the bones?

(a) Rickets (b) Arthritis (c) Gout (d) Athlete's foot

114. In which year was the Supreme Court of India established? (a) 1948 (b) 1949 (c) 1950 (d) 1951

115. Satellites are placed in which layer of the atmosphere?

(a) Exosphere (b) Mesosphere (c) Stratosphere (d) Troposphere

**116.** Lotus temple in Delhi belongs to which religion/faith?

(a) Zoroastrianism (b) Baha'i faith (c) Buddhism (d) Jainism

**117.** Which State is the largest producer of garlic?

(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Madhya Pradesh (c) Jammu and Kashmir (d) Bihar

**118.** Which animal was declared the national mammal of United States of America in 2016?

(a) Okapi (b) Brown Bear (c) Elk (d) Bison

**119.** Which method is used to propagate banana plants?

(a) Grafting (b) Stem cutting (c) Sucker removal (d) Layering

**120.** Who was the Chairman of the Steering Committee of the Constituent Assembly?

(a) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (b) Jawaharlal Nehru

(c) Dr. BR Ambedkar (d) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

121. Baltimore system is used to classify -

- (a) Viruses (b) Bacteria (c) Fungi (d) Protozoa
- 122. Where do Chinook winds occur?
- (a) Western Africa (b) Sahara Desert (c) North America (d) Siberia

123. Which place is famous for embroidered handkerchief?

(a) Salem (b) Gadwal (c) Tangaliya (d) Chamba

124. Which organ of the UNO is no longer functional?

(a) Economic & Social Council (b) UN Trusteeship Council

(c) International Court of Justice (d) UN Secretariat

**125.** Yellow Revolution pertains to increase in production of –

(a) Oil seeds (b) Fishes (c) Wheat (d) Turmeric

**126.** Which of the following places is famous for the production of cashew nuts?

(a) Madurai (b) Kollam (c) Vijayawada (d) Coorg

**127.** Which of the following is a nuclear powered submarine of the Indian Navy?

(a) INS Sindhughosh (b) INS Kalaveri (c) INS Kursura (d) INS Chakra

**128.** Which condition does not affect the eyes?

(a) Trachoma (b) Melanoma (c) Glaucoma (d) Presbyopia

**129.** India conducted its first nuclear test in the year?

(a) 1972 (b) 1973 (c) 1974 (d) 1975

**130.** Hebrew is the official language of which country?

(a) Israel (b) Iraq (c) Turkey (d) Greece

131. Which is the densest planet in the solar system?

(a) Mars (b) Earth (c) Mercury (d) Venus

132. Pharmaceutical capsules are generally made from -

(a) Gelatin (b) Teflon (c) Plumbago (d) Brine

**133.** On the basis of market capitalisation which is the largest stock exchange in the world?

(a) London Stock Exchange (b) NASDAQ

(c) New York Stock Exchange (d) Bombay Stock Exchange

134. Where is the Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth located?

(a) New Delhi (b) Varanasi (c) Bhopal (d) Tirupati

135. Which is the only country crossed by a tropic and equator?

(a) Chile (b) South Africa (c) Brazil (d) India

136. Which animal is not native to Australia?

- (a) Okapi (b) Koala (c) Kangaroo (d) Tasmanian Devil
- 137. The judge of a High Court addresses his resignation to the -
- (a) Chief Justice of High Court (b) Governor
- (c) Chief Justice of Supreme Court (d) President
- 138. Pantothenic acid is commonly known as -
- (a) Vitamin B5 (b) Vitamin B6 (c) Vitamin B1 (d) Vitamin B12
- 139. Daimabad is an archaeological site located in -
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Maharashtra (c) Gujarat (d) Punjab
- 140. Plants adapted to grow in dry regions are known as -
- (a) Halophytes (b) Xerophytes (c) Thallophytes (d) Epiphytes
- 141. 2017 World Masters Games are being held in -
- (a) Australia (b) New Zealand (c) Japan (d) Canada
- 142. Which of the following is a great circle on the earth?
- (a) Equator (b) Tropic of Cancer (c) Tropic of Cancer (d) Antarctic Circle
- **143.** Which continent has the most countries?
- (a) Asia (b) Europe (c) South America (d) Africa
- 144. Marrakesh Agreement is related to the formation of -
- (a) W.H.O. (b) U.N.O. (c) W.T.O. (d) F.A.O.
- **145.** If mother's blood group is A and father's blood group is B, then the blood group of the child can be -
- (a) A or B (b) A or AB (c) B or AB (d) A, B, AB or O
- 146. Articles 36 to 51 of the Indian Constitution relate to -

(a) Fundamental Rights (b) Directive Principles

(c) Fundamental Duties (d) Presidential Powers

147. Madeleine Slade is more popularly known as -

(a) Sister Nivedita (b) Mirabehn (c) Mother Teresa (d) Annie Besant

**148.** In which year did India's population cross 1 billion (100 crores)?

(a) 1995 (b) 1997 (c) 1999 (d) 2000

149. Jataka Tales are associated with -

(a) Sikhism (b) Jainism (c) Buddhism (d) No particular religion

150. The Wealth of Nations is a book written by -

(a) Adam Smith (b) J.M. Keynes (c) Alfred Marshall (d) Karl Marx

Answers

1. (d) 2. (a) 3. (d) 4. (b) 5. (a) 6. (c) 7. (b) 8. (c) 9. (a) 10. (c)

11. (c) 12. (a) 13. (b) 14. (a) 15. (c) 16. (d) 17. (b) 18. (a) 19. (c) 20. (d) 21. (d) 22. (a) 23. (d) 24. (b) 25. (c) 26. (d) 27. (a) 28. (b) 29. (c) 30. (a) 31. (b) 32. (a) 33. (c) 34. (b) 35. (c) 36. (b) 37. (a) 38. (d) 39. (d) 40. (b) 41. (b) 42. (a) 43. (d) 44. (b) 45. (c) 46. (a) 47. (b) 48. (d) 49. (a) 50. (c) 51. (b) 52. (a) 53. (d) 54. (d) 55. (a) 56. (c) 57. (c) 58. (a) 59. (b) 60. (b) 61. (d) 62. (d) 63. (a) 64. (c) 65. (b) 66. (a) 67. (b) 68. (c) 69. (a) 70. (b) 71. (c) 72. (a) 73. (b) 74. (d) 75. (a) 76. (b) 77. (c) 78. (a) 79. (c) 80. (d) 81. (a) 82. (c) 83. (b) 84. (c) 85. (d) 86. (b) 87. (a) 88. (d) 89. (c) 90. (b) 91. (d 92. (a) 93. (b) 94. (b) 95. (a) 96. (c) 97. (d) 98. (b) 99. (c) 100. (a) 101. (b) 102. (a) 103. (c) 104. (d) 105. (d) 106. (a) 107. (d) 108. (a) 109. (b) 110. (b)

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- 1. Rodrigo Duterte is the President of
- a.Indonesia b. Philippines c. Thailand d. Singapore
- 2. Monazite sand in India is a rich source of
- a. Thorium b. Platinum c. Uranium d. Gold
- 3. Nelumbo nucifera is India's
- a. National tree b. National fruit c. National bird d. National flower
- 4. Guru Gobind Singh died at which of the following places?
- a. Patna b. Amritsar c. Nanded d. Anandpur
- 5. Vasco da Gama reached Indian in the year a.
- 1498 b. 1496 c. 1494 d. 1492
- 6. Which is the most malleable and ductile metal?
- a. Gold b. Silver c. Platinum d. Aluminium
- 7. Snellen chart is used by
- a. Astronomers b. Optometrists c. Sailors d. Pilots
- 8. Which of these is endemic to Western Ghats?
- a. Hangul b. Hoolock Gibbon c. Sloth Bear d. Liontailed Macaque
- 9. Abdul Kalam island was previously known as
- a. Sagar island b. Salsette island c. Wheeler island d. Havelock island

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- **10.** Corruption Perception Index is published by
- a. Transparency International b. World Trade Organisation
- c. International Monetary Fund d. World Bank
- 11. Oceanic pole of inaccessibility (Point Nemo) is located in the
- a. Indian Ocean b. Arctic Ocean c. Atlantic Ocean d. Pacific Ocean
- **12.** The number of electrons in the outermost shell of an inert gas are
- a. eight b. six c. four d. two
- 13. Olympus mons is a mountain located on which planet?
- a. Venus b. Mars c. Jupiter d. Saturn

14. Which tournament is referred to as Roland Garros?

a. Australian Open b. French Open c. US Open d. Wimbledon

**15.** What is the normal temperature of human body in degrees centigrade?

a. 35o C b. 36 o C c. 37 o C d. 38 o C

**16.** What is the number of judges in the International Court of Justice? a. 12 b. 15 c. 18 d. 20

**17.** Which of the following is located within the precincts of Rashtrapathi Bhavan?

a. Mughal Gardens b. Buddha Gardens c. Lodhi Gardens d. Hanging Gardens

18. Who is the director of the film Baahubali 2: The Conclusion?

a. K Viswanath b. SS Rajamouli c. KV Vijayendra Prasad d. S Shankar

**19.** Which country does not have a coastline with the Arabian Sea?

a. Afghanistan b. Iran c. Somalia d. Oman

**20.** Turpentine is obtained from which of the following trees?

a. Eucalyptus b. Pine c. Cinchona d. Neem

**21.** Atoms which have same mass number but different atomic number are called

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a. Isobars b. Isotopes c. Isomers d. Isotones

22. At which tournament is the Venus Rosewater Dish trophy awarded?

a. French Open b. Wimbledon c. Australian Open d. US Open

**23.** What is the boiling point of water in Kelvin scale? a.

353 o K b. 363 o K c. 373 o K d. 273 o K

24. Peace Palace is the seat of which international organisation?

a. International Court of Justice b. United Nations Organisation

c. Amnesty International d. International Committee of the Red Cross

25. Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy is located at

a. Dehradun b. Hyderabad c. Shimla d. Jaipur

**26.** Who was the first Indian woman to be appointed as a judge of High

**Court?** 

a. Leila Seth b. Anna Chandy c. Fathima Beevi d. Ruma Pal

**27.** Jorasanko Thakur Bari is the ancestral home of which Indian personality?

a. Rabindranath Tagore b. Pranab Mukherjee

c. Ram Mohan Roy d. Swami Vivekananda

28. Which is the largest island in the Lakshadweep islands?

a. Bitra b. Kavaratti c. Andrott d. Minicoy

**29.** First Indian satellite Aryabhatta was launched in the year a.

1974 b. 1975 c. 1976 d. 1977

**30.** A nephrologist deals with the diseases of the

a. Kidney b. Brain c. Lungs d. Stomach

31. Headquarters of UN Habitat are located at

a. Geneva b. Paris c. Nairobi d. Dubai

**32.** Indian Premier League cricket tournament started in the year a.

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2006 b. 2007 c. 2008 d. 2009

33. What is the nationality of singer Justin Bieber?

a. Canada b. U.S.A. c. Brazil d. Germany

34. Which city in Kerala is getting metro rail system shortly?

a. Thiruvananthapuram b. Kochi c. Thrissur d. Kannur

35. Coromandel coast covers which of the following States?

a. Gujarat and Maharashtra b. Kerala and Tamil Nadu

c. Andhra Pradesh and Odisha d. Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh

36. Malihabad in Uttar Pradesh is famous for which variety of mangoes?

a. Kesar b. Dasheri c. Alphonso d. Langda

**37.** Vinson Massif is a mountain located in

a. Antarctica b. Europe c. Australia d. Africa

**38.** Which of the following is an eating disorder?

a. Progeria b. Dyslexia c. Anorexia d. Dementia

**39.** Which Round Table Conference was attended by Mahatma Gandhi?

a. First b. Second c. Third d. None

40. Fields Medal is given for outstanding contribution in which field?

a. Peace b. Journalism c. Music d. Mathematics

41. Buddha Purnima marks which event in Buddha's life?

a. Birth b. Enlightenment c. Death d. All of the above

42. The Nile river drains into the

a. Mediterranean Sea b. Red Sea c. Gulf of Oman d. Arabian Sea

43. The Great Bath of the Harappan Civilization has been found at

a. Harappa b. Mohenjadaro c. Kalibangan d. Lothal

44. En Marche! is a political party in

a. Brazil b. Spain c. France d. Greece

45. Which is the fastest mode of heat transfer?

a. Radiation b. Conduction c. Convection d. None of the above

46. Who is the Chief Executive Officer of the NITI Aayog?

a. Ramesh Chand b. Arvind Panagariya c. Bibek Debroy d. Amitabh Kant

47. Which of the following will be subject to the new GST?

a. Alcohol for human consumption b. Tobacco

c. Petroleum products d. Electricity

**48.** Margarine is a food item obtained from

a. Milk b. Animal fat c. Vegetable oil d. Fruits

49. Which of the following States does not have a border with Myanmar?

a. Tripura b. Nagaland c. Mizoram d. Manipur

50. Ratnagiri in Maharashtra is famous for which variety of mangoes?

a. Kesar b. Alphonso c. Dasheri d. Langda

51. Buckingham Canal is located in which State?

a. Maharashtra b. Andhra Pradesh c. Karnataka d. Punjab

**52.** Boston Tea Party is associated with

a. American Independence b. French Revolution

c. Industrial Revolution d. Russian Revolution

53. Fish plates are used in railway tracks to

a. fix rails to the sleepers b. fix sleepers to the ground

c. join two rails d. join two coaches

54. What is the minimum limit for an RTGS transaction? a.

Rs. 10,000 b. Rs. 20,000 c. Rs. 1,00,000 d. Rs. 2,00,000

**55.** For the financial year 201718, the income tax rate is 5% for incomes upto

a. Rs. 5 lakhs b. Rs. 4 lakhs c. Rs. 3 lakhs d. Rs. 2.5 lakhs

56. Panchmarhi is a hill station located in

a. Western Ghats b. Satpura Hills c. Aravalli Hills d. Vindhya Hills

57. National Institute of Bank Management is located in

a. Mumbai b. New Delhi c. Chandigarh d. Pune

58. Holstein Friesian is a breed of which domestic animal?

a. Horse b. Goat c. Cow d. Sheep

**59.** In which year was the decimal system of currency introduced in India? a.

1955 b. 1957 c. 1961 d. 1963

60. What fraction of his weight would a man weigh on moon?

a. one-sixth b. one-fourth c. one-eighth d. one-fifth

**61.** Shanta and VP Dhananjayan are associated with which form of dance a. Yakshagana b. Kuchipudi c. Bharat Natyam d. Odissi

**62.** India adopted the decimal system of currency in the year a.

1952 b. 1955 c. 1956 d. 1957

63. Headquarters of which bank are located in Manipal, Karnataka?

a. Syndicate Bank b. Canara Bank c. Corporation Bank d. Vijaya bank

64. Which part of the body is affected by diphtheria?

a. Eyes b. Throat c. Lungs d. Intestines

65. Cotton fibre is obtained from which part of the plant?

a. Flowers b. Fruit c. Seed d. Leaves

**66.** A senior citizen between 60 and 80 years is exempted from Income Tax if his income is below

a. 5 lakhs b. 4 lakhs c. 3 lakhs d. 2.5 lakhs

67. Through which Asian country does the equator pass?

a. Sri Lanka b. Thailand c. Philippines d. Indonesia

68. Who was the 24th Tirthankara of Jainism?

a. Mahavira b. Rishabhnath c. Parshavnath d. Padmaprabha

69. Who of the following attended all the three Round Table

**Conferences**?

a. Mahatma Gandhi b. BR Ambedkar c. MA Jinnah d. Dadabhai Naoroji

70. The longest railway bridge in India is located in

a. Kerala b. Bihar c. Assam d. Uttar Pradesh

71. With which of the following was Florence Nightingale associated?

a. First World War b. Second World War c. Opium War d. Crimean War

72. Which western singer performed live in Mumbai recently?

a. Justin Bieber b. Adele c. Jay Z d. Bob dylan

73. In which season are Kharif crops sown in India?

a. Summer b. Rainy c. Winter d. Spring

74. Spirogyra is a type of

a. Bacteria b. Virus c. Algae d. Fungi

75. Rate of change of velocity is known as

a. Momentum b. Acceleration c. Inertia d. Kinetics

76. Which award is given at the Cannes Film Festival?

a. Golden Peacock b. Golden Lion c. Golden Lotus d. Golden Palm

**77.** A malware in which money is demanded to provide access to one's own files is known as

a. Spyware b. Ransomware c. Scareware d. Adware

78. Republic TV channel has been launched by

a. Prannoy Roy b. Rajat Sharma c. Arnab Goswami d. Vikram Chandra

79. World Heritage Site Basilica of Bom Jesus is located in

a. Goa b. Puducherry c. Kochi d. Mangalore

80. Which place in Maharashtra is famous for the producion of bananas?

a. Nashik b. Jalgaon c. Ahmednagar d. Ratnagiri

81. How many States have a boundary with China?

a. Four b. Five c. Six d. Seven

82. Raisina Hill in New Delhi is a part of

a. Vindhyas b. Shivalik Hills c. Aravalli Hills d. Satpuras

83. Which country will not be a user of the South Asia Satellite launched in

May 2017?

a. Pakistan b. Maldives c. Sri Lanka d. Nepal

84. Orange Cap at the Indian Premier League is given for

a. Taking maximum wickets b. Scoring maximum runs

c. Winning most matches d. Taking most catches

85. SIMBEX is a joint military exercise by India and

a. Singapore b. Sri Lanka c. Seychelles d. Indonesia

86. Which of the following is not located in Uttarakhand?

a. Badrinath b. Kedarnath c. Amarnath d. Haridwar

87. Brent Index is associated with

a. Gold b. Silver c. Copper d. Crude Oil

88. Which mammal lays eggs?

a. Bat b. Dolphin c. Platypus d. Whale

89. Which State receives the first rainfall of SouthWest monsoon?

a. Tamil Nadu b. Kerala c. Karnatak<mark>a d. Ma</mark>harashtra

90. Which planet has the highest gravity in the Solar system?

a. Earth b. Mars c. Jupiter d. Uranus

91. The easternmost longitude of India is

a. 97 o 25' E b. 95 o 47' E c. 92 o 35' E d. 87 o 45' E

**92.** In which year did India join the United Nations Organisation? a.

1944 b. 1945 c. 1947 d. 1950

93. In which months do equinoxes occur?

a. December and June b. March and June c. June and September d. March and September

94. Acetyl Salicylic Acid is commonly known as

a. Crocin b. Vitamin C c. Aspirin d. Vitamin E

**95.** Which is the main constituent of Gobar Gas?

a. Methane b. Carbon monoxide c. Acetylene d. Ethylene

96. Foot and Mouth disease in hooved animals is caused due to

a. Bacteria b. Fungi c. Virus d. Protozoan

97. Borra Caves are located in

a. Visakhapatnam b. Vijayawada c. Berhampur d. Bhimbetka

98. How many times has India hosted the Asian Games?

a. One b. Two c. Three d. Four

99. French rule in India ended with the

a. Battle of Plassey b. Battle of Buxar c. Battle of Wandiwash d. Battle of Panipat

100. Gautama Buddha delivered his first sermon at

a. Lumbini b. Bodh Gaya c. Nalanda d. Sarnath

101. Doldrums is a low pressure area around the

a. Tropic of Cancer b. Equator c. Tropic of Capricorn d. Poles

102. New Moor island is claimed both by India and

a. Bangladesh b. Sri Lanka c. Maldives d. Myanmar

**103.** Which of the following is the oldest dynasty?

a. Mauryan Dynasty b. Nanda Dynasty c. Haryanka Dynasty d. Shunga Dynasty

104. What would be the difference in time between two places separated by

15 degrees longitude?

a. 4 minutes b. 15 minutes c. Half an hour d. One hour

105. Mixed economy means coexistence of

a. Public and Private sector b. Agriculture and Industrial sector

c. Domestic and Foreign investments d. Traditional and Modern industries

**106.** In which year did television service start in India? a.

1952 b. 1955 c. 1959 d. 1962

**107.** Which type of mirror is used as a rear view mirror in vehicles?

a. Convex mirror b. Concave mirror c. Plane mirror d. Concavoconvex

**108.** Kudumbasree is a women empowerment and poverty eradication programme of

a. Karnataka b. Kerala c. Tamil Nadu d. Andhra Pradesh

**109.** When more people are engaged in a work than the number of people required, the result is

a. Disguised unemployment b. Cyclic unemployment

c. Seasonal unemployment d. Open unemployment

**110.** Which country has the most number of people affected by AIDS?

a. India b. South Africa c. Kenya c. Mexico

111. Which is a nonrenewable recyclable natural resource?

a. Coal b. Metal c. Wind d. Forest

**112.** Buccal cavity is located in the

a. Stomach b. Chest c. Mouth d. Kidneys

**113.** Which gas is liberated when hydrochloric acid reacts with a metal?

a. Hydrogen b. Oxygen c. Carbon dioxide d. Nitrogen

**114.** Which river is also known as Karnali river?

a. Kosi b. Betwa c. Gandak d. Ghaghara

**115.** Which crop requires 'Two hundred and ten frostfree days' for its cultivation?

a. Cotton b. Coffee c. Wheat d. Sugarcane

116. The headquarters of East Coast Railways are located in

a. Visakhapatnam b. Kharagpur c. Bhubaneshwar d. Kolkata

117. Paradise Lost is a famous book written by

a. Dante b. Servantes c. John Milton d. Thomas More

**118.** In the Second Battle of Panipat

a. Sher Shah Suri defeated Humayun b. Akbar defeated Hemu

c. Humayun defeated Sher Shah Suri d. Babur defeated Ibrahim Lodhi

**119.** Who is the first Indian woman wrestler to qualify for the Olympics?

a. Geeta Phogat b. Babita Kumari c. Sakshi Malik d. Vinesh Phogat

**120.** Which planet is also known as the Evening Star?

a. Mercury b. Mars c. Venus d. Uranus

**121.** Candela is the unit of

a. Luminous intensity b. Luminous flux c. Reflectance d. Radiance

**122.** Which city is located at the confluence of Subarnrekha and Kharkai?

a. Dhanbad b. Jamshedpur c. Siliguri d. Ranchi

123. Ahmedabad is known as the Manchester of India because of its

a. Dairy industry b. Diamond industry c. Textile industry d. Edible oil

### industry

124. Which country has the longest coastline in the world?

a. Russia b. China c. Indonesia d. Canada

125. Which type of soil is also known as Regur soil?

a. Black soil b. Red soil c. Laterite soil d. Arid soil

126. Who gave the law of conservation of mass

a. Joseph Proust b. Antoine Lavoisier c. Dalton d. Gay Lussac

127. Which movement was halted after the Chauri Chaura incident?

a. Swadeshi Movement b. Civil Disobedience Movement

c. Noncooperation Movement d. Quit India Movement

**128.** Who of the following do not participate in the election of the President?

a. Members of Rajya Sabha b. MLAs of States

c. MLAs of Delhi d. MLCs of States

129. High pressure subtropical calm belts known as 'Horse Latitudes' liebetween

a. 0 o and 10 o b. 15 o and 25 o c. 20 o and 25 o d. 30 o and 35 o

130. Velodrome is used for which of the following sports?

a. Cycling b. Swimming c. Wrestling d. Boxing

131. Which of the following is known as Buried Sunshine?

a. Diamond b. Gold c. Petroleum d. Coal

**132.** How many members are nominated by the President to the Lok Sabha?

a. 12 b. 6 c. 2 d. None

**133.** Terrace cultivation is widely practiced in which of the following States?

a. Punjab b. Uttarakhand c. Rajasthan d. Gujarat

**134.** Which of the following drainage patterns resembles the branches of a tree?

a. Dendritic b. Radial c. Trellis d. Centrifugal

135. Which of the following was the capital of Kalinga kingdom?

a. Tosali b. Taxila c. Suvarnagiri d. Ujjain

**136.** Which of the following movements was not started by Mahatma Gandhi?

a. Noncooperation movement b. Swadeshi movement

c. Quit India movement d. Civil Disobedience movement

137. How many images of an object can be seen in two mirrors placed at

90° to each other?

a. One b. Two c. Three d. Four

138. The Speaker of the Lok Sabha is elected/appointed by the

a. President b. Prime Minister c. Election Commission d. Members of the Lok Sabha

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139. Which of the following is the oldest High Court in India?

a. Kolkata b. Mumbai c. Delhi d. Madras

**140.** Which part of the eye is transplanted in eye donation?

a. Iris b. Cornea c. Retina d. Sclera

141. Which of the following is not a millet?

a. Jowar b. Maize c. Bajra d. Ragi

142. Swampy region south of Shiwalik Hills is known as

a. Bhabar b. Bangar c. Terai d. Dooars

143. Who gave the law of definite proportions?

a. Joseph Proust b. Antoine Lavoisier c. Dalton d. Gay Lussac

144. Which of the following has the highest frequency?

a. Radio waves b. Microwaves c. Light waves d. X rays

145. Which of the following does not have a border with Myanmar?

a. Tripura b. Nagaland c. Manipur d. Mizoram

146. The headquarters of North Eastern Railways are located in

a. Guwahati b. Kolkata c. Gorakhpur d. New Jalpaiguri

**147.** A Brief History of Time is a famous book written by

a. Albert Einstein b. Stephen Hawking c. Bertrand Russell d. Edwin Hubble

148. Which battle laid the foundation of British empire in India?

a. Battle of Plassey b. Battle of Buxar c. Battle of Wandiwash d. First

**Carnatic War** 

149. Who was the first person to reach the South Pole?

a. Roald Amundsen b. Robert Peary c. Robert Scott d. Edmund Hillary

**150.** Which planet has the longest day?

a. Mercury b. Mars c. Venus d. Uranus

### Answers

1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (d) 4. (c) 5. (a) 6. (a) 7. (b) 8. (d) 9. (c) 10. (a) 11. (d) 12. (a) 13. (b) 14. (b) 15. (c) 16. (b) 17. (a) 18. (b) 19. (a) 20. (b) 21. (a) 22. (b) 23. (c) 24. (a) 25. (a) 26. (b) 27. (a) 28. (c) 29. (b) 30. (a) 31. (c) 32. (c) 33. (a) 34. (b) 35. (d) 36. (b) 37. (a) 38. (c) 39. (b) 40. (d) 41. (d) 42. (a) 43. (b) 44. (c) 45. (a) 46. (d) 47. (b) 48. (c) 49. (a) 50. (b) 51. (b) 52. (a) 53. (c) 54. (d) 55. (a) 56. (b) 57. (d) 58. (c) 59. (b) 60. (a) 61. (c) 62. (d) 63. (a) 64. (b) 65. (b) 66. (c) 67. (d) 68. (a) 69. (b) 70. (a) 71. (d) 72. (a) 73. (b) 74. (c) 75. (b) 76. (d) 77. (b) 78. (c) 79. (a) 80. (b) 81. (b) 82. (c) 83. (a) 84. (b) 85. (a) 86. (c) 87. (d) 88. (c) 89. (b) 90. (c) 91. (a) 92. (b) 93. (d) 94. (c) 95. (a) 96. (c) 97. (a) 98. (b) 99. (c) 100. (d) 101. (b) 102. (a) 103. (c) 104. (d) 105. (a) 106. (c) 107. (a) 108. (b) 109. (a) 110. (b)

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121. (a) 122. (b) 123. (c) 124. (d) 125. (a) 126. (b) 127. (c) 128. (d) 129. (d) 130. (a)

131. (d) 132. (c) 133. (b) 134.(a) 135. (a) 136. (b) 137. (c) 138. (d) 139. (a) 140. (b)

141. (b) 142. (c) 143. (a) 144. (d) 145. (a) 146. (c) 147. (b) 148. (a) 149. (a) 150. (c)

## **JUNE 2017**

- 1. Who of the following are referred to as Blue Helmets?
- a. US Soldiers b. UN Peace Keeping Soldiers
- c. Israeli Soldiers d. New York Police personnel
- 2. Which is the weakest of the FOUR fundamental forces of nature?
- a. Gravitational Force b. Electromagnetic Force
- c. Strong Nuclear Force d. Weak Nuclear Force
- 3. The number of Mahajanapadas that existed in ancient India was -
- a. Eight b. Ten c. Twelve d. Sixteen
- 4. Fair and Lovely brand of cosmetic is manufactured by -
- a. Emami b. Godrej c. Hindustan Unilever d. Procter and Gamble
- 5. A judge of the Supreme Court can hold office upto the age of -
- a. 65 years b. 62 years c. 60 years d. No age limit
- 6. Which country is not participating in the ICC Champions Trophy 2017?
- a. West Indies b. Bangladesh c. South Africa d. New Zealand
- 7. Which two animals are visible at the bottom of the National Emblem?
- a. Elephant and Bull b. Horse and Bull c. Horse and Elephant d. Elephant and Lion
- 8. Which State is the largest producer of litchis in India?
- a. West Bengal b. Maharashtra c. Tamil Nadu d. Bihar
- 9. Which of the following is the longest highway in India?
- a. NH 27 b. NH 42 c. NH 44 d. NH 48
- 10. Manak Bhavan in New Delhi is the headquarters of -
- a. Bureau of Indian Standards b. Sports Authority of India
- c. National Commission for Minorities d. Election Commission

**11.** During which decade did India see a negative population growth rate? a.

1911-21 b. 1921-31 c. 1931-41 d. 1941-51

a. eight months b. six months c. four months d. three months

13. Which dynasty succeeded the Mauryan dynasty?

- a. Gupta dynasty b. Nanda dynasty c. Shunga dynasty d. Lichhavi dynasty
- 14. Which of the following is not associated with badminton?
- a. Sudirman Cup b. Thomas Cup c. Uber Cup d. Swaythling Cup

15. Who is the director of film Sachin: A Billion Dreams?

- a. James Erskine b. Rakeysh Omprakash Mehra
- c. Omung Kumar d. Mahesh Bhatt

16. With which country does Qatar have a land border?

a. Egypt b. Saudi Arabia c. UAE d. Iran

17. Lohit river is a tributary of -

a. Ganga b. Indus c. Brahmaputra d. Godavari

18. Ohm is the unit of -

a. Capacitance b. Inductance c. Frequency d. Resistance

**19.** Kiran Mazumdar Shaw is associated with which company?

a. Biocon b. ICICI Bank c. HSBC d. PepsiCo

20. A hepatologist deals with the diseases of the -

a. Kidneys b. Liver c. Blood d. Bones

**21.** According to Census a marginal worker is a person who has worked for

less than\_\_\_\_\_in a year

a. eight months b. six months c. four months d. three months

22. India's first nuclear reactor was named -

a. Apsara b. Bharti c. CIRUS d. Devdoot

23. In which part of the plant are stomata found?

a. Stem b. Root c. Flower d. Leaf

**24.** Which country joined the OPEC (Organisation of Petroleum Exporting

Countries) in May 2017

a. Gabon b. Nigeria c. Qatar d. Equatorial Guinea

25. National Academy of Direct Taxes is located at -

a. Jaipur b. Nagpur c. Bhopal d. Lucknow

26. Mesothelioma is caused by the poisoning effect of -

a. Asbestos b. Cotton c. Mercury d. Coal dust

**27.** In which of the following mediums is the speed of sound higher than others?

a. Hydrogen b. Water c. Steel d. Oxygen

28. Which is the largest bay in the world?

a. Hudson Bay b. San Fransisco Bay c. Bay of Bengal d. Bay of Biscay

29. Arvind Parikh is associated with which musical instrument?

a. Pakhawaj b. Sitar c. Violin d. Tabla

30. Which of the following is helpful in controlling the mosquitoes?

a. Gambusia fish b. Star tortoise c. Crab d. Snail

31. The headquarters of Army Training Command are located in -

a. Dehradun b. Mussoorie c. Chandigarh d. Shimla

32. The Law of Multiple Proportions was given by -

a. John Dalton b. Guy Lussac c. Joseph Proust d. Lavoisier

**33.** Fahien, the Chinese traveller visited India during the reign of –

a. Harsha b. Chandragupta II c. Kan<mark>ishka d</mark>. Ashoka 🥏

34. Which is the longest mountain range in the world?

a. Himalayas b. The Rockies c. The Andes d. The Alps

**35.** The provisions relating to Goods and Services tax are contained in the

-

a. 101st Amendment b. 102nd Amendment c. 103rd Amendment d. 104th Amendment

**36.** The headquarters of Sanghai Cooperation Organisation are located in –

a. Moscow b. Shanghai c. Astana d. Beijing

37. The boiling point of liquid varies as -

a. temperature varies b. pressure varies c. volume varies d. density varies

38. Who propounded the Doctrine of Passive Resistance?

a. Lala Lajpat Rai b. Bal Gangadhar Tilak c. Bipin Chandra Pal d. Aurobindo Ghosh

**39.** Who formulates the fiscal policy in India?

a. Reserve Bank of India b. NITI Aayog c. Ministry of Finance d. Finance

Commission 40. 2017 Champions Trophy is being hosted by a. England b. South Africa c. UAE d. New Zealand 41. Which epic was earlier known as the Jai Samhita? a. Ramayana b. Mahabharata c. Bhagwad Gita d. Rig Veda **42.** To which dynasty did Kanishka belong? a. Kushan b. Kanva c. Sunga d. Hun 43. Which element is the most abundant in the Sun? a. Helium b. Thorium c. Hydrogen d. Carbon 44. Which Indian President was elected for a second term? a. S Radhakrishnan b. Zakir Hussain c. APJ Abdul Kalam d. Rajendra Prasad **45.** Kidambi Srikanth is a well known player? a. Badminton b. Tennis c. Table Tennis d. Squash 46. Which country has the most number of time-zones? TM a. Russia b. France c. Canada d. U.S.A. 47. Which of the following maintains the Indian Standard Time? a. Indian Meteorological Dept b. Tata Institute of Fundamental Research c. National Physical Laboratory d. Bhabha Atomic Research Centre 48. Dooars are alluvial flood plains found in a. Punjab b. Uttarakhand c. Maharashtra d. Assam 49. Mass of an atom of an element is usually the sum of masses of a. Neutrons and Protons b. Neutrons and Electrons c. Protons and Electrons d. Only Neutrons 50. Moortidevi Award is given by the – a. Sahitya Akademi b. Sangeet Natak Akademi c. Bhartiya Jnanpith d. Lalit

Kala Akademi

**51.** Which of the following is the least densely populated country in the world?

a. Mongolia b. Netherlands c. Namibia d. Libya

52. Hathigumpha inscription was inscribed by -

a. Ashoka b. Kharavela c. Samudra Gupta d. Kanishka

**53.** Which is the visible part of the sun? a. Corona b. Chromosphere c. Photosphere d. Core 54. Bhagyam oil field is located in a. Andhra Pradesh b. Gujarat c. Telangana d. Rajasthan **55.** Which part of the flower is the corolla? a. Stem b. Stamen c. Petals d. Pistil 56. Ian Fleming is well known as creator ofa. James Bond b. Sherlock Holmes c. Hercules Poirot d. Tarzan 57. Alpaca is an animal native to a. Australia b. South America c. Africa d. Asia 58. On which lake is the Sriharikota island located? a. Kolleru lake b. Ulsoor lake c. Bellandur Lake d. Pulicat Lake **59.** Narora Nuclear Power station is located ina. Gujarat b. Rajasthan c. Uttar Pradesh d. Haryana 60. Bhakra Nangal dam is located on the river a. Sutlej b. Beas c. Chenab d. Jhelum DECTOC **61.** Grenfell Tower is located ina. Paris b. New York c. Madrid d. London **62.** Which Indian king is seen playing veena in ancient Indian coins? a. Kanishka b. Chandragupta II c. Samudragupta d. Harsha **63.** Manjeera is a tributary of a. Krishna b. Godavari c. Kaveri d. Mahanadi 64. Mesothelioma is a disease caused by the poisoning effect ofa. Asbestos b. Coal c. Mercury d. Lead 65. Narendranath Datta is popularly known asa. Rama Krishna Paramhans b. Swami Vivekananda c. Swami Agnivesh d. Satya Sai Baba 66. Leonardo da vinci belongs to which country? a. Spain b. France c. Italy d. Portugal **67.** In which state is the Ambubachi mela held? a. West Bengal b. Sikkhism c. Manipur d. Assam

68. Indian Railways Institute of Transport Management is located in -

a. Vadodara b. Secunderabad c. Lucknow d. Jhansi

69. Which country will host the champions trophy in 2021? -

a. Pakistan b. India c. Australia d. Sri Lanka

**70.** Hippocrates is known as the father ofa.

Medicine b. Geography c. Geometry d. History

71. Indian Army Day is observed on -

a. January 5 b. December 4 c. September 15 d. January 15

72. OnePlus is a smartphone manufacturer with its headquarters in -

a. China b. South Korea c. Taiwan d. Japan

**73.** Which of the following has not been conferred the status of classical language in India?

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a. Odia b. Bengali c. Kannada d. Telugu

74. World Development Report is published by -

a. International Monetary Fund b. World Economic Forum

c. World Bank d. U.N.O.

75. Al Jazeera is a broadcasting channel headquartered in -

a. Qatar b. Iraq c. Libya d. Syria

76. Which country is hosting the ICC Women's World Cup 2017?

a. New Zealand b. Australia c. South Africa d. England

77. Which metal is the best conductor of heat?

a. copper b. silver c. iron d. aluminium

78. Which crop is sown in the largest area in India?

a. Wheat b. Cotton c. Sugarcane d. Rice

79. The Light of Asia, the book on Gautama Buddha was written by -

a. Romain Rolland b. George Bernard Shaw c. Edwin Arnold d. Ruskin Bond

80. Thousand Pillared temple is located at -

a. Warangal b. Vijayawada c. Hampi d. Madurai

81. Which of the following is found in nail polish remover?

a. Acetone b. Teflon c. Glycerol d. Ethanol

82. Who is author of the book Tarikh-Al-Hind?

a. Ibn Batuta b. Alberuni c. Babur d. Abul Fazl

83. Bidriware handicraft is native to which State?

a. Telangana b. Maharashtra c. Karnataka d. Tamil Nadu

84. How many earth days are equivalent to one day on the moon?

a. One day b. Seven days c. 14 days d. 28 days

85. Who of the following is NOT a recipient of Booker Prize for fiction?

a. Arvind Adiga b. Kiran Desai c. Kish<mark>w</mark>ar Desai d. Arundhati Roy

86. Molasses is a by-product of which industry?

a. Sugar b. Cement c. Cotton d. Paint

**87.** The forest cover in India as a percentage of its geographical area is approximately –

a. 16% b. 21% c. 26% d. 30%

88. In the internet address http://., the Top Level Domain name is?

a. www b. http c. leadthecompetition d. in

89. Which is the largest island in the Indian Ocean?

a. Sri Lanka b. Seychelles c. Madagascar d. Mauritius

90. Which of the following is the largest committee of the Parliament?

a. Committee on Estimates b. Committee on Public Accounts

c. Rules Committee d. Committee of Privileges

**91.** Which of the following countries has Tamil as one of its official languages?

a. Maldives b. Mauritius c. Indonesia d. Singapore

92. Which Indian king embraced Jainism in the last years of his life?

a. Ashoka b. Chandragupta II c. Chandragupta Maurya d. Samudragupta

**93.** What is the pollination agent in hydrophily? a. Bee b. Water c. Wind d. Bird 94. Which river in Rajasthan was revived by the efforts of waterconservationist Rajendra Singh? a. Aravari b. Luni c. Banas d. Mahi 95. Which country's national anthem is Kimigayo? a. China b. Japan c. South Korea d. North Korea 96. The song Ekla Chalo Re (Walk alone) was written by a. Subhash Chandra Bose b. Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar c. Rabindra Nath Tagore d. Aurobindo Ghosh 97. Isohyets are lines which connect places of equal – a. Temperature b. Sunshine c. Cloud cover d. Rainfall **98.** In which city was the first cement factory set up in India? a. Visakhapatnam b. Surat c. Madras d. Calcutta TM **99.** Which is the slowest stroke in swimming? a. Back stroke b. Breast stroke c. Butterfly stroke d. Freestyle **100.** Who is generally regarded as the father of biology? a. Aristotle b. Archimedes c. Hippocrates d. Herodotus **101.** Which economist used the term Invisible Hand for the unobservable market force? a. JM Keynes b. Karl Marx c. Alfred Marshall d. Adam Smith **102.** Who of the following is the Chancellor of Delhi University? a. President of India b. Vice-President of India c. Lt. Governor of Delhi d. Chief **Justice of India 103.** Human Development Report is published by – a. UNDP b. WEF c. World Bank d. W.H.O. **104.** By how many years is the Indian National Calendar (Saka Era) ahead of the English Calendar?

a. 58 years b. 68 years c. 78 years d. 88 years

105. Sowing for the Kharif season starts in the month of -

a. June b. September c. January d. March

106. Which sports award was the first to be introduced in India?

a. Dronacharya Award b. Dhyanchand Award

c. Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award d. Arjuna Award

107. Duralumin is an alloy of -

a. copper and zinc b. copper and aluminium c. iron and chromium d. zinc and lead

**108.** Which of the following is the largest peninsula in the world?

a. Iberian Peninsula b. Indian Peninsula c. Alaskan Peninsula d. Arabian Peninsula

109. Saga of Struggle and Sacrifice is a book written by -

a. Sonia Gandhi b. Veerappa Moily c. Pranab Mukherjee d. P

Chidambaram

110. Which dynasty built the Khajuraho temples in Madhya Pradesh?

a. Chandela b. Chalukya c. Maurya d. <mark>Ch</mark>ola

111. Which national park is situated in Mumbai?

a. Sanjay Gandhi National Park b. Chandoli National Park

c. KBR National Park d. Salim Ali National Park

**112.** Which of these rocks is composed of shells and skeletons of marine organisms?

a. coal b. limestone c. shale d. quartz

113. The ratio of bank's capital to its assets is known as -

a. Statutory Liquidity Ratio b. Cash Reserve Ratio c. Capital Adequacy

Ratio d. Debt - Equity Ratio

**114.** How many official languages does the United Nations Organisation have?

a. Two b. Four c. Five d. Six

115. What is the term of a judge at the International Court of Justice?

a. Seven years b. Eight years c. Nine years d. Ten years

116. Coir is a natural fibre obtained from -

a. Coconut b. Sugarcane c. Jute d. Cotton

**117.** In which year was the first Lok Sabha constituted?

a. 1950 b. 1952 c. 1948 d. 1949

118. Which of the following is known as Hansen's disease?

a. Tuberculosis b. Cholera c. Plague d. Leprosy

119. The monument Gol Gumbaz is located in -

a. Bidar b. Hyderabad c. Bijapur d. Pune

120. In which year did Neil Armstrong land on moon? a.

1969 b. 1961 c. 1971 d. 1967

**121.** Exercise Iron Fist is related toa.

Indian Army b. Indian Navy c. Indian Air Force d. Coast Guard

**122.** Which type of rock is granite?

a. Igneous b. Metamorphic c. Sedimentary d. Artificial

123. Which ancient King is known as Indian Napoleon? -

a. Kanishka b. Samudragupta c. Harsha d. Ashoka

**124.** Which of the following is a dimensionless quantity?

a. Velocity b. Density c. Work d. Angle

125. International Non-violence Day is observed on -

a. 30 Jan b. 2 Oct c. 10 Dec d. 11 Jul

126. Upto what denomination can coins be issued by the RBI?

a. Rs. 10 b. Rs. 100 c. Rs. 500 d. Rs. 1000

127. The headquarters of Asian Development Bank are located ina.

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Manila b. Jakarta c. Singapore d. Bangkok

**128.** Sivakasi in Tamil Nadu is famous fora.

Textiles b. Coffee c. Fireworks d. Locks

**129.** Tatipaka oil refinery is located ina.

Andhra Pradesh b. Telangana c. Odisha d. Chhattisgarh

130. Nokrek biosphere reserve is located in -

a. Nagaland b. Meghalaya c. Sikkim d. Tripura

**131.** Which instrument is used to detect the presence of electric charge on a body?

a. Voltmeter b. Ammeter c. Galvanometer d. Electroscope

132. In HTTPS:// S stands for -

a. Secure b. Safe c. Simple d. Secret

133. The National Anthem of Bangladesh was written by -

a. Mujib-ur-rahman b. Mohd Iqbal c. Rabindranath Tagore d. Bhupen Hazarika

134. Lal Bahadur Shastri International Airport is located in -

a. Lucknow b. Varanasi c. Agra d. Patna

135. Erythrocytes are commonly known as -

a. Red blood cells b. White blood cells c. Platelets d. Plasma

**136.** Petrol, kerosene etc. are separated from crude petroleum by the

process of -

a. Filtration b. Distillation c. Sublimation d. Electrolysis

137. A bench of Madras High Court is located in -

a. Kanya Kumari b. Puducherry c. Madurai d. Coimbatore

138. The speed of rotation of earth at the equator is roughly -

a. 1000 km per hour b. 1000 miles per hour c. 1000 meters per second d. 1000

meters per minute

139. Sickle is an agricultural tool used in - IOC

a. Threshing b. Sowing c. Harvesting d. Seeding

140. Which of the following books was not written by Harshavardhana?

a. Ratnavali b. Priyadarsika c. Nagananda d. Amuktamalayada

141. Which Indian language uses the Shahmukhi script?

a. Punjabi b. Rajasthani c. Dogri d. Konkani

142. Which of these is the peace time equivalent of Param Vir Chakra?

a. Shaurya Chakra b. Ashoka Chakra c. Keerti Chakra d. Shanti Chakra

**143.** The minimum percentage of demand and time liabilites which a bank has to maintain in the form of liquid

assets is known as -

a. Statutory Liquidity Ratio b. Cash Reserve Ratio

c. Capital Adequacy Ratio d. Debt - Equity Ratio

**144.** Mt. Aconcagua, the highest peak in South America is located in which country?

a. Brazil b. Peru c. Chile d. Argentina

**145.** What is the term of non-permanent members of the UN Security Council?

a. One year b. Two years c. Three years d. Five years

**146.** Which year is observed as the year of independence of the United States of America?

a. 1776 b. 1786 c. 1784 d. 1774

147. The main constituent of acid produced in the stomach is -

a. Sulphuric acid b. Hydrochloric acid c. Nitric acid d. Carbonic acid

148. Which of the following is used in the starter of a tubelight?

a. Resistor b. Transistor c. Diode d. Capacitor

149. The ancient name of which river was Vitasta?

a. Beas b. Sutlej c. Jhelum d. Ravi

150. Which disease is characterised by loss of memory?

a. Alzheimer's Disease b. Parkinson's Disease c. Graves Disease d. Addison's

Disease



#### Answers

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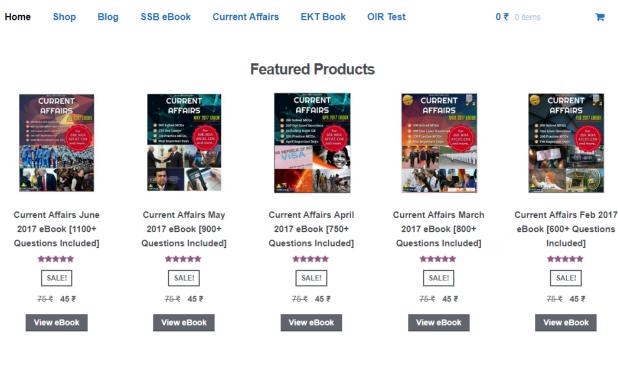
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