List of Important 50 General Awareness Questions for upcoming SSC Exam:

Part - 2

1). Which of the following is effective in absorbing pollutant gases?

   a) Recycling  
   b) Electric vehicles 
   c) Vegetation 
   d) Rain

2). Which of the following is the device used to count cells?

   a) Haemocytometer 
   b) Calorimeter 
   c) Spectrophotometer 
   d) Auxanometer

3). There are a few mammals that lay eggs rather than giving birth to live young. Which of the following mammals is NOT one of them?

   a) Spiny anteater 
   b) Duck-billed platypus 
   c) Bat 
   d) None of the above

4). Keel is a bone structure found in______.

   a) Flying birds 
   b) Flightless birds 
   c) Reptiles 
   d) Horses
5). The Black Death that swept through Europe in the 14\textsuperscript{th} century, resulting in the deaths of millions of people, was caused by\underline{______}.

a) plague  
b) tuberculosis  
c) leishmeniasis (Kala-azar)  
d) chickenpox

6). Pneumonia disease affects which of the following parts of human body?

a) Lungs  
b) Spleen  
c) Liver  
d) Throat

7). Plaster of Paris is made by heating which of the following minerals to high temperature?

a) Saltpeter  
b) Gypsum  
c) Feldspar  
d) Chromite

8). The direct transmission of heat or electricity through the material of a substance when there is a difference of temperature or of electrical potential between adjoining regions without movement of the material is called\underline{______}.

a) convection  
b) conduction  
c) advection  
d) absorption
9). Which of the following was the first element to be made artificially?
   
   a) Technetium  
   b) Femium  
   c) Einsteinium  
   d) Terbium  

10). For a chemical substance, the level to which it is believed a worked can be exposed day after day for a working lifetime without adverse health effects is called______.  
   
   a) Threshold limit value  
   b) Expose value  
   c) Face value  
   d) Human tolerance limit  

**Answers:**  


11). Allicin is a compound obtained from_________.  
   
   a) turmeric  
   b) garlic  
   c) sunflower  
   d) rose flower  

12). Tesla is the standard unit of_________.  
   
   a) Gravitation  
   b) luminosity  
   c) magnetic flux density  
   d) rigidity
13). The speed of light is minimum in which of the following media?

   a) Ice 
   b) Ethyl Alcohol 
   c) Water 
   d) Diamond 

14). While passing through a triangular prism, the separation of visible light into its different colors is known as ____________.

   a) Dispersion 
   b) Diffraction 
   c) Refraction 
   d) Reflection 

15). The different styles of lettering in a word processing program are called__________.

   a) calligraphy 
   b) manuscript 
   c) font 
   d) style 

16). When your computer stops working suddenly, it is referred at as a ____________.

   a) Hit 
   b) Crash 
   c) Collapse 
   d) reboot 

17). Name the activist who has been conferred the prestigious Stockholm Water Prize this year?
a) Ramdev  
b) GD Agarwal  
c) Nigamananda Saraswati  
d) Rajendra Singh

18). Lee Kuan Yew died on 23rd March. He was respected as the architect of modern_______.

   a) Thailand 
   b) Singapore 
   c) Malaysia 
   d) Philippines

19). The Union Cabinet on 20th March Cleared what per cent reservation for women in the direct recruitment for non-gazetted posts in the police force of all Union Territories, including Delhi?

   a) 10 per cent 
   b) 25 per cent 
   c) 33 per cent 
   d) 49 per cent

20). Who among the following have won the best actress and actor awards respectively at the 62nd National Film Awards?

   a) Deepika Padukone, Shahid Kapoor  
   b) Priyanka Chopra, Ranbir Kapoor  
   c) Kareena Kapoor, Rajinikanth  
   d) Kangana Ranut, Vijay
Answers:


21). Which of the following is India’s highest civilian honour?
   a) Bharat Ratna
   b) Padma Shri
   c) Padma Bhushan
   d) Padma Vibhushan

22). The winner of the ICC cricket World Cup 2015 is______.
   a) Australia
   b) New Zealand
   c) South Africa
   d) West Indies

23). What is India’s position among 102 countries on the Open Govt Index 2015, which ranks countries on govt transparency?
   a) 87th
   b) 37th
   c) 98th
   d) 99th

24). What is the current installed nuclear power capacity of India?
   a) 4,400 MW
   b) 5,780 MW
   c) 7,560 MW
   d) 10,080 MW
25). Who among the following will head the new innovative council of the Indian Railways called ‘Kaya Kalp’

a) Ratan Tata
b) Nandan Nilekani
c) NR Narayana Murthy
d) Mukesh Ambani

26). At present, how many operational National Waterways are there in India?

a) Three
b) Five
c) Seven
d) Nine

27). The govt gave ‘in principle’ nod to Sagarmala project recently. This project is aimed at port-led development in__________.

a) The coastal states
b) Sri Lanka and the Maldives
c) The north-eastern states
d) Bangladesh and Myanmar

28). The first ICC Cricket World Cup was played in__________.

a) 1975
b) 1979
c) 1983
d) 1971
29). Bangladesh celebrates its Independence Day on which of the following days? It declared its independence from Pakistan on this day.

   a) 23 Mar  
   b) 26 Mar  
   c) 1 Apr  
   d) 2 Apr  

30). ISRO successfully launched IRNSS-ID satellite onboard PSLV-C-27 from Satish Dhawan Space Centre at Sriharikota (AP) on 28 Mar. It would take the country closer to setting up its own ____________.

   a) Navigation system  
   b) Military satellite system  
   c) Weather forecast system  
   d) Oil exploration system

**Answers:**


31). The Parliament has cleared the Constitution (Amendment) Bill to operationalise the Land Boundary Agreement between India and Bangladesh. It has become which of the following Constitutional amendments passed by the Parliament?

   a) 119th  
   b) 99th  
   c) 100th  
   d) 101st
32). Which among the following is the only Indian Company (ranked 7\textsuperscript{th}) among the world’s 10 biggest consumer financial services firms compiled by business magazine Forbes recently?
   
   a) ICICI  
   b) SBI  
   c) PNB  
   d) HDFC  

33). Which among the following is an example of derived demand.

   a) Cement  
   b) Cold drink  
   c) Cosmetics  
   d) Flour  

34). Afonso de Albuquerque is considered to be the founder of the imperial system of which of the following empires in India?

   a) French  
   b) British  
   c) Portuguese  
   d) Dutch  

35). Most plants have bisexual flowers and some plants have male flowers on one plant and female flowers on another plant which are called__________

   a) Monoecious  
   b) Dioecious  
   c) Monogamous  
   d) Sterile
36). Consider the following characteristics of a market:

I. The firm enjoys abnormal market

II. The seller controls the prices of a particular product or service and is the price maker.

The above statements are true in the case of

a) Monopolistic market
b) Oligopolistic market
c) Perfect competition
d) None of the above

37). Which among the following countries introduced Plastic banknotes?

a) Canada
b) US
c) Australia
d) Switzerland

38). The part of the Indian Constitution that provides for establishing India as a welfare state is__________

a) Direct Principles of State Policy
b) Preamble of the Constitution
c) Fundamental Duties
d) Second Schedule of the Constitution

39). Which among the following is the tenure of the Rajya Sabha?

a) 2 years
b) 5 years

c) 6 years

d) It is a permanent house

40). Match the following parts of the Indian Constitution and give answer:

1. Part I a. Citizenship
2. Part II b. The States
3. Part III c. The Panchayats
4. Part IV d. Union and its Territory

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a) d a b c
b) d c b a
c) b d c a
d) a d c b

Answers:


11). Which among the following variety is the Indian flying fox (Pteropus giganteus), feeds mainly on ripe fruits?

a) Peacock
b) Bat
c) Crow
d) Cat
42). Which among the following state the Sambhar Lake, the largest inland saline wetland in India ________.
   a) Gujarat
   b) Rajasthan
   c) Andhra Pradesh
   d) Tamil Nadu

43). The study of lakes, ponds, and other freshwater bodies are called ________.
   a) Limnology
   b) Hydrology
   c) Potomology
   d) Topology

44). Who among the following are empowered to make laws in India?
   a) President and Council of Ministers
   b) President and the Parliament
   c) Supreme Court and High Courts
   d) President and Governors

45). ____________ is the Capital of Andhra Pradesh, the first linguistic state of India, was born on 1 Nov 1953.
   a) Medak
   b) Chittoor
   c) Hyderabad
   d) Kurnool
46). who among the following king, involved in the Battle of Talikota was fought in 1565 between sultans of Bijapur, Bidar, Ahmadnagar and Golconda?

   a) Vijayanagar  
   b) Kanchi  
   c) Madurai  
   d) Korkai

47).Which among the following pairs of kings and their works is NOT matched correctly?

   a) Krishnadevaraya-Amuktamalyada  
   b) Bhojadeva-Samarangana Sutradhra  
   c) Mahendravarman-Mattavilasa Prahasna  
   d) Someavara III -Nagananda

48).The first meeting of Indian National Congress was held in 1885 in Bombay and its President was?

   a) Womesh Chunder Bonnerjee  
   b) Dadabhai Naoroji  
   c) Badruddin Tyabji  
   d) George Yule

49)._____________ was the first major newspaper published in India in 1780?

   a) Kesari  
   b) Bengal Gazette  
   c) AnandaBazar Patrika  
   d) Darpan
50). Which among the following, the lenticles are involved in_________.

   a) Photosynthesis
   b) transpiration
   c) respiration
   d) repression

**Answers:**