

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

1. Guwahati is situated at the bank of
 - (1) Narmada
 - (2) Yamuna
 - (3) Mahanadi
 - (4) Brahmaputra
2. Muhammad Ghorī defeated Prithvi Raj Chauhan in the second battle of Tarain fought in the year
 - (1) 1206
 - (2) 1192
 - (3) 1221
 - (4) 1191
3. A unit of energy content of food is
 - (1) Fat
 - (2) Protein
 - (3) Calorie
 - (4) Vitamin
4. Bird is the term associated with
 - (1) Horse Racing
 - (2) Rowing
 - (3) Archery
 - (4) Badminton
5. Cement was invented by
 - (1) Edwin T. Holmes
 - (2) Joseph Aspdin
 - (3) Benjamin Franklin
 - (4) Dr. William Stockes
6. Sabin Award is given for the conservation of
 - (1) reptiles
 - (2) amphibians
 - (3) birds
 - (4) corals
7. As per Census 2011, the highest populated State is
 - (1) Tamil Nadu
 - (2) Bihar
 - (3) Madhya Pradesh
 - (4) Uttar Pradesh
8. The UN General Assembly meets regularly
 - (1) Once a month
 - (2) Twice a year
 - (3) Once a year
 - (4) After every three months
9. Hyderabad is situated at the bank of
 - (1) Tapti
 - (2) Kaveri
 - (3) Krishna
 - (4) Musi
10. The Planning Commission was set up on
 - (1) March 1950
 - (2) April 1951
 - (3) April 1952
 - (4) March 1951
11. Fahien visited India in the year
 - (1) 750
 - (2) 570
 - (3) 476
 - (4) 405
12. Pitcher plate is the sports term associated with
 - (1) Cycling
 - (2) Baseball
 - (3) Golf
 - (4) Hockey
13. The Comptroller and Auditor-General of India is appointed by the
 - (1) Chief Justice of India
 - (2) Vice President
 - (3) Prime Minister
 - (4) President
14. Clock (pendulum) was invented by
 - (1) Gottlieb Diamler
 - (2) Christian Huygens
 - (3) Harry Brearley
 - (4) Joseph Aspdin
15. India's largest museum is located at
 - (1) Delhi
 - (2) Chennai
 - (3) Kolkata
 - (4) Bengaluru
16. Highest mountain in Africa is
 - (1) Mount Kilimanjaro
 - (2) Denali
 - (3) Aconcagua
 - (4) Mount Elbrus
17. The Man Booker Prize or commonly called Booker Prize is given in which field?
 - (1) Sports
 - (2) Medicine
 - (3) Science
 - (4) Fiction writing

18. According to Indian Constitution, the vacancy in the office of the President of India shall be filled with in
 (1) 1 month (2) 1 year
 (3) 3 months (4) 6 months
19. India's first LNG-driven bus flagged off in which state?
 (1) Maharashtra (2) Andhra Pradesh
 (3) Kerala (4) Uttar Pradesh
20. Who gets the Tata LitFest lifetime achievement award 2016?
 (1) Chetan Bhagat (2) Amitav Ghosh
 (3) Jhumpa Lahiri (4) Arundhati Roy
21. By which other name do we know the Sattriya Theatre?
 (1) Ankiya Bhaona (2) Kuchipudi
 (3) Garbha (4) Kuttiyattam
22. Largest Olympic team of 2016 Rio Olympics is
 (1) The United Kingdom
 (2) The United States (554 athletes)
 (3) Canada
 (4) Russia
23. The headquarters of the UNESCO is at
 (1) Rome (2) Geneva
 (3) New York (4) Paris
24. Which UN body deals with population problem?
 (1) UNFPA (2) UNDP
 (3) UNICEF (4) UNESCO
25. 18 Carat gold contains:
 (1) 18% gold (2) 24% gold
 (3) 75% gold (4) 60% gold
26. 'Bagh', a village in Gwalior is famous for
 (1) Sculptures (2) Architecture
 (3) Cave Painting (4) All of the above
27. Where has the great Bath been excavated?
 (1) Harappa (2) Kalibangan
 (3) Mohenjodaro (4) Both (1) and (2)
28. The Chambal Valley Project is a joint venture of:
 (1) Rajasthan and Gujarat
 (2) Madhya Pradesh and Gujarat
 (3) Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh
 (4) Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh
29. It travels over land and water. Who invented the hovercraft?
 (1) S. Sperrow (2) O. Stricheg
 (3) T. Henman (4) C. Cockerell
30. The first recipient of Rajiv Gandhi's 'Khel Ratna' award is
 (1) Vishwanathan Anand (2) Leander Peas
 (3) Kapil Dev (4) Limba Ram
31. The UNO was founded at
 (1) Moscow (2) London
 (3) Paris (4) San Francisco
32. Which of the following countries is the world's largest emitter of Carbon Dioxide in the atmosphere?
 (1) China (2) America
 (3) Russia (4) India
33. Frederick Sanger is a twice recipient of the Nobel Prize for
 (1) Chemistry in 1958 and 1980
 (2) Physics in 1956 and 1972
 (3) Chemistry in 1954 and Peace in 1962
 (4) Physics in 1903 and Chemistry in 1911
34. Who was the first Finance Minister of India?
 (1) John Mathai
 (2) C.D. Deshmukh
 (3) Morarji Desai
 (4) Liaquat Ali Khan

35. The first newspaper in the world was started by
- (1) Japan
 - (2) China
 - (3) USA
 - (4) India
36. The historical monument Al Khazneh is located in which city?
- (1) Giza
 - (2) Tehran
 - (3) Baghdad
 - (4) Petra
37. Who held the office of the Vice President of India for two consecutive terms?
- (1) Dr. Zakhir Hussain
 - (2) V.V. Giri
 - (3) Krishan Kant
 - (4) Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan
38. Who of the following was the acting Prime Minister of India twice on the death of Jawaharlal Nehru and Lal Bahadur Shastri?
- (1) Purshottam Das Tandon
 - (2) Gulzari Lal Nanda
 - (3) Morarjee Desai
 - (4) Chandrashekhar
39. How many times the President of India can seek re-election to his post?
- (1) Once
 - (2) 3 times
 - (3) 2 times
 - (4) Any number of times
40. Quaker City is in
- (1) Cuba
 - (2) Switzerland
 - (3) Philadelphia
 - (4) Venice

INTERACTIVE SECTION

41. Mark Waugh is commonly called what
- (1) Afgha
 - (2) Junior
 - (3) Tugga
 - (4) Julio
42. India won its first Olympic hockey gold in
- (1) 1928
 - (2) 1932
 - (3) 1936
 - (4) 1948
43. Who of the following was the first Prime Minister to visit Siachen?
- (1) Dr. Manmohan Singh
 - (2) Rajiv Gandhi
 - (3) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
 - (4) Lal Bahadur Shastri
44. How many Indian Prime Ministers have died while in office?
- (1) 1
 - (2) 2
 - (3) 3
 - (4) 4
45. In which Parliamentary house the proposal regarding dismissal of the Indian Vice President can be presented?
- (1) Any house of the Parliament
 - (2) Rajya Sabha
 - (3) Lok Sabha
 - (4) Election Commissioner
46. Adolf Hitler committed suicide in
- (1) 1944
 - (2) 1945
 - (3) 1946
 - (4) 1947
47. The first General Secretary of UNO was
- (1) Dag Hamarskjold
 - (2) U Thant
 - (3) Trygve Lie
 - (4) Kurt Waldheim

48. The Indian Institute of Science is located at
 (1) Kerala (2) Madras
 (3) Bangalore (4) New Delhi
49. India's flag bearer during parade at 2016 Rio Olympics Closing ceremony was
 (1) Manoj Prabhakar (2) Shaksi Malik
 (3) P.T. Usha (4) Abhinav Bindra
50. Book titled An Era of Darkness: The British Empire in India Authored by
 (1) Montek Singh Ahluwalia
 (2) Shashi Tharoor
 (3) Menka Gandhi
 (4) P. Chidambaram
51. Our Universe consists of only about 4% atoms. How much of it is Dark Matter and Dark Energy?
 (1) 80% Dark Matter, 16% Dark Energy
 (2) 74% Dark Energy, 22% Dark Matter
 (3) 94% Dark Energy, 2% Dark Matter
 (4) 90% Dark Energy, 4% Dark Matter
52. Star life phases that can occur during a massive star's life (100x the sun), after the supernova.
 (1) Black Hole and Neutron Star
 (2) Black Hole and White Dwarf
 (3) White Dwarf and Red Supergiant
 (4) Red Supergiant and Big Bang
53. Astronomers have decided that, rather than being a planet, Pluto is really just a large member of the
 (1) Asteroid belt
 (2) Kuiper belt
 (3) Oort cloud
 (4) Moon system around Neptune
54. At 10 million light years galaxies visible are the
 (1) Comet (2) Debris
 (3) Andromeda galaxy (4) Local group
55. Based on the frequency with which we see comets from Earth, astronomers estimate the total number of comets in the solar system to be
 (1) 1 billion (2) 10 billion
 (3) 100 billion (4) 1 trillion
56. The percentage of impurity in 18 carat gold is
 (1) 75% (2) 25%
 (3) 18% (4) 4%
57. Elliptical orbits were proposed by
 (1) Neil's Bohr (2) Rutherford
 (3) Sommerfeld (4) Max Plank
58. Seema visited a Natural Gas Compressing Unit and found that the gas can be liquefied under specific conditions of temperature and pressure. While sharing her experience with friends she got confused. Help her to identify the correct set of conditions.
 (1) Low temperature, low pressure
 (2) High temperature, low pressure
 (3) Low temperature, high pressure
 (4) High temperature, high pressure
59. Choose the complex fertilizer.
 (1) Potassium sulphate
 (2) Calcium ammonium nitrate
 (3) Triple super phosphate
 (4) Urea ammonium phosphate
60. On your computer, which of the following elements will be affected if you select a different theme to apply to a slideshow presentation?
 (1) Tables will change colour.
 (2) Fonts applied will change in type and size.
 (3) Shapes will change colour.
 (4) All of the above options are correct.



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