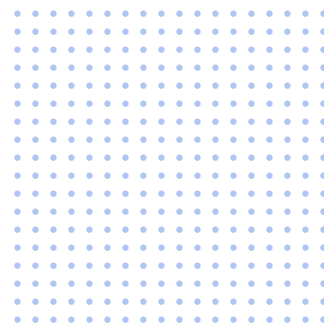




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Total Questions : 60

Time Allowed : 70 Minutes

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Instructions for Candidates :

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1. *Microliths* were extensively used during:
 - (A) Paleolithic Age
 - (B) Neolithic Age
 - (C) Mesolithic Age
 - (D) Chalcolithic Age
2. The Aryan Invasion Theory of the decline of Harappan civilization was elaborated by:
 - (A) P.V. Kane
 - (B) George Dales
 - (C) B.B. Lal
 - (D) Mortimer Wheeler
3. Which of the following is a scientific technique in Archeology?
 - (A) Carbon 14 Dating
 - (B) Thermoluminescence
 - (C) Potassium Argon dating
 - (D) All the above
4. The Rig Veda is a collection of _____suktas.
 - (A) 1028
 - (B) 1055
 - (C) 1066
 - (D) 1030
5. Magadha's political success is generally attributed to its:
 - (A) Favorable geographical location
 - (B) Monopoly over iron ore mines
 - (C) Resourceful rulers and advantages of fertile soil
 - (D) All the above
6. In Buddhism, the *Sanga* was not open to:
 - (A) Pregnant Women
 - (B) Rebellious Women
 - (C) Mothers of unweaned children
 - (D) All the above
7. Consider the following statements about Ashoka's inscriptions:
 - I. They mostly contain explanations of dhamma and the King's efforts to propagate it
 - II. Some of the inscriptions directly indicate Ashoka's allegiance to Buddha's teachings
 - III. Most of them are in the Prakrit language and Brahmi script
 Which of the above given statements is / are correct?
 - (A) Only statement I is correct
 - (B) Only statement II is correct
 - (C) Both statement I & II are correct
 - (D) All the statements are correct
8. Who among the following has used the World Systems Theory framework to explain the nature and structure of Mauryan Empire?
 - (A) Romila Thapar
 - (B) R.S. Sharma
 - (C) Gerard Fussman
 - (D) Haraprasad Shastri
9. The origin of the Kushanas is traced to:
 - (A) Yueh Chi tribe
 - (B) Sakas
 - (C) Persians
 - (D) Mongols
10. Allahabad Pillar inscription prominently mentions the achievements of:
 - (A) Chandragupta
 - (B) Samudragupta
 - (C) Ghatotkacha
 - (D) Kachagupta

11. Which of the following is correctly matched?
 - (A) Buddhacharita——Varahamihira
 - (B) Harshacharita——Banabhatta
 - (C) Nilmata Purana——Kalhana
 - (D) Brihatsamita——Ashvaghosha
12. District officers during the era of the Gupta dynasty were called:
 - (A) Dandnayaka
 - (B) Vishyapatis
 - (C) Mahapratihara
 - (D) Sandhivigrahika
13. Babur conquered Kabul in:
 - (A) 1501
 - (B) 1503
 - (C) 1504
 - (D) 1505
14. Which one was Not invited by Akbar to discuss religious matters:
 - (A) Father Monserrate
 - (B) Maharaji Rana
 - (C) Hira Vijay Suri
 - (D) Kavindrachariya Saraswati
15. Sambaji was arrested by Mughal forces from:
 - (A) Pandu
 - (B) Purundhar
 - (C) Sangrameshwar
 - (D) Sholapur
16. The *Great Firm Theory* was propounded by:
 - (A) Muzaffar Alam
 - (B) C.A. Bayle
 - (C) Karen Leonard
 - (D) J. F. Richards
17. The author of *Humayun Nama* is:
 - (A) Haji Begum
 - (B) Gulbadhan Begum
 - (C) Salima Begum
 - (D) Mahum Anga
18. The followers of Sant Dnyeshwar were called:
 - (A) Nath Panthis
 - (B) Varakaris
 - (C) Siddhas
 - (D) Adviatas
19. Miyan Mir belongs to which Silsila?
 - (A) Chishtiya
 - (B) Suhurwardi
 - (C) Qadriya
 - (D) Shattari
20. Which one is Not a work of Amir Khusru?
 - (A) Khaza-in-ul-Futuh
 - (B) Nuhsipr
 - (C) Qiran-us-Sadiyan
 - (D) Taj-ul-Masir
21. Iltutmish did Not conquer:
 - (A) Laknuati
 - (B) Mandu
 - (C) Parenda
 - (D) Ranthambor
22. Diwan-i-Insha was the department of:
 - (A) Revenue
 - (B) Defense
 - (C) Royal workshop
 - (D) Correspondence

23. During Timur's invasion the ruler of Delhi was:
 (A) Feroz Shah Tughluq
 (B) Sultan Mehmood
 (C) Nasir-u-Din Mehmod
 (D) Murad Shah
24. Which one was Not a land type in Mughal India?
 (A) Polaj
 (B) Paruti
 (C) Kankut
 (D) Chachar
25. The Ist Carnatic War ended with the:
 (A) Treaty of St. Thomas
 (B) Treaty of Paris
 (C) Treaty of Aix-La-Chappelle
 (D) Treaty of Pondicherry
26. Who gave the account of "Black hole tragedy"?
 (A) John Holwell
 (B) John Surman
 (C) William Hamilton
 (D) Robert Clive
27. With regard to the Revolt of 1857, who among the following describes it as, "The Indian Rebellion of 1857 was not one movement....it was many"?
 (A) R.C. Majumdar
 (B) S.N. Sen
 (C) C.A. Bayly
 (D) V.D. Savarkar
28. The prominent Extremist leader who organised the "Indian League of America" was:
 (A) Bipan Chandra Pal
 (B) Lala Lajpat Rai
 (C) B. G. Tilak
 (D) Aurobindo Ghosh
29. Sir Stafford Cripps announced his proposals in the form of a Draft Declaration on:
 (A) 24 March 1942
 (B) 30 March 1942
 (C) 05 April 1942
 (D) 15 April 1942
30. Name the Chairman of the Boundary Commission who defined the boundary between India and Pakistan:
 (A) Mr. Durana
 (B) Mr. Cyril Radcliffe
 (C) H.V. Hodson
 (D) Lord Pethic Lawrence
31. *Kamaraj Plan* was executed by J. L. Nehru in order to ease out Morarji Desai from the mainstream in:
 (A) August 1963
 (B) August 1964
 (C) February 1965
 (D) February 1966
32. The Muslim League had given the call for "Direct Action" day on:
 (A) 14 August 1946
 (B) 15 August 1946
 (C) 16 August 1946
 (D) 17 August 1946
33. Indian Opium was exported to China to get:
 (A) Silk
 (B) Raw Cotton
 (C) Tea
 (D) Chemical Dyes

34. Thomas Babington Macaulay issued his famous Minute on Indian Education on:
 (A) 2 February 1835
 (B) 6 February 1835
 (C) 8 February 1835
 (D) 9 February 1835
35. Who among the following is regarded as the father of Indian Nationalism?
 (A) Dada Bhai Naoroji
 (B) Raja Ram Mohan Roy
 (C) C. R. Das
 (D) G. K. Gokhale
36. Who authored the classical work "Satyarth Prakash"?
 (A) Dada Bhai Naoroji
 (B) Raja Ram Mohan Roy
 (C) Swami Vivekanand
 (D) Swami Dayanand Saraswati
37. The Neolithic site of Burzahom was first excavated by:
 (A) T. N. Khazanchi
 (B) H. De Terra and Petterson
 (C) B. M. Pande
 (D) R. K. Pant
38. Samayamatrka is the work of:
 (A) Bilhana
 (B) Somadeva
 (C) Ksemendra
 (D) Kalhana
39. The King Samkaravarman was the son of:
 (A) Avantivarman
 (B) Durlabhavardhana
 (C) Kanishka
 (D) Dida
40. The dominant religious tradition of Kashmir before the introduction of Buddhism was:
 (A) Naga
 (B) Islam
 (C) Jainism
 (D) Sikhism
41. Which one is Not correct?
 (A) Sultan Zain-ul-Abidin built tomb of Madani
 (B) Sultan Zain-ul-Abidin completed construction of Jamia Masjid Srinagar
 (C) Khan Kuh-i-Mualla was built during Alau-din's reign
 (D) Sultan Hassan Shah built palace at Didmar
42. Ghazi Chak became ruler in:
 (A) 1552
 (B) 1561
 (C) 1563
 (D) 1570
43. Which one was Not a Mughal governor of Kashmir?
 (A) Mirza Yusuf Khan Rizvi
 (B) Zaffar Khan
 (C) Mir Hazar Khan
 (D) Hafizullah Khan
44. Basant Bagh was built by:
 (A) Diwan Moti Ram
 (B) Prince Sher Shah
 (C) Colonel Mehan Singh
 (D) Diwan Kripa Ram

45. *Tambol* according to A. Wingate was:
- A tax levied at the time of marriages in rulers family.
 - A part of revenue extracted by officials as their own share.
 - A tax for the maintenance of temples.
 - A tax for the maintenance of priests.
46. Who described the position of the people in the Kashmir Valley as worse than that of the Third Estate in France before French Revolution?
- St. Oliver John
 - Henry Lawrence
 - Andrew Wingate
 - Walter R. Lawrence
47. The first General Secretary of All Jammu and Kashmir Praja Parishad party was:
- Lala Roop Chand Nanda
 - Balraj Madhok
 - Hari Wazir
 - Prem Nath Dogra
48. The All Jammu and Kashmir Kisan Mazdoor Conference held its historic Kabamarag Congress in:
- 1945
 - 1946
 - 1947
 - 1948
49. Which of the following is Not correctly matched?
- Leonardo da Vinci —————The Last Supper
 - Michelangelo—————The Last Judgement
 - Raphael —————Virgin of the Rocks
 - Donatello—————David
50. 'Liberty, Equality and Fraternity' was the slogan of:
- American Revolution
 - French Revolution
 - Chinese Revolution
 - Russian Revolution
51. The Reformation Movement was:
- A movement to reform and rebirthing the art and literature of the 16th century
 - It was a revolt against the institution of Catholic Church
 - It was the rise of the Church's control over Rome
 - It was a revolt against King Henry VIII
52. The American war of Independence was fought from ____to____:
- 1775-1784
 - 1777-1783
 - 1775-1783
 - 1770-1780
53. When did World War-I start?
- July 28, 1914
 - July 28, 1915
 - July 25, 1916
 - July 24, 1913
54. National Socialist German Workers Party was founded by:
- Bismarck
 - Hitler
 - Mussolini
 - Hindenburg

55. Which ideology was popularized during the Russian revolution?
- (A) Fascism
(B) Marxism
(C) Capitalism
(D) Liberalism
56. What was the ultimate cause of the Second World War?
- (A) Invasion of Prussia
(B) Invasion of Austria
(C) Invasion of Poland
(D) Invasion of Italy
57. The main objective of the Non-Aligned Movement was:
- (A) To keep the newly independent nations of Asia and Africa away from the rivalry of superpowers
(B) To oppose Colonialism
(C) To advocate the sovereign equality of all States
(D) All of the above
58. Who among the following was Not the part of the Yalta Agreement, 1945?
- (A) Winston Churchill
(B) Franklin Roosevelt
(C) Joseph Stalin
(D) Harry Truman
59. Which of the following is Not correctly matched?
- (A) Marshall Plan_____1940
(B) Warsaw Pact _____1955
(C) North Atlantic Treaty_____1949
(D) Helsinki Accords_____1975
60. Which of the following contributed to the Industrial Revolution in England?
- (A) Development of Scientific agriculture and Enclosure Movement
(B) Extensive trade network
(C) Political stability
(D) All the above

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