

1. The constitutional amendment which made 'Right to Education' a fundamental right.
(A) 93rd (B) 86th
(C) 26th (D) 23rd
2. The term 'Tee' is connected with which of the following Games?
(A) Golf (B) Polo
(C) Billiards (D) Tennis
3. The largest Archipelago in the world.
(A) West Indies (B) Philippines
(C) Indonesia
(D) Caribbean Islands
4. February 28th is celebrated as National Science Day in India to commemorate.
(A) Launching of the first space shuttle.
(B) The day of the declaration of Raman Effect.
(C) Inauguration of Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre.
(D) Birth Day of Rakesh Sharma, the first Indian Cosmonaut.
5. The famous work 'Old man and the Sea' is written by:
(A) Daniel Defo
(B) Shuse Saramagu
(C) Earnest Hemingway
(D) Stephen Hawkings
6. Which of the following elements is a Non-metal?
(A) Strontium (B) Cobalt
(C) Nickel (D) Bromine
7. Which among the following substances is an essential ingredient in a saline solution?
(A) Salicylic acid
(B) Hydrochloric acid
(C) Ammonium chloride
(D) Sodium chloride
8. External Eardrums is the hearing organ associated with:
(A) Fish (B) Crab
(C) Snake (D) Frog
9. Which of the following Deceases is caused by Bacteria?
(A) Tonsillitis (B) Pneumonia
(C) Anthrax (D) Dysentery
10. The North Magnetic Pole of the Earth is located at:
(A) Victoria land (B) Greenland
(C) Siberia (D) Newzealand
11. 'Doldrums' are:
(A) High pressure areas near the poles
(B) Equatorial zone with low pressure
(C) Sub polar low pressure areas
(D) High pressure areas near sea coast
12. International Ozone Day is celebrated on:
(A) Sept. 16 (B) Sept. 28
(C) Oct. 8 (D) Dec. 10
13. 'Queen Berry Rules' is the rules associated with:
(A) Cricket (B) Hockey
(C) Tennis (D) Boxing
14. The first Indian State in which Panchayathiraj system came into force?
(A) Kerala (B) Uttar Pradesh
(C) Rajasthan (D) West Bengal
15. Which of these animals is cold-blooded?
(A) Crocodile (B) Whale
(C) Leopard (D) Elephant
16. Wankhede Stadium is situated at:
(A) Mumbai (B) Chennai
(C) Bangalore (D) Kolkata
17. Which of these vitamins is soluble in water?
(A) Vitamin A (B) Vitamin B
(C) Vitamin D (D) Vitamin E
18. 'Agenda - 21' refers to:
(A) Report of Sarkaria commission
(B) Proposals of G-7 countries
(C) Demands of NAM countries
(D) Rio Earth Summit's Document
19. The first Indian woman cosmonaut:
(A) Bachendripal
(B) Arathy Saha
(C) Kalpana Chawla
- (D) Santhosh Yadav
20. The term Parsimonious means:
(A) Generous (B) Religious
(C) Backbiting
(D) Too economical
21. The chairman of 13th Finance Commission in India:
(A) Montek Singh Ahluvalia
(B) C Rangarajan
(C) A M Khusro
(D) Vijay Kelkar
22. Howmanyeth president of India is Pratibha Patil?
(A) 10th (B) 11th
(C) 12th (D) 13th
23. U N Secretary General Ban Ki-moon belongs to which country?
(A) South Korea (B) France
(C) South Africa (D) Canada
24. Jnanapeetam Award 2010 was awarded to:
(A) Girish Karnad
(B) ONV Kurup
(C) Chandrasekhara Kambara
(D) Mahaswetadevi
25. Among the following personalities who was conferred the 'Bharataratna' Last?
(A) APJ Abdul Kalam
(B) Bhimsen Joshi
(C) Amarthya Sen
(D) Bismilla Khan
26. Nobel Prize in literature for 2011 was awarded to:
(A) Doris Lessing
(B) Thomas Transtromer
(C) Mario Vargas Llosa
(D) Herta Muller
27. Gagan Narang, the winner of Rajiv Gandhi Khel ratna Award 2010-11 is associated with:
(A) Boxing (B) Billiards
(C) Wrestling (D) Shooting
28. The Period of the 11th Five Year Plan in India is:
(A) 2007-2012 (B) 2008-2013
(C) 2009-2014 (D) 2010-2015
29. The 59th Dada Saheb Phalke Award for 2011 was awarded to:
(A) Soumitra Chatterjee
(B) Dr. Rama Naidu
(C) K Balachander
(D) Manna Dey
30. The venue of 2012 Olympic Games is:
(A) Beijing (B) London
(C) Atlanta (D) Sidney
31. The political party formed by Subhash Chandra Bose was:
(A) Yuganhar Party
(B) H S R A
(C) Forward Bloc
(D) Congress Socialist Party
32. The heroin of 1942 Quit India movement was:
(A) Mrs. Sarojini Naidu
(B) Aruna Asa fali
(C) Kadambini Ganguli
(D) Rani Gaidilieu
33. The Economic theory of 'Drain of Wealth' during British Rule was propounded by:
(A) Dadabhai Naoroji
(B) R P Dutt
(C) A R Desai
(D) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
34. The beginning of Swadeshi - Boycott Movements against foreign rule in India was associated with:
(A) Revolt of 1857
(B) Anti-Bengal Partition Movement
(C) Khilafat Movement
(D) Non Co - operation Movement
35. Separate Communal Electorates for Muslims in India was awarded through:
(A) Minto Morely Reforms
(B) Montegu Chelmsford Reforms
(C) Government of India Act 1935
(D) Wavell's Plan
36. The President of Indian National Congress in the year of Indian Independence.
(A) C Rajagopalachari
(B) Sardar Patel
(C) Moulana Abdul Kalam Azad
- (D) J B Kripalini
37. The National Song 'Vandemataram' is taken from the work:
(A) Neel Darpan (B) Godan
(C) Anandamatam
(D) Geethanjali
38. Which of the following pairs is incorrect?
(A) Frontier Gandhi - Abdul Kalam Azad
(B) Desabandu - Chitharanjan Das
(C) Netaji - Subhash Chandra Bose
(D) Lokamanya - Bal Gangadhar Tilak
39. Whom did Mahatma Gandhi describe The 'Prince of Patriots'?
(A) Bhagat Singh
(B) Jawaharlal Nehru.
(C) Swami Vivekananda
(D) Subhash Chandra Bose
40. The first successful political experiment of Gandhi in India was:
(A) Indigo Peasants struggle in Champaran
(B) Peasant struggle in Kheda
(C) Textile mill workers' strike at Ahmedabad
(D) Anti-Rowlatt Act agitation
41. Who started the historic newspaper 'Swadeshabhimani' in Travancore in 1905?
(A) K. Ramakrishna Pillai
(B) C.P. Govinda Pillai
(C) Vakkom Abdul Khader Moulavi
(D) P. Rajagopalachari
42. The Tamil Renaissance Leader who was associated with the Vaikkom Satyagraha of 1924-25:
(A) E.V. Rama Swami Naikar
(B) M. Veeraraghavachari
(C) V. Gopaldaswami
(D) G. Subhramanya Iyyer
43. 'Jeevithasamaram' is the autobiography of:
(A) Joseph Mundassery
(B) Pattom Thanu Pillai
(C) C. Kesavan (D) K. Kelappan
44. The year in which temple Entry proclamation was issued in Travancore?
(A) 1924 (B) 1928
(C) 1936 (D) 1948
45. The poem 'Jathikkummi' was written by:
(A) Sreenarayana Guru
(B) Vallathol
(C) Pandit K.P. Karuppan
(D) K.C. Kesavapilla
46. The editor of 'Vivekodayam' started publication in Kerala in 1904 was:
(A) Ullur S Parameswara Iyyar
(B) Kumaranasan
(C) Kesari Balakrishna Pillai
(D) Dr. Palpu
47. The Malayalam drama of the renaissance period 'Adukkahyilni-nnu Arangathekku' is written
(A) Thoppil Bhasi
(B) V. T. Bhattathirippadu
(C) M. Govindan
(D) K.G. Sankara Pillai
48. The centre of the salt satyagraha in Kerala in the Civil Disobedience Movement of 1930:
(A) Kollam (B) Alappuzha
(C) Cherai (D) Payyannur
49. Which among the following pairs is not correctly matched?
(A) 'Sajjayan' - M R Nair
(B) 'Asha Menon' - M P Paul
(C) 'Vilasini' - M K Menon
(D) Urub - P C Kuttikrishnan
50. The founder of Sadhujana Paripalana Yogam:
(A) Vagbhatananda Guru
(B) Chattampi Swamikal
(C) Sahodaran Ayyappan
(D) Ayyankali
51. Ranganathan's Five Laws of Library Science are a set of norms for:
(A) Information system
(B) Librarianship
(C) Documentation
(D) Information service
52. List of documents in a library is

- called:
 (A) Union Catalogue
 (B) Bibliography
 (C) Library Catalogue
 (D) Latest addition
53. The major function of Circulation section of a library is:
 (A) Cataloguing
 (B) Book ordering
 (C) Reference service
 (D) Issue of Books
54. RRRLF, Kolkata provides financial support to what type of Libraries?
 (A) Public Library
 (B) Academic Library
 (C) Special Library
 (D) National Library
55. The old name of NISCAIR was:
 (A) INIS (B) NASSDOC
 (C) CSIR (D) INSDOC
56. ISBN stands for:
 (A) Indian Standard Book Number
 (B) International Standard Book Number
 (C) International Standard for books and Non-books
 (D) Integrated Services Bibliographic Network
57. A good library building is an outcome of librarian and:
 (A) Users (B) Finance Officer
 (C) Registrar (D) Architect
58. *Grandhalokam* is published by:
 (A) National Book Trust
 (B) The Kerala State Library Council
 (C) Kerala Sahithya Academy
 (D) The Kerala Sasthra Sahithya Parishad
59. In Chain Procedure, Class Index Entry (CIE) is derived from;
 (A) Class Number
 (B) Book Number
 (C) Accession Number
 (D) ISBN
60. The earlier name of National Library, Kolkata was:
 (A) Calcutta Public Library
 (B) National Public Library
 (C) The Imperial Library
 (D) National Information centre
61. Standard size of the card catalogue is:
 (A) 6.5 x 11.5 cm (B) 10.5 x 7.5 cm
 (C) 5.5 x 8.5 cm (D) 7.5 x 12.5 cm
62. In DDC, the common isolates are called:
 (A) Common sub divisions
 (B) Auxiliary sub divisions
 (C) Special sub divisions
 (D) Standard sub divisions
63. National Library Week in India is observed during the month of:
 (A) December (B) October
 (C) September (D) November
64. The last letter of the acronym POSDCORB refers to:
 (A) Books (B) Budgeting
 (C) Borrowing (D) Bargaining
65. Library catalogue cards are filed in specially designed drawers called:
 (A) Catalogue cabinet
 (B) Display Rack
 (C) Filling equipment
 (D) Charging Tray
66. In the title 'Works of Kamala Das', the basic subject is:
 (A) Poetry (B) Indian
 (C) English (D) Literature
67. The Principles of Scientific Management were propounded by:
 (A) F. W. Taylor
 (B) Henry Fayol
 (C) Edward Evans
 (D) Abraham Maslow
68. Atlases are the;
 (A) Indexes to Gazetteers
 (B) Index to maps
 (C) Collection of maps
 (D) None of the above
69. In Dewey Decimal Classification, the minimum number of digits to represent a subject is limited to:
 (A) Four (B) Three
 (C) Two (D) One
70. OPAC stands for:
 (A) Online Processing of Automated Catalogue
 (B) Online Programming And Control
 (C) Online Programming and Analog Computer
 (D) Online Public Access Catalogue
71. Location of library building is an implication of which Law of Library Science?
 (A) First (B) Second
 (C) Third (D) Fourth
72. INFIJNET is established by UGC and located at:
 (A) Pune (B) Ahmedabad
 (C) New Delhi (D) Kolkata
73. In which year the first edition of Classified Catalogue Code (CCC) was published?
 (A) 1931 (B) 1933
 (C) 1934 (D) 1936
74. The Library of Congress is the National Library of:
 (A) U. S. A (B) U. K
 (C) U. S. S. R (D) Germany
75. Library cess is considered as a major source of finance for which libraries?
 (A) Academic (B) Public
 (C) Special (D) Business
76. The subject that has a basic facet and one or more isolate facets are called:
 (A) Specific (B) Compound
 (C) Basic (D) Complex
77. APUPA Pattern is associated with:
 (A) Acquisition (B) Cataloguing
 (C) Classification
 (D) Documentation
78. The storage area for the various types of documents kept in a library is:
 (A) Stacks (B) Tasks
 (C) Racks (D) Desks
79. Which is the non - print material?
 (A) Thesis (B) Patent
 (C) Journal (D) CD - ROM
80. IFLA head quarters is located at:
 (A) London (B) The Hague
 (C) Paris (D) Chicago
81. MODEM stands for:
 (A) Mode of Transmission
 (B) Modulation Demodulation
 (C) Modes Synchronous
 (D) None of the above
82. Colon Classification is an example of:
 (A) Enumerative
 (B) Rigidly faceted
 (C) Fully faceted classification
 (D) Analytico synthetic
83. *Indian National Bibliography* (INB) is published by:
 (A) Central Reference Library, Kolkata
 (B) NISCAIR, New Delhi
 (C) Delhi Public Library
 (D) RRRLF, Kolkatta
84. In CCC, the Editor of Series Entry is called:
 (A) Cross Reference Entry
 (B) Cross Reference Index Entry
 (C) Class Index Entry
 (D) Book Index Entry
85. Dewey Decimal Classification Scheme devised by Melvil Dewey is first published in:
 (A) 1976 (B) 1928
 (C) 1876 (D) 1934
86. The book *Prolegomena of Library Classification* is written by:
 (A) G. Bhattacharya
 (B) S. R. Ranganathan
 (C) A. Neelameghan
 (D) J. D. Brown
87. Indian Books in print is an example of:
 (A) Trade Bibliography
 (B) National Bibliography
 (C) Universal Bibliography
 (D) Subject Bibliography
88. How many editions of DDC have been published till now?
 (A) 22 (B) 18
 (C) 20 (D) 23
89. Which of the following is not a library software?
 (A) SOUL (B) CAD
 (C) CDS/ISIS (D) KOHA
90. Who is the first elected President of the Kerala State Library Council?
 (A) Kadammanitta Ramakrishnan
 (B) P. N. Panikker
 (C) G. Balamohanam Thampy
 (D) George Onakkoor
91. Physical components of a computer are called:
 (A) Software (B) Humanware
 (C) Hardware (D) None of the above
92. The Kerala Public Libraries Act was passed in the year:
 (A) 1986 (B) 1989
 (C) 1991 (D) 1994
93. International Book Year was celebrated by UNESCO in the year:
 (A) 1972 (B) 1970
 (C) 1975 (D) 1979
94. The New Encyclopaedia Britannica consists of:
 (A) 20 vols. (B) 25 vols.
 (C) 30 vols. (D) 32 vols.
95. Which of the following kinds of information source are patents?
 (A) Primary (B) Secondary
 (C) Tertiary (D) Auxiliary
96. What is the suitable reference source to know about the information of a particular place?
 (A) Directory (B) Gazetteer
 (C) Encyclopaedia (D) Yearbook
97. Who is the publisher of the journal *Annals of Library & Information Studies*?
 (A) DRTC (B) IASLIC
 (C) DESIDOC (D) NISCAIR
98. Who is the father of Library Science in India?
 (A) P.N. Panikker
 (B) S. R. Ranganathan
 (C) B.S. Kesavan
 (D) P.N. Kaula
99. India: A Reference Annual is an example of:
 (A) Handbook (B) Directory
 (C) Year Book (D) Statistical source
100. Physical description of a document in a catalogue entry is called:
 (A) Imprint
 (B) Useful information
 (C) Collation
 (D) Physical description

ANSWERS

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| 8.(D), | 9.(C), | 10.(C), | 11.(B), | 12.(A), | 13.(D), | 14.(C), |
| 15.(A), | 16.(A), | 17.(B), | 18.(D), | 19.(C), | 20.(D), | 21.(D), |
| 22.(C), | 23.(A), | 24.(C), | 25.(B), | 26.(B), | 27.(D), | 28.(A), |
| 29.(A), | 30.(B), | 31.(C), | 32.(B), | 33.(A), | 34.(B), | 35.(A), |
| 36.(D), | 37.(C), | 38.(A), | 39.(D), | 40.(A), | 41.(C), | 42.(A), |
| 43.(C), | 44.(C), | 45.(C), | 46.(B), | 47.(B), | 48.(D), | 49.(B), |
| 50.(D), | 51.(B), | 52.(C), | 53.(D), | 54.(A), | 55.(D), | 56.(B), |
| 57.(D), | 58.(B), | 59.(A), | 60.(C), | 61.(D), | 62.(D), | 63.(D), |
| 64.(B), | 65.(A), | 66.(D), | 67.(A), | 68.(C), | 69.(B), | 70.(D), |
| 71.(D), | 72.(B), | 73.(C), | 74.(A), | 75.(B), | 76.(B), | 77.(C), |
| 78.(A), | 79.(D), | 80.(B), | 81.(D), | 82.(D), | 83.(A), | 84.(B), |
| 85.(C), | 86.(B), | 87.(B), | 88.(D), | 89.(B), | 90.(A), | 91.(C), |
| 92.(B), | 93.(A), | 94.(D), | 95.(A), | 96.(B), | 97.(D), | 98.(B), |
| 99.(C), | 100.(D) | | | | | |