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GENERAL AWARENESS SOLVED PAPER FOR ALL BRANCHES: CHECK BELOW

GENERAL AWARENESS AND CURRENT AFFAIRS

Exam held on 18-12-2011

GENERAL AWARENESS-1

1. Through which procedure, a writ can be filed in the Supreme Court against decision of the Election Commission on recognising or de-recognising a political party for the purpose of an electoral symbol, or which group within a particular party, constitutes that party for been allotted of Election symbol to that party—

- (A) Under Article 32
- (B) Under Article 229
- (C) Special leave petition
- (D) Public Interest Litigation

ANS.(C)

2. Which Constitutional Article lays down the provision for a National Commission for SC and ST—

- (A) Article 337
- (B) Article 334
- (C) Article 338
- (D) Article 339

ANS.(C)

3. In case President Rule in the state is not approved by the Parliament, 'For how many months the same promulgation shall last'.

- (A) Four Months
- (B) Two Months
- (C) Three Months
- (D) Six Months

ANS.(D)

4. Constitutionally, who has the power to make a law on the subject mentionable in the Union List—

- (A) Lok Sabha
- (B) Parliament
- (C) Rajya Sabha
- (D) Legislative Council

ANS(B)

5. Under which act, the Bicameral Central Legislature was established during the British period for the first time—

- (A) Govt. of India Act 1938
- (B) The Indian Council Act 1861
- (C) Govt. of India Act 1919

(D) Govt. of India Act 1935

ANS.(C)

6. Who said 'As President, I have no eyes but constitutional eyes. I cannot see you'—

(A) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

(B) Dr. Radhakrishnan

(C) Abraham Lincoln

(D) Mahatma Gandhi

ANS.(C)

7. In the Parliament, what is the meaning of the Government Bill—

(A) Bill presented by Ruling Party member

(B) Bill approved by the Government

(C) Only the Prime Minister presents the Bill

(D) A Bill introduced by any Minister in either of the Houses of the Parliament

ANS.(D)

8. Spell out the condition under Article 361A by which any person or newspaper cannot be sued for legal proceeding if any report of proceedings of Parliament and State Legislature is published—

(A) The report must be a report of the 'proceedings' of a House of the Union or a State Legislature. Hence, it must be relevant to a motion or other business before the House, and must not have been expunged

(B) It must be a 'report' as distinguished from one article or 'Comment'.

(C) Such report must be substantially true. Hence, an extract or a garbed or perverted report would not be protected. The reporting must not be actuated by malice

(D) All of the above

ANS(D)

9. Who has ample powers under Article 324(1) to make appropriate orders as to the conduct of Elections, e.g., cancellation of poll and ordering to poll according to exigencies in particular areas, introduction of electronic voting machines, postponing of election, etc.—

(A) Regional Election Commissioner

(B) Election Committee of Government

(C) Electoral Officer

(D) Election Commission

ANS.(D)

10. In the Indian Constitution, which type of the Sabha is mentioned under Panchayat Raj—

(A) District Sabha

(B) Gram Sabha

(C) Nagar Panchayat Sabha

(D) Zila Sabha

ANS.(B)

11. The Vedanga consists of the—

(A) Kalp, Shiksha, Nirukta, Vyakaran, Chhanda, Jyotish

(B) Kalp, Shiksha, Brahman, Vyakaran, Chhanda, Jyotish

(C) Kalp, Shiksha, Nirukta, Aranyak, Chhanda, Jyotish

(D) Kalp, Upanishad, Nirukta, Vyakaran, Chhanda

Ans : (A)

12. Frontier Gandhi was the nickname of—

(A) Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan

(B) Vinoba Bhave

- (C) None of these
- (D) Mahatma Gandhi

Ans : (A)

13. India and Pakistan were partitioned under which of the following plans of the British colonial government ?

- (A) Mountbatten Plan
- (B) Cripps Plan
- (C) Chelmsford Plan
- (D) Wavell Plan

Ans : (A)

14. The foreign traveller who visited India during the Mughal period and who left us an expert's description of the Peacock Throne was—

- (A) Geronimo Verroneo
- (B) 'Omrah' Danishmand Khan
- (C) Tavernier
- (D) Francisco Palsart

Ans : (C)

15. Which of the following statements are not true of the Home Rule Movement ?

- I. The demand was for selfgovernment and not complete independence.
- II. The movement included promoting political education to build a base for selfgovernment
- III. It did not achieve much impact or popularity.
- IV. The movement was the part of the Congress activity.

- (A) I and II
- (B) II and III
- (C) III and IV
- (D) IV and I

Ans : (C)

15. Who said the following "the British empire is rotten to the core, corrupt in every direction and tyrannical and mean" ?

- (A) Mrs. Annie Besant
- (B) W. Digby
- (C) Sister Nivedita
- (D) William Wedderburn

Ans : (C)

16. Which bank in India performs duties of Central Bank ?

- (A) Central Bank of India
- (B) State Bank of India
- (C) Reserve Bank of India
- (D) Above (A) and (B)

ANS.(C)

17. Which of the following statements about the Indian Economy is correct ?

- (A) Indian economy is as developed as that of China
- (B) About 70% Indians are involved in some type of selfemployment and are the owners of some or the other micro or small enterprise
- (C) In India single biggest employment is agriculture and allied activities
- (D) About 48% Indian workforce is employed in foreign countries or in organizations assisted by foreign capital
- (E) None of these

Ans : (C)

18 In the last one decade, which one among the following sectors has attracted the highest foreign direct investment inflows into India?

- A.
Chemicals other than fertilizers
- B.
Services sector
- C.
Food processing
- D.
Telecommunication

ANS.(D)

19. Devaluation of a currency means

- A.
reduction in the value of a currency vis-a-vis major internationally traded currencies
- B.
permitting the currency to seek its worth in the international market
- C.
fixing the value of the currency in conjunction with the movement in the value of a basket of pre-determined currencies
- D.
fixing the value of currency in multilateral consultation with the IMF, the World Bank and major trading partners

ANS.(D)

20 In the state of India, the State Financial Corporation have given assistance mainly to develop

- A.
agricultural farms
- B.
cottage industry
- C.
large-scale industries
- D.
medium and small-scale industries

ANS.(D)

21. In pursuance with the recommendations of Narsimhan Committee, the RBI has framed new guidelines

- A.
to govern entry of new private sector banks to make the banking sector more competitive
- B.
to reduce the freedom given to banks to rationalize their existing branch network
- C.
to setup more foreign exchange banks
- D.
to lend more easily for industrial development

ANS.(A)

22. The condition of indirect taxes in the country's revenue is approximately

- A.
70 percent
- B.
75 percent
- C.

80 percent

D.

86 percent

ANS.(D)

23. In India, rural incomes are generally lower than the urban incomes, which of the following reasons account for this?

I. A large number of farmers are illiterate and know little about scientific agriculture

II. Prices of primary products are lower than those of manufactured products

III. Investment in agriculture has been low when compared to investment in industry

A.

I, II, III

B.

I, II

C.

I, III

D.

II, III

ANS.(A)

24) madurai and other districts---pandyan rulers

25) earliest tamil literature---tolkappiyam

26) order of mughal emperors---akbar,jahangir,shahjahan.auranjeb

27) DOCTRINE OF LAPSE; LORD DALHOUSIE

28) 1976 AMENDMENT: SOCIALIST SECULAR

29) "FISCAL POLICY" is by Ministry of Finance."

30). some social activist @ lahore called B.R. Ambedkar, he couldn't give a speech and later it became a famous book....the name of book is--option A) annihilation of caste

31) Kalibangan is situated—Rajasthan

32) fundamental rights abolished by during emergency-----president

33) Which Supreme Court Judgement pronounced that Fundamental Rights cannot be abridged?"

(A) Golak Nath vs. State of Punjab A.I.R. 1967 S.C. 1643

(B) Kesavanand Bharti vs. State of Kerala A.I.R. 1973 S.C. 1961

(C) Indira Gandhi vs. Rajnarain A.I.R. 1975 S.C. 2299

(D) None of the above

answer-A

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5) as presidenteyes of president---abraham lincoln

4) union list laws made by---parliament

5) bicameral legislature ---govt of india act 1935

6) plan of partition ---mountbatten plan

1. "FISCAL POLICY" is by Ministry of Finance.

2. panchayati raj- "Gram Sabha"

3. central bank activities- "Reserve Bank of India"

4. vedhanga->>kalpa,shiksha,nirukta,vyakaran,chandas,jyotish

5. kalibhangan- Rajasthan

president rule without permission---one month

person who can suspend part3 article 32---president

1. highest fdi in sector---option C)telecom
2. frontier ghandi---option C)khan abdul gaffar khan!
3. some social activist @ lahor called b r ambedkr, he cudnt give a speech and later it became a famous book....the name of book is--option A)annihilation of caste
4. somebody said something about british that they are corrupt...etc... by---option C)sis nivedita
5. partition was idea/plan of----lord mountbatten.
6. indirect taxes is (total of) 63% 74% 93% 85%
7. central work/activity.....dont remember question.....option are in the order
1) central bank of india 2) reserve bank of india 3) state bank of india 4) 4) agriculture and rural development bank
8. some south indian king wnet on himalaya(dunno why) ..what was his name.....
dont remember names, in facto couldnt read during exam...u know south ppl name (
9. a question related to fiscal.....option....finance department,RBI....few more..
10. sc st.....which artical 236 238 or two more option were there
- 11- peacock throne french traveller--option A)tavannier
12. chronological order for optionC)akbar jhangeer shah jahan aurngjeb!
13. DOCTRINE OF LAPSE;LORD DALHOUSIE!
- 14 kalibangan is situated--rajasthan
- 15- emergency proclamation---president
- 16- devaluation of currency in -- option D)in consultation with world bank-IMF
- 17-pnchayti raj ---gram sabha
- 18-vedic education system , they didnt know---option A)chemistry
- 19-stock market trading-----option were,,,gold+platinum type, silver, govt securities!
- 20-prior to 42nd amendment india used to be call as --
---option A)sovereign,democratic,public nation in preamble

Paper consist of 124 questions with four sections. There is no negative marking.General awareness 40 questions.each having 1 marks. 80 technical questions with each one marks. there are 6 descriptive questions ,2 for general awareness and 4 for technical descriptive.

Section1: GA:40 questions.

questions related to indian history,constitition article etc.very tough..not able to do.

Section2:Technical:80 questions

Questions related to sorting algo,flowchart,programming snippet in c and c++ and find output type questions,questions on types of operating system,questions on DBMS and 3-5 questions based on queries and find output.

Section3: Descriptive question :General awareness

1) About annahazare,birth place,profession ,award from govment, team member name for fifighting against corruption,janlokpai bill and main purpose and 3 demands which was put aside on 25 august 2011 as a part of jan lokpai bill.

2) Biggest terrorist attack in INDIA, mumbai 2008,terrorist group name ad places where blast happened and give 3 police personnel nae with designation whoo killed in this attack

Section 4:Descriptive Questions: Technical

a)b)c) d) : write a program rolling of dice to find fcae value,without altering and more....forget questions....

1. India has signed an agreement to procure Advanced Jet Trainer (Hawk) from which of the following countries ?

- (a) USA
- (b) UK
- (c) France
- (d) Russia

Ans: (b) UK

2. The United States has granted the status of major non-NATO ally? to which of the following countries recently ?

- (a) Pakistan
- (b) India
- (c) Afghanistan
- (d) Myanmar

Ans: (a) Pakistan

3. Who among the following persons bought the sword of Tipu Sultan in London and brought it back to India ?

- (a) Ratan Tata
- (b) Mukesh Ambani
- (c) Vijay Mallya
- (d) Aditya Birla

Ans: (c) Vijay Mallya

4. Which of the following companies became India/s first listed IT firm to have crossed \$1 billion turnover ?

- (a) Satyam
- (b) HCL
- (c) Wipro
- (d) Infosys Technologies

Ans: (d) Infosys Technologies

5. Who among the following women has become the highest individual scorer in an innings in Tests ?

- (a) Mithali Raj
- (b) Kiran Baloch
- (c) Diana Eduljee
- (d) None of these

Ans: (b) Kiran Baloch

6. Who is the new Prime Minister of Sri Lanka ?

- (a) Chandrika Kumaratunga
- (b) Ranil Wickremesinghe
- (c) Mahinda Rajapakse
- (d) None of these

Ans: (c) Mahinda Rajapakse

7. Hamas is a militant organization fighting against which of the following countries ?

- (a) Sudan
- (b) Israel
- (c) Brazil
- (d) Syria

Ans: (b) Israel

8. Who among the following has become the first Indian to score a triple century in Tests ?

- (a) Rahul Dravid
- (b) Sachin Tendulkar
- (c) V.V.S. Laxman
- (d) Virender Sehwag

Ans: (d) Virender Sehwag

9. Who among the following has won the Femina Miss India Universe 2004 title ?

- (a) Lakshmi Pandit
- (b) Sayali Bhagat
- (c) Tanushree Dutta
- (d) Jyoti Brahmin

Ans: (c) Tanushree Dutta

10. The 9th South Asian Federation Games were held recently in which of the following cities ?

- (a) Islamabad
- (b) Hyderabad
- (c) Kathmandu

(d) Colombo

Ans: (a) Islamabad

11. Which of the following parts of the poppy plant is used for the extraction of opium ?

(a) Capsules

(b) Flowers

(c) Leaves

(d) Roots

Ans: (b) Flowers

12. Who is the Chairman of the Twelfth Finance Commission ?

(a) C. Rangarajan

(b) N. N. Vohra

(c) Bimal Jalan

(d) Vijay Kelkar

Ans: (a) C. Rangarajan

13. The first feature film (talkie) produced in India was

(a) Hatimtai

(b) Alamm Ara

(c) Pundalik

(d) Raja Harishchandra

Ans: (b) Alamm Ara

14. During the Indian freedom struggle, The Deccan Educational Society was founded by

(a) B.G. Tilak

(b) Dadabhai Naoroji

(c) G.K. Gokhale

(d) M.G. Ranade

Ans: (d) M.G. Ranade

15. A black hole is a body in space which does not allow any radiation to come out. This property is due to its

(a) Very small size

(b) Very large size

(c) Very high density

(d) Very low density

Ans: (c) Very high density

16. The Chilka Lake region lies in between the deltas of

(a) Ganga and Mahanadi

(b) Godavari and Krishna

(c) Mahanadi and Godavari

(d) Krishna and Kaveri

Ans: (c) Mahanadi and Godavari

17. The 44th Amendment of the Indian Constitution withdrew the Fundamental Right

(a) To freedom of religion

(b) To constitutional remedies

(c) To property

(d) Against exploitation

Ans: (c) To property

18. The Legislative Council of a State in India can be abolished or created by

(a) The President of India in consultation with the Council of Ministers of the State concerned

(b) The Legislative Assembly of the State concerned

(c) The Parliament at a joint sitting of both the Houses

(d) The Parliament, provided the State Legislative Assembly passes a resolution to that effect

Ans: (d) The Parliament, provided the State Legislative Assembly passes a resolution to that effect

19. At which stage in its life cycle does the silk work yield the fibre of commerce ?

(a) Egg

(b) Larva

(c) Pupa

(d) Imago

Ans: (c) Pupa

20. Persons below the poverty line in India are classified as such based on whether

(a) They are entitled to a minimum prescribed food basket

- (b) They get work for a prescribed minimum number of days in a year
- (c) They belong to agricultural labourer household and the scheduled caste /tribe social group
- (d) Their daily wages fall below the prescribed minimum wages

Ans: (a) They are entitled to a minimum prescribed food basket

21. As per 1991 Census, which one of the following groups of Union Territories had the highest literacy rate ?

- (a) Chandigarh and Dadra & Nagar Haveli
- (b) Delhi and Andaman & Nicobar Islands
- (c) Andaman & Nicobar Islands and Pondicherry
- (d) Pondicherry and Delhi

Ans: (b) Delhi and Andaman & Nicobar Islands

22. In order to win the Grand Slam in Tennis, a player must win which one of the following groups of tournaments ?

- (a) Australian Open, Wimbledon, French Open, U.S. Open
- (b) Wimbledon, French Open, U.S. Open, Swedish Open
- (c) Wimbledon, French Open, Paegas Czec Open, U.S. Open
- (d) Davis Cup, Wimbledon, French Open, Australian Open

Ans: (a) Australian Open, Wimbledon, French Open, U.S. Open

23. Abhinava Bharat, a secret society of revolutionaries, was organized by

- (a) Khudiram Bose
- (b) V.D. Savarkar
- (c) Prafulla Chaki
- (d) Bhagat Singh

Ans: (b) V.D. Savarkar

24. Endoscopy, a technique used to explore the stomach or other inner parts of the body, is based on the phenomenon of

- (a) Total internal reflection
- (b) Interference
- (c) Diffraction
- (d) Polarisation

Ans: (a) Total internal reflection

25. Which one of the following lakes forms an international boundary between Tanzania and Uganda ?

- (a) Chad
- (b) Malawi
- (c) Victoria
- (d) Zambezi

Ans: (c) Victoria

26. Who among the following has been appointed the National Security Adviser by the UPA Government ?

- (a) Brajesh Mishra
- (b) J. N. Daxit
- (c) Soli J. Sorabjee
- (d) T. K. A. Nair

Ans: (b) J. N. Daxit

27. Who among the following is the new Chief Minister of Karnataka ?

- (a) S. M. Krishna
- (b) Uma Bharti
- (c) Dharam Singh
- (d) Y. S. Rajasekhara Reddy

Ans: (c) Dharam Singh

28. Who among the following has won the Miss Universe 2004 crown ?

- (a) Jennifer Hawkins
- (b) Shandi Finnessey
- (c) Alba Reyes
- (d) None of these

Ans: (a) Jennifer Hawkins

29. A solemn ceremony to mark the 60th Anniversary of D-Day landings of the Allies troops during the Second World War, was held in

- (a) Pearl Harbour
- (b) Normandy
- (c) New York

(d) Lisbon

Ans: (b) Normandy

30. Which of the following cricketers holds the world record of maximum number of sixes in Tests ?

(a) Chris Carins (New Zealand)

(b) Viv Richards (West Indies)

(c) Sachin Tendulkar (India)

(d) Wasim Akram (Pakistan)

Ans: (a) Chris Carins (New Zealand)

31. Who among the following has been appointed the new Chief Justice of India ?

(a) Justice Rajendra Babu

(b) Justice V. N. Khare

(c) Justice R. C. Lahoti

(d) None of these

Ans: (c) Justice R. C. Lahoti

32. Who among the following sports persons got the honour of lighting the Olympic flame at the Major Dhyan Chand Stadium in New Delhi recently ?

(a) Anjali Bhagwat

(b) Abhinav Bindra

(c) Viswanathan Anand

(d) K. M. Beenamol

Ans: (a) Anjali Bhagwat

33. Who among the following has been appointed new chairman of the National Commission for Farmers ?

(a) Ajit Singh

(b) K. C. Pant

(c) Dr. M. S. Swaminathan

(d) Sharad Pawar

Ans: (c) Dr. M. S. Swaminathan

34. Which of the following planets crossed the face of the sun (in transit) after 122 years recently ?

(a) Mars

(b) Venus

(c) Jupiter

(d) Saturn

Ans: (b) Venus

35. Which of the following countries was readmitted to the Commonwealth recently ?

(a) Nepal

(b) Myanmar

(c) Pakistan

(d) None of these

Ans: (c) Pakistan

36. The world governing body of which of the following sports celebrated its 100 years in existence recently ?

(a) Football

(b) Hockey

(c) Badminton

(d) Cricket

Ans: (a) Football

37. Who among the following won the men's singles title of the French Open 2004 ?

(a) Guillermo Coria

(b) Roger Federer

(c) Andy Roddick

(d) Gaston Gaudio

Ans: (d) Gaston Gaudio

38. Who is India's first Woman Grand Master in Chess ?

(a) Aarthie Ramaswamy

(b) Koneru Humpy

(c) S. Meenakshi

(d) S. Vijayalakshmi

Ans: (b) Koneru Humpy

39. The age of a tree can be determined by

- (a) Measuring its height
- (b) Measuring its diameter
- (c) Analyzing its sap
- (d) Counting the annual growth rings of its stem

Ans: (d) Counting the annual growth rings of its stem

40. Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched Mountains Continents

- (a) The Rocky : North America
- (b) The Andes : South America
- (c) The Alps : Europe
- (d) The Ural : Africa

Ans: (d) The Ural : Africa

41. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched ?

- (a) Purna Swaraj Resolution : 1929
- (b) Martyrdom of Sardar Bhagat Singh : 1931
- (c) Formation of the Congress Socialist Party: 1939
- (d) Simla Confeence : 1940

Ans: (b) Martyrdom of Sardar Bhagat Singh : 1931

42. The Lingaraja Temple built during the medieval period is at

- (a) Bhubaneswar
- (b) Khajuraho
- (c) Madurai
- (d) Mount Abu

Ans: (a) Bhubaneswar

43. Which one of the following is essentially a solo dance ?

- (a) Kuchipudi
- (b) Kathak
- (c) Manipuri
- (d) Mohiniattam

Ans: (d) Mohiniattam

44. The deepest oceanic trench Mariana is located in

- (a) Atlantic Ocean
- (b) Arctic Ocean
- (c) Pacific Ocean
- (d) Indian Ocean

Ans: (c) Pacific Ocean

45. Although fog consists of fine drops of water, we cannot see clearly through it because

- (a) The light rays undergo total internal reflection in the drops
- (b) Fine drops of water in fog polarize the light
- (c) The fine drops are opaque to the light
- (d) The drops scatter most of the light

Ans: (d) The drops scatter most of the light

46. During the Mughal period, which one of the following were the first to come to India as traders ?

- (a) Portuguese
- (b) Dutch
- (c) Danish
- (d) English

Ans: (a) Portuguese

47. Who among the following Delhi Sultans is known for introducing market control mechanism ?

- (a) Iltutmish
- (b) Balban
- (c) Alauddin Khalji
- (d) Firoze Tughlaq

Ans: (c) Alauddin Khalji

48. Which one of the following mountain peaks of the Himalayas is NOT in India ?

- (a) Annapurna
- (b) Nanda Devi
- (c) Mt. Kamet
- (d) Kanchenjunga

Ans: (a) Annapurna

49. A rift valley is formed mainly due to

- (a) The forces of tension in the earth's crust
- (b) The subsidence of the floor of a river valley
- (c) The valley formed after the formation of fold mountains
- (d) The deepening of a valley by ice action

Ans: (a) The forces of tension in the earth's crust

50. Who is the author of the book The Man Who Divided India?

- (a) Arun Shourie
- (b) Dominique Lapierre
- (c) Rafiq Zakaria
- (d) Salman Rushdie

Ans: (c) Rafiq Zakaria

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