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1	She had donated _____ property she had.				(c)	the little
	a) little	b) a little	c) the little	d) few little		
2	Give me _____ time to decide the matter.				(a)	a little
	a) a little	b) little	c) few	d) a few		
3	He went to _____ college to meet _____ class teacher				(a)	the, the
	a) the, the	b) a, a	c) a, an	d) an, the		
4	I heard _____ news on _____ radio				(b)	the, the
	a) a, a	b) the, the	c) an, the	d) the, an		
5	_____ she _____ home after Holi?				(a)	Will, be going
	a) will, be going	b) would, was going	c) will be, go	d) will, have going		
6	Professor Ram _____ his students to use a dictionary while they were taking the test.				(a)	let
	a) let	b) make	c) have	d) get		
7	Neither she nor her son _____ arrived so far				(c)	has
	a) have	b) are	c) has	d) were		
8	My trousers _____ very tight.				(d)	are
	a) is	b) have	c) has	d) are		
9	The office needs proper _____.				(b)	cleaning
	a) cleanliness	b) cleaning	c) clean	d) to clean		
10	I had sooner _____ the walk.				(b)	run
	a) ran	b) run	c) to run	d) running		
11	He is often late _____ his dinner.				(d)	for
	a) at	b) to	c) in	d) for		
12	The four brothers always quarrelled _____ themselves.				(d)	among
	a) to	b) between	c) for	d) among		
13	The train called _____ Kolkata main station.				(a)	at
	a) at	b) on	c) to	d) in		
14	In many countries people drive _____ the left.					

	a) in	b) at	c) to	d) on	(d)	on
15	Choose the word which is least like the other words in the group.					
	a) writer	b) printer	c) publisher	d) Reader	(d)	Reader
16	Find out the missing number 1, 4, 27, 16, 125, 36 ...					
	a) 216	b) 343	c) 79	d) 347	(b)	343
17	If 'BEAT' is coded as 'EHDW', how will you code 'ROAD'?					
	a) UREG	b) SQCF	c) URDG	d) TQCF	(c)	URDG
18	A is twice as good a workman as B and both can finish a job in 14 days. In how many days B will finish it alone?					
	a) 26	b) 42	c) 14	d) 36	(b)	42
19	If + stands for x, x stands for ÷, ÷ stands for – and – stands for +, then $2 - 8 \times 2 + 6 \div 7 = ?$					
	a) 32	b) 19	c) 23	d) 12	(b)	19
20	Comedy : Laughter					
	a) Tragedy: Sadness	b) Big : Small	c) Come : Go	d) Last : End	(a)	Tragedy: Sadness
21	If code for 'G' = '20', then code for 'J' =?					
	a)18	b) 17	c) 19	d) 23	(b)	17
22	If code for 'XY' = '1', then code for 'UW' =?					
	a)1	b) 4	c) 3	d) 2	(d)	2

23	How many member countries does United Nations have as on May 2023?					
	a.208	b.159	c.193	d.204	c	193
24	Who is the current Secretary-General of United Nations?					Antonio Guterres
	a. Kofi Anan	b. Amina J. Mohammad	c. Guy Bernard Ryder	d. Antonio Guterres	d	
25	Which state government banned the screening of the movie 'The Kerala Story'?				c	West Bengal

a. Tamil Nadu	b. Jammu and Kashmir	c. West Bengal	d. Assam	
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26	Who said man by nature was “solitary, poor, nasty, brutish and short”?				a	Hobbes
	a) Hobbes	b) Locke	c) Rousseau	d) Plato		
27	Which of the following is not a political right?				d	Right to life
	a) Right to vote	b) Contest in election	c) Right to petition	d) Right to life		
28	Who stated that “By liberty I mean the eager maintenance of that atmosphere in which men have the opportunity to be their best selves.....”?				b	Laski
	a) Barker	b) Laski	c) Garner	d) Lord Acton		
29	“If liberty and law do not quarrel, liberty may quarrel with itself”. Who said this?				d	Barker
	a) Laski	b) Gilchrist	c) Duguit	d) Barker		
30	Who said “Power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely”?				a	Lord Acton
	a) Lord Acton	b) Finer	c) MacIver	d) Lipson		
31	The best known advocate of educational qualification for voters was				c	J S Mill
	a) Laski	b) Finer	c) J S Mill	d) Thomas Hare		
32	Who among the following is not an exponent of idealism?				d	Engels
	a) Hegel	b) Kant	c) Plato	d) Engels		
33	Who among the following was a leading exponent of the theory of Divine origin of state?				c	Sir Robert Filmer
	a) Marx	b) Bosanquet	c) Sir Robert Filmer	d) Morgan		
34	Which one of the following doctrines rejects the role of the state as an instrument of social transformation?				d	Marxism

	a) Liberalism	b) Fabianism	c) Syndicalism	d) Marxism		
35	Which one of the following is not a tenet of liberalism?					
	a) Limited Government	b) Social classes as basic social unit	c) Upholding rights	d) Individual freedom	b	Social classes as basic unit
36	Who is the author of the book "The Civic Culture"?					Almond & Verba
	a) David Easton	b) Almond & Verba	c) A. R. Ball	d) Neal & Groat	b	
37	Who defined 'Political culture is the pattern of individual attitudes and orientations towards politics among the members of a political system'?				d	Almond and Powell
	a) Lucian Pye	b) A. R. Ball	c) Sidney Verba	d) Almond and Powell		
38	Who stated life as a "Perpetual and restless desire of power after power that ceaseth only in death"?				d	Hobbes
	a) Marx	b) Aristotle	c) Talcot Parson	d) Hobbes		

39	Rousseau hailed from				c	France
	a) England	b) Germany	c) France	d) Russia		
40	History according to Marx is the product of				c	material forces
	a) Social forces	b) Political forces	c) material forces	d) religious forces		
41	Which of the following is not an organ of Kautilya's state?				c	Varna
	a) Amatya	b) Danda	c) Varna	d) Swami		
42	The method adopted by Hobbes to construct his political philosophy is				a	Deductive
	a) Deductive	b) Empirical	c) Metaphysical	d) Experimental		
43	The statement, 'life is a perpetual and restless desires of power after power that ceases only in death' is related to				a	Hobbes
	a) Hobbes	b) Locke	c) Rousseau	d) Machiavelli		

44	The statement, 'From the hour of their birth, some are marked out for subjection, other for rule', of Aristotle justifies				d	Slavery
	a) The Kings	b) the citizens	c) Working class	d) Slavery		
45	Plato criticize democracy for				c	Political instability
	a) Political expediency	b) Communism of wives	c) Political instability	d) Institution of Slavery		
46	The statement, 'It is unchecked by any moral law, for it itself is the creator of morality' in relation to theory of state, is associated with idea of ____				a	Hegel
	a) Hegel	b) Machiavelli	c) Hobbes	d) Mill		
47	'The origin of state is to be found in the needs of man' is associated with idea of				d	Plato
	a) Marx	b) Hegel	c) Aristotle	d) Plato		
48	'State as an embodiment of the collective consciousness of the people' is related to idea of				c	Hegel
	a) Rousseau	b) Marx	c) Hegel	d) Locke		
49	Thomas Hobbes defined freedom as				c	absence of opposition
	a) Natural right	b) liberty to do	c) absence of opposition	d) Freedom from wants		
50	Marx wrote 'Communist Manifesto' in				c	1848
	a) 1847	b) 1852	c) 1848	d) 1850		
51	The non utilitarian proposition that some pleasures are of a higher quality than others was propounded by				d	Mill
	a) Aristotle	b) Plato	c) Hegel	d) Mill		
52	According to Locke, the criterion of public morality is				b	Public happiness
	a) Moral virtues	b) Public happiness	c) General goods	d) Morality		
53	The theory regarding origin of state which was popular during 17 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup> century is				c	Social contract
	a) Divine origin	b) Historical	c) Social contract	d) Patriarchal		
54	Who consider life, liberty and estate as natural rights of man?				a	Locke

a) Locke	b) Rousseau	c) Hobbes	d) Plato		
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55	Which of the following is the 28 <sup>th</sup> state of India?				c	Jharkhand
	a)Uttarakhand	b) Telangana	c) Jharkhand	d)Chhattisgarh		
56	A money bill in the parliament can be introduced only on the recommendation of				b	President
	a) Speaker of Lok Sabha	b) President	c) Prime Minister	d) Union Finance Minister		
57	How many sessions did the Constituent Assembly take to draft the Constitution of India?				a	11
	a) 11	b) 12	c) 10	d) 13		
58	Which part of Indian Constitution consists of articles on election?				c	Part XV
	a)Part XX	b) Part XII	c) Part XV	d) Part XVI		
59	Which one of the following categories of Fundamental Right deals with protection against untouchability ?				c	Right to equality
	a) Right against exploitation	b) Right to freedom	c) Right to equality	d) Right to constitutional remedies		
60	Who described the Government of India Act, 1935 as 'a new charter of bondage'?				a	Jawaharlal Nehru
	a)Jawaharlal Nehru	b)M.K. Gandhi	c) B.R. Ambedkar	d)Rajendra Prasad		
61	Which schedule of the Indian Constitution divides the legislative powers between the Union and States?				b	7 <sup>th</sup> Schedule
	a)6 <sup>th</sup> Schedule	b)7 <sup>th</sup> Schedule	c)8 <sup>th</sup> Schedule	d)11 <sup>th</sup> Schedule		

62	Who put forwarded the safety valve theory associated with the foundation of Congress in 1916 in his paper 'Young India' ?				a	Lala Lajpat Rai
	a)Lala Lajpat Rai	b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak	c) Mahatma Gandhi	d)Dada Bhai Naoroji		
63	Indrajit Gupta, one of the longest serving member of Parliament from the Lok Sabha belonged to which of the following political party?				c	Communist party of India
	a) Bharatiya Janta Party	b) Indian National Congress	c) Communist party of India	d) Bharatiya Jana Sangha		
64	The Representation of People Act was enacted in the year_____				d	1951
	a)1948	b)1950	c)1949	d)1951		
65	How many seats were won by Bharatiya Janta Party in 2019 General Election?				a	303
	a)303	b)300	c)315	d)302		
66	Concept of Public Interest Litigation (PIL) is taken from which country?				b	The USA
	a)The UK	b) The USA	c) France	d) Russia		
67	Which amendment added article 39A to the Constitution of India?				a	42 <sup>nd</sup>
	a)42 <sup>nd</sup>	b)41 <sup>st</sup>	c) 44 <sup>th</sup>	d) None of the above		
68	In which year the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act was passed?				b	1988
	a)1986	b)1988	c)1987	d)1990		
69	Rajiv Gandhi- Longowal Accord is also known as				c	Punjab Accord
	a)Maharashtra Accord	b)Uttar Pradesh Accord	c) Punjab Accord	d) Kerala Accord		
70	The British Prime Minister who announced the Communal Award in 1932 was				b	MacDonald
	a)Churchill	b)MacDonald	c) Attlee	d) Chamberlin		



71	SAARC was founded on				b	8 <sup>th</sup> December 1985
	a. January 1982	b. 8 <sup>th</sup> December 1985	c. May 1989	d. August 1988		
72	How many member states are there in the SAARC?				c	08
	a.09	b.07	c.08	d.06		
73	When was the last SAARCH summit held?				b	2014
	a.2012	b.2014	c.2017	d.2021		
74	Where is the Headquarter of SAARC?				b	Kathmandu
	a. Columbia	b. Kathmandu	d. Islamabad	d.Maldiv es		
75	The South Asian Free Trade Agreement (SAFTA) came into force in				d	2006
	a.2008	b.2009	c.2012	d.2006		
76	When was the historic Shimla agreement signed?				a	2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1972
	a.2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1972	b. 15 <sup>th</sup> August 1963	c.22 <sup>nd</sup> December 1974	d.13 <sup>th</sup> Novemb er 1980		
77	'123 Agreement' between India and USA is related to?				b	cooperation on nuclear programmes
	a. cooperation on climate change	b.cooperation on nuclear programmes	c. agreement on global terrorism	d. None of these		
78	When were the Basic Exchange and Cooperation Agreement (BECA) between India and USA signed?				c	October 2020
	a. June 2022	b. May 2021	c. October 2020	d. Septemb er 2019		
79	When was the Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA) formed?				d	7 <sup>th</sup> March 1997

	a.18 <sup>th</sup> April 1996	b.25 <sup>th</sup> January 1999	c.05 <sup>th</sup> June 2000	d.7 <sup>th</sup> March 1997		
80	How many member states in Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA) presently?				c	23
	a.21	b.22	c.23	d.24		
81	Who is the present Secretary General of IORA?				a	Salman Al Farsi
	a. Salman Al Farisi	b. Rajib Tripura	c. Amanda A spden	d. Sagri Sharma		
82	How many rounds of military talks were conducted so far between India and China?				d	18
	a.15	b.16	c.17	d.18		
83	Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru visited China in				b	1954
	a.1952	b.1954	c.1957	d.1955		
84	When did India establish first diplomatic relations with China?				c	01 <sup>st</sup> April 1950
	a. 11 <sup>th</sup> January 1951	b. 17 <sup>th</sup> May 1956	c. 1 <sup>st</sup> April 1950	d. 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 1955		
85	Which country initiated the OBOR?				d	China
	a. India	b. Myanmar.	c. Pakistan	d. China		

86	Which of the following countries does not have a federal form of Government?				a)	UK
	a) USA	b) UK	c) Canada	d) Switzerland		
87	Which of the following characterize the party system in China?				a)	Pre-dominant
	a) Pre-dominant	b) Bi-party	c) Moderate	d) Atomist		
88	When was the Communist party established in China?				b)	1921
	a) 1919	b) 1921	c) 1935	d) 1945		
89	Who classified the three types of political party system?					

	a) Macridice	b) Aristotle	c) Karl Marx	d) Giovanni Sartori	d )	Giovanni Sartori
90	Speaker of which of the following countries has the power of Kangaroo Closure over the bill?				c)	House of Commons (UK)
	a) House of Representatives(USA )	b) Senate (USA)	c) House of Commons (UK)	d) House of Lords (UK)		
91	The House of Lords can delay the bill for-				a)	One month
	a) One month	b) Two months	c) Three months	d) Four months		
92	Who elects the president of the USA?				b )	Electoral College
	a)USA Congress	b) Electoral College	c) State Congress	d) House of Representatives		
93	Who considered the Prime Minister of the UK as “the captain of the ship of the state?”				c)	Munro
	a) Laski	b) Ramsay Muir	c) Munro	d) Jennings		
94	Which of the following is not a member of the State Council of China?				a)	The President
	a) The President	b) The Premier	c) Vice Premier	d) Secretary General		
95	Which of the following is not a source of law in the UK?				d )	Constitutional law
	a) Common law	b) State law	c) Equity	d) Constitutional law		
96	Which of the following principles is not entailed in the acronym “POSDCORB”				d )	Communicatin g
	a) Planning	b) Directing	c) Budgeting	d) Communicatin g		
97	Who coined the term ‘New Public Management’?				b )	Christopher Hood
	a) Woodrow Wilson	b) Christopher Hood	c) Dwight Waldo	d) Frank Marini		

98	Who is considered as the Father of Indian Administration?				b )	Kautilya
	a) Mahatma Gandhi	b) Kautilya	c) Rabindranath Tagore	d) B.R.Ambedkar		
99	The New Public Administration movement emphasizes -				c)	Social Equity
	a) Profit making	b) Law and Order	c) Social Equity	d) Efficiency		
100	“Work division is the foundation of organization”. This statement was made by -				d )	Luther Gulick
	a) Henry Fayol	b) Woodrow Wilson	c) J.D.Mooney	d) Luther Gulick		

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