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General Awareness

1. Adhai Din Ka Jhonpra is a large and imposing structure built by Qutubuddin Aibak. It is located in _____.

(a) Jaipur
(b) Delhi
(c) Ajmer
(d) Hyderabad

Answer: (c)

2. Hikkat, an old form of folk dance, is generally per ned by young girls and young boys during marriage ceremonies in _____.

(a) Madhya Pradesh
(b) Himachal Pradesh
(c) Goa
(d) Jammu and Kashmir

Answer: (d)

3. The FRBM Act mandates fiscal deficit of _____ of GDP was to be achieved by 31st March 2020-2021.

(a) 3.6%
(b) 4%
(c) 3.5%
(d) 3%

Answer: (d)

4. What is the highest denomination of notes that Reserve Bank of India can issue as per the current provisions of the Reserve Bank of India of Act, 1934?

(a) 2,000
(b) 1,000
(c) 5,000
(d) 10,000

Answer: (d)

5. _____ are referred to as amphibians of the plant kingdom as they live in soil but depend on water for sexual reproduction.

(a) Thallophytes
(b) Bryophytes
(c) Angiosperms
(d) Pteridophytes

Answer: (b)

6. Which among the following statements is INCORRECT?

(a) Increase in the number of turns in the coil increases the induced electromotive force.
(b) Increasing the magnetic field strength increases the induced electromotive force.
(c) Increasing the speed of the relative motion between the coil and the magnet, results in the decreased electromotive force.
(d) The induced electromotive force in a coil is eq to the rate of change of flux linkage.

Answer: (c)

7. The Jaintia Hills is located in which of th llowi states?

(a) Meghalaya
(b) Tripura
(c) Tamil Nadu
(d) Himachal Pradesh

Answer: (a)

8. Which among the following pairs of longest river and country is INCORRECT?

(a) Yangtze - China
(b) Murray-Darling - Australia
(c) Severn - United States of America
(d) Amazon - South America

Answer: (c)

9. Who among the following was appointed the Governor of Bengal in 1764?

(a) Robert Clive
(b) Warren Hastings
(c) William Bentinck
(d) John Shore

Answer: (a)

10. The Battle of Talikota was a watershed battle fought between the Vijayanagara Empire and an alliance of the Deccan sultanates in _____.

(a) 1594
(b) 1581
(c) 1572
(d) 1565

Answer: (d)

11. In _____, the East India Company acquired a charter from the ruler of England, Queen Elizabeth I, granting it the sole right to trade with the East.

(a) 1612
(b) 1600
(c) 1627
(d) 1607

Answer: (b)

12. 'Robinson Crusoe' is written by _____.

(a) Jane Austen
(b) Daniel Defoe
(c) Richard Nixon
(d) Louisa May Alcott

Answer: (b)

13. Har Gobind Khorana received a Nobel Prize, joir with Robert W. Holley and Marshall W. Nirenberg, in 1968 for his contribution in th ield c _____.

(a) peace
(b) physics
(c) medicine
(d) literature

Answer: (c)

14. United States of America and _____ signed a document titled "New Atlantic Charter" on 10th June 2021.

(a) Russia
(b) United Kingdom
(c) India
(d) France

Answer: (b)

15. _____ have developed an early cyclone detection technique which will help in early detection of development or strengthening of tropical cyclones in North Indian Ocean region.

(a) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Delhi
(b) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Bombay
(c) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur
(d) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Madras

Answer: (c)

16. _____ has launched a collateral-free "Kavach Personal Loan" to enable its customers to meet medical expenses of self and family members for Covid treatment in June 2021.

(a) State Bank of India
(b) Central Bank of India
(c) Union Bank of India
(d) Reserve Bank of India

Answer: (a)

17. 90th Constitutional Amendment provided for maintaining the erstwhile representation of the Scheduled Tribes and Non-Scheduled Tribes in the _____ legislative assembly.

(a) West Bengal
(b) Assam
(c) Tripura
(d) Odisha

Answer: (b)

18. The total number of ministers, including the Prime Minister, in the Council of Ministers shall not exceed _____ of the total strength of the Lok Sabha.

(a) 13%
(b) 21%
(c) 15%
(d) 24%

Answer: (c)

19. The famous BraBourne Stadium is located in _____.

(a) Hyderabad
(b) Jaipur
(c) Mumbai
(d) Chennai

Answer: (c)

20. Who among the following won the Women's Singles in the French Open 2021?

(a) Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova
(b) Serena Williams
(c) Maria Sakkari
(d) Barbora Krejcikova

Answer: (d)

General Ability

21. Arrange the given words in the sequence in which they occur in the dictionary.
1. Overseas
2. Overthrow
3. Ovenware
4. Overcast
5. Overdo

(a) 3,4,5,2,1
(b) 3,4,5,1,2
(c) 2,3,4,1,5
(d) 4,3,5,1,2

Answer: (b)

22. Complete the following series.
4E6, 6G9, 9I13, 13K18, ?

(a) 16N23
(b) 18L24
(c) 18M24
(d) 17M23

Answer: (c)

23. Out of the given options, three are similar in a cer manner. However, one option is NOT like the other three. Select the option which is different f the rest.

(a) Panaji
(b) Imphal
(c) Silchar
(d) Aizawl

Answer: (c)

24. Out of the given options, three are similar in a certain manner. However, one option is NOT like the other three. Select the option which is different from the rest.

(a) Cub
(b) Hen
(c) Kitten
(d) Calf

Answer: (b)

25. Select the option that is related to the third term on the same basis as the second term is related to the first term.
Furniture : Carpenter :: Gold Jewellery : ?

(a) Artist
(b) Blacksmith
(c) Goldsmith
(d) Worker

Answer: (c)

26. Select the option that is related to the third term on the same basis as the second term is related to the first term.
Oil : Lamp :: Oxygen : ?

(a) Atmosphere

(b) Air

(c) Trees

(d) Life

Answer: (d)

27. If 'bike is cycle', 'cycle is plane', 'plane is train', 'train is scooter', then which of the following options is associated with railways?

(a) bike

(b) train

(c) scooter

(d) plane

Answer: (c)

28. In a certain code language, '72' means 'very beautiful', '216' means 'a beautiful day', '698' means 'a nice girl', then, what is the code for 'day'?

(a) 7

(b) 6

(c) 1

(d) 8

Answer: (c)

29. How many 4s are there in the given sequ ich are neither preceded by 6 nor immediately followed by 9?
9 4 6 6 4 9 5 9 4 7 8 9 1 6 4 9 6 4 9

(a) two

(b) three

(c) four

(d) five

Answer: (a)

30. A is the brother of B and C. D is C's mother. E is A's father. Which of the given statements are definitely TRUE?
1. B is E's son
2. E is B's father
3. D is A's mother
4. A is D's son

(a) 2, 3, 4

(b) 1, 2, 3

(c) 1, 3, 4

(d) 1, 2, 4

Answer: (a)

31. In the question two statements are given, followed by two conclusions, I and II. You have to consider the statements to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given conclusions, if any, follows from the given statements.
Statement 1 : All terrorists are human.
Statement 2 : All humans are bad.
Conclusion I : All terrorists are bad.
Conclusion II : No human can be terrorists.

(a) Only conclusion I follows

(b) Only conclusion II follows

(c) Both conclusion I and II follow.

(d) Either conclusion I or II follows.

Answer: (a)

32. In the question one statement is given, followed by two assumptions, I and II. You have to consider the statements to be true even if it seems to be at variance from commonly known facts. You have to decide which of the given assumptions, if any, follows from the given statement.
Statement : "If you want to advertise anything, get it printed in newspaper 'Z' " Anita tells Bobby.
Assumptions I : Bobby wants to promote his products.
Assumptions II : Newspaper 'Z' has wide circulation.

(a) Only assumption I is implicit.

(b) Only assumption II is implicit.

(c) Both I and II are implicit.

(d) Neither I nor II is implicit.

Answer: (c)

33. Out of the given options, three are simi[illegible]a[illegible]tain manner. However, one option is NOT like the other three. Select the option which is diff[illegible]rom the rest.

(a) 961

(b) 245

(c) 1681

(d) 441

Answer: (b)

34. If '-' stands for '÷', '+' stands for '×', '÷' stands for '-' and '×' stands for '+', then which of the following options is CORRECT?

(a) 49 + 7 - 3 × 5 ÷ 8 = 20

(b) 49 × 7 + 3 ÷ 5 - 8 = 16

(c) 49 - 7 + 3 ÷ 5 × 8 = 24

(d) 49 ÷ 7 × 3 + 5 - 8 = 26

Answer: (c)

Arithmetic Ability

41. Which of the following is greater than 4/5 but less than 8/9?

(a) 5/6
(b) 3/4
(c) 4/6
(d) 9/10

Answer: (a)

42. What is the HCF of 2/5, 3/7 and 4/9 ?

(a) 315
(b) 12/1
(c) 1/315
(d) 12

Answer: (c)

43. A discount of 3.5% is given on a article. The man bought that article for Rs. 250. What is the market price of the product?

(a) Rs. 259.07
(b) Rs. 241.25
(c) Rs. 258.75
(d) Rs. 232.5

Answer: (a)

44. A student multiplied a number by four and added to the number instead of dividing the number by four and adding 5. The difference between the two results is 60. What is the percent error in the calculation?

(a) 667.67%
(b) 6.67%
(c) 66.67%
(d) 6666.67%

Answer: (a)

45. A 20% of 'x' is equal to 10% of 'y' then 15% of 'x' will be equal to how much of 'y'?

(a) 30%
(b) 22.5%
(c) 7.5%
(d) 40%

Answer: (c)

46. A shopkeeper earns a profit of 10% over cost. If he sales 800 worth of goods, what was his cost price?

(a) Rs. 725.15
(b) Rs. 727.27
(c) Rs. 710.25
(d) Rs. 738.69

Answer: (b)

47. The cost price of 30 articles is the same as selling price of 'y' number of articles. If the profit is 20% then what is the value of 'y'?

(a) 10
(b) 15
(c) 20
(d) 25

Answer: (d)

48. In a bag there is coins of 20, 10, 5 rupees in the ratio 2 : 3 : 6. If there is Rs. 100 in all, how many Rs.5 coins are there?

(a) 3
(b) 6
(c) 2
(d) 9

Answer: (b)

49. In a mixture of 50 litres, the ratio of milk and water is 3 : 2. If the ratio is to be 2 : 3, then the quantity of water to be further added is:

(a) 25 litres
(b) 10 litres
(c) 15 litres
(d) 20 litres

Answer: (a)

50. What is the difference between the cor[illegible]nd [illegible]erests on 8000 for 1.5 years at 5% p.a. compounded annually and half yearly?

(a) 7.69
(b) 305.57
(c) 8.65
(d) 210.48

Answer: (a)

51. The principal amount is Rs. 1000, rate of interest is 6% and period is 5 years. What is the difference between compound interest and simple interest earned?

(a) Rs. 1300
(b) Rs. 1338.22
(c) Rs. 38.22
(d) Rs. 60.55

Answer: (c)

52. Two trains runs at a speed ratio of 7 : 8. If the first train runs 200 Kms in 3 hours then, what is the speed of the first train (in Km/h)?

(a) 99.99

(b) 33.33

(c) 9.52

(d) 66.67

Answer: (d)

53. A train is 300 meters long. If it can cross the 1 Km long railway track in 1 minute then, what is the speed of the train (in Km/h)?

(a) 18

(b) 78

(c) 60

(d) 50

Answer: (b)

54. A, B, C can do the work in 10, 20, 40 days respectively. If one day they all work together, how much of work will be done in that day?

(a) 7/40

(b) 40/7

(c) 4/7

(d) 1/70

Answer: (a)

55. 'X' is twice as good as 'Y' and take 10 d[illegible] les[illegible] an 'Y' to complete the work. If they both work together then, how long will 'X' and 'Y' take t[illegible]ete the job?

(a) 10/3

(b) 20

(c) 10

(d) 20/3

Answer: (d)

56. A cone is filled with water. The dimensions of the cone are; height = 15 cms and diameter = 14 cms. The water is emptied into a cube of length 10 cms. What is the height of the water in the cube?

(a) 7.7 cm

(b) 10 cm

(c) 5 cm

(d) 5.5 cm

Answer: (a)

57. The area of the base of a cubic tank is 4900 square centimetres. The water is filled 1 cubic meter. Find the depth of the water (in m).

(a) 0.02

(b) 1.04

(c) 2.04

(d) 3

Answer: (c)

General English

81. The sentence below has been divided into three parts. Select the part of the sentence that has an error. If the sentence has no error, select the option 'No Error'.
Mason was quoted saying that, "Our physical science/ is not a deductive system, but a series of generalizations/ based in observation of finite modes."

(a) Mason was quoted saying that, "Our physical science

(b) is not a deductive system, but a series of generalizations

(c) based in observation of finite modes."

(d) No Error

Answer: (a)

82. The sentence below has been divided into three parts. Select the part of the sentence that has an error. If the sentence has no error, select the option 'No Error'.
There was an increased risk/ to the baby's health but it was a multiple birth.

(a) There was an increased risk

(b) to the baby's health but

(c) it was a multiple birth.

(d) No Error

Answer: (b)

83. Select the word segment that substitutes (replaces) the bracketed word segment correctly and completes the sentence meaningfully. Select the option 'no correction required' if the sentence is correct as given.
(By 1904 over 37,000 summonses for unpaid school taxes) were issued, with thousands having their property seized and 80 protesters going to prison.

(a) By 1904 over 37,000 summons for unpaid school taxes

(b) Until 1904 over 37,000 summons for unpaid school taxes

(c) Until 1904 just 37,000 summons for unpaid school taxes

(d) No correction required

Answer: (d)

84. Select the word segment that substitutes (replaces) the bracketed word segment correctly and completes the sentence meaningfully. Select the option 'no correction required' if the sentence is correct as given.
If unsuccessful, (he would be expected to dispose several) properties to pay down debt.

(a) he was expected to dispose several
(b) he is expected to dispose of several
(c) he will be expected to dispose several
(d) No correction required

Answer: (b)

85. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate choice.
The foreigner's _____ emotions made him wonder if coming to the United States was a right decision.

(a) fevering
(b) wavering
(c) manoeuvring
(d) hovering

Answer: (b)

86. Fill in the blank with the most appropriate choice.
When Matt's parents used their _____ to build the school's new facility, Matt was quickly admitted to the college.

(a) confluence
(b) inconsequence
(c) congruence
(d) affluence

Answer: (d)

87. Some parts of a sentence have been jumbled up, and labelled P, Q, R and S. Select the option that gives the correct sequence in which these parts can be rearranged to form a meaningful and grammatically correct sentence.
Nevertheless, through the
P. ambiguous, assurance of
Q. could ensure some, if
R. Delphic oracle, the polis
S. the correctness of
its religious discourse.

(a) SRQP
(b) PQRS
(c) RQPS
(d) SPQR

Answer: (c)

88. Select the word that is SYNONYM (similar in meaning) to the word given below. recondite

(a) concealed

(b) obvious

(c) simple

(d) abandoned

Answer: (a)

89. Select the word that is ANTONYM (opposite in meaning) to the word given below. meticulous

(a) appreciative

(b) differential

(c) obeisant

(d) sloppy

Answer: (d)

90. Four words are given, out of which only one word is spelt correctly. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) inadvartent

(b) inadverent

(c) inadvarent

(d) inadvertent

Answer: (d)

91. Four words are given, out of which only one word is spelt correctly. Choose the correctly spelt word.

(a) aberrent

(b) aberant

(c) aberent

(d) aberrant

Answer: (d)

92. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
Crack someone up

(a) A situation involving a narrow escape from danger

(b) To make someone laugh

(c) Any difficult situation or obstacle

(d) Intentionally raise a false alarm

Answer: (b)

93. Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.
Gird up the loin

(a) Put yourself in a tough position in order to support someone/ something

(b) Surrender

(c) To be ready

(d) Get fired from the job

Answer: (c)

94. Select the most appropriate 'one word ' for the expressions given below.
Treating something or someone with lack of seriousness ordue respect

(a) Lull

(b) Levity

(c) Lustre

(d) Laurel

Answer: (b)

95. Select the most appropriate 'one word ' for the expressions given below.
A building or buildings occupied by a community of monks living under religious vows

(a) Monastery

(b) Monarchy

(c) Misnomer

(d) Menagerie

Answer: (a)

96. Who saw Mrs. Clay, standing under the colonnade, and a gentleman with her?

(a) Mary

(b) Anne

(c) Mr. Elliot

(d) Captain Wentworth

Answer: (a)

97. According to Anne, why couldn't it be Mr. Elliot who was with Mrs. Clay?

(a) Because Mr. Elliot was at work in Ba

(b) Because he was supposed to leave the c… hat morning at 9 and wasn't going to return later next day.

(c) Because Mr. Elliot was standing beside Anne staring at her.

(d) Because Mary had mistaken Captain Wentworth for Mr. Elliot.

Answer: (b)

98. Who is her in the line "Her distress returned, however, on perceiving smiles and intelligent glances pass between two or three of the lady visitors, as if they believed themselves quite in on the secret."?

(a) Mary's cousin

(b) Mrs. Clay

(c) Anne

(d) Mary

Answer: (c)

100. Who is Mary's cousin?

(a) Mr. Elliot

(b) Mrs. Clay

(c) Anne

(d) Captain Wentworth

Answer: (a)

Discipline1

101. Libraries plays a very important role in fostering the _____ development of the students.

(a) Psychological

(b) Physical

(c) Intellectual

(d) Spiritual

Answer: (c)

102. _____ refers to any society where knowledge is the primary production resource instead of capital and labour.

(a) Knowledge Society

(b) Information Society

(c) Industrial Society

(d) Agricultural Society

Answer: (a)

103. _____ plays an important role in sup[illegible] educational and research activities of the society.

(a) Professional organizations

(b) Financial institutions

(c) Industrial establishments

(d) Libraries

Answer: (d)

104. The oldest and the largest library association in the world is_____.

(a) IASLIC

(b) ALA

(c) LA

(d) ILA

Answer: (b)

105. Public libraries are having a research role especially in the field of _____.

(a) Linguistics

(b) Information Science

(c) Audio and video media

(d) Social science and humanities

Answer: (d)

106. Academic libraries consists of School, College and _____ libraries.

(a) University
(b) Reviewer
(c) Public
(d) Research

Answer: (a)

107. _____ percent of the annual school budget must be available for the library, besides capital cost of building, equipment and furniture.

(a) Five to ten
(b) Ten to fifteen
(c) Fifteen to twenty
(d) Twenty to thirty

Answer: (b)

108. Who thought first about library legislation in India?

(a) Borden
(b) Kesavan
(c) Ranganathan
(d) Dikinson

Answer: (c)

109. The state that enacted library legislation in 1965 _____.

(a) Karnataka
(b) Haryana
(c) Goa
(d) Manipur

Answer: (a)

110. The communication process begins with a _____.

(a) Source
(b) Channel
(c) Sender
(d) Entropy

Answer: (c)

111. Shannon-Weaver model of communication is _____.

(a) General model
(b) Semantic model
(c) Technical model
(d) Social model

Answer: (c)

112. The ideas, theories, hypotheses about relationship which exists among variables is known as _____ information.

(a) Conceptual
(b) Procedural
(c) Policy
(d) Empirical

Answer: (a)

113. Who describes librarianship “as a noble and service oriented profession which encourages all types of reading and education"?

(a) R.L. Mittal
(b) P.N. Kaul
(c) Danton
(d) Mayers

Answer: (a)

114. Who started first school in librarianship in the world?

(a) Melvil Dewey
(b) C.A. Cutter
(c) F.W. Rider
(d) J.D. Brown

Answer: (a)

115. Colon classification 6th edition is _____.

(a) Enumerative
(b) Almost enumerative
(c) Rigidly faceted
(d) Freely faceted

Answer: (d)

116. The method for mapping the universe of subjects in colon classification is _____.

(a) Enumerative
(b) Faceted
(c) Hierarchical
(d) Notational

Answer: (b)

117. The concept of 'Literary Warrant" was introduced by _____.

(a) E.W. Hulme
(b) S.R. Ranganathan
(c) Melvil Dewey
(d) J.D. Brown

Answer: (a)

118. Vroom's theory is related with _____ .

(a) Communication

(b) Cataloguing

(c) Motivation

(d) Classification

Answer: (c)

119. Epidemic theory of literature growth was suggested by _____.

(a) M.B. Line

(b) W. Goffman

(c) L.J. Murphy

(d) W. Weaver

Answer: (b)

120. Mathematical theory of information was propounded by _____.

(a) Shannon

(b) Weaver

(c) Shannon and Weaver

(d) Faittorne

Answer: (c)

Discipline2

121. In academic, special and to a large extent in pu[illegible] libraries the majority of readers approach documents on the basis of _____.

(a) Subject approach

(b) Author approach

(c) Language approach

(d) Title approach

Answer: (a)

122. There are three approaches to a document in the library: i) _____approach; ii) title approach and; iii) subject approach.

(a) Book number

(b) Class number

(c) Author

(d) Systematic

Answer: (c)

123. Organisation of knowledge in libraries and the subject approach to books was written by _____.

(a) H.E. Bliss

(b) W.C.B. Sayers

(c) E.C. Richardson

(d) E.W. Hulme

Answer: (a)

124. Notation is defined as 'shorthand sign' by _____.

(a) Ranganathan
(b) Sayers
(c) Bliss
(d) Richardson

Answer: (d)

125. In the seventh edition of CC the connecting symbol for phase relation is _____.

(a) Zero
(b) Ampersand
(c) Dot
(d) Comma

Answer: (b)

126. Class numbers 551, 2, 951 are some example of _____.

(a) Mixed notation
(b) Pure notation
(c) Faceted notation
(d) Group notation

Answer: (b)

127. _____ notation is used in Universal Decimal Classification.

(a) Pure
(b) Mixed
(c) Rigid
(d) Faceted

Answer: (b)

128. Universal Decimal Classification (UDC) scheme devised by _____.

(a) Melvil Dewey
(b) Paul Otlet and La Fontain
(c) Ranganathan
(d) Fremont Rider

Answer: (b)

129. The electronic version of DDC-20 edition was issued in 1993 on CD-Rom titled _____.

(a) Dewey online
(b) Electronic Dewey
(c) Dewey for Windows
(d) Decimal Classification

Answer: (b)

130. Fourth generation computers are _____.

(a) high in cost
(b) faster in speed
(c) small in memory
(d) large in size

Answer: (b)

131. _____ computer is a combination of both analog and digital components.

(a) Hybrid
(b) Digital
(c) Analog
(d) Micro

Answer: (a)

132. Which was the first machine, to perform arithmetic and logical operations?

(a) UNIVAC
(b) MARK I
(c) Analytical Engine
(d) EDUSAC

Answer: (b)

133. Library automation means use of _____ to per n library activities.

(a) computer
(b) machines
(c) automatic machines
(d) semi automatic machines

Answer: (a)

134. ILMS stands for _____.

(a) Integrated Library Management Software
(b) Information Library Maintenance Software
(c) Integrated Library Management Systems
(d) International Library Management Software

Answer: (a)

135. Libsys is a library automation software developed by _____.

(a) Wipro Info Tech
(b) Datapro Consultancy
(c) Uptron India
(d) Libsys Corporation

Answer: (d)

136. A Set of programs for defining, creation maintenance and manipulation of a database is called as _____.

(a) DBMS
(b) RDMS
(c) DBA
(d) SQL

Answer: (a)

137. There are three types of DBMS available for a micro computer user are such as: i) File management system; ii) Relational DBMS and; iii) _____.

(a) Network and hierarchical DBMS
(b) Storage and retrieval DBMS
(c) Word processing
(d) Basic software

Answer: (a)

138. Database Management system is a collection of _____.

(a) Programs
(b) Files
(c) Databases
(d) Software's

Answer: (a)

139. FDT stands for _____.

(a) Field Definition Table
(b) Format Design Table
(c) Field Design Table
(d) Format Detection

Answer: (a)

140. In ISIS indexing techniques 0 (Zero) is used for _____.

(a) A part of field
(b) A sub field
(c) Whole field
(d) Whole document

Answer: (c)

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141. Internet filtering is _____.

(a) A form of censorship
(b) Acceptable user policy
(c) Access to inappropriate material
(d) Blocking internet facility

Answer: (a)

142. Which one of the following protocol is used in file transfer over internet?

(a) FTP
(b) SMTP
(c) POP
(d) TCP/IP

Answer: (a)

143. Internet was initially developed by US Department of _____.

(a) Commerce
(b) Defense
(c) Interior
(d) State

Answer: (b)

144. Who is the Father of Classical Management Theory?

(a) Dr. S.R. Ranghanathan
(b) Henri Fayol
(c) F.W. Taylor
(d) Peter Drucker

Answer: (b)

145. Program Evaluation Review Technique (PERT) is ____.

(a) Sampling method
(b) Data analysis
(c) Report writing
(d) System analysis

Answer: (d)

146. 'Living With Books' used in:

(a) Cataloguing
(b) Classification
(c) Book Selection
(d) Over dues

Answer: (c)

147. Programme Planning Budgeting System (PPBS) is developed by _____.

(a) Peter Phyor
(b) Defense Department, USA
(c) Mudaliar Committee
(d) Japan Naval Base

Answer: (b)

148. Total Quality Management (TQM) is essential component of _____.

(a) Managerial Level
(b) ISO Recognition
(c) Standards of Item
(d) Customer (User) Satisfaction

Answer: (d)

149. The construction of 'Modular library building' is based on _____.

(a) Conventional construction
(b) A set of model
(c) Monumental construction
(d) Non-conventional construction

Answer: (c)

150. Library planning is rightly considered as a _____.

(a) Team project
(b) Standards
(c) Good Furniture
(d) Clientele

Answer: (a)

151. The user orientation programmers facilitates ____ _ use of resources and services.

(a) Optimum
(b) maximum
(c) Minimum
(d) Effective

Answer: (a)

152. Responsive Information Services is also known as_____.

(a) Passive Information Services
(b) Anticipatory Information Services
(c) Ready Range Reference Services
(d) Long Range Reference Services

Answer: (a)

153. Annual reports is usually devised into two parts such as _____.

(a) the technical and non-technical
(b) the general and specific
(c) the descriptive and statistical
(d) the staff and services

Answer: (c)

154. Users registration records maintained in _____.

(a) Technical section
(b) Circulation section
(c) Acquisition section
(d) Reference section

Answer: (b)

155. The library statistics usually pertains to library resources, technical services and _____.

(a) Collection
(b) Finance
(c) Staff
(d) user services

Answer: (d)

156. "Introduction to Reference Sources' is written by _____.

(a) S.R. Ranganathan
(b) Krishna Kumar
(c) W.A. Katz
(d) A.J. Walford

Answer: (c)

157. Inter library loan is one of the function of _____

(a) Reference service
(b) Current awareness service
(c) document delivery service
(d) literature searching

Answer: (c)

158. According to the sources of information, information can be grouped as _____.

(a) primary, secondary and tertiary
(b) published, unpublished and non-print
(c) news, information and knowledge
(d) manuscript, print and non-print

Answer: (a)

159. Documents are primary sources in _____.

(a) Descriptive research
(b) Historical research
(c) Scientific research
(d) Applied research

Answer: (b)

160. Identify the secondary source from the following.

(a) Standards
(b) Patents
(c) Journals
(d) Directories

Answer: (d)

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161. Which of the following is NOT an example of current awareness service?

(a) SDI
(b) An Indexing Bulletin
(c) Current contents
(d) A reading list

Answer: (d)

162. Current awareness service comes under the category of _____.

(a) long range reference service
(b) ready reference service
(c) anticipatory service
(d) responsive service

Answer: (c)

163. Ranganthan has defined reference service as __.

(a) Personal service
(b) Direct personal aid
(c) Personal aid
(d) Personal assistance

Answer: (a)

164. Referral service means _____.

(a) Directing the read to the reference section
(b) Directing the reader to the correct source
(c) Providing reference service in a large library
(d) Rendering information services to experts

Answer: (b)

165. Handling of reference questions of fact finding nature is known as _____.

(a) Ready reference service
(b) Long range reference service
(c) Reference service
(d) Respective service

Answer: (a)

166. The first step in long range reference service is _____.

(a) Determination of the subject enquiry

(b) Reference interview

(c) Identification of the primary sources that may provide answer

(d) Spotting the places of possible answers to the topic

Answer: (b)

167. The Term 'Information Literacy' used in 1974 by _____.

(a) Paul G. Zurkowski

(b) Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL)

(c) Masuda

(d) Dr. S.R. Ranghanathan

Answer: (a)

168. 'Information Literacy Competency Standards for Higher Education' is a draft prepared by _____.

(a) IFLA

(b) SCONUL

(c) AASL

(d) ACRL

Answer: (d)

169. 'Media and Information Literacy' is penned by _ ___.

(a) Marcus leaning

(b) Gary Price

(c) Rachel E. Khan

(d) UNESCO

Answer: (a)

170. 'Information Skills Model', Developed by _____.

(a) RDA

(b) MARC

(c) SCONUL

(d) ALA

Answer: (c)

171. Rules for Dictionary Catalogue, first time introduced by _____.

(a) C.A. Cutter

(b) Panazzi

(c) Sayers

(d) Ranganathan

Answer: (a)

172. The microform catalogues are being used extensively since _____.

(a) 1960's
(b) 1970's
(c) 1980's
(d) 1990's

Answer: (b)

173. National Union Catalogue (NUC) is compiled, maintained and printed by _____.

(a) National Library of India
(b) State Lenin Library
(c) British Library
(d) Library of Congress

Answer: (d)

174. Which of the following areas is NOT a part of the description prescribed by AACR-II?

(a) Title and statement of responsibility
(b) Edition
(c) Publication and distribution
(d) Address and location

Answer: (d)

175. Analytical entry is prepared for _____.

(a) Part of a document
(b) Full document
(c) More than four authors
(d) Alternative title

Answer: (a)

176. The three types of analytical entries in CCC are author analytical, title analytical and _____ analytical.

(a) series
(b) subject
(c) name
(d) edition

Answer: (b)

177. According to CCC the best way to make the choice of heading is to depend on the canon of _____.

(a) Individualization
(b) Prepotency
(c) Ascertainability
(d) Context

Answer: (c)

178. In AACR-2R, the anonymous works of personal authors are to be enter under _____.
(a) Title
(b) Editor
(c) Subject
(d) Collaborator
Answer: (a)

179. An entry that is made for the subject of a chapter in a book is referred to as _____.
(a) Cross Reference Entry
(b) Cross Reference Index Entry
(c) Class Index Entry
(d) Book Index entry
Answer: (a)

180. The First Publisher of Sears List of Subject Headings _____.
(a) H.W. Wilson
(b) R.R. Bowkers
(c) Author Press
(d) Forest Press
Answer: (a)

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181. A text Book on Higher Education in India, the subject heading will be _____.
(a) Education
(b) Higher Education
(c) Education, Higher
(d) India, Education
Answer: (c)

182. 'NT, BT, UF, and USE' Terminologies used in _____.
(a) SLSH
(b) LCSH
(c) CCC
(d) AACR-II, LCSH
Answer: (d)

183. UKMARC, Developed by _____.
(a) INB
(b) BNB
(c) USLC
(d) IISB
Answer: (b)

184. Resource Description and Access (RDA) is used in fields of _____.

(a) MeSH
(b) SLSH
(c) LCSH
(d) MARC Records

Answer: (d)

185. The third law of library science allows _____ to the readers.

(a) restricted access
(b) limited access
(c) open access
(d) closed access

Answer: (c)

186. Fourth law of library science has direct implication on _____.

(a) Resources sharing
(b) Library building
(c) Classification and Cataloguing
(d) Library staff

Answer: (c)

187. The First Delivery of Books Act in India (After 194 was in the year _____.

(a) 1954
(b) 1986
(c) 1956
(d) 2005

Answer: (a)

188. 'Libraries: Gateway to Knowledge': The title of the Report is _____.

(a) Mudaliar Committee
(b) NEP-2020
(c) NKC-2005
(d) First Five Year Plan

Answer: (c)

189. Which Library committee recommended for the Development of Public Libraries in India (1958)?

(a) Subharayan Committee
(b) Vavilala Committee
(c) Fyzee Committee
(d) Dr. K.P. Sinha Committee

Answer: (d)

190. The Resource sharing strategy of a library may NOT include _____.

(a) joint acquisition
(b) shared use
(c) exchange of materials
(d) restricted access

Answer: (d)

191. Resource sharing in the library was originally known as _____.

(a) Inter Library Loan
(b) Library Cooperation
(c) Library Networking
(d) Material S haring

Answer: (b)

192. Resource sharing eliminates duplication of money, manpower, and _____.

(a) language
(b) material
(c) religion
(d) time

Answer: (b)

193. Three card system recommended by Dr. S.R. Ran athan is used in _____.

(a) Book Acquisition section
(b) Periodical section
(c) Technical section
(d) Circulation section

Answer: (b)

194. Collection number in call number is to indicate the collection in which that books placed in library. The collection numbering scheme be formulated and maintained by the _____.

(a) Technical section
(b) Maintenance section
(c) Reference section
(d) Acquisition section

Answer: (b)

195. The records of items, relating to the subject bibliographies is maintained by the _____ division.

(a) Acquisition
(b) Reference
(c) Technical
(d) Maintenance

Answer: (b)

196. 'Europa World of Learning' is an example of _____.

(a) Handbook
(b) Directory
(c) Encyclopaedia
(d) Yearbook

Answer: (d)

197. The frequency of Biological Abstracts (BA) is _____.

(a) Twice monthly
(b) Semi-monthly
(c) Quarterly
(d) Monthly

Answer: (a)

198. The Indian National Bibliography (INB) is published by _____.

(a) National Library of India
(b) Central Reference Library, Kolkata
(c) Library of Congress
(d) Indian National Scientific Documentation Centre (INSDOC)

Answer: (b)

199. _____ bibliography is a systematic list of books lished all over the world.

(a) Trade
(b) Universal
(c) Systematic
(d) Descriptive

Answer: (b)

200. INB and BNB are examples of _____ bibliography.

(a) Systematic
(b) Trade
(c) National
(d) Universal

Answer: (c)

Answer key

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General Awareness

1	**(c)**	2	**(d)**	3	**(d)**	4	**(d)**	5	**(b)**	6	**(c)**
7	**(a)**	8	**(c)**	9	**(a)**	10	**(d)**	11	**(b)**	12	**(b)**
13	**(c)**	14	**(b)**	15	**(c)**	16	**(a)**	17	**(b)**	18	**(c)**
19	**(c)**	20	**(d)**								

General Ability

21	**(b)**	22	**(c)**	23	**(c)**	24	**(b)**	25	**(c)**	26	**(d)**
27	**(c)**	28	**(c)**	29	**(a)**	30	**(a)**	31	**(a)**	32	**(c)**
33	**(b)**	34	**(c)**								

Arithmetic Ability

41	**(a)**	42	**(c)**	43	**(a)**	44	**(a)**	45	**(c)**	46	**(b)**
47	**(d)**	48	**(b)**	49	**(a)**	50	**(a)**	51	**(c)**	52	**(d)**
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General English

81	**(a)**	82	**(b)**	83	**(d)**	84	**(b)**	85	**(b)**	86	**(d)**
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93	**(c)**	94	**(b)**	95	**(a)**	96	**(a)**	97	**(b)**	98	**(c)**
100	**(a)**										

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101	**(c)**	102	**(a)**	103	**(d)**	104	**(b)**	105	**(d)**	106	**(a)**
107	**(b)**	108	**(c)**	109	**(a)**	110	**(c)**	111	**(c)**	112	**(a)**
113	**(a)**	114	**(a)**	115	**(d)**	116	**(b)**	117	**(a)**	118	**(c)**
119	**(b)**	120	**(c)**								

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121	**(a)**	122	**(c)**	123	**(a)**	124	**(d)**	125	**(b)**	126	**(b)**
127	**(b)**	128	**(b)**	129	**(b)**	130	**(b)**	131	**(a)**	132	**(b)**
133	**(a)**	134	**(a)**	135	**(d)**	136	**(a)**	137	**(a)**	138	**(a)**
139	**(a)**	140	**(c)**								

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141	**(a)**	142	**(a)**	143	**(b)**	144	**(b)**	145	**(d)**	146	**(c)**
147	**(b)**	148	**(d)**	149	**(c)**	150	**(a)**	151	**(a)**	152	**(a)**
153	**(c)**	154	**(b)**	155	**(d)**	156	**(c)**	157	**(c)**	158	**(a)**
159	**(b)**	160	**(d)**								

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161	**(d)**	162	**(c)**	163	**(a)**	164	**(b)**	165	**(a)**	166	**(b)**
167	**(a)**	168	**(d)**	169	**(a)**	170	**(c)**	171	**(a)**	172	**(b)**
173	**(d)**	174	**(d)**	175	**(a)**	176	**(b)**	177	**(c)**	178	**(a)**
179	**(a)**	180	**(a)**								

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181	**(c)**	182	**(d)**	183	**(b)**	184	**(d)**	185	**(c)**	186	**(c)**
187	**(a)**	188	**(c)**	189	**(d)**	190	**(d)**	191	**(b)**	192	**(b)**
193	**(b)**	194	**(b)**	195	**(b)**	196	**(d)**	197	**(a)**	198	**(b)**
199	**(b)**	200	**(c)**								