

PUTHAT – 2017

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Time: 90 Minutes**Number of Questions: 100****Maximum Marks: 100**

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15. The candidates will not be allowed to leave the Examination Hall/Room before the expiry of half of the allotted time.

Read the following questions and answer Questions 1-5:

I did not feel at all sea-sick. But as the days passed, I became quite fidgety. I felt shy even in speaking to the steward. I was quite unaccustomed to talking in English and except for Sgt Mazumdar, all other passengers in the second saloon were English. I could not speak to them, for I could scarcely follow their remarks when they came up to speak to me, and even when I understood, I could not reply. I had to frame every sentence in my mind, before I could bring it out. I was innocent of the use of knives and forks and had not the boldness to inquire what dishes on the menu were free of meat. I therefore never took meals at table but always had them in my cabin, and they consisted principally of sweets and fruits which I had brought with me.

Sgt Mazumdar had no difficulty, and he mixed with everybody. He would move about freely on deck, while I hid myself in the cabin the whole day and only ventured up on deck when there were but few people. Sgt Mazumdar kept pleading with me to associate with the passengers and talk with them. He told me that lawyers should have a long tongue and related to me his legal experiences. He advised me to take every possible opportunity of talking in English and not to mind making mistakes which were obviously unavoidable in a foreign tongue. But nothing could make me conquer my shyness.

- The writer is not able to speak to passengers because:
 - He does not know them.
 - He is afraid of them.
 - He cannot speak English.
 - He is travelling for the first time.
- The word 'fidgety' in the passage means:

A) restless	B) itchy	C) nervous	D) unhappy
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- The verb 'ventured' as used in the passage, means:

A) tried	B) dared	C) adventured	D) went out
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- 'To have a long tongue' is to be:

A) able to lie	B) deceptive	C) talkative	D) rude
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- Sgt Mazumdar tells the writer that he should try to speak in English because:
 - English is a good language
 - People are impressed by it
 - It is easy to make friends by speaking English
 - It is useful for success in the profession

Choose the correct option to fill the blanks:

- He went out to buy a _____ of soap.

A) piece	B) packet	C) container	D) bar
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- Don't worry, we can _____ the problem.

A) give out	B) take out	C) sort out	D) bring out
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8. They had been friends _____
 A) from a short time B) until they were neighbours
 C) for long time to come D) by last year
9. She looked ill this morning and appears _____ now.
 A) worst B) worse C) more worse D) worsen
10. The children stared at _____ in the mirror.
 A) themselves B) theirselves C) ourselves D) ownselfs
11. The doctor said that she had _____ flu.
 A) a B) the C) an D) no article
12. I don't need your help. I can do it _____.
 A) myself B) by me C) mine D) our self
13. I _____ believe that he lost the election because of his bad performance.
 A) solidly B) highly C) firmly D) intensely
14. The least one expects from a person on duty is a _____ reply.
 A) polite B) casual C) welcome D) attentive
15. A firework suddenly _____.
 A) broke up B) went off C) blew off D) burst off
16. Such a film _____ in Bollywood.
 A) has never produced B) has never been produced
 C) is never produce D) is never being produced
17. She was attacked by a _____ of bees.
 A) group B) flock C) lot D) swarm
18. There was not a _____ of evidence to prove the case.
 A) little B) part C) speck D) shred
19. Choose the word nearest in meaning to the given word:
 Exuberant
 A) noisy B) cheerful C) silly D) excited
20. Choose the word nearest in meaning to the given word:
 Eradicate
 A) liberate B) reform C) eliminate D) demolish
21. Ferocious
 A) angry B) wild C) timid D) cute

22. Renowned
 A) rich B) reputed C) valuable D) experienced
23. Choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word:
 Sedate
 A) silent B) excited C) calm D) serious
24. Choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word:
 Impede
 A) allow B) obstruct C) facilitate D) permit
25. Choose the word opposite in meaning to the given word:
 Deflate
 A) expand B) inflate C) hidden D) increase
26. Butterfly is to caterpillar as frog is to _____
 A) fish B) amphibian C) tadpole D) toad
27. Quiet is to sound as darkness is to _____
 A) cave B) light C) noise D) stillness
28. I'm allowed to speak,?
 A) aren't I? B) isn't it? C) can't I? D) am I?
29. Choose the correct spelling:
 A) Conscience B) Conscience C) Conscience D) Consecience
30. Choose the correct spelling:
 A) Maintainance B) Maintenance C) Maintainence D) Maintenance
31. The helpline number '14444' as announced by the Government of India aims to promote:
 A) Online Education B) Handloom Sector
 C) Digital Payments D) Sensitizing Voters
32. Name the first month as per *Hindu* calendar?
 A) Chaitra B) Vaisakha C) Kartika D) Phalguna
33. In 'NITI Aayog' the term 'NITI' stands for:
 A) National Institution for Transforming India
 B) National Institute for Technocratic India
 C) Nationalize Institution for Technological India
 D) Nationalize Institute for Transgender India
34. What is the theme for the World Tourism Day – 2017?
 A) Tourism and Community Development
 B) Millions of Tourists, Millions of Opportunities
 C) Sustainable Tourism – A tool for development
 D) Tourism for All – promoting universal accessibility

35. The FIFA 2018 and 2022 World Cup will held in:
- Russia and Qatar respectively
 - Brazil and Russia respectively
 - France and Brazil respectively
 - Qatar and France respectively
36. What is the theme of the Government of India calendar 2017?
- Atithi Devo Bhava*
 - Sub Khole - Bank Khata*
 - Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas*
 - Mera Desh Badal Raha Hai, Aage Badh Raha Hai*
37. 'Playing It My Way' is the autobiography of which famous sports person?
- Sachin Tendulkar
 - Vishwanathan Anand
 - Saina Nehwal
 - Kapil Dev
38. Bhogali Bihu is a harvest festival celebrated in which state of India?
- Bihar
 - Kerala
 - Assam
 - Chattisgarh
39. One kilobyte is equal to:
- 900 bytes
 - 1000 bytes
 - 1024 bytes
 - 1039 bytes
40. To which deity is the main temple at Konark dedicated?
- Kali
 - Shiva
 - Surya
 - Krishna
41. Where will NASA send its next-generation atomic clock in 2017?
- Mars
 - Moon
 - Space
 - North Pole
42. Name the scheme of India Post under which an individual or a corporate entity can get their photo or logo printed inside the postage stamp.
- Stamp Me
 - My Stamp
 - Print Stamp
 - Print Me My Stamp
43. Which country was named the world's happiest, as per the World Happiness Report 2017?
- Italy
 - Spain
 - Sweden
 - Norway
44. Royal assent has been given to Brexit bill to trigger which article of the EU Lisbon Treaty?
- Article 49
 - Article 50
 - Article 51
 - Article 52
45. Which of the following 'temple' is not correctly matched with their 'place'?
- Angkor Wat : Cambodia
 - Pashupatinath : Bhutan
 - Prambanan : Indonesia
 - Tiger Temple : Thailand

46. The procedure of 'doping test' is including the collection of:

- A) Sugar Sample B) Urine Sample
C) Stool Sample D) Blood Sample

47. Pakistan is planning to declare which region as its 5th province?

- A) Sindh B) Balochistan
C) Gilgit Baltistan D) Khyber Pakhtunwala

48. Which part of UK has demanded an independent referendum in 2018-2019?

- A) Wales B) Ireland C) Scotland D) England

49. Scientists have discovered a new wireless internet based on:

- A) X-Rays B) UV Rays
C) Gamma Rays D) Harmless Infrared Rays

50. Who is the author of the book "Mr. and Mrs. Jinnah: The Marriage that Shook India"?

- A) Bertil Falk B) Sheela Reddy C) Teesta Setalvad D) Audrey Truschke

51. Each odd digit in the number 5263187 is substituted by the next higher digit and each even digit is substituted by the previous lower digit and the digits so obtained are rearranged in ascending order, which of the following will be the third digit from the left end after the rearrangement?

- A) 2 B) 4 C) 5 D) 6

52. In a certain code TEMPORAL is written as OLDSMBSP. How is CONSIDER written in that code?

- A) Rmnsfej B) Bnmrsfej C) Rmnbjefs D) Topdqdch

53. Pratap correctly remembers that his mother's birthday is before twenty third of April but after Nineteenth of April, whereas his sister correctly remembers that their mother's birthday is not on or after twenty second of April. On which Day In April is definitely their mother's birthday?

- A) Twentieth B) Twenty-first
C) Twentieth or twenty-first D) Twenty-second

54. A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are sitting around a circular table facing centre. H is fourth to the left of B and second to the right of F. A is third to the left of C, who is not an immediate neighbour of F. G is second to the left of (A) D is second to the right of E.

In which of the following pairs is the first person sitting on the immediate left of the second person?

- A) EH B) DB C) CE D) AF

55. 2, 6, 12, 20, 30, 42, 56, ?

- A) 72 B) 62 C) 65 D) 70

56. If 'BOMBAY' is written as 'MYMYMY'. How will "TAMILNADU" be written in that code?

- A) TIATIATIA B) MNUMNUMNU C) IATIATIAT D) ALDALDALD

57. FINCH : BIRD

- A) frog : toad B) elephant : reptile C) Dalmatian : dog D) collie : marsupial

58. Arrange the words given below in a meaningful sequence.

1. Deca 2. Kilo 3. Centi 4. Deci 5. Hecto
A) 5, 4, 1, 3, 2. B) 3, 4, 1, 5, 2. C) 2, 3, 1, 5, 4. D) 3, 2, 1, 5, 4.

59. Yard is to inch as quart is to

- A) Gallon B) Ounce C) Milk D) Liquid

60. Which word does NOT belong with the others?

- A) rye B) sourdough C) pumpernickel D) loaf

61. Here are some words translated from an artificial language.

- moolokarn* means blue sky
wilkospadi means bicycle race
moolowilko means blue bicycle

Which word could mean "racecar"?

- A) Wilkozwet B) spadiwilko C) moolobreil D) spadivolo

62. Posthumous Publication occurs when a book is published after the author's death.

Which situation below is the best example of Posthumous Publication?

- A) Richard's illness took his life before he was able to enjoy the amazing early reviews of his novel.
B) Melissa's publisher cancels her book contract after she fails to deliver the manuscript on time.
C) Clarence never thought he'd live to see the third book in his trilogy published.
D) Elizabeth is honored with a prestigious literary award for her writing career and her daughter accepts the award on behalf of her deceased mother.

63. The school principal has received complaints from parents about bullying in the school yard during recess. He wants to investigate and end this situation as soon as possible, so he has asked the recess aides to watch closely.

Which situation should the recess aides report to the principal?

- A) A girl is sitting glumly on a bench reading a book and not interacting with her peers.
B) Four girls are surrounding another girl and seem to have possession of her backpack.
C) Two boys are playing a one-on-one game of basketball and are arguing over the last basket scored.
D) Three boys are huddled over a handheld video game, which isn't supposed to be on school grounds.

64. Erin is twelve years old. For three years, she has been asking her parents for a dog. Her parents have told her that they believe a dog would not be happy in an apartment, but they have given her permission to have a bird. Erin has not yet decided what kind of bird she would like to have.

- A) Erin's parents like birds better than they like dogs.
- B) Erin does not like birds.
- C) Erin and her parents live in an apartment.
- D) Erin and her parents would like to move.

65. Fact 1: Pictures can tell a story.

Fact 2: All storybooks have pictures.

Fact 3: Some storybooks have words.

If the first three statements are facts, which of the following statements must also be a fact?

- I. Pictures can tell a story better than words can.
- II. The stories in storybooks are very simple.
- III. Some storybooks have both words and pictures.

- A) I only
- B) II only
- C) III only
- D) None of the statements is a known fact.

66. Four people witnessed a mugging. Each gave a different description of the mugger. Which description is probably right?

- A) He was average height, thin, and middle-aged.
- B) He was tall, thin, and middle-aged.
- C) He was tall, thin, and young.
- D) He was tall, of average weight, and middle-aged.

67. Yoga has become a very popular type of exercise, but it may not be for everyone. Before you sign yourself up for a yoga class, you need to examine what it is you want from your fitness routine. If you're looking for a high-energy, fast-paced aerobic workout, a yoga class might not be your best choice.

This paragraph best supports the statement that

- A) Yoga is more popular than high-impact aerobics.
- B) Before embarking on a new exercise regimen, you should think about your needs and desires.
- C) Yoga is changing the world of fitness in major ways.
- D) Yoga benefits your body and mind.

68. Most Reality TV centers on two common motivators: fame and money. The shows transform waitresses, hairdressers, investment bankers, counselors, and teachers, to name a few, from obscure figures to household names. A lucky few successfully parlay their fifteen minutes of fame into celebrity. The luckiest stars of Reality TV also reap huge financial rewards for acts including eating large insects, marrying someone they barely know, and revealing their innermost thoughts to millions of people.

- This paragraph best supports the statement that
- The stars of Reality TV are interested in being rich and famous.
 - Reality TV is the best thing that has happened to network television in a long time.
 - For Reality TV stars, fame will last only as long as their particular television show.
 - Traditional dramas and sitcoms are being replaced by Reality TV programming at an alarming rate.
69. Find the word that names a *necessary* part of the underlined word.
Town
- Residents
 - skyscrapers
 - parks
 - libraries
70. Look at this series: 36, 34, 30, 28, 24, . . . What number should come next?
- 20
 - 22
 - 23
 - 26
71. Headquarters of UN World Tourism Organization is in which of the following city?
- Los Angles
 - Madrid
 - Zurich
 - New York
72. Bihu is a dance form of:
- Uttar Pradesh
 - Haryana
 - Gujarat
 - Assam
73. What is the punch line of India Tourism
- Incredible India
 - Padharo Mhare Desh
 - Amazing India
 - For all season and for all reason
74. The Great Himalayan National Park is located in which state
- Uttrakhand
 - Sikkim
 - Jammu & Kashmir
 - Himachal Pradesh
75. Ideal destination for Bungee jumping in India is
- Goa
 - Kerala
 - Rishikesh
 - Andaman& Lakshadweep
76. Which city is known as "Pink city"
- Jaipur
 - Jodhpur
 - Varanasi
 - Mahabalipuram
77. Renuka Lake is situated in which state
- Himachal Pradesh
 - Punjab
 - Haryana
 - Jammu & Kashmir
78. 'Wazwan' a typical multi course meal belongs to which state
- Tamil Nadu
 - Meghalaya
 - Jammu and Kashmir
 - Kerala

79. World's highest cricket ground is at
 A) Gulmarg B) Chail C) Kufri D) Phalgam
80. Mohiniyattam is a dance form of which of the following state
 A) Tamilnadu B) Andhara Pradesh C) UttarPradesh D) Kerala
81. In hospitality industry, what is Mojito Name of
 A) Chef B) Cocktail C) Main course item D) Type of linen
82. Hotel Oberoi Sukhavilas is located at which place
 A) Haridwar B) Shimla C) New Chandigarh D) Mumbai
83. Which monument of Chandigarh was declared at World Heritage Site in 2016
 A) The Capitol Complex B) Rock Garden
 C) Open Hand Monument D) Sukhna Lake
84. Founder of Taj Hotel Mumbai was
 A) Jamshedji Tata B) Ghanshyam Das Birla
 C) NusliWadia D) Dhiru Bhai Ambani
85. Which day is celebrated as International Day of Yoga
 A) 21 July B) 21 June C) 17 May D) 19 December
86. When is World Tourism Day is celebrated
 A) 27 October B) 27 August C) 27 September D) 27 March
87. The term "DND" in hotel refers to
 A) Doing Numerous Duties B) Doing Nurse Duty
 C) Do Not Disturb D) Doing Night Duty
88. What is 'Slow Food'
 A) Traditional Food
 B) Food which is cooked a very low flame
 C) Food which is cooked by a lazy person
 D) Other name for 'Burger'
89. Who is the brand ambassador of "Incredible India" campaign 2017
 A) Amitabh Bachchan B) Amir Khan
 C) Priyanka Chopra D) Narendra Modi

90. Modified American Plan includes
 A) Breakfast + one major meal + Room rent
 B) One meal + Room rent
 C) Breakfast + Rent
 D) Only meals of the day
91. Periyar National Park is in
 A) Madhya Pradesh
 B) Assam
 C) Kerala
 D) West Bengal
92. KFC is a food chain brand originated from
 A) USA
 B) USSR
 C) UK
 D) Japan
93. Which state has received the maximum number of foreign tourists in 2015?
 A) Goa
 B) Maharashtra
 C) Rajasthan
 D) Tamil Nadu
94. Pizza a very famous food, it originated from which country
 A) Italy
 B) USA
 C) Pakistan
 D) Taiwan
95. "La Tomatina festival" is celebrated in
 A) France
 B) Germany
 C) Spain
 D) Portugal
96. Expand IRCTC
 A) Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation
 B) Indian Railway Catering and Transport Corporation
 C) Indian Railway Catering and Travel Company
 D) Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Company
97. Taj group of hotels belongs to which corporate group
 A) Birla
 B) ITC Group
 C) TATA
 D) Reliance
98. 'Taj Mehal' monument basically is a
 A) Auditorium
 B) Palace
 C) Fort
 D) Mausoleum
99. Which city is popularly known as 'City of Joy'
 A) Agra
 B) Kolkata
 C) Kanpur
 D) Shimla
100. During my recent tour, I have visited Church Gate, Kanheri Caves, Mahalaxmi Temple, Hutatma Chowk and Girgaum Chowpaty. Which city I have been to?
 A) Silvasa
 B) Chennai
 C) Mumbai
 D) Bhopal

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