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**General Studies**

1. Who was the leader of revolutionaries in Bihar during the Revolt of 1857?

- (a) Namdar Khan (b) BabuKunwarSingh  
(c) Birsa Munda (d) Shankar Shah  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** BabuKunwar Singh

2. Birsa was captured, while asleep, on :

- (a) 1 February, 1900  
(b) 2 February, 1900  
(c) 3 February, 1900  
(d) 4 February, 1900  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

3. "The Muslims, if contented and satisfied, would become the greatest bulwark of British power in India". Who wrote it?

- (a) Herbert Risley (b) Lord Lytton  
(c) W.W. Hunter (d) H.N.Brailsford  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** W.W.Hunter

4. "In my belief, Congress is tottering to its fall and one of my great ambitions while in India is to assist it to a peaceful demise." Who wrote it?

- (a) Lord Lytton (b) Lord Dufferin  
(c) Lord Curzon (d) Lord Minto  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Lord Curzon

5. Who drew Mahatma Gandhi's attention towards the exploitation of the peasants by the European Indigo planters?

- (a) Baba Ram Chandra  
(b) Raja Kumar Shukla  
(c) Swami SahajanandaSaraswati  
(d) Sri Krishna Sinha  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Raja Kumar Shukla

6. Who was elected the first President of All India Kisan Sabha at Lucknow in 1936?

- (a) N.G.Ranbga  
(b) E.M.S.Namboodri pad  
(c) Swami SahajanandSaraswati  
(d) Acharya Narendra Dev  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Swami SahajanandSaraswati

7. Sir Michael O'Dwyer was shot dead on 13 March, 1940 in London by :

- (a) Madal Lal Dhingra  
(b) M.P.T.Acharya  
(c) V.D.Savarkar  
(d) Udham Singh  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Udham Singh

8. Who was the Prime Minister of England when the Montague-Chelmsford Act was passed in 1919?

- (a) Lloyd George (b) George Hamilton  
(c) Sir Samuel Hoare (d) Lord Salisbury  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Lloyd George

9. Who left Patna College with just 20 days remaining for his examination during the Non Cooperation Movement?

- (a) Rajendra Prasad  
(b) Braj Kishore  
(c) Jai Prakash Naryana  
(d) Sri Krishna Sinha  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Jai Prakash Naryana

10. Who became champion of socialism and wanted to overthrow of British rule, Princely states, Landlordism and Capitalism in 1933?

- (a) Rajendra Prasad (b) Jawaharlal Nehru  
(c) Bhulabhai Desai (d) Sardar Patel  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Jawaharlal Nehru

11. Who joined Subhas Chandra Bose to found All India Forward Bloc and actively associated with the INA movement?

- (a) Jai Prakash Narayan (b) Baikunth Shukla  
(c) SheelBhadraYajee (d) RamNarainPrasad  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** SheelBhadraYajee

12. Who is regarded as "The Mother of Indian Revolution"?

- (a) Mrs.Annie Besant  
(b) SnehlataWadekar  
(c) Sarojini Naidu  
(d) Madam BhikhajiRustamCama  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Madam BhikhajiRustamCama

13. Which journal was not associated with the revolutionary activities?
- Sandhya
  - Yugantar
  - Ghadr
  - Young India
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** e

14. First Indian elected to the British House of Commons was DadabhaiNaoroji who contested on the ticket of ;
- Liberal Party
  - Labour Party
  - Conservative Party
  - Communist Party
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Liberal Party

15. Swaraj Party was formed following the failure of:
- Non-Cooperation Movement
  - Civil Disobedience Movement
  - Rowlatt Bill Satyagraha
  - Champaran Satyagraha
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Non-Cooperation Movement

16. The Chittagong Armoury Raid had been planned by
- Surya Sen
  - Chandan Dutta
  - Vidhan Ghosh
  - Jatin Das
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Surya Sen

17. The Cabinet Mission came to India in :
- February 1942
  - March 1942
  - April 1942
  - May 1942
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

18. A pleader of Bihar who left his lucrative practice during Non-Cooperation Movement was :
- Jai Prakash Narayan
  - Rajendra Prasad
  - Sahajanand Saraswati
  - Raj Kumar Shukla
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Rajendra Prasad

19. The precursor of Indian National Congress was:

- British Indian Association
- Indian Association
- Indian National Union
- Indian League
- None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Indian Association

20. Who organised the “KhudaiKhidmatgar” in 1929?
- Abdul Gaffar Khan
  - Ali Brothers
  - Ansari Brothers
  - MaulanaAbulKalam Azad
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Abdul Gaffar Khan

21. A, B, C, Invested 20 lac rupees in a business in the ratio 7 : 2 : 1. The total profit is 18%. A has to pay 30% tax and B has to pay 20% tax. What percent of net profit of A is more than the net profit of B?
- 118.8%
  - 180.0%
  - 306.25%
  - 304.5%
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 306.25%

22. If SURGICAL – STRIKE is coded as 13979313-129925, then METRO-TRAIN is coded as
- 15295-29195
  - 45296-29195
  - 45295-29194
  - 15296-29195
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 45296-29195

23. x is a consecutive whole number and the first four values of expression  $400; x^2 + 3y - 3$  are 7, 20, 45, 88, then the fifth value is
- 137
  - 155
  - 158
  - 143
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 155

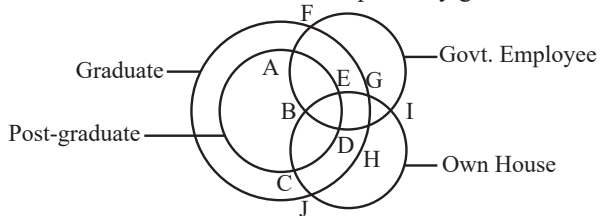
24. In the series of numbers and alphabets A26H, C24F, G20B, the next term is
- M13D
  - O11C
  - M12B
  - M14E
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

25. The dearness-allowance of a person with basic salary Rs.7700 is increased to 132% from 125% and the tax deduction on both is increased to 22% from 20%. He got salary increased by
- Rs.74.00
  - Rs.77.00
  - Rs.385.00
  - Rs.369.00
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. (e)

26. Inspect the following figure and find the region which represents the government employee who live in own house and compulsorily graduate.



- EGHD
- BED
- BHG
- HGI
- None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. (e)

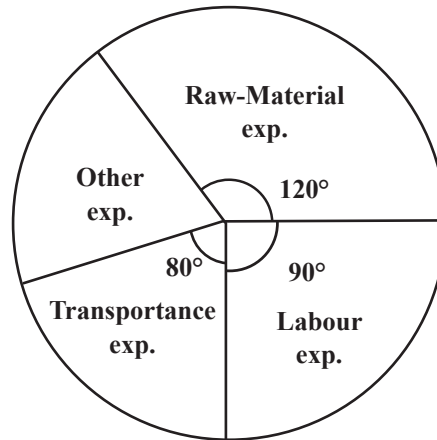
27. If sign +, represents multiplication, x addition; - division, ÷ difference > equal and = represents greater than, then which of the following relation is true?
- $12 - 2 + 3 \div 8 \times 1 > 12$
  - $11 \times 2 \div 4 - 2 + 1 = 11$
  - $7 \div 2 \times 5 - 5 + 2 = 7$
  - $5 \times 6 - 3 \div 3 + 1 > 4$
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans.  $11 \times 2 \div 4 - 2 + 1 = 11$

28. How many times the digit 9 occurs in the numbers from 100 to 999.
- 280
  - 218
  - 229
  - 228
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. 280

29. In the following pie-chart, the various expenditures of an industry are presented. Total expenditure on raw material is Rs.30 lac. If labour expenditure is increased by 5%. How much expenditure on other expenses be reduced to maintain the profit?



- 5.9%
- 12.86%
- 6.43%
- 6.21%
- None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. 6.4

30. In the bottom of a water tank, there are two drains A and B. If only A is open, it takes 30 minutes to empty a full tank and if only B is open, it takes 20 minutes. If for 10 minutes both drains are open, then B is closed, how much time it takes to empty a full tank?
- 18 minutes
  - 15 minutes
  - 17 minutes
  - 20 minutes
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. e

31. Which of the following pairs is not correctly matched?
- Vitamin B Oranges
  - Vitamin D - Cod-liver oil
  - Vitamin E - Wheat germ oil
  - Vitamin K - Alfalfa
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. (e)

32. Teflon is a polymer of which of the following monomers?
- Tetrafluoroethylene
  - Vinyl chloride
  - Chloroprene
  - Acetylene dichloride
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

Ans. Tetrafluoroethylene

33. Which of the following is responsible for controlling hereditary characters of the living cells?

- (a) Enzyme (b) Hormone  
(c) RNA (d) DNA  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** DNA

34. Which of the following vitamins is known as ergocalciferol ?

- (a) Vitamin D (b) Vitamin D  
(c) Vitamin B (d) Vitamin B  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Vitamin D

35. Which of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

- (a) Retinol – Xerophthalmia  
(b) Tocopherol – Beriberi  
(c) Cyanocobalamin – Anaemia  
(d) Ergocalciferol- Rickets  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

36. Bakelite is formed by the condensation of

- (a) Urea and formaldehyde  
(b) Phenol and formaldehyde  
(c) Phenol and acetaldehyde  
(d) Melamine and formaldehyde  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Phenol and formaldehyde

37. Which one of the following is an antibiotic drug?

- (a) Quinine (b) Sulphaguanidine  
(c) Chloramphenicol (d) Aspirin  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Quinine

38. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:

List-I [Substances]	List-II [Applications]
1. Aspartame	1. Synthetic rubber
2. Freon	2. Anti-histamine
3. Neoprene	3. Artificial Sweetener
4. Benadryl	4. Refrigerant

Codes :

A	B	C	D
(a) 1	3	4	2
(b) 2	4	1	3

- (c) 3 4 1 2  
(d) 3 1 2 4  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (c)

39. Insulin is

- (a) Fat (b) Vitamin  
(c) Carbohydrate (d) Protein  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

40. The gas used in the manufacture of Vanaspati Ghee from Vanaspati Oil is

- (a) Hydrogen (b) Oxygen  
(c) Nitrogen (d) Carbon dioxide  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Hydrogen

41. LPG used as domestic fuel chiefly contains

- (a) Methane (b) Propane  
(c) Ethylene (d) Butane  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

42. Soap removes grease by

- (a) Coagulation (b) Adsorption  
(c) Emulsification (d) Osmosis  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Emulsification

43. Which of the following hormones play a role in release of milk from mammary glands?

- (a) Adrenaline (b) Thyroxine  
(c) Progesterone (d) Oxytocin  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Oxytocin

44. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:

List-I	List-II
A. Skin Cancer	1. Chlorofluorocarbons
B. Noise Pollution	2. Ultraviolet light
C. Global warming	3. Decibel
D. Ozone Hole	4. Carbon dioxide

Codes :

A	B	C	D
(a) 1	2	3	4
(b) 2	3	4	1
(c) 2	3	1	4
(d) 4	3	2	1
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above			

**Ans.** (b)

45. In human body, Vitamin A is stored in  
 (a) Liver (b) Skin  
 (c) Lung (d) Kidney  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Liver

46. Which of the following vitamins is used as an antidote to anticoagulant poisons?  
 (a) Vitamin A (b) Vitamin D  
 (c) Vitamin E (d) Vitamin K  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Vitamin K

47. Iodised salt contains  
 (a) Free iodine (b) Calcium iodide  
 (c) Magnesium iodide (d) Potassium iodide  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Potassium iodide

48. Which of the following is present in maximum in acid rain?  
 (a) HCl (b) HNO<sub>3</sub>  
 (c) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (d) H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

49. 'God Particle' is  
 (a) Neutrino (b) Higgs Boson  
 (c) Meson (d) Positron  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Higgs Boson

50. Which of the following radio isotopes is used in the treatment of blood cancer [leukemia]?  
 (a) Iodine -131 (b) Sodium-24  
 (c) Phosphorus-32 (d) Cobalt-60  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Cobalt-60

51. The elected US President Donald Trump was the Presidential Nominee of the  
 (a) Democratic Party (b) Republican Party  
 (c) Libertarian Party (d) Green Party  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Republican Party

52. The Iran-Pakistan Gas pipe line is also called as  
 (a) Friendship pipeline (b) Future pipe line  
 (c) Peace pipeline (d) Unity pipeline  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Peace pipeline

53. What is the India's rank in the 2016 Sustainable Development Goal Index?

- (a) 110 (b) 88  
 (c) 63 (d) 129  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 110

54. The United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change deals with

- (a) reduction in fossil fuel usage  
 (b) emissions mitigation  
 (c) reduction in Uranium production  
 (d) Green house gases emissions mitigation  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Greenhouse gases emissions mitigation

55. The 2016 Nobel Prize in Literature was won by

- (a) Alice Munro  
 (b) Svetlana Alexievich  
 (c) Bob Dylan  
 (d) Angus Deaton  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Bob Dylan

56. Which country has the largest reserves of oil?

- (a) United States  
 (b) China  
 (c) Russia  
 (d) Venezuela  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Venezuela

57. Who is the new Secretary General of the United Nations?

- (a) Matthew Rycroft  
 (b) Anibal Cavaco Silva  
 (c) Antonio Guterres  
 (d) VitalyChurkin  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Antonio Guterres

58. Which of the following countries has recently joined the Hague Code of Conduct [HCoC], a global initiative to prevent ballistic missile proliferation?

- (a) Palestine (b) Israel  
 (c) India (d) Iran  
 (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** India

59. Which State has been declared India's first 'Open Defecation Free State'?

- (a) Bihar (b) Assam  
(c) Himachal Pradesh (d) Sikkim  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Sikkim

60. Which of the following is the newest member of the Eurozone?

- (a) Lithuania (b) Croatia  
(c) Bulgaria (d) Cyprus  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Lithuania

61. The head of state of the United Kingdom is

- (a) Queen Elizabeth I  
(b) Queen Elizabeth II  
(c) Queen Elizabeth III  
(d) Queen Elizabeth IV  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Queen Elizabeth II

62. India's first and Asia's longest cycle highway has been opened in which State of India?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Andhra Pradesh  
(c) Bihar (d) Assam  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Uttar Pradesh

63. India's first textile university will be set up in which of the following states ?

- (a) Madhya Pradesh (b) Bihar  
(c) Gujarat (d) Odisha  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Gujarat

64. What is the fiscal deficit target of India for the financial year 2016-17?

- (a) 3.9% of GDP (b) 3.5% of GDP  
(c) 4.9% of GDP (d) 4.5% of GDP  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 3.5% of GDP

65. The 2016 joint military exercise "Maitree" has been conducted between India and which of the following countries?

- (a) Indonesia (b) Thailand  
(c) Malaysia (d) Maldives  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (b)

66. The nation-wide breast-feeding programme "MAA" has been launched by which Union Ministry?

- (a) Ministry of Tribal Affairs  
(b) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
(c) Ministry of Women and Child Development  
(d) Ministry of AYUSH  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (b)

67. Which of the following is a bond through which Indian entities can raise money from foreign markets in rupees, and not in foreign currency?

- (a) Corporate Bonds  
(b) Masala Bonds  
(c) Municipal Bonds  
(d) Zero-coupon Bonds  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Masala Bonds

68. Which train safety system has recently been launched by the Indian Railways to avoid train accidents?

- (a) Tri-Safety (b) Tri-Netra  
(c) Tri-Network (d) Tri-Veil  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Tri-Netra

69. Which committee has been constituted by the Government of India to boost cashless transaction?

- (a) Nachiket More Committee  
(b) Shanta Kumar Committee  
(c) H.R.Khan Committee  
(d) Neeraj Kumar Gupta Committee  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Neeraj Kumar Gupta Committee

70. Which country has won the 2016 Davis Cup Tennis Tournament?

- (a) Argentina (b) Switzerland  
(c) Serbia (d) Croatia  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Argentina

71. India's first Laser Interferometer Gravitational-Wave Observatory (LIGO) laboratory will be setup in which State ?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Maharashtra  
(c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Bihar  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Maharashtra

72. In Rio Olympics 2016 which country finished at the top of the table with gold medals?
- (a) United States (b) China  
(c) Great Britain (d) Russia  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** United States

73. The FIFA World Cup 2022 will be held in
- (a) Argentina (b) Germany  
(c) Qatar (d) Russia  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Qatar

74. As per Census 2011, what is the rank of Bihar State in terms of population in the country?
- (a) I (b) II  
(c) III (d) IV  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** III

75. Which country has won the 2016 Kabaddi World Cup?
- (a) Srilanka (b) Iran  
(c) India (d) China  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** India

76. Which country's women Badminton team has won the 2016 Uber Cup Tournament?
- (a) Thailand (b) India  
(c) South Korea (d) China  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** China

77. Who has been conferred with the 2015 Jnanpith Award ?
- (a) Pannalal Patel  
(b) Umashankar Joshi  
(c) RaghuveerChaudhari  
(d) Rama Jain  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** RaghuveerChaudhari

78. The book "Six Machine : I Don't Like Cricket .... I Love It" is the autobiography of which cricketer?
- (a) Yuvraj Singh (b) Chris Gayle  
(c) VirendraSehwag (d) AB de Villiers  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Chris Gayle

79. Who is the first Indian to win two Paralympic Gold Medals?

- (a) Devendra Jhajharia  
(b) Deepa Malik  
(c) MariyappanThangavelu  
(d) Varun Singh Bhati  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** DevendraJhajharia

80. What was the theme of the 2016 Rio Olympics?
- (a) Peace for inner soul  
(b) World peace and Environment  
(c) Nothing can be achieved without peace  
(d) Live sports , live freedom  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** World peace and Environment

81. Which among the following Harappan site terracotta of 'plough' was found?
- (a) Dholavira (b) Banawali  
(c) Kalibangan (d) Lothal  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Banawali

82. Kalinga's King Kharvel was associated with:
- (a) Mahameghvahana dynasty  
(b) Chedi dynasty  
(c) Satvahana dynasty  
(d) Rath-Bhojak dynasty  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Chedi dynasty

83. Chinese traveller 'Sungyun' was came to India in:
- (a) 515 A.D to 520 AD  
(b) 525 AD to 529AD  
(c) 545AD to 552 AD  
(d) 592 AD to 597AD  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 515 A.D to 520 AD

84. Which type of land was called 'Aprahat'?
- (a) Without cultivated forest land  
(b) Irrigated land  
(c) Dense forest land  
(d) Cultivated land  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)



85. Which among the following state 'Odantipur' Education Centre was situated?

- (a) Bengal (b) Bihar  
(c) Gujarat (d) Tamil Nadu  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Bihar

86. 'Diwan-E-Arj' department was associated with:

- (a) Royal Correspondence  
(b) Foreign  
(c) defence  
(d) finance  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** defence

87. Who was the founder of Bahamani Kingdom?

- (a) Alauddin Hasan (b) Feroz Shah  
(c) Mahmud Gaonwa (d) Asaf Khan  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Alauddin Hasan

88. Which among the following King's reign Persian traveller 'Abdurrajjak' came to India?

- (a) Dev Rai I (b) Krishna Dev Rai I  
(c) Dev Rai II (d) Krishna Rai II  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Dev Rai II

89. 'Jaswant and Dasawan' famous painters were courtier of Mughal emperor:

- (a) Akbar (b) Jehangir  
(c) Shahjahan (d) Aurangzeb  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Akbar

90. Akhil Bhartiya Kisan Congress was founded in:

- (a) 1936 AD (b) 1939 AD  
(c) 1942 AD (d) 1945 AD  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 1936 AD

91. Which among the following year 'Santhal revolt' was occurred?

- (a) 1831 – 32 AD  
(b) 1844 – 46 AD  
(c) 1851 – 52 AD  
(d) 1855 – 56 AD  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 1855 – 56 AD

92. Which among the following year Surendra Nath Bannerjee was eliminated from Indian Civil Services?

- (a) 1874 AD (b) 1877 AD  
(c) 1885 AD (d) 1892 AD  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 1874 AD

93. Who is known as father of Dyarchy?

- (a) Lord Clive (b) Hector Munaro  
(c) Lord Macaulay (d) Sir LeonilCartis  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Sir Leonil Cartis

94. Which among the following viceroy period the title of 'Rai Bahadur' and 'Khan

Bahadur' were began to conferred to Indian?

- (a) Lord Ripon (b) Lord Lytton  
(c) Lord Meyo (d) Lord Dufferin  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Lord Lytton

95. Who was the founder of Karnata dynasty?

- (a) Nanyadev (b) Narsimhadev  
(c) Vijaydev (d) Haridev  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Nanyadev

96. Who was the first Muslim Conqueror of Bihar?

- (a) Malik Ibrahim (b) Iltumish  
(c) BakhtiyarKhalji (d) Ali MardanKhalji  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Bakhtiyar Khalji

97. Who was the last King of Karnata dynasty?

- (a) Harisimha (b) Ramsimha  
(c) Matisimha (d) Shyamsimha  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Harisimha

98. The author of 'Rajaniti Ratnakara' is

- (a) Chandesvara (b) Vidyapati  
(c) Jyotiresvara (d) Haribrahmadeva  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Chandesvara

99. The author of 'Udwant Prakash' is

- (a) Mauli Kavi (b) Bodhraj  
(c) Paramala (d) Vidyapati  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** MauliKavi

100. Nalanda Vihar was destroyed by:

- (a) BakhtiyarKhalji
- (b) Qutubddin Aibak
- (c) Muhammad Bin Tughlaq
- (d) Alauddin Khalji
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** BakhtiyarKhalji

101. The Great Victorian Desert is located at

- (a) Australia
- (b) India
- (c) Egypt
- (d) North Africa
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Australia

102. Which of the following activities is performed at Coolgardie?

- (a) Coal mining
- (b) Copper mining
- (c) Gold mining
- (d) Forestry
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Gold mining

103. What is Particulate matter?

- (a) Solid residue
- (b) Air pollutant
- (c) Water pollutant
- (d) Soil pollutant
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Air pollutant

104. What is the name of mid latitude grass land in South America?

- (a) Prairie
- (b) Pampas
- (c) Veld
- (d) Steppes
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Pampas

105. Match the following places with industries and select the correct answer using the code given below :

Place	Industry
1. Bengaluru	1. Iron & Steel
2. Korba	2. Copper
3. Jamhedpur	3. Aircraft
4. Malajkhand	4. Aluminium

Codes :

	A	B	C	D
(a)	1	2	3	4
(b)	2	1	4	3
(c)	4	3	2	1
(d)	3	4	1	2

- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (d)

106. Which of the following seas has the highest average salinity?

- (a) Black Sea
- (b) Yellow Sea
- (c) Mediterranean Sea
- (d) Dead Sea
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Dead Sea

107. The Dravidian races are mainly confined at which of the following parts of India?

- (a) South India
- (b) North-Western India
- (c) North-Eastern India
- (d) North India
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** South India

108. At which of the following hills the Eastern Ghats join the Western Ghats?

- (a) Palani Hills
- (b) Anaimudi Hills
- (c) Nilgiri Hills
- (d) Shervoroy Hills
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Nilgiri Hills

109. At which of the following places the Copper Industry is located?

- (a) Tarapur
- (b) Titagarh
- (c) Ranchi
- (d) Khetri
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Khetri

110. What is the Golden Quadrilateral ?

- (a) Rail lines joining metros
- (b) Major Air Routes
- (c) National Highway Project
- (d) Gold Trade Routes
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** National Highway Project

111. Which of the following Iron ores is mined at Bailadila?

- (a) Haematite
- (b) Siderite
- (c) Limonite
- (d) Magnetite
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Haematite

112. The only state which produces saffron in India is

- (a) Himachal Pradesh
- (b) Assam
- (c) Jammu & Kashmir
- (d) Meghalaya
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Jammu & Kashmir

113. At which of the following towns the Alaknanda and the Bhagirathi combines to form River Ganga?

- (a) Haridwar (b) Rishikesh  
(c) Rudraprayag (d) Devprayag  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Devprayag

114. Which of the landforms occupy the North-Western parts of Bihar State?

- (a) Someshwar Hilly Range  
(b) Kaimur Plateau  
(c) Nawada Hilly Region  
(d) Rajgir Hilly Region  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Someshwar Hilly Range

115. River Tel is a tributary of which of the following rivers ?

- (a) Bagmati (b) Ghaghara  
(c) Gandak (d) Kamla  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** e

116. Which of the following canal systems irrigate areas of Bihar?

- (a) Upper Ganga Canal  
(b) Triveni Canal  
(c) Sharda Canal  
(d) Eastern Yamuna Canal  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Triveni Canal

117. Which of the following is a silk textile producing centre in Bihar?

- (a) Motipur (b) Bajari  
(c) Bhagalpur (d) Dalmianagar  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Bhagalpur

118. At which of the following places Bharat Wagon and Engineering Co.Ltd. is situated?

- (a) Madhepura (b) Jamalpur  
(c) Harnat (d) Mokama  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Mokama

119. Which of the following National Highways connect Chhapara and Gopalganj?

- (a) National Highway No.77  
(b) National Highway No.84  
(c) National Highway No.85  
(d) National Highway No.80  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** National Highway No.85

120. Which of the following districts record highest growth of population during 2001-11?

- (a) Kishanganj (b) Araria  
(c) Madhepura (d) Khagdia  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Madhepura

121. Which of the following is/are listed among the Directive Principles in Part-IV of the Constitution of India?

- I. Equal Pay for Equal Work  
II. Uniform Civil Code  
III. Small family norm  
IV. Education through mother tongue at primary level  
(a) I, II and III  
(b) I and II  
(c) II and III  
(d) I, II and IV  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (b)

122. Vote on Account is meant for

- (a) Vote on the report of CAG  
(b) To meet unforeseen expenditure  
(c) Appropriating funds pending passing of budget  
(d) Budget  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Appropriating funds pending passing of budget

123. Constitution Day of India is celebrated on

- (a) 26 October  
(b) 26 November  
(c) 26 January  
(d) 15 August  
(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 26 November

124. Which officer of the Government of India has the right to take part in the proceedings of Parliament of India even though he is not a member?
- Vice-President
  - Attorney General of India
  - Comptroller and Auditor General
  - Election Commissioner
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Attorney General of India

125. The Supreme Court has held that hoisting the National Flag at the top of the private buildings is a fundamental right of every citizen under:
- Article 14 of the Constitution
  - Article 19 (1) (a) of the Constitution
  - Article 21 of the Constitution
  - Article 25 of the Constitution
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Article 19 (1) (a) of the Constitution

126. Choose the fundamental rights available to Indian Citizen but not to aliens:
- Equality before Law
  - Freedom of Expression and Speech
  - Right of Minorities to conserve their language and culture
  - Protection to life and liberty
- I and III
  - I and IV
  - II and IV
  - II and III
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** I and III

127. A Panchayat Samiti at the block level in India is only a/an
- Advisory Body
  - Consultative Committee
  - Co-ordinating and Supervisory Authority
  - Administrative Authority
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Co-ordinating and Supervisory Authority

128. A seat of M.P. can be declared vacant if he absents himself from the house for a continuous period of
- Six months
  - Two months
  - Three months
  - One year
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Two months

129. Match the following :

- |                      |               |
|----------------------|---------------|
| I. Union List        | a. 97 entries |
| II. State list       | b. 47 entries |
| III. Concurrent list | c. 66 entries |

Codes :

- |     | I  | II | III |
|-----|--|----|-----|
| (a) | a  | b  | c   |
| (b) | a  | c  | b   |
| (c) | c  | a  | b   |
| (d) | c  | b  | a   |
| (e) | None of the above/More than one of the above |    |     |

**Ans.** b

130. Creation of a new state requires a majority for Constitutional Amendment.
- Simple
  - Two-third
  - Three-fourth
  - Two-third plus ratification by half of all states
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Simple

131. The expression 'Socialist' was introduced in the Preamble of Indian Constitution by which amendment?
- 42 Amendment
  - 44 Amendment
  - 46 Amendment
  - 74 Amendment
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 42 Amendment

132. President of India exercises his powers
- either directly or through officers subordinate to him
  - through Ministers
  - through Prime Minister
  - through Cabinet
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

133. The 'Ease of Doing Business Index' is prepared and published by
- World Trade Organisation
  - World Bank Group
  - United Nations
  - European Nations
  - None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** World Bank Group

134. Which one of the following measures is not likely to aid in improving India's Balance of Payment position?

- (a) Promotion of Import Substitution Policy
- (b) Devaluation of rupee
- (c) Imposition of higher tariff on imports
- (d) Levying of higher duties on exports
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Levying of higher duties on exports

135. Service tax was introduced in India on the recommendation of:

- (a) Kelkar Committee
- (b) Raja J. Chaliah Committee
- (c) Manmohan Singh Committee
- (d) Yashwant Sinha Committee
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Raja J. Chaliah Committee

136. As per Census 2011, which state has the lowest sex-ratio?

- (a) Punjab
- (b) Haryana
- (c) Uttar Pradesh
- (d) Bihar
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Haryana

137. The economist who for the first time scientifically determined National Income in India:

- (a) D.R. Gadgil
- (b) V.K.R.V. Rao
- (c) Manmohan Singh
- (d) Y.V. Alagh
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** V.K.R.V. Rao

138. The percentage of decadal growth of population during 2001-2011 as per Census 2011 is:

- (a) 21.54
- (b) 17.64
- (c) 15.89
- (d) 19.21
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 17.64

139. Which of the following is not a cash crop?

- (a) Jute
- (b) Groundnut
- (c) Jowar
- (d) Sugarcane
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Jowar

140. First Five Year Plan of India was based on the

- (a) Harrod Domar Model
- (b) Mahalanobis Model
- (c) DadabhaiNaraji Model
- (d) J.L. Nehru Model
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Harrod Domar Model

141. Black revolution is related to the

- (a) Fish Production
- (b) Coal production
- (c) Crude oil production
- (d) Mustard production
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Crude oil production

142. Which Indian state has the largest number of Cotton Textiles Mills?

- (a) Madhya Pradesh
- (b) Maharashtra
- (c) Gujarat
- (d) West-Bengal
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

143. Which district in Bihar is poorest according to per capita income criteria?

- (a) Begusarai
- (b) Madhepura
- (c) Supaul
- (d) Sheohar
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Sheohar

144. Which of the following Tax is levied by Union and collected and appropriated by States?

- (a) Stamp duties
- (b) Passenger & Goods Tax
- (c) Estate Duty
- (d) Taxes on Newspapers
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Stamp duties

145. Bank rate means

- (a) Interest rate charged by moneylenders
- (b) Interest rate charged by Scheduled Banks
- (c) Rate of profit of banking institution
- (d) Official rate of interest charged by Central Bank
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Official rate of interest charged by Central Bank

146. In Bihar, which sector recorded highest growth during 2005-06 to 2014-15?

- (a) Agriculture
- (b) Banking
- (c) Registered Manufacturing
- (d) Transport
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Registered Manufacturing

147. 'SUPUR' project in Bihar relates to :

- (a) Health
- (b) Poverty
- (c) Banking
- (d) Municipal Finances
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

148. Total length of National Highways in Bihar is:

- (a) 3410 kms
- (b) 3587 kms
- (c) 4595 kms

(d) 4707 kms

(e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** 4595 kms

149. Per capita energy consumption in the state of Bihar is:

- (a) 20 kWh
- (b) 187 kWh
- (c) 161 kWh
- (d) 145 kWh
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** (e)

150. 'JEEVIKA' is an initiative of Bihar Govt for:

- (a) Employment Generation
- (b) Financial Inclusion
- (c) Poverty Attenuation
- (d) Public Distribution
- (e) None of the above/More than one of the above

**Ans.** Poverty Attenuation

