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Time : 3:00 Hrs.

**PART : A**

**Marks: 50**

**Section - A**

**Choose the correct alternative and fill the OMR sheet.**

1. Indian culture was not only beautiful but also \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Industrious (B) Utilitarian and prosperous  
(C) based on religion (D) No religious ideology
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is a 5000 years old art.  
(A) Wooden Art (B) Sculpture  
(C) Pottery (D) Painting
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ had the matriarchal system of family.  
(A) Aryans (B) Mongoloids  
(C) Austroloids (D) Dravidians
4. Greek emperor Menander was recognized as \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Kushan (B) Kanisha  
(C) Mukund (D) Milind
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ were called Nishad by the Aryans.  
(A) Munda (B) Khashi  
(C) Kol (D) Austroloid
6. The Patola of Patan is more than \_\_\_\_\_ years old.  
(A) 850 (B) 750  
(C) 800 (D) 700
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is famous for pink enamel work.  
(A) Jaipur (B) Delhi  
(C) Varanasi (D) Hyderabad
8. \_\_\_\_\_ is the Gangotri of music  
(A) Sangeet Makrand (B) Samved  
(C) Atharvaveda (D) Sangeet Parijat
9. \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the well known dancers of Kuchipudi.  
(A) Mrinalini Sarabhai (B) Hema Malini  
(C) Shobha Naidu (D) Vaijanti Mala
10. The main roads of Harappa were \_\_\_\_\_ meters wide.  
(A) 9.5 (B) 9.2  
(C) 9.75 (D) 9.95
11. The railing meant for the protection of holy place is known as \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Vedica (B) Toran  
(C) Medhi (D) Harmika
12. During the reign of Narsimhvarman II, the most famous temple of \_\_\_\_\_ was built.  
(A) Kailashnath (B) Konark  
(C) Brihidishvara (D) Mahabalipuram

13. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Ahmedabad was made in 1414.  
(A) Teen Darwaza (B) Sidi Saiyad Grill  
(C) Naginawadi (D) Shaking towers
14. Buddhist literature was written in \_\_\_\_\_ language.  
(A) Sanskrit (B) Prakrit  
(C) Kshatrap (D) Pali
15. \_\_\_\_\_ wrote Uttarramcharit.  
(A) Kalidas (B) Bhavabhuti  
(C) Bharavi (D) Dandi
16. \_\_\_\_\_ is a historical book of Kashmir.  
(A) Rajtarangini (B) Kathasarit Sagar  
(C) Git Govind (D) Prithviraj Raso
17. \_\_\_\_\_ wrote devotional songs in Gujarati.  
(A) Akho (B) Narsinh Mehta  
(C) Narmad (D) Dayaram
18. The well known book by Abul Fazal is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Ashiqua (B) Babarnama  
(C) Ain-e-Akbari (D) Kiratul Sadayan
19. Coal is \_\_\_\_\_ mineral.  
(A) abiotic (B) heavy  
(C) man-made (D) biotic
20. The plateaus cover about \_\_\_\_\_ % of the total area.  
(A) 43 (B) 27  
(C) 30 (D) 33
21. \_\_\_\_\_ soil have ability to retain moisture.  
(A) red (B) laterite  
(C) alluvial (D) Black
22. \_\_\_\_\_ occupy 1% of the total land.  
(A) Wasteland (B) Garden  
(C) fallow land (D) pastures
23. \_\_\_\_\_ is available only in India.  
(A) Baheda (B) Sankhawali  
(C) Ashwagandha (D) Sarpagandha
24. \_\_\_\_\_ has minium percentage of forest area.  
(A) Punjab (B) Haryana  
(C) Delhi (D) Rajasthan
25. The Chipko movement took place in the Tehri Gadhwal District of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Uttaranchal (B) Uttar Pradesh  
(C) Bihar (D) Madhya Pradesh
26. The Royal Bengal Tiger is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ species of tiger in the world.  
(A) six (B) eight  
(C) nine (D) seven

27. \_\_\_\_\_ is celebrated as world Bio diversity Day.  
(A) 21st March (B) 5th June  
(C) 4th October (D) 29th December
28. \_\_\_\_\_ is capital intensive.  
(A) intensive agriculture (B) Plantation agriculture  
(C) Shifting agriculture (D) Dry farming
29. The Bhal region of Gujarat is famous for best quality \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) rice (B) millet  
(C) maize (D) wheat
30. Coorg region of \_\_\_\_\_ produces maximum coffee.  
(A) Karnataka (B) Kerala  
(C) Tamilnadu (D) Assam
31. The Sardar Patel Krishi University is located in the \_\_\_\_\_ district.  
(A) Sabarkantha (B) Mehsana  
(C) Banaskantha (D) Gandhinagar
32. The \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of Gujarat are available in China market.  
(A) Wheat and rice (B) Tea and Coffee  
(C) Chilli and sesamum (D) Chilli and Sugar
33. In 1882, the Eastern Yamuna Canal was constructed in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Uttranchal (B) Uttar Pradesh  
(C) Delhi (D) Madhya Pradesh
34. The Hirakud Project is constructed over the river \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Satluj (B) Mahanadi  
(C) Kosi (D) Damodar
35. \_\_\_\_\_ is a holistic approach.  
(A) Seasonal rain (B) Watershed Development  
(C) River basin (D) Rain water harvesting
36. India receives approximately \_\_\_\_\_ cms. rain.  
(A) 117 (B) 118  
(C) 116 (D) 119
37. \_\_\_\_\_ is a developed country.  
(A) Brazil (B) Chile  
(C) Argentina (D) Sweden
38. There is no significant growth of \_\_\_\_\_ in developing countries.  
(A) agriculture (B) irrigation  
(C) technology (D) population
39. Tourism and entertainment is included in \_\_\_\_\_ sector.  
(A) primary (B) service  
(C) secondary (D) joint
40. \_\_\_\_\_ system is also known as capitalist method.  
(A) Market Mechanism (B) Socialist  
(C) Mixed (D) Free Market

41. The new Industrial policy was implemented in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) June, 1990 (B) July, 1991  
(C) July, 1990 (D) June, 1991
42. Exim Policy is framed for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years.  
(A) four (B) five  
(C) six (D) seven
43. The WTO was established in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) 1994 (B) 1995  
(C) 1996 (D) 1997
44. In India, the government passed Air Pollution Control Act in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) 1978 (B) 1970  
(C) 1981 (D) 1989
45. India ranks \_\_\_\_\_ in the production of rubber in the world.  
(A) first (B) fourth  
(C) fifth (D) eighth
46. Only 2% of people in \_\_\_\_\_ are employed in agriculture.  
(A) England (B) Canada  
(C) Australia (D) Japan
47. \_\_\_\_\_ has succeeded in food grains public distribution programme.  
(A) Kerala (B) Andhra Pradesh  
(C) Tamilnadu (D) Karnataka
48. Sulabh Sauchalayas are raised under \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) JGSY (B) VAMBAY  
(C) Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan (D) Rashtriya Samajik Sahay Yojna
49. The Kendriya Shramik Shiksha Board was established in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) 1950 (B) 1952  
(C) 1954 (D) 1958
50. \_\_\_\_\_ is hindrance against reducing unemployment.  
(A) Population increase (B) Illiteracy  
(C) Poverty (D) Price Rise

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**PART - B****Section - A****Questions 1 to 5 are to be answered in brief. (2 Marks each)****(10)**

1. Mention the characteristics of Indian culture.
2. Write a note on Wooden Art.
3. Explain Soil formation.

**OR**

Explain Plantation Agriculture.

4. Mention the factors of production.
5. Who are Urban Poor ?

**Section - B**

**Questions 6 to 10 are to be answered in brief. (2 Marks each)**

**(10)**

6. Write a note on Town Planning of Dholaveera.
7. Write a note on Mathura school of Art.

**OR**

Write a note on Patola of Patan.

8. What is Resource Planning ?
9. What are the effects of Deforestation ?
10. What are the limitations of Mixed economy ?

**Section - C**

**Questions 11 to 15 are to be answered in detail. (3 Marks each)**

**(15)**

11. Write a note on ancient Indian texts on music.
12. Explain the types of soils.
13. Write a short note on Technological Reforms in Agriculture.

**OR**

Write a note on Rain Water Harvesting.

14. Mention the benefits of Market Mechanism.
15. Write any six features of developing countries.

**OR**

Write a note on World labour Market.

**Section - D**

**Questions 16 to 18 are to be answered in detail and Q.18 is Map filling. (5 marks each)**

**(15)**

16. Write a note on Ancient Indian Literature.
17. Explain the Poverty Alleviation Programme.

**OR**

State and explain the types of Unemployment.

18. Mark the following in the outline Map of India.
  - (i) Alluvial Soil region
  - (ii) Dachigam Sanctuary
  - (iii) One tobacco producing region
  - (iv) Bhakhra Nangal Project
  - (v) Corbett National Park.