

Model Test Paper 35
General Studies Paper I

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TEST BOOKLET
GENERAL STUDIES
Paper-I

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<p>1. 44th Amendment of the Indian Constitution withdrew which one of the Fundamental Rights</p> <p>(a) Right to freedom of religion (b) Right to freedom of movement (c) Right to property (d) Right against exploitation</p> <p>2. Who of the following was appointed the temporary chairman of the Constituent Assembly?</p> <p>(a) Dr. Rajendra Prasad (b) Jawaharlal Nehru (c) Dr. Sachchidananda Sinha (d) Acharya Kripalani</p> <p>3. Who of the following Mahatma Gandhi has referred to as "The Gentle Bihari" in his autobiographical book, My experiments with truth?</p> <p>(a) Anugrah Narayan Sinha (b) Rajendra Prasad (c) Dr. Sachchidananda Sinha (d) Brajkishore Prasad</p> <p>4. Apart from the Rashtrapati Bhavan which of the following is/are the other Presidential retreats?</p> <p>1. Shimla 2. Hyderabad</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>5. Which of the following statements are correct about the Rajya Sabha?</p> <p>1. The origin of the second Chamber can be traced to the Montague-Chelmsford Report of 1918 2. The 'Council of States' as a second chamber of the then legislature with a restricted franchise came into existence in 1921 3. The 'Council of States' nomenclature was announced by the chair in 1950</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2</p>	<p>(c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>6. Which of the following statements are correct about the Bibi Ka Maqbara ("Tomb of the Lady")?</p> <p>1. It was commissioned by the sixth Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb in the late 17th century in the memory of his first wife, Dilras Banu Begum 2. It is located in Hyderabad 3. It is also called the Dakhani Taj (Taj of the Deccan)</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>7. Which of the following was the most important method of land revenue assessment in Mughal India?</p> <p>(a) Ghalla Bakhshi (b) Khet batai (c) Kankut/Dambandi (d) Zabti</p> <p>8. Which of the following religion attributes to the "panjadosh or panj vikar" as the five major weaknesses of the human personality at variance with its spiritual essence?</p> <p>(a) Hinduism (b) Buddhism (c) Jainism (d) Sikhism</p> <p>9. Agar, Canes, White cedar, Toon belong to which category?</p> <p>(a) The tropical Semi Evergreens (b) The tropical thornies (c) The tropical Wet Evergreens (d) The tropical Dry Evergreens</p>
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<p>10. The First official World Air mail services were started in</p> <p>(a) USA (b) UK (c) Germany (d) India</p> <p>11. Temporary hardness in the water is due to</p> <p>(a) Carbonates of calcium and magnesium (b) Sulphates of calcium and magnesium (c) Nitrates of calcium and magnesium (d) Bicarbonates of calcium and magnesium</p> <p>12. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Wild Life Weeek?</p> <p>1. The wild life week is observed from October 2 - 8 every year 2. It is being observed since 1976</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>13. Match the following:</p> <p>A- International Telecommunication Union 1. Montreal B- International Civil Aviation Organisation 2. Vienna C- UN Fund for Population Activities 3. Geneva D- International Atomic Energy Agency 4. New York</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (b) A-2, B-1, C-1, D-3 (c) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3 (d) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2</p> <p>14. Which of the following statements are correct about Dhanvantari?</p> <p>1. He is regarded as the god of Ayurvedic medicine 2. He is an Avatar of Vishnu from the Hindu tradition 3. His birthday is celebrated by the practitioners of Ayurveda every year, on Dhanteras</p>	<p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 2 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>15. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Kolleru 1. Andra pradesh B- Sukhna 2. Orissa C- Harike 3. Chandigarh D- Chilka 4. Punjab</p> <p>(a) A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4 (b) A-1, B-2, C-4, D-3 (c) A-2, B-3, C-1, D-4 (d) A-1, B-3, C-4, D-2</p> <p>16. When was National "Panchang" adopted by India</p> <p>(a) March 21 1957 (b) March 22 1957 (c) March 21 1950 (d) March 22 1950</p> <p>17. Which of the following bleaching agent has a wide application as a bleaching agent for textiles and textile laundering?</p> <p>(a) Sulphur dioxide (b) Sodium hypochlorite (c) Carbon dioxide (d) Ammonium Carbonate</p> <p>18. The site of Harappa belonging to the Indus Valley civilisation lies in the</p> <p>(a) Baluchistan (b) Sind (c) Punjab, Western India (d) Punjab, Eastern Pakistan</p>
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<p>19. Who translated Valmiki's Ramayan into persian</p> <p>(a) Dara Shikoh (b) Masihi Panipati (c) Gopal Bhatt (d) Albiruni</p> <p>20. Which of the following statements are correct about the Constitution of India?</p> <p>1. The Constitution was adopted by the India Constituent Assembly on 26 December 1949 2. It came into effect on 26 January 1950 3. The date of 26 January was chosen to commemorate the Purna Swaraj declaration of independence of 1930</p> <p>(a) 2 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>21. The Ripon Resolution focussed on</p> <p>(a) Education (b) Urbanization (c) Freedom of Press (d) Local bodies</p> <p>22. Which of the following statements are correct about the Ilbert Bill?</p> <p>1. The Ilbert Bill was a bill introduced in 1883 for British India 2. It allowed Indian judges and magistrates the jurisdiction to try British offenders in criminal cases at the District level 3. it was introduced by Viceroy Lytton</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>23. The flight of Prophet Muhammad from Mecca to Medina which marks the beginning of the Islamic calendar is known as</p> <p>(a) Nuroz</p>	<p>(b) Hijra (c) Piri (d) Sufi Calendar</p> <p>24. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Pallavas 1. Madurai B- Chalukyas 2. Kanchi C- Pandyas 3. South Kerala D- Cheras 4. Badami</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1 (b) A-4, B-2, C-1, D-3 (c) A-3, B-1, C-2, D-3 (d) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3</p> <p>25. "Lectures from Colombo to Almora" is attributed to</p> <p>(a) Dayanand Saraswati (b) Vivekananda (c) Jawaharlal Nehru (d) Sarojini Naidu</p> <p>26. Which of the following statements are correct about the Shuddhi movement?</p> <p>1. The Shuddhi movement was launched by the Arya Samaj 2. It aimed at Sanskritization of the lower castes</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>27. Romesh Chunder Dutt is better known for</p> <p>1. Indian Civil Servant 2. Economic Historian 3. Translator of Ramayana and Mahabharata</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) 1 and 2 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>28. "Today there begins 'Ghadar' in foreign lands, but in our country's tongue, a war against the British Raj. What is our name? Ghadar. What is our work? Ghadar. Where will be the Revolution? In India. The time will soon come when rifles and blood will take the place of pens and ink." The above has been said by</p> <p>(a) Lala Har Dayal (b) Sohan Singh Bhakna (c) Rashbehari Bose (d) Kartar Singh Sarabha</p> <p>29. Which of the following statements are correct about the Delhi conspiracy case?</p> <p>1. It refers to a conspiracy in 1912 to assassinate the then Viceroy of India, Lord Hardinge, on the occasion of transferring the capital of British India from Calcutta to New Delhi 2. Veer Sawarkar was identified as the person who threw the bomb 3. Basant Kumar Biswas, Amir Chand and Avadh Behari were convicted and executed for their roles in the conspiracy 4. It is also known as the Delhi-Lahore Conspiracy</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>30. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. "City Group" of UN deals with Energy Statistics 2. It is popularly known as "OSLO Group" 3. India is one of the members of the group and has developed the chapter on "Data Collection Strategies"</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>31. William Hunter Commission dealt with</p> <p>(a) Punjab disturbances (b) Jalianwala Bagh massacre (c) Delhi Conspiracy (d) Educational reforms</p>	<p>32. Which of the following is the highest decision making body of the World Trade Organisation</p> <p>(a) Ministerial conference (b) Governing council (c) General Council (d) General Secretariat</p> <p>33. Which of the following statements are correct about the Union List?</p> <p>1. The Union list is contained in the seventh schedule 2. The Union List or List-I is a list of 100 items 3. The last item is numbered as 97 4. One of the listed item is no longer in force</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>34. What is the correct relation between the sidereal day and the apparent solar day?</p> <p>(a) The sidereal day is approximately 4 minutes longer than the apparent solar day (b) The sidereal day is 1/4 day longer than the apparent solar day (c) The apparent solar day is approximately 4 minutes longer than the sidereal day (d) Both are of the same duration</p> <p>35. The green ear or downy mildew disease affects</p> <p>(a) Rice (b) Bajra (c) Wheat (d) Brinjal</p>
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<p>36. Which of the following statements are correct about the production of pulses in Madhya Pradesh?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Madhya Pradesh ranks first in terms of area of pulses in India2. Madhya Pradesh ranks first in terms of area production of pulses in India3. It ranks sixth after Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Haryana, West Bengal and Gujarat in terms of average yield <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>37. A candidate, to be nominated for the office of president needs</p> <p>(a) 10 electors as proposers and 10 electors as seconders (b) 25 electors as proposers and 25 electors as seconders (c) 50 electors as proposers and 50 electors as seconders (d) 100 electors as proposers and 100 electors as seconders</p> <p>38. Which of the following statements are correct about the Dasam Granth?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Dasam Granth is a scripture of Sikhism2. It is attributed to tenth Sikh guru, Guru Gobind Singh3. It has a religious focus on "liberation through meditation" <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>39. Which of the following statements are correct about the Finance Commission of India?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Finance Commission of India came into existence in 19512. It was established under Article 281 of the Indian Constitution3. It consists of a chairman and five other members <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2</p>	<p>(c) 2 and 3 (d) 1 and 3</p> <p>40. Which of the following animals are depicted in the "Lion capital of Asoka"?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Elephant2. Bull3. Horse4. Lion <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 4 only (c) 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>41. Which of the following introduced a system of open competition as the basis of recruitment for civil servants of the company?</p> <p>(a) Charter Act of 1793 (b) Government of India Act 1803 (c) Government of India Act 1853 (d) Government of India Act 1858</p> <p>42. How is a Money Bill distinguished from Financial Bill?</p> <p>(a) A Financial Bill deals solely with matters specified in article 110(1) (a) to (g) of the Constitution (b) A Financial Bill deals nothing with matters specified in article 110(1) (a) to (g) of the Constitution (c) A Financial Bill does not exclusively deal with all or any of the matters specified in article 110(1) (a) to (g) of the Constitution that is to say it contains some other provisions also (d) Both are essentially the same</p>
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<p>43. Admission or establishment of new States, formation of new States, and alteration of areas, boundaries or names of existing States would require an amendment bill to be passed by</p> <p>(a) both Houses of Parliament by a simple majority of members present and voting</p> <p>(b) by a majority of the total membership of both the House and by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the House "present and voting"</p> <p>(c) both the Houses of Parliament by the special majority, has also to be ratified by Legislatures of not less than one-half of the States</p> <p>(d) both the Houses of Parliament by the special majority only</p> <p>44. Match List I (Quantity) with List II (Units) and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:</p> <p>List-I - List-II A. High speed - 1. Mach B. Wavelength - 2. Angstrom C. Pressure - 3. Pascal D. Energy- 4. Joule</p> <p>(a) A-2,B-1,C-3,D-4</p> <p>(b) A-1,B-2,C-4,D-3</p> <p>(c) A-1,B-2,C-3,D-4</p> <p>(d) A-2, B-1,C-4,D-3</p> <p>45. Assertion (A): Small glass beads fixed on traffic signals glow brightly when light falls upon them. Reason (R): Light is totally reflected when the angle of incidence exceeds a certain critical value and light travelling in a denser medium is reflected from a rarer medium.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are true but R is not a correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>46. Assertion (A): A stick is dipped in water in a slanting position. If observed sideways, the stick appears short and bent at the surface of water. Reason (R): A light coming from the stick undergoes scattering from water molecules giving the stick a short and bent appearance.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A</p>	<p>(b) Both A and R are true but R is not a correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>47. When light waves pass from air to glass, the variables affected are</p> <p>(a) wavelength, frequency and velocity</p> <p>(b) velocity and frequency</p> <p>(c) wavelength and frequency</p> <p>(d) wavelength and velocity</p> <p>48. Consider the following statements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Light of longer wavelength is scattered much more than the light of shorter wavelength.2. The speed of visible light in water is 0.95 times the speed in vacuum.3. Radio waves are produced by rapidly oscillating electrical currents.4. To detect the overspeeding vehicles, police use the Doppler effect of reflected short radio waves. <p>Which of these statements are correct?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 1 and 3</p> <p>(c) 2 and 4</p> <p>(d) 3 and 4</p> <p>49. Consider the following natural phenomena</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Terrestrial heating2. Reflection of light3. Refraction of light4. Diffraction of light <p>Due to which of these phenomena is mirage formed?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 4 only</p>
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<p>50. Diffusion of light in the atmosphere takes place due to</p> <p>(a) carbon dioxide (b) dust particles (c) helium (d) water vapours</p> <p>51. What type of goods was produced in the karkhanas of the Mughal period?</p> <p>(a) Cotton (b) Fine cloth (c) Machinery (d) Armaments</p> <p>52. What was dastak?</p> <p>(a) A special permit that allowed duty free import of English company's goods (b) A royal firman of the Mughal emperor that exempted land revenue (c) A special permit that allowed movement of the goods belonging to the Mughals duty-free (d) A special permit that allowed movement of the goods belonging to the English Company duty-free</p> <p>53. The design of the National Flag was adopted by the Constituent Assembly of India in</p> <p>(a) July, 1948 (b) July, 1947 (c) July, 1950 (d) August, 1947</p> <p>54. A bill in the Imperial Legislative Council for compulsory and free primary education was introduced by</p> <p>(a) Shankaran Nair (b) Mohammad Shafi (c) G. K. Gokhale (d) Feroz Shah Mehta</p> <p>55. The flag of India had been hoisted by Congress President Jawaharlal Nehru on the banks of the Ravi River in Lahore on</p>	<p>(a) 26 December 1929 (b) 30 December 1929 (c) 31 December 1929 (d) 26 January 1930</p> <p>56. The first meeting of Constituent Assembly was held in the constitution hall (now 'Central Hall of Parliament House') on</p> <p>(a) 9 December 1946 (b) 11 December 1946 (c) 13 December 1946 (d) 23 December 1946</p> <p>57. The Constitution of India was signed on</p> <p>(a) Jan 24, 1950 (b) Jan 26, 1950 (c) Aug, 1948 (d) Feb, 1948</p> <p>58. Gandhiji had a long association with "Mani Bhawan". Where is it located?</p> <p>(a) Surat (b) Ahmedabad (c) Bombay (d) Delhi</p> <p>59. Consider the following ecosystems</p> <p>1. Taiga 2. Tropical evergreen 3. Tropical deciduous 4. Tundra</p> <p>The correct sequence in decreasing order of the Albedo values of these ecosystems is:</p> <p>(a) 1, 4, 3, 2 (b) 4, 1, 3, 2 (c) 4, 1, 2, 3 (d) 1, 4, 2, 3</p>
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<p>60. Assertion (A): 60° - 65° latitudes in both the hemispheres have a low pressure belt instead of high pressure. Reason (R): The low pressure areas are permanent over oceans rather than on land.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT a correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>61. Assertion (A): The surface winds spiral inwards upon the centre of the cyclone. Reason (R): Air descends in the centre of the cyclone.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT a correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>62. Consider the following climatic and geographical phenomena</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Condensation2. High temperature and humidity3. Orography4. Vertical wind <p>Thunder Cloud development is due to which of these phenomena?</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>(c) 1, 3 and 4</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>63. For short-term climatic predictions, which one of the following events, detected in the last two decades, is associated with occasional weak monsoon rains in the Indian sub-continent?</p> <p>(a) La Nina</p> <p>(b) Movement of Jet Streams</p> <p>(c) El Nino, and Southern Oscillations</p> <p>(d) Greenhouse effect on global level</p>	<p>64. Which one of the following is not a lagoon?</p> <p>(a) Ashtamudi lake</p> <p>(b) Chilka lake</p> <p>(c) Periyar lake</p> <p>(d) Pulicat lake</p> <p>65. Which one of the following statements is correct with reference to our solar system?</p> <p>(a) The Earth is the densest of all the planets in our solar system</p> <p>(b) The predominant element in the composition of Earth is silicon</p> <p>(c) The Sun contains 75 percent of the mass of the solar system</p> <p>(d) The diameter of the Sun is 190 times that of the Earth</p> <p>66. Assertion (A): The amount of moisture in the atmosphere is related to latitude. Reason (R): The capacity to hold moisture in the form of water vapour is related to temperature.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>67. Assertion (A): Unlike temperate forests, the tropical rain forests, if cleared, can yield productive farmland that can support intensive agriculture for several years even without chemical fertilizers. Reason (R): The primary productivity of the tropical rain forest is very high when compared to that of temperate forests.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A.</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p>
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<p>68. Assertion (A): Areas lying within five to eight degrees latitude on either side of the equator receive rainfall throughout the year. Reason (R) : High temperatures and high humidity cause convectional rain to fall mostly in the afternoons near the equator.</p> <p>(a) Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A</p> <p>(c) A is true but R is false</p> <p>(d) A is false but R is true</p> <p>69. Which one among the following covers the highest percentage of forest area in the world?</p> <p>(a) Temperate Coniferous Forests</p> <p>(b) Temperate Deciduous Forests</p> <p>(c) Tropical Monsoon Forests</p> <p>(d) Tropical Rain Forests</p> <p>70. Among the following which planet takes maximum time for one revolution around the Sun?</p> <p>(a) Earth</p> <p>(b) Jupiter</p> <p>(c) Mars</p> <p>(d) Venus</p> <p>71. Which of the following statements are correct about Mahapajapati Gotami?</p> <p>1. Mahapajapati Gotami was the first lady monk of Buddha 2. Mahapajapati Gotami was both the Buddha's maternal aunt and adoptive mother</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>72. Which of the following statements are correct about the Challenger Deep</p> <p>1. The Challenger Deep is the deepest known point in the Earth's seabed 2. It is in the Atlantic Ocean</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p>	<p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>73. Which of the following statements are correct about the total number of Ministers in the Union Cabinet?</p> <p>1. Article 72 of the Constitution prescribes that the total number of Ministers, including the Prime Minister, in the Council of Ministers shall not exceed 15 per cent of the number of members of the House of the People 2. This restriction was imposed by 91st Amendment of the Constitution 3. This restriction came into force on January 1, 2005</p> <p>(a) 1 only</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>74. A Recession is defined as</p> <p>(a) Negative GDP growth in a year</p> <p>(b) Negative growth rate in two consecutive years</p> <p>(c) Negative growth rate in a quarter</p> <p>(d) Negative growth rate in two consecutive quarters</p> <p>75. Imaginary lines running horizontally around the globe are known as</p> <p>(a) Latitudes</p> <p>(b) Longitudes</p> <p>(c) Prime Meridian</p> <p>(d) Tropic of Capricorn</p>
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<p>76. Which of the following statements are correct about Vitamin D?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. It is known as the the sunshine vitamin2. Vitamin D is essential for strong bones3. Vitamin D deficeincy leads to soft bones and skeletal deformities <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>77. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Vitamin B 1. Calciferol B- Vitamin C 2. Nicotonic Acid C- Vitamin D 3. Tocopherol D- Vitamin E 4. Ascorbic Acid</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (b) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3 (c) A-4, B-1, C-2, D-3 (d) A-2, B-4, C-3, D-1</p> <p>78. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Crescograph 1. Angle of an object B- Lactometer 2. Growth of plants C- Theodolite 3. Electric current D- Ammeter 4. Purity of Milk</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (b) A-2, B-2, C-1, D-3 (c) A-4, B-1, C-2, D-3 (d) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3</p> <p>79. Who is known by the sobriquet "Gurudev"</p> <p>(a) Mahatma Gandhi (b) Rabindra Nath Tagore (c) M. G. Ranade (d) B. G. Tilak</p> <p>80. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Abaindra Nath Tagore 1. Dramatics B- Charaka 2. Mathematician C- Bhava Bhuti 3. Art D- Sri Niwas Ramanujan 4. Medicine</p>	<p>(a) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (b) A-4, B-2, C-1, D-3 (c) A-4, B-1, C-2, D-3 (d) A-3, B-4, C-1, D-2</p> <p>81. A school of Hindu philosophy "Advaitavada" was propounded by</p> <p>(a) Ramanuja (b) Ramananda (c) Kabir (d) Shankara</p> <p>82. Which of the following are correct about the Rig Vedic hymns?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Rigveda has a total of 10552 hymns2. All the hymns are created by the men (Rishis) <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>83. The three "baskets" of teachings is related to</p> <p>(a) Jainism (b) Saivism (c) Hinduism (d) Buddhism</p> <p>84. Match the following:</p> <p>A- Mir-i-Saman 1. Distribution of pay to soldiers B- Muhtasib 2. Imperial House hold affairs C- Mir Bakshi 3. Religious expenses D- Sadr-us-Sadr 4. Censor of public morale</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (b) A-2, B-1, C-1, D-3 (c) A-2, B-4, C-1, D-3 (d) A-3, B-4, C-2, D-1</p>
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<p>85. What was the first political occasion when "Vande Mataram" was sung</p> <p>(a) 1885 session of INC (b) 1896 session of INC (c) 1905 session of INC (d) 1911 session of INC</p> <p>86. What is the quorum to constitute a sitting of the Lok Sabha?</p> <p>(a) 50 members (b) 100 members (c) one-tenth of the total number of members of the House (d) one-fourth of the total number of members of the House</p> <p>87. What is the minimum requirement for becoming the chairperson of National Human Rights Commission</p> <p>(a) Working Judge of supreme court (b) Retired Chief justice of Supreme court (c) Retired judge of supreme court (d) Retired judge of a High court or supreme court</p> <p>88. Which of the following statements are correct about the Attorney General of India?</p> <p>1. The Attorney General for India is the Indian government's chief legal advisor 2. He is appointed by the President of India 3. He must be a person qualified to be appointed as a Judge of the High court or Supreme Court</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>89. The rate at which banks borrow funds overnight from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) against approved government securities is known as</p> <p>(a) Statutory Liquidity Ratio (b) Open Market Operations (c) Marginal Standing Facility</p>	<p>(d) Marginal Borrowing Facility</p> <p>90. Which of the following statements are correct about the Population group of banked centres?</p> <p>1. Rural group -- Population of less than 1 lakh 2. Urban group -- Population of 1 lakh and above but less than 10 lakh</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>91. Which of the following are commercial banks in India?</p> <p>1. Scheduled banks 2. Non scheduled banks 3. Foreign banks</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 3 (c) 1 and 2 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>92. Which of the following are the requirements of a commercial bank to be classified as a scheduled bank?</p> <p>1. A paid up capital of Rs. 5 lakhs 2. Otherwise be eligible for inclusion in the Second Schedule of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>93. The primary purpose of the open market operations is to</p> <p>(a) increase liquidity in the market (b) manipulate the short term interest rate and the supply of base money in an economy (c) secure quick money to the Central Government (d) control inflation</p>
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<p>94. Which of the following are true about the gilt-edged market?</p> <p>1. It refers to the market for Government and semi-government securities 2. It is backed by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI)</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>95. Which among the following body promoted Securities Trading Corporation of India Limited (STCI) jointly with the Public sector Banks?</p> <p>(a) SEBI (b) Reserve bank Of India (c) IDBI Ltd (d) ICICI Ltd</p> <p>96. What do we call an agreement whereby an issuing Bank at the request of the Importer (Buyer) undertakes to take payment to the exporter (Beneficiary) against stipulated documents?</p> <p>(a) Bill of exchange (b) Letter of Exchange (c) Letter of Credit (d) Bill of entry</p> <p>97. Which among the following is India's largest indigenous Research and Production Nuclear Reactor?</p> <p>(a) Apsara (b) Dhurva (c) Kamini (d) Cirus</p> <p>98. The difference between the revenue that is generated from a bank's assets and the expenses associated with paying out its liabilities is known as</p> <p>(a) Bank's Net Income (b) Net Profit (c) Total Interest Income (d) Net Interest Income</p>	<p>99. Which among the following body gives the Pritzker Prize, the Nobel of Architecture every year?</p> <p>(a) Wolf foundation (b) Hyatt Foundation (c) Royal Institute of British architects (d) Leading European Architects Forum</p> <p>100. Which among the following is correct about the Vostro Account?</p> <p>(a) It is an account maintained by a foreign bank with a bank in India in Indian Rupees (b) It is an account maintained by an Indian bank with a bank in foreign country in foreign currency (c) It is an account maintained by a Indian bank Branch with a Foreign bank in Foreign currency (d) It is an account maintained by a Foreign bank Branch with a Indian bank in foreign currency</p>
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