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Time allowed: 1h 15min

INSTRUCTIONS
Read the following instructions carefully:
1. **Use HB pencil** to shade your answers. Ensure that any shading in error is thoroughly erased.
2. Candidates are to shade the **Question Paper Type** given to them in the appropriate space on the **Answer Sheet**.
3. Write your JAMB Registration number at the top of page 1 of your Question Papers.
4. **Attempt all questions.**
5. The use of calculators and/or similar electronic devices is **NOT** allowed.

SECTION A: ENGLISH
Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:
That the Nigerian nation is reeling under the weight of iniquities, the foundation of which was laid by military misrule represented by Military Heads of State and their Civilian collaborators will not enjoy respite, was confirmed by the recent exposure of financial impropriety, fiscal rascality and squander mania pulsating the National Assembly.
Eleven years into Civilian Rule, we agree that no magical transformation can rid our present situation of affairs completely free of the dirty past, but one was expecting that lessons ought to have been learnt. The present leadership ought to have mended their ways and should have abandoned and jettisoned the rottenness, greed, irresponsible behaviour and large scale looting of the past. However, as the leopard can never change its spots our worst fears are confirmed by the scary findings indicating that Nigeria very much remains the erstwhile corrupt nation.

1. The word “reeling” in the passage means
   (a) Failing  (b) staggering   (c) moving with unsteady steps  (d) moving
2. The word foundation in the passage implies that the so-called ills are
   (a) entrenched   (b) salutary   (c) accidental   (d) outcome of nefarious system
3. “Collaborators” in the passage are
   (a) Partners in victory   (b) co-sinners   (c) perpetrators   (d) unintended masters
4. Enjoy respite as used in the passage means
   (a) know peace   (b) have recreation   (c) enjoy oneself   (d) have respect
5. The word “pulsating” in the passage means
   (a) shaking   (b) rocking   (c) reverberating   (d) causing upheavals
6. The intention of the writer of this passage may best be described as (a) vituperative   (b) corrective   (c) washing the Nigerian dirty linen in public   (d) restorative
7. “The leopard can never change its spots” implies that corruption is
   (a) endemic   (b) a passing phase   (c) part of national growth   (d) accidental occurrence
8. "Scary findings" in the passage does not imply one of the following
(a) frightful discoveries (b) frightful outcomes (c) fearful findings (d) unsettling findings

Choose the option that provides the correct answer to the questions in this section

9. Many politicians in Nigeria are concerned more with illegal ......................of wealth
(a) accumulation (b) acumulation (c) accumination (d) accummulation

10. Raining season comes with .........................
(a) catarrh (b) catter (c) cattarrh (d) cartarh

11. School facilities deteriorate because of lack of .........................
(a) maintainance (b) maintenance (c) mentainance (d) menenance

12. The army ran out of .........................
(a) arm and ammunitions (b) arms and ammunitions (c) arms and ammunition (d) arm and ammunition

13. We promised to make .........................
(a) amend (b) ammends (c) ammend (d) amends

14. As a former female student of the University of Benin, Amina is an ..................of the university.
(a) alumnus (b) alumni (c) alumna (d) alumina

15. The criminal's room is redolent ..............Marijuana all the time.
(a) for (b) of (c) by (d) in

16. Lecturers Egbe and Braimoh have become .........................
(a) Notary public (b) Notaries publics (c) Notaries public (d) Notary publics

Choose the option which is nearest in meaning to the underlined word or words

17. I gather from his appearance that he did not sleep at all last night (a) conclude (b) accept (c) interpret (d) imply

18. Mary was skeptical about the story her brother had told her (a) ignorant (b) uncertain (c) doubtful (d) confused

19. John said that the car belongs to his old flame
(a) his father’s (b) his grandfather’s (c) his former classmates (d) his former lover

20. Passuma ran with the hare and hunted with the hounds in the misunderstanding between Ejiro and Oke
(a) was insincere (b) was very fair to both sides (c) critisized both seriously (d) saw clearly what caused the misunderstanding

21. Ngozi played the Man Friday in the quarrel that ensued between Musa and Yemisi
(a) Ngozi supported Musa (b) betrayed Musa (c) was fair to both parties (d) prayed before intervening

22. Patrick is putty in Lindas's hands implies that Patrick is
(a) Too tough for Linda to handle (b) too unpredictable to Linda (c) is easily influenced by Linda (d) loves Linda dearly

Choose the correct option in the following questions

23. A sentence can be divided into two parts ..................and  ............
(a) Predicate/subject (b) slaonce/element (c) adverb/ component (d) subject/complement
24. The name *Lagos* is a.............noun.
   (a) Common    (b) proper   (c) countless   (d) mass

25. The pronoun *we* is
   (a) 1st person singular (b) 3rd person singular (c) 3rd person plural   (d) 1st person plural

26. A red-letter day implies
   (a) a day to be remembered for good   (b) a day to be remembered for evil   (c) a day the town is to be painted red
   (d) none of the above

27. A highly strung person is one that is
   (a) tied with many strings   (b) very sensitive   (c) is not easily upset   (d) nervous and easily upset

28. On arriving home with his new purchase, Emmanuel found out that he had bought a pig in a poke.
   This suggests that Emmanuel
   (a) bought at the best value available   (b) bought something he did not see   (c) bought a pig instead of what he needed
   (d) bought something different from his need

29. Burning the candle at both ends implies
   (a) expending energy in one direction   (b) going to work early everyday
   (c) dissipating energy in all directions   (d) doing many things at the same time

30. Withdrawal at this stage of the screening exercise will amount to a loss of face. This suggests
   (a) taking a patriotic decision   (b) a humiliating act  (c) an unconditional surrender   (d) a fatal mistake

SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER (LAW AND ARTS)

Choose the correct option in the following questions.

1. The historical Benin massacre took place in the year (a) 1897   (b) 1879   (c) 1914   (d) 1941

2. Who among the following is popularly referred to as the founder of modern Nigeria?
   (a) Lord Lugard   (b) Bishop Ajayi Crowther   (c) Dr Nnamdi Azikiwe   (d) Tulbman Goldie

3. The body that played the king make in the old Oyo Empire was the
   (a) Elders council   (b) Hare Chiefs   (c) Oyomesi council of chiefs   (d) Afonja

4. In which year was the Niger Coast protectorate made the protectorate of southern Nigeria?
   (a) 1900   (b) 1914   (c) 1952   (d) 1817

5. The Royal Niger Company was founded by
   (a) James Robertson   (b) Sir Arthur Richards   (c) Sir Tulpman Goldie   (d) Sir Margery Perham

6. The title of the King of Borno before the 19th century was (a) Oba   (b) Shehu   (c) Mai   (d) Sultan

7. Burkina Faso was formerly known as
   (a) Upper volta   (b) Burkin bay   (c) Burkina   (d) Upper Niger

8. The current Vice-Chancellor of the University of Benin is
   (a) Professor A. A. Oshodin   (b) Prof. O. G. Oshodin   (c) Professor O. G. Oshodi   (d) Professor O. G. Oshodin

9. Lagos, Nigeria became a crown colony in (a) 1861   (b) 1866   (c) 1914   (d) 1992

10. For territorial purposes, South Eastern Nigeria is replete with one of the following (a) autonomous communities
    (b) autologous divisions (c) age grade systems   (d) vertical honours list

11. The trans-atlantic slave trade was abolished in all British territories in (a) 1804   (b) 1807   (c) 1914   (d) 1900
12. The longest dynasty in African history is the
   (a) Seifawa dynasty  (b) Olu dynasty  (c) Kosoko dynasty  (d) El-Kanemi dynasty
13. Achebe's *Things Fall Apart* was written in reaction to
   (a) Joyce Carri's *Mister Johnson*  (b) William Wordsworth's *Daffodils*  (c) John Milton's *Paradise Lost*
   (d) Charles Dicken's *Oliver Twist*
14. The title of the German translation of Achebe's *Things Fall Apart* is?
   (a) Chinua   (b) Achebe   (c) Okonkwo   (d) Acheben
15. A narrator in a prose who is also a character is known as (a) Flat character  (b) Round character
   (c) Omniscient character  (d) Subjective narrator
16. A long heroic poem addressed to objects, animals or persons is known as (a) elegy   (b) lullaby (c) epic   (d) lyric
17. An introductory speech made at the beginning of a play is? (a) pun   (b) plot   (c) epilogue   (d) prologue
18. The darkest of all shakesper's tragedies is
   (a) Romeo and Juliet (b) Hamlet (c) The Tempest   (d) Macbeth
19. *Clouds come hurrying with the wind* is an example of
   (a) hyperbole (b) metaphor (c) synecdoche (d) personification
20. *As jagged blinding flashes rumble, tremble and crack*........The dominant device used in these Tmesis
   (b) synecdoche  (b) metaphor  (c) metonymy  (d) onomatopoeia

Questions 21 - 23 are based on J.P. Clark's *Agbor Dancer*

21. The subject matter of this poem is
   (a) the value of African culture   (b) the dancing drum   (c) the dancer in a trance   (d) ancestral lineage
22. *Fresh Foilage* in the poem is an example of
   (a) alliferation   (b) metaphor   (c) oxymoron   (d) pun
23. *Warm caress* as used in the poem dipicts
   (a) hatred   (b) violence   (c) love   (d) friendship

Questions 24 - 26 are based on Robert Bolt’s *A Man for all Seasons*

24. In the play, Thomas Moore is
   (a) a round character   (b) a round and flat character   (c) a flat character   (d) a cylindrical character
25. The setting of the play is in
   (a) America   (b) Asia   (c) England   (d) Canada
26. At the initial time, King Henry defies the church to marry
   (a) Anne Boleyn   (b) Queen Catherine   (c) princess Anne   (d) Queen Anie
27. The tower of babel signified man's attempt to
   (a) be like God   (b) reach Heaven (c) oppose God (d) make a name for himself
28. Who among these was commonly referred to as the mother of Israel? (a) Jezebel    (b) Deborah    (c) Esther    (d) Ruth
29. The Christian Association of Nigeria (CAN) was established in (a) 1930   (b) 1980    (c) 1976   (d) 1924
30. The real name of Mother Theresa is
   (a) Mary Gonxa (b) Agnes Gonxa Bgaxhin (c) Mary Slessor (d) Florence Nightingale
31. Paul in his letter to the Galatians, says Christians become sons of God by
   (a) adoption   (b) baptism   (c) circumcision   (d) deeds of mercy
32. Another name for Tabitha who was raised from the dead was (a) Joanne (b) Dorcas (c) Areneas (d) Naomi
33. Would put my law within them and I will write it upon their hearts.... This statement was made by prophet (a) Jeremiah (b) Amos (c) Ezekiel (d) Hosea
34. In a proportionate drawing of the human body, what could be used as the standard unit of measure? (a) head (b) pencil (c) ruler (d) finger
35. Which of these is a good example of a three dimensional art? (a) relief carving (b) wall painting (c) a portrait on canvas (d) bronze statue
36. If a tie-dye fabric is to be combined with a lino cut print the..... (a) light colours on the fabric are applied last (b) lino cut is tied to the fabric (c) lino cut printing comes first (d) lino cut printing comes last
37. The foreigner who helped to bring the Osun Oshogbo festival to limelight is called (a) KenactC. Mary (b) H.E. Duckworth (c) Suzanne Wanger (d) U. U. Beier
38. The father of Art Education in Nigeria is (a) Aina Onubolu (b) Jimi Sholanke (c) Solomon Wangboje (d) Yusuf Grillo
39. What did the Egyptians find difficult to represent in art? (a) profile (b) perspective (c) human face (d) their gods
40. The art work Bida, Nigeria is famous for is? (a) Brass and Beads making (b) Bronze casting (c) Terracotta works (d) Ivory works

SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER (MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES)

Choose the correct option in the following questions.

1. One of the following advocated the concept of sovereignty to garner support for the King of France (a) Thomas Hobbes (b) John Austin (c) Jean Jacques (d) Jean Bodin
2. Which of the under listed constitutional principles guarantees the right of every citizen from undue detention and imprisonment by law enforcement agencies? (a) the bill of rights (b) act of settlement (c) fundamental human rights (d) the Habeas corpus
3. One of the under listed is not necessarily a characteristic of the state (a) population (b) territorial waters (c) sovereignty (d) government
4. Indirect democracy also refers to (a) Athenian democracy (b) majority rule (c) Greek democracy (d) representative democracy
5. Which of the following constitutions was the first to declare Nigeria as a federation (a) Arthur Richards (b) John Macpherson (c) Oliver Lyttleton (d) Hugh Clifford
6. The term stratocracy is also used to refer to (a) rule by statement (b) government of technocrats (c) military rule (d) rule of the rich
7. In parliamentary system of government, the majority leader of the ruling party in parliament is also the (a) Chief whip (b) National leader of the party (c) Prime Minister (d) Defence Minister
8. The term Legal-Rational Authority was coined by (a) Adam Smith (b) Max Weber (c) Karl Marx (d) John Austin
9. The Nigerian National Assembly is made up of ..........elected representatives (a) 360 (b) 396 (c) 380 (d) 469
10. The first member state of the Commonwealth of nations to become a republic is
   (a) India   (b) Cyprus   (c) Ghana   (d) Nigeria

11. In geography, the term geoid means
   (a) round   (b) earth shaped   (c) circular   (d) pear shaped

12. Our planetary system is made up of
   (a) the earth, moon and sun   (b) the milky way (c) nine planets and the sun
   (d) all stars that are visible at night

13. The following planets orbit the sun in anticlockwise direction except
   (a) Earth   (b) Pluto   (c) Uranus   (d) Mars

14. Which of the following is not a fold mountain
   (a) Atlas mountain   (b) Himalayas mountain (c) Andes mountain   (d)Vosges mountain

15. Spring equinox occurs on
   (a) March 20th   (b) December 22nd   (c) June 21st   (d) March 21st

16. Calculate the distance in kilometers between Lagos, Nigeria (Lat 6°N) and Cape town,
   South Africa (Lat 35°S)   (a) 4500Km   (b) 4551Km   (c) 7820Km   (d) 3219Km

17. The innermost layer of the earth is made up of the following minerals
   (a) Silica and Magnesium   (b) Nickel and Silica (c) Nickel and Iron   (d) Silica and Aluminium

18. The largest ocean in the world is the
   (a) Atlantic ocean   (b) Indian ocean (c) Artie ocean   (d) Pacific ocean

19. All the following except one bathe the eastern coast of continents
   (a) California current (b) Kuro-sino current (c) Alguhas current   (d) Cuyene current

20. The line joining places of equal sunshine is called (a) Isobar   (b) Isotherm   (c) Isoshine   (d) Isohel

21. When a fall in the price of good "A" causes a fall in the demand for good "B", the two goods are said to be
   (a) composite   (b) substitutes   (c) jointly demanded   (d) derived demand

22. The relationship between substitute goods in cross elasticity is
   (a) constant   (b) positive   (c) negative   (d) zero

23. When elasticity is zero, the demand curve is
   (a) Perfectly elastic   (b) perfectly inelastic   (c) fairly elastic   (d) fairly inelastic

24. A characteristic of debenture is that
   (a) It has no redemption date   (b) interest is indeterminate   (c) its yield is based on profits
   (d) its yield is a fixed rate of interest

25. The most important characteristic of money is
   (a) portability   (b) durability   (c) acceptability   (d) scarcity

26. Fiduciary issue is considered to be
   (a) Judiciary issue   (b) the issue of notes backed by gold (c) the issue of notes not backed by gold
   (d) the issue of notes by the London Goldsmiths

27. The international Day of Democracy is observed globally on
   (a) 15th September   (b) 1st October   (c) 13th September   (d) 18th October
28. Which of the following is a direct tax?
   (a) surtax  (b) sales tax  (c) purchase tax  (d) value-added-tax (VAT)

29. It has been statistically proven that in Nigeria that there is
   (a) marginal propensity to save is high  (b) marginal propensity to invest is high
   (c) marginal propensity to consume is high  (d) productivity is high

30. Which of the following defined Economics as a study of mankind in the ordinary business of life,
   earning and enjoying a living?  (a) A.C. Pigou  (b) Lionel Robbins  (c) Alfred Marshal  (d) John S. Mill

31. Simplify log6 + log2 - log12 (a) 0  (b) -1  (c) 1  (d) 4

32. Which of the following is not a measure of dispersion?
   (a) mode  (b) mean deviation  (c) range  (d) standard deviation

33. Solve the equation m/3 + 1/2 = 3/4 + m/4 (a) -3  (b) -2  (c) 2  (d) 3

34. A group of 10 numbers has a mean of 36 and a second group of 16 numbers has mean of 20.
   Find the mean of the combined group of 26.
   (a) 27.15  (b) 28.15  (c) 24.15  (d) 26.15

35. Opportunity cost is the same as
   (a) social cost  (b) real cost  (c) marginal cost  (d) circulating cost

36. Given the values 2, 4, 6 and 8, what is the standard deviation?
   (a) 3  (b) 5  (c) 4  (d) 12

37. Given the values 2, 4, 6 and 8, what is the variance?
   (a) 16  (b) 9  (c) 25  (d) 144

38. A system whereby an employee changes both his occupation and industry is an example of ....................
   mobility.  (a) vertical  (b) horizontal  (c) occupational  (d) geographical

39. Under production possibility curve, more of one commodity can be produced through
   (a) factor reallocation  (b) factor reduction  (c) increase in available resources  (d) marginal cost

40. If the population of a country is low and the Gross National Product is high, the per capita income will be
   (a) average  (b) low  (c) high  (d) unitary

SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER  (BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES)

Choose the correct option in the following questions.

1. The study of detailed structure of tissues making up a particular organ is referred to as
   (a) cytology  (b) palaeo botany  (c) entomology  (d) histology

2. Which of these is an experimental animal used by Gregor Mendel
   (a) Periplaneta americana  (b) Drosophila melanogaster  (c) Agama agama  (d) Homo sapiens

3. Mycology is the study of
   (a) algae  (b) fungi  (c) viruses  (d) lichens

4. Mitosis occurs in
   (a) Somatic cells  (b) reproductive cells  (c) gamates  (d) sex cells

5. The exchange of genetic materials during meiosis is referred to as
   (a) reduction  (b) pairing  (c) synopsis  (d) crossing over

6. Which of the following natural resources is not renewable?
   (a) water  (b) coal  (c) sunlight  (d) soil
7. Which of these is not a fish?
   (a) tilapia  (b) starfish  (c) mackerel  (d) salmon

8. Which of these classes of Arthropods lacks antenna
   (a) arachnida  (b) insecta  (c) myriapida  (d) crustacean

9. One of these is an echinoderm
   (a) mussel  (b) cyclops  (c) sea urchin  (d) octopus

10. Which of these is a tissue
    (a) saliva  (b) blood  (c) heart  (d) lung

11. In testing a leaf for starch, the leaf is boiled in alcohol to
    (a) Change the colour to blue-black  (b) remove all traces of chlorophyll  (c) burst open and release the starch  (d) inactivate the enzymes

12. Which of these is a respiratory surface?
    (a) gill filament  (b) gill raker  (c) nephridium  (d) flame cells

13. A directional response to a unidirectional stimulus is referred to as
    (a) taxism  (b) natism  (c) tropism  (d) growth movement

14. Which of the castes of termites is blind?
    (a) soldier  (b) worker  (c) queen  (d) king

15. The virus that lives in fungi is referred to as
    (a) Human Immuno Virus  (b) Retrovirus  (c) mycophage  (d) bacteriophage

16. One of the economic importances of micro-organisms is to
    (a) cause disease  (b) exist as unicellular organism  (c) form part of living organisms  (d) form part of the ecosystem

17. Which of these is a non-living thing?
    (a) Agaricus  (b) Zygnema  (c) Diatom  (d) Virus

18. In herbivorous dentition the space that separates incisors from premolars is called
    (a) rumen  (b) diastema  (c) chyme  (d) chyle

19. The development of an offspring in animals without fertilization is referred to as
    (a) parthenocanpy  (b) parthenogenesis  (c) oogenesis  (d) spermatogenesis

20. The alkynes have the general formula
    (a) C_nH_{2n-1}  (b) C_nH_{2n+2}  (c) C_nH_{2n}  (d) C_nH_{2n+2}

21. Naturally occurring radioactive substances are known to emit
    (a) α, β and γ rays  (b) nucleon and protons  (c) Positron  (d) all of the above

22. The strength of a base is determined by the extent to which it.....in aqueous solution to yield hydroxyl ions.
    (a) associates  (b) dissolves  (c) dissociates  (d) agglomerates

23. One of the following compounds is formed by SP^2 hybridization
    (a) ethyne  (b) ethane  (c) butane  (d) ethene

24. The empirical equation which describes the temperature dependence of the rate constant is
    (a) Arrhenius  (b) Boyles  (c) Gay Lussac  (d) Kassac’s

25. Which of the isotopes of hydrogen is radioactive?  (a) Deuterium  (b) Tritium  (c) Protium  (d) Hydrogen
26. One of the following metals is highest in the activity series
   (a) sodium  (b) calcium  (c) aluminium  (d) potassium

27. The strength of an acid is determined by the efficiency with which it acts as
   (a) electron donor  (b) electron acceptor  (c) proton donor  (d) proton acceptor

28. The rate of diffusion of a gas is inversely proportional to the square root of its
   (a) volume  (b) molar mass  (c) density  (d) weight

29. Calculate the PH of a 0.56mol dm$^{-3}$ aqueous solution of potassium hydroxide
   (a) 10  (b) 13.75  (c) 8.2  (d) 7.8

30. The electronic configuration (atomic number) of sodium is given by
   (a) 1S$^2$ 2P$^6$ 3S$^2$ 2P$^1$  (b) 1S$^2$ 2P$^2$ 2P$^2$ 3S$^1$  (c) 2S$^2$2P$^6$3S$^2$3P$^1$  (d) 1S$^2$ 2P$^4$ 2S$^3$ 3S$^2$

31. The agricultural practice of planting crops and trees is referred to as
   (a) deforestation  (b) monoculture  (c) crop rotation  (d) agroforestation

32. Which of these is a denitrifying bacterium
   (a) Azotobacter  (b) Clostridium  (c) Rhizobium  (d) Escherichia coli

33. A car travels at an average speed of 100 Km/h. What distance does it cover in 5 minutes?
   (a) 25 Km  (b) 16 Km  (c) 82 Km  (d) 8.3 Km

34. The following are derived quantities except  (a) Density  (b) velocity  (c) mass  (d) force

35. Which of the following is a fundamental quantity? (a) length  (b) area  (c) velocity  (d) acceleration

36. A solid of mass 8 Kg slides 0.10 m down a surface inclined at 30° to the surface
   Calculate the work done by the solid (a) 8J  (b) 6J  (c) 2J  (d) 4J

37. From what surface does radiation occur most rapidly?
   (a) green surface  (b) white surface  (c) dull black surface  (d) blue, black surface

38. Replenishing soil nutrients involves one of the following
   (a) leaching  (b) cover cropping  (c) bush burning  (d) overgrazing

39. Simplify log6 + log2 – log12  (a) 0  (b) -1  (c) 1  (d) 4

40. Find the area of a rectangular 18-sided polygon with side 2 cm  (take tan 10°=0.176)
   (a) 1022.28 cm$^2$  (b) 102.228 cm$^2$  (c) 10222.8 cm$^2$  (d) 10.2228 cm$^2$
INSTRUCTIONS

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Anyone who trains animals recognizes that human and animal perception capacities are different. For most human, seeing is believing, although we do occasionally brood about whether we can believe our eyes. The other senses are largely ancillary; most of us do not know how we might go about either doubting or believing our noses. But for dogs, scenting is believing. A dog’s nose is to ours as the wrinkled surface of our complex brain is to the surface of an egg. A dog who did comparative psychology might easily worry about our consciousness or lack thereof, just as we worry about the consciousness of a squid.

We who take sight for granted can draw pictures of scent, but we have no language for doing it the other way about, no way to represent something virtually familiar by means of actual scent. Most humans cannot know, with their limited noses, what they can imagine about being deaf, blind, mute, or paralyzed. The sighted can, for example, speak of a blind person as “in the darkness”, but there is no corollary expression for what it is that we in relationship to scent. If we tried to coin words, we might come up with something like ‘scent-blind.’ But what would it mean? It couldn’t have the sort of meaning that “colour-blind” and “tone-deaf” do, because most of us have expressed what “tone” and “colour” means in those expressions, but we don’t know what “scent” means in the expression “scent blind.” Scent for many of us can be only a theoretical, technical expression that we use because our grammar required that we have a noun to go in the sentences we are prompted to utter about animals’ tracking. We don’t have a sense of scent. What we do have is sense of smell. So if Fido and I are sitting on a terrace, admiring the view, we inhabit worlds with radically different principles of phenomenology say that the wind is to our backs. Our world lies all before us, within a 180 degree angle. The dog’s – well, we don’t know, do we?

1. The phrase, “other senses are largely ancillary” is used by the author to suggest that
   (a) Only events experienced directly can be appreciated by the senses.
   (b) For many humans the sense of sight is the primary means of knowing about the world
   (c) Smell is in many respects more powerful than sight.
   (d) The perceptual capacity of a human is a function of its ability to integrate all of its senses

2. The missing phrase in the incomplete sentence
   The dog’s ------- well, we don’t know, do we? refers to
   (a) Colour blindness  (b) depth perception  (c) perception of the world  (d) concern for our perception
3. “A dog who did comparative psychology…” This expression can be described as
   (a) satirical  (b) metaphysical  (c) superstitious  (d) metaphorical
4. From the passage the writer seems to imply that the expression “scent blind” is
   (a) comparative   (b) anomalous   (c) innocuous  (d) ambiguous
5. Which of the following is true according to the passage
   (a) certain well-trained dogs can understand comparative psychology  
   (b) human noses are grossly underdeveloped  
   (c) the human brain is complex and has wrinkled surface  
   (d) the description of human perception is problematic
   **Select the best option (from A-D) to complete each of the following sentences**
6. I’ve just heard the news that two of our students ------ kidnapped
   (a) are being  (b) had been  (c) being (d) have been
7. Tade ------ his clothes out to dry  (a) hanged  (b) has hung  (c) have hung  (d) has hanged
8. I can vouch for his honesty; I have always found him ------- and carefully observant of the truth.
   (a) Plausible  (b) volatile  (c) veracious  (d) arbitrary
9. Perhaps because he feels ------ by an excess of parental restrictions and rules, at adolescence the repressed child may
   break out dramatically  (a) nurtured  (b) confined  (c) librated  (d) fascinated.
   **Choose the word that has a different Stress Pattern from the others**
10. (a) result  (b) ratify  (c) taxi  (d) famous
11. (a) ability  (b) revivalist  (c) quadruplicate  (d) registration
12. (a) comment  (b) workshop  (c) technique  (d) caution
13. (a) candidate  (b) calculate  (c) interesting  (d) concerted
   **Choose the option which is nearest in meaning to the sentences in each of the following questions.**
14. We visited the home of one boy. That’s the boy I mean.
   (a) That’s the boy whom we visited his home  (b) That’s the boy whose home we visited
   (c) That’s the boy to whose home we visited  (d) That’s the boy whom we visited the home.
15. The dog was limping. It appeared that one of its legs might have been injured
   (a) The dog was limping as it had an injured leg  (b) The dog was limping as it had an injured leg
   (c) The dog was limping so it had an injured leg  (d) The dog was limping so as it had an injured leg
16. I can walk that distance and have done so many times
   (a) I am used to walk that distance  (b) I used to walk that distance  (c) I used to walking that distance
   (d) I am used to walking that distance
17. For all he cared, his parents might have been dead for years.  (a) Although concerned about his parents, he had
   been unable to find out if they were alive.  (b) He cared for no-one except his parents, and it was possible that they
   had died long before  (c) He did not care whether his parents were alive or had died long before
   (d) He was concerned about everyone, not just about his parents who might have died long before
   **Choose the option which is opposite in meaning to the word or phrase in italics**
18. The string was **taut**  (a) stretched  (b) loose  (c) firm  (d) tight
19. The diminutive figure bounces over the track with **unfathomable** lightness
   (a) irresistibility  (b) predictable  (c) invigorating  (d) impressive
20. The teacher announced that the class would be making a **fleeting** visit to the Zoo
   (a) long  (b) routine  (c) brief  (d) guided
21. We intend to make the reception a **diurnal** event.  
(a) an annual  
(b) a weekly  
(c) a nightly  
(d) a short

22. The permanent Secretary left his job **under a cloud**  
(a) with a clear record  
(b) on a sunny day  
(c) in disgrace  
(d) on a cloudy day

23. It is surprising that this politician has now turned **renegade**  
(a) militant  
(b) loyal  
(c) quiet  
(d) corrupt

24. Some equatorial areas have a **sultry** climate.  
(a) A temperate  
(b) An inclement  
(c) A stable  
(d) A hot

25. Updating the Board’s brochure is an **arduous** task  
(a) An annual  
(b) An easy  
(c) A regular  
(d) a difficult

26. Ali wondered why the principal was **ambivalent** about the students’ future.  
(a) Decisive  
(b) inconsiderate  
(c) Anxious  
(d) Ambitious

27. The journalist’s write-up contained a **plethora** of detail  
(a) Simplicity  
(b) Spectrum  
(c) Shortage  
(d) Complexity

Choose the option nearest in meaning to the word or phrase in italics

28. The presence of the captain makes the sailors **ill at ease**  
(a) sickly  
(b) impatient  
(c) easily ill  
(d) uncomfortable

29. Okonkwo manages his household with a **heavy hand**  
(a) like a heavyweight champion  
(b) like a powerful dictator  
(c) using the cane on every occasion  
(d) without tolerating weaknesses

30. Ibro shows enough **liberality** with his meager income  
(a) prodigality  
(b) insensitivity  
(c) generosity  
(d) frugality

31. The press described the efforts of the government in **pejorative** terms  
(a) contemptible  
(b) critical  
(c) superlative  
(d) palpable

32. The witness provided a **monstrous** account of the event.  
(a) supportive  
(b) tragic  
(c) shocking  
(d) verbatim

33. Adamu is rather **meddlesome** in dealing with his friends  
(a) impertinent  
(b) intimidating  
(c) quarrelsome  
(d) uncaring

34. After the meeting I read a **leer** on his face as he looked at the woman.  
(a) satisfying meaning  
(b) bad look  
(c) pleasant disposition  
(d) poor smile

35. The judge emphasized his **morbid** desires in his judgment  
(a) inordinate  
(b) uncritical  
(c) ravenous  
(d) unpleasant

36. The recommended novel has a **convoluted** theme.  
(a) a simple  
(b) an attractive  
(c) a disgusting  
(d) a complicated

Choose the option that best completes the gap(s)

37. They ------ wet if they had gone out in the rain  
(a) would get  
(b) would have got  
(c) will have got  
(d) had got

38. When I came in , I ------  
(a) laid on the floor  
(b) lie on the floor  
(c) lain on the floor  
(d) lay on the floor

39. Either the teacher or the students ------ to blame  
(a) is  
(b) are  
(c) has being  
(d) are being

40. You should anticipate and prepare for changes ------ in your office.  
(a) that has taken place  
(b) which takes place  
(c) taking place  
(d) that would take place

41. The scholar examined ------ of the subject.  
(a) three a part analysis  
(b) a part-three analysis  
(c) a three-part analysis  
(d) three part analysis

**SECTION B : GENERAL PAPER (ARTS AND LAW)**

1. The expression “He is a living dead” is an example of ------  
(a) oxymoron  
(b) imagery  
(c) antithesis  
(d) personification

2. Romantic poetry normally deals with ------  
(a) love  
(b) conquest  
(c) nature  
(d) hatred
3. Oh! The painful memories of yesterday!
   Oh! The bitter agony of today!
   Inspite of your haughty looks ---
   Still hope springs alive in me
   For life is but a phase!
   The mood of the speaker is that of  (a) Joy  (b) Sadness  (c) Pain (d) Hope

4. “If writer comes, can spring be far behind?” (Shelley, “Ode to the west wind”.)
   The literary device used here is -------- (a) a poetic license  (b) an apostrophe  (c) rhetoric  (d) an allegory

5. Identify the odd literary device from the options below -------- (a) enjambment  (b) alliteration  (c) rhyme  (d) plot

6. A protagonist who has a disastrous end is a ----- (a) tragic hero (b) flat character (c) round character  (d) Comic character

7. “I listened as the car screeched and squelched its tyres on the road and mangy dogs roared and howled before I took another step”. The dominant device in the above extract is
   (a) Onomatopoeia  (b) Oxymoron  (c) enjambment  (d) Pun

8. Pun as a literary device deals with ------
   (a) arrangement of words  (b) Playing on words  (c) placing two opposite phrases  (d) placing words side by side

9. When youth and blood are warmer
   Time still succeed the former
   That age is best which is the first
   But being spent, the worse, the worst
   The rhyme scheme in the above extract is --------- (a) aabb  (b) abab  (c) abba  (d) bbba

10. The denouement of a play or story is also the same as its ---------
    (a) climax  (b) resolution  (c) catharsis  (d) conflict

11. Which of the following terms is exclusive to drama? --------- (a) Dialogue  (b) plot  (c) Protagonist  (d) soliloquy

12. The arrangement of incidents in a story is called --------- (a) plot  (b) theme  (c) arrangement  (d) incidents

13. Pick out the odd item. (a) The Man Died  (b) Anthills of the Savannah  (c) The concubine  (d) Another Raft

14. When a literary piece of writing is said to be a verisimilitude, it means that the story is ---------
    (a) not true to life  (b) accessible  (c) not accessible  (d) true to life

15. What narrative technique is used by the author of an autobiographical?
    (a) second person  (b) omniscient  (c) third person  (d) first person

16. The feeling and attitude of a writer are conveyed though --------- (a) style  (b) tone  (c) theme  (d) setting

17. The title of the king of ancient Kanem-Borno Empire was the  (a) Oba  (b) Shehu  (c) Mai  (d) Sarki

18. Which of the following sources of history is most reliable in historical documentation?
    (a) Oral tradition  (b) Written documents  (c) Myths  (d) Legends

19. The state of Katsina, Kano and Sokoto are located in the --------- geographical zone of Nigeria
    (a) Sudan savannah  (b) Mangrove swamp  (c) Fresh water  (d) Guinea forest

20. In which of these kingdoms did the Queen’s mother play important political role?
    (a) Benin  (b) Old Oyo  (c) Nupe  (d) Kanem-Borno

21. Bayajjida is recorded to have had a stay in ----- in the course of his migration.
    (a) Karem-Borno (b) Nupe (c) Igala (d) Kano
22. Which trade replaced the transatlantic slave trade?
   (a) Legitimate trade  (b) Trade in gold  (c) Trade in gin  (d) Trade in the new world
23. One of the following is not the 19th Century European explorers of the River Niger
   (a) Mungo Park  (b) Huph Clapperton  (c) Richard Lander  (d) Granville Sharp
24. The Northern and Southern protectorates of Nigeria were amalgamated in
   (a) 1914  (b) 1900  (c) 1917  (d) 1915
25. The first territory of Nigeria to fall to the British was
   (a) Benin empire  (b) Old Oyo empire  (c) Kano  (d) Lagos
26. The first protectorate that was established by the British in Nigeria was the
   (a) Oil Rivers protectorate  (b) Niger Coast protectorate  (c) Protectorate of Southern Nigeria
   (d) Northern protectorate
27. One of the following was not a British Colony
   (a) Nigeria  (b) Senegal  (c) Gambia  (d) Ghana
28. The National Congress of British West Africa was formed in 1920 at
   (a) Banjul – Gambia  (b) Lagos – Nigeria  (c) Accra – Ghana  (d) Dakar – Senegal
29. The Universal Negro Improvement Association
   (a) Marcus Garvey  (b) E.W. Blyden  (c) Casely Hayford  (d) W.E.B. Du Bois
30. Dea masks from Ivory Coast are connected with
   (a) good rainfall  (b) good harvest  (c) fertility  (d) circumcision
31. What is mural design?
   (a) collage design  (b) stage design  (c) relief design  (d) wall decoration
32. An Egyptian mummy is
   (a) a stone statue  (b) a sarcaphagus  (c) an embalmed corpse  (d) an old mother
33. When we say that a colour is soluble in oil we mean that
   (a) it is found in oil  (b) it floats when put in oil  (c) it gets its colour from oil  (d) it can dissolve in oil
34. Who among the following was consecrated and appointed a prophet before he was born?
   (a) Joel  (b) Jeremiah  (c) Nahemiah  (d) Josiah
35. The parable of the wheat and the tares illustrates that
   (a) Both good an evil live in the world  (b) It is impossible to overcome enemies  (c) the wheat cannot grow where there are weeds  (d) the kingdom of God is already established on earth
36. Authority means
   (a) an automatic right to be obeyed  (b) legitimate right to be obeyed  (c) a civic right to obey others  (d) a civic right to be obeyed
37. Which of the following factors limits universal adult suffrage?
   (a) Wealth  (b) Age  (c) Education  (d) Heredity
38. The World Health Organisation (WHO) is an agency of the
   (a) Organisation of African Unity (OAU)  (b) Economic Community of West African State (ECOWAS)  (c) Commonwealth of Nations  (d) United Nations Organisation (UNO)
39. The economic and social Council of the United Nations Organisation (UNO) is made up of
   (a) 25 members  (b) 26 members  (c) 27 members  (d) 28 members

SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER (MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES)
1. The equation\[ \frac{MUA}{MUB} = \frac{PA}{PB} \] indicates (a) demand and supply equilibrium (b) diminishing maximal utility (c) consumer sovereignty (d) utility maximization

2. At every point on an indifference curve, the (a) level of utility is decreasing (b) level of utility is increasing (c) level of utility is the same (d) level of utility is zero

3. Air is essential to life but commands no price. Diamond is not essential to life but commands high price, this is a paradox of (a) scarcity (b) consumption (c) value (d) availability

4. The theory that bad money has a tendency to drive out good money was propounded by (a) Thomas Gresham (b) Thomas Malthus (c) John Maynard Keynes (d) Adam Smith

5. The official minimum rate which the Central Bank discount first class bills, is known as (a) cash reserve ratio (b) bank rate (c) open market operations (d) moral suasions

6. Merchant Banks perform all the following functions except (a) underwriting of shares (b) raising of capital for Industries (c) provision of credits for oversea trading (d) provision of current account facilities

7. The stock exchange is a market for the buying and selling of (a) new shares (b) secondary shares (c) treasury bills (d) foreign exchange

8. The principle of derivation under revenue allocation refers to (a) what a State gets from the Federal Government as allocation (b) the contribution of an area to national income (c) the total interest of an area (d) the total need of an area

9. Which of these cost will not appear in the accounts book? (a) total cost (b) explicit cost (c) implicit cost (d) marginal cost

10. Which of the following represents the selling price of a commodity? (a) average cost (b) average revenue (c) total cost (d) total revenue

11. The demand curve of the monopolist (a) slope downwards from left to right (b) is perfectly elastic (c) is perfectly inelastic (d) slopes upwards from left to right

12. Both for the monopolist and perfect competitor, profit is maximized at the point where (a) MR > MC (b) MR < MC (c) TR > TC (d) MR = MC

13. The present privatization policy in Nigeria is aimed at (a) poverty alleviation (b) increasing efficiency in production (c) reducing income inequality (d) reducing the prices of goods and services

14. The universe is studded with stars and planets which occur in groups called (a) Nebulas (b) Milky way (c) Orbits (d) Satellites

15. The earth has an Equatorial circumference of (a) 40,084 km (b) 12,761 km (c) 39,951 km (d) 12,719 km

16. Which of the following statement is geographically incorrect? (a) The Spring Equinox occurs March 21st at the tropic of Cancer (b) The Autumnal Equinox occurs September 23rd at the Equator (c) The winter solstice occurs December 22nd at the tropic of Capricorn (d) The Summer solstice occurs June 22nd at the tropic of Capricorn

17. A football match is billed to kick off in Tokyo, Japan (Long 135°E) 10:00 am on Saturday 4th Dec. What
time should a concerned fan in Vancouver, North America time tune in his TV set for the live march?
(a) 5 pm on Saturday 4th Dec.  (b) 5 am on Saturday 5th Dec.  (c) 5 pm on Friday 3rd Dec
(d) 5 am on Saturday 4th Dec
18. Which of the following is NOT an example of a volcanic mountain?  (a) Mt Kilimanjaro in East Africa
(b) Mt Monadnock in USA  (c) Mt Cameroon in West Africa  (d) Mt Merapi in Sumatra
19. Earthquakes are most likely to occur in regions of crustal instability as listed below except
(a) Japan     (b) China     (c) West Coast of USA     (d) Central Africa
20. Which of these conditions is favourable for the formation of deltas?
(a) Renewed down-cutting    (b) Early deposition of load from the middle course
(c) Absence of large lakes along the river’s course    (d) Formation of pronounced meanders
21. Which of the following is NOT a necessary condition for the formation of Deserts?
(a) Latitudinal location of 15°–30° North and South (b) Presence of off-shore trade winds
(c) Presence of on-shore trade winds (d) Absence of precipitation
22. Which of the following is NOT a type submergent coast?
(a) Ria Coasts     (b) Dalmatian Coast     (c) Uplifted Lowland Coast     (d) Fiord Coast
23. Given that \( \log_{10} 5 = 0.699 \) and \( \log_{10} 3 = 0.477 \), find \( \log_{10} 15 \) without using Mathematical tables
(a) 1.076     (b) 2.43     (c) 1.176     (d) 1.23
24. A bottle of malt cost three times as much as a bottle of mirinda. If 5 bottles of malt and 4 bottles of mirinda cost N380.00 altogether how much does a bottle of malt cost?
(a) N90     (b) N80     (c) N60     (d) N40
25. For what value(s) of k is the expression \( \frac{2k - 4}{2k^2 - 8} \) undefined?
(a) k = 2     (b) k = 4     (c) k = ±2√2     (d) k = ±2
26. If \( 16(4)^{2x} = (1/2)^{x} \), find the value of x
(a) -3     (b) -4/5     (c) -4/3     (d) 4/3
27. Given that one of the roots of the equation \( 2x^2 + (K+2)x + K = 0 \) is 2, find the value of K
(a) -4     (b) -2     (c) -1     (d) -1/4
28. A quantity \( q \) varies inversely as \( m \) and \( n \) varies directly as \( q^3 \). Express \( n \) in terms of \( m \) given that \( n = 1 \) when \( m = 2 \).
(a) \( n = 8m^3 \)     (b) \( n = 2/m \)\(^3 \)     (c) \( n = m^{1/2} \)     (d) \( n = 8/m^3 \)
29. If \( f(y) = 2y + 4 \) and \( g(y) = 6y + 7 \) where \( g(y) > 0 \) for what range of values of \( y \) is \( f(y) < g(y) \)?
(a) \( y > -12 \)     (b) \( y > -3/4 \)     (c) \( y > -4/3 \)     (d) \( y > -7/6 \)
30. A regular polygon with \((2k+1)\) sides has each interior angle equal to 144°. The value of \( k \) is
(a) 4\(\frac{1}{2} \)     (b) 5     (c) 8     (d) 10
31. If \( \tan \theta = 5/12 \), then the value of \( \sin \theta - \cos \theta \) is \( (a) \ 5/13 \ (b) \ 7/13 \ (c) \ 12/13 \ (d) \ -7/13 \)
32. An airplane flies 100km on a bearing of 330° and then flies 300km. How far west of the starting point is the plane?
(a) 400km     (b) 350km     (c) 300km     (d) 200km
33. Evaluate \( (56000 \times 0.07)/0.014 \) leaving your answer in standard form
(a) 2.8 x 10^7  (b) 2.8 x 10^5  (c) 2.8 x 10^4  (d) 2.8 x 10^3

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35. Which of the following factors limits universal adult suffrage? (a) Wealth (b) Age (c) Education (d) Heredity

36. Under the British colonial administration the Executive Council was purely (a) a judicial body (b) an advisory body (c) charged with making laws (d) a tax collecting agency

37. Production and distribution of goods and services are controlled by the state in (a) Capitalism (b) Mixed economy (c) Socialism (d) Communalism

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SECTION B : GENERAL PAPER (ENGINEERING AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES)

1. The reaction of zinc with copper (ii) ions in aqueous solution can be represented as follows: \( \text{Cu}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Zn}(s) \rightarrow \text{Cu}(s) + \text{Zn}^{2+}(aq) \). Which of the following is the most complete description of this reaction. (a) Copper (ii) ions are being reduced (b) Copper (ii) ions and zinc are being reduced (c) Copper (ii) ions and zinc are being oxidized (d) Copper (ii) ions being reduced and zinc oxidized

2. How many moles of \( \text{HCl} \) will be required to react with potassium heptaoxodichromate (vi) to produce 3 moles of Chlorine? (a) 14 (b) 12 (c) 11 (d) 10

3. Phosphorous burns in oxygen according to the equation \( \text{P}_4 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \). How many litres of oxygen will be required at s.t.p. for complete oxidation of 12.4g of phosphorus? (P = 31, O =16) (a) 5.20 (b) 11.20 (c) 2.24 (d) 6.20

4. The following reactions are stages in important industrial processes:
   I \( \text{N}_2(g) + 3\text{H}_2(g) \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_3(g) \quad \Delta H \quad \text{is negative} \)
   II \( 2\text{SO}_2(g) + \text{O}_2(g) \leftrightarrow 2\text{SO}_3(g) \quad \Delta H \quad \text{is negative} \)
   III \( \text{N}_2(g) + \text{O}_2(g) \leftrightarrow 2\text{NO}(g) \quad \Delta H \quad \text{is positive} \)
Which of the above forward reactions is favoured by (i) a decrease in the concentration of the product and (ii) an increase in temperature? (a). I (b) II (c) III (d) I and III

5. If 1 mole of aluminum contains \( 6 \times 10^{23} \) atoms of aluminum, how many atoms are contained in 0.9g of aluminum? \[ \text{Al} = 27 \] (a) 0.25 \times 10^{22}  (b) 0.12 \times 10^{22}  (c) 7.5 \times 10^{22}  (d) 2.0 \times 10^{22}

6. Zinc displaces copper from an aqueous solution of copper (ii) salt because (a) Copper is a transition element (b) Copper is a moderately reactive metal (c) Zinc is more reactive than copper (d) Zinc reacts with both acids and alkalis

7. 30cm\(^3\) of hydrogen was collected over water at 27°C and 780mmHg. If the vapour pressure of water at
the temperature of the experiment was 10mmHg, calculate the volume of the gas at 760mmHg and 7°C
(a) 40cm³    (b) 37.5cm³    (c) 28.4cm³    (d) 25.2cm³

8. Which of the following reactions is correct as written?
(a) FeCl₂ + 3NH₂OH → Fe(OH)₃ + 3NH₄Cl
(b) PbNO₃ + H₂S → PbS + 2HNO₃
(c) NaOH + H₂SO₄ → NaHSO₄ + H₂O
(d) 2NH₄NO₃ → N₂ + 2H₂O

9. Fats and Oils are
(a) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and alkali  (b) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol
(c) condensation products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol
(d) condensation products of formaldehyde and glycerol

10. Which of the following is NOT a redox reaction?
(a) 2HNO₂ + 2HI → 2H₂O + 2NO + I₂  (b) Zn + H₂SO₄ → ZnSO₄ + H₂
(c) Ca(HCO₃)₂ → CaCO₃ + H₂O + CO₂  (d) 4FeO + O₂ → 2Fe₂O₃

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   (a) 2.8 x 10⁷    (b) 2.8 x 10⁵    (c) 2.8 x 10⁴    (d) 2.8 x 10³

22. Write 2 - x + x² - 4x³, in descending order
   (a) -x + x² -4x³ + 2    (b) -4x³ + x² -x + 2    (c) 2+ x² +x -4x³    (d) x² +x +2 - 4x³
23. The angle of depression of a boat from the top of the cliff 10m high is 30°. How far is the boat from the foot of the cliff?

(a) $\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{3}$ m  (b) $5\sqrt{3}$ m  (c) $10\sqrt{3}$ m  (d) $\frac{10\sqrt{3}}{3}$ m

24. A man was able to save N30.00 of his salary in a particular year. After this, every year he saved N20.00 more than the preceding year. How long did it take him to save N4,370?

(a) 23 years  (b) 19 years  (c) 62 years  (d) 216 years

25. Find the sum to infinity of the following series $3 + 2 + \frac{4}{3} + \frac{8}{9} + \frac{16}{27} + \ldots$

(a) 1270  (b) 190  (c) 18  (d) 9

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32. A force of magnitude $F$ acts on an object of mass 40 g initially at rest at a point O. If the speed of the object after moving through 50 m from point O is 500 m/s, what is the value of the force?

(a) 250 N  (b) 18 N  (c) 100 N  (d) 25 N

33. For a body of mass $M$ through vertically upwards with a velocity $U$, at what height will its potential energy equal to its kinetic energy?

(a) $h = \frac{U^2}{2g}$  (b) $h = \frac{U^2}{4g}$  (c) $h = \frac{2U^2}{g}$  (d) $h = \frac{U^2}{2g}$

34. In what range of temperature is the expansion of water anomalous?

(a) -8°C to -76°C  (b) -4°C to 0°C  (c) 0°C to 4°C  (d) -10°C to -4°C

35. Which of the following properties of matter CANNOT be utilized for temperature measurement?

(a) Length of a liquid column (b) volume of a gas at constant pressure (c) resistance of a metallic wire (d) current produced in a photoelectric effect

36. If the refractive index of glass is 1.5, what is the critical angle at the air-glass interface?

(a) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$  (c) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$  (d) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{8}{9}\right)$
37. An electron (charge $1.6 \times 10^{-19}$C) initially at rest is accelerated from a plate at zero volt to another plate at 60 kV.

The kinetic energy acquired by the electron at the second plate is

(a) $9.6 \times 10^{-15}$J (b) $2.7 \times 10^{-23}$J (c) $3.8 \times 10^{-23}$J (d) $2.7 \times 10^{-21}$J

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SECTION B : GENERAL PAPER (BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES)

1. A characteristic that distinguishes bryophytes from flowering plants is the (a) absence of vascular tissues (b) ability to grow in moist habitats (c) possession of true stem and leaves (d) ability to reproduce asexually

2. Which of the following structures is common to euglena, white blood cells and amoeba?

(a) vacuole (b) cell membrane (c) chloroplast (d) cell wall

3. Which of the following statements about the lymphatic system is NOT correct?

(a) The flow of lymph is assisted by muscular movement (b) Lymph flows only in one direction due to the presence of valves (c) Lymph is emptied into the blood circulatory system through a vein (d) Lymph vessels are usually larger than the arteries

4. The bacteria type that are arranged in clusters are the (a) staphylococci (b) streptococci (c) bacilli (d) vibrio

5. The mammalian lung is made air tight by the

(a) pleural cavity (b) pleural membrane (c) bronchioles (d) diaphragm

6. Insectivorous plants trap and kill their prey to derive (a) nitrogen (b) zinc (c) calcium (d) phosphorus

7. During ovulation, an egg is released from the (a) Graafian follicle (b) fallopian tube (c) uterus (d) corpus luteum

8. The following are useful effects of microorganisms except (a) production of vaccines (b) decaying of meat (c) curing of tobacco (d) tanning of leather

9. Vitamin C which is water soluble is (a) riboflavin (b) pyridoxine (c) ascorbic acid (d) cobalamin

10. The following are examples of dry indehiscent fruits except (a) legume (b) caryopsis (c) samara (d) cypsela

11. Which of the following is not an example of entamophilous flower?

(a) Delonix regia (b) Hibiscus esculentum (c) Allamanda (d) Zea mays

12. Which of the following vertebrates has the simplest structured heart?

(a) Rattus rattus (b) Tilapia zilli (c) Bufo (d) Homo sapiens

13. Which of these microbial diseases is not air-borne?

(a) Influenza (b) Measles (c) Diphtheria (d) Tuberculosis

14. The function of digestive enzymes is to

(a) acidify food (b) quicken absorption (c) enhance food breakdown (d) emulsify fats

15. Which of the following is not regarded as micronutrient or trace element essential for plant growth?

(a) Molybdenum (b) Boron (c) Zinc (d) Silicon
16. In photosynthesis, the following processes are part of the light reaction except
   (a) formation of glucose using energy from NADPH  (b) splitting of water into its components
   (c) utilization of the energy in the electron transfer chain to form ATP
   (d) absorption of radiant energy by chlorophyll

17. Which of the following sets of organisms represents the correct trend from simple to complex structural organization?
   (a) 4→ 1→2→3 (b) 1→2→3→4 (c) 1→2→4→3 (d) 4→2→3→1

18. The reaction of zinc with copper (ii) ions in aqueous solution can be represented as
   
   \[ \text{Cu}^{2+} (aq) + \text{Zn} (s) \rightarrow \text{Cu} (s) + \text{Zn}^{2+} (aq) \]
   Which of the following is the most complete description of this reaction.
   (a) Copper (ii) ions are being reduced  (b) Copper (ii) ions and zinc are being reduced
   (c) Copper (ii) ions and zinc are being oxidized (d) Copper (ii) ions being reduced and zinc oxidized

19. How many moles of HCl will be required to react with potassium heptaoxodichromate (vi) to produce
   3 moles of Chlorine?  (a) 14        (b) 12        (c) 11        (d) 10

20. Phosphorous burns in oxygen according to the equation
   \[ \text{P}_4 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \]
   How many litres of oxygen will be required at s.t.p. for complete oxidation of 12.4g of phosphorus?  (P = 31, O =16)
   (a) 5.20        (b) 11.20       (c) 2.24       (d) 6.20

21. The following reactions are stages in important industrial processes :
   \[ \text{I: } \text{N}_2(g) + 3\text{H}_2(g) \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_3(g) \hspace{1cm} \Delta H \text{ is negative} \]
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   \[ \text{III: } \text{N}_2(g) + \text{O}_2(g) \rightarrow 2\text{NO}(g) \hspace{1cm} \Delta H \text{ is positive} \]
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   and (ii) an increase in temperature ?
   (a). I (b) II (c) III (d) I and III

22. If 1 mole of aluminum contains \( 6 \times 10^{23} \) atoms of aluminum, how many atoms are contained in 0.9g of aluminum?  [ Al = 27]  
   (a) 0.25 \( x 10^{22} \)    (b) 0.12 \( x 10^{22} \)    (c) 7.5 \( x 10^{22} \)    (d) 2.0 \( x 10^{22} \)

23. Zinc displaces copper from an aqueous solution of copper (ii) salt because
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30. Given that \( \log_{10} 5 = 0.699 \) and \( \log_{10} 3 = 0.477 \), find \( \log_{10} 15 \) without using Mathematical tables:
   (a) 1.076  (b) 2.43  (c) 1.176  (d) 1.23

31. A bottle of malt cost three times as much as a bottle of mirinda. If 5 bottles of malt and 4 bottles of mirinda cost N380.00 altogether how much does a bottle of malt cost?
   (a) N90  (b) N80  (c) N60  (d) N40

32. For what value(s) of k is the expression \( \frac{2k - 4}{2k^2 - 8} \) undefined?
   (a) k = 2  (b) k = 4  (c) k = ±2√2  (d) k = ±2

33. If \( 16(4)^x = (1/2)^x \), find the value of x:
   (a) -3  (b) -4/5  (c) -4/3  (d) 4/3

34. Given that one of the roots of the equation \( 2x^2 + (K+2)x + K = 0 \) is 2, find the value of K:
   (a) -4  (b) -2  (c) -1  (d) -1/4

35. A quantity q varies inversely as m and n varies directly as q\(^3\). Express n in terms of m given that n = 1 when m = 2:
   (a) n = 8m\(^3\)  (b) n = 2/m\(^{1/3}\)  (c) n = m\(^{1/2}\)  (d) n = 8/m\(^3\)

36. If \( f(y) = 2y + 4 \) and \( g(y) = 6y + 7 \) where \( g(y) > 0 \) for what range of values of y is \( f(y) / g(y) < 1 \)?
   (a) y > -12  (b) y > -3/4  (c) y > -4/3  (d) y > -7/6

37. A regular polygon with \( (2k+1) \) sides has each interior angle equal to 144°. The value of k is:
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SECTION I: ENGLISH

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.
The endeavour to maintain proper standards of fairness in journalism must be pursued. It is fatally easy for the journalist to deviate from the strength path. There is his natural desire to ‘make a story’, and insidious temptation to twist facts to square with his paper’s policy. Both are as indefensible as the framing of misleading headlines for the sake of effect. The conscientious journalist must check any tendency to bias, and guard against the dangers inherent in personal antipathies or friendships, and in traditional opposition between rival schools of thought. When a political opponent, whose stupidity habitually provokes attack, make an effective speech, honesty requires that he be given credit for it. Where personal relationships might make it easier and more congenial to keep silent than to criticize, the journalist must never forget his duty to the public and the supreme importance of recording the truth.

1. When may a journalist have to act against his own inclination?
   a. When his friends act stupidly.
   b. When he becomes weak and decrepit
   c. When his enemies make a mistake
   d. When his political opponents frame misleading

2. A journalist would be able to uphold the tenets of his profession if
   a. he seeks publicity
   b. he tries to achieve popularity
   c. he resists temptation to bias
   d. he can manipulate his story to please his employers

3. Insidious (line 2) means
   a. Subtle
   b. wicked
   c. natural
   d. unusual

4. A dutiful journalist must
   a. read widely
   b. have political acumen
   c. make no enemies but friends
   d. be able to recognize merit wherever found

5. The duty of the Journalist to the public entails
   a. giving credit to his political enemies
   b. Keeping quiet when necessary
   c. trying to make a story
   d. telling the truth

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.
I began work at the smithy on the Monday morning. My wages were half a crown a week. My hours were from six in the morning till six at night, with an hour’s break for lunch. My boss, Boeta Dick, was a tall, bent, reedy consumptive. He had a parched yellow skin, drawn tight over his jutting bones. His cheeks were so sunken it was as though he were permanently sucking them in. His eyes were far back in his head. He coughed violently, and besides his seat was a bucket of sand into which he spat. Changing the sand daily was the only part of my job I hated. The smithy was divided into two parts. At
one end were the machines that cut shaped, and put the tins together. The men who worked on the machines were on a regular weekly wage. At the other end was a row of small furnaces, each with its own bellows and pile of fuel. Here at each furnace, a man sat soldering the seams of the tins as they came from the machines. The solderers were on piece-work. To average two or three pounds a week they had to do a mountainous amount of soldering. Each solder had a boy to cart the tins from the machines to him, then to smear the seams of each tin with sulphur powder so that they lead too easily, and, after checking, to cart the tins out of the yard where the Lorries collected them.

6. The boss, Boeta Dick, can be described as being (a) skinny (b) hard working (c) ambitious (d) a Chinese
7. Boeta Dick spat in the bucket because
   (a) he was sick (b) he had a dirty habit (c) he coughed (d) the smithy smelled badly
8. Without the solderers in the smithy (a) no work can be done (b) the boss will go into debt (c) the products cannot be completed (d) the boss will be unhappy
9. The solderers received (a) occasional money for their work (b) too much for their work (c) just enough for their work (d) not so much as their work demanded
10. Sulphur powder was added to (a) beautify the tin (b) complete the manufacture (c) strengthen the tin (d) satisfy the boss.

Fill in the blank in the following sentences making use of the best of the five options

11. The Chairman ruled the impertinent speaker...
   (a) according to order (b) out of order (c) contrary to order (d) disorderly
12. The way to stop some frivolous publications is to ... the press (a) gag (b) shackle (c) fetter (d) handcuff
13. He bought a typewriter with a view ... to type (a) to learning (b) to learn (c) to be learning (d) to be learnt
14. Had he know in advance, he ... (a) should prepare for the interview (b) was going to prepare for the interview (c) would have prepared for the interview (d) will have been preparing for the interview
15. As a pioneer, he ... the institution from his own resources (a) found and funded (b) founded and funded (c) was finding and funding (d) Had found and funded
16. If ... one day we would talk about it for weeks (a) a lion would be coming into this room (b) a lion was coming into this room (c) a lion came into this room (d) a lion is coming into this room
17. Some people think that ... are potentially a nuisance (a) parent in law (b) parents in law (c) parents in laws (d) parent in laws
18. ....... several bad air crashes recently (a) There is (b) They are (c) There were (d) There have been
19. Have you paid your taxes up to date? The tax collector inquired if ... (a) you have paid your taxes up to date (b) I had paid my taxes up to date (c) I paid my taxes up to date (d) have I paid my taxes up to date
20. The passenger waited patiently whilst they transferred his ... from the taxi to the bus (a) properties (b) baggages (c) Luggage (d) Luggages

Choose the option nearest in meaning to the underline word(s) or phrase(s)

21. Ngozi and Ekaete were fast friends when we were in the secondary school (a) friends who run very quickly together (b) friends who go without food for a long time together (c) friends who are not easily separated from each other (d) friends who spend too much time and energy on pleasure and excitement
22. The policeman looked at the face of the robber and saw tell-tale signs of dyed-in-the-wool convict
(a) hardened  (b) remorseless  (c) heady    (d) hardhearted

23. The senior prefect had to carry the can because he refused to identify the culprit  (a) dispose the can of refuse  (b) accept responsibility  (c) be made one of the scape-goats  (d) bear the brunt

24. Adah has not been regular at lectures because she has been off colour  (a) gloomy  (b) trying to hide her bleached skin  (c) slightly sick  (d) upset

25. The builder’s taste reflected superfluous grandeur  (a) excellent  (b) superlative  (c) expensive  (D) too much

Choose the most appropriate option opposite in meaning to the underline word(s)

26. The lecturer was merely obfuscating the issue with his endless examples.  (a) complicating  (b) clarifying  (c) confusing  (d) summarizing

27. Such measures end up exacerbating the pain  (a) aggravating  (b) increasing  (c) eliminating  (d) alleviating

28. The elderly often fulminate against the apparent indolence  (a) protest bitterly about  (b) complain seriously about  (c) promote vigorously  (d) commend warmly

29. We should discourage further investment on existing factories  (a) productive  (b) prosperous  (c) prospective  (d) precious

30. Nigeria is gradually experiencing economic recession  (a) birth  (b) discovery  (c) recovery  (d) destruction

In each of the questions below choose the word that does not have the same vowel sound as the others

31. (a) Even  (b) People  (c) Wind  (d) Key

32. (a) Log  (b) Toil  (c) Enjoy  (d) Rejoice

33. (a) Bale  (b) plait  (c) saint  (d) gate

34. (a) Fight  (b) Die  (c) Rice  (d) Granite

SECTION II: GENERAL PAPER (ARTS AND LAW)

1. A Nigeria citizen can only be deprived of his citizenship if he is (a) condemned to death  (b) convicted by a court of law  (c) an armed robber  (d) married to foreigner

2. The following are the key factors which influence Nigeria’s foreign relations except (a) peaceful co-existence  (b) economic dependence  (c) non-interference  (d) respect for territorial integrity

3. General Muritala Muhammed was assassinated in a Col Dimka led coup on  (a) 29/5/1975  (b) 13/2/1996  (c) 14/3/1976  (d) 23/4/1976

4. The Minister of the Federal Capital Territory of Nigeria is  (a) Bala Mohammed  (b) Yusuf Suleiman  (c) Idris Umar  (d) Mohammed Bello Adoke

5. The sun’s surface temperature is approximately (a) 9000°C  (b) 6000°C  (c) 600°C  (d) 7500°C

6. The circumference of the earth is approximately (a) 10,761 km  (b) 12,803 km  (c) 40,084 km  (d) 150,000 km

7. The approximate distance of the earth from the sun is  (a) 57,600,000 km  (b) 107,200,000 km  (c) 148,800,000 km  (d) 772,800,000 km

8. Which of the following material is not associated with painting  (a) intaglio  (b) lithograph  (c) Squeegee  (d) armature
9. A painting process that is applied on a zinc, plastic and aluminium is called ...... print
(a) intaglio  (b) lithograph  (c) relief  (d) silkscreen

10. An artist who specializes in book cover illustrations and poster designs is called
(a) cartoonist  (b) an advertiser  (c) a designer  (d) a graphist

11. That striking effect on any piece of design could be credited to  (a) balance and proportion
(b) dominance and emphasis  (c) form and space  (d) rhythm and variety.

12. The law of corban among the Jews is the practice of
(a) dedicating their lives to the service of God  (b) dedicating their properties to God
(c) dedicating their first born male to God  (d) training into levitical priesthood

13. Jesus commended the healed leper to go and show himself to the priest because
(a) Leprosy is a contagious disease  (b) the priest is the leper’s spiritual leader  (c) he had been sending anybody
healed to the priest  (d) the law demanded it.

14. The figurative device that gives human attribute to inanimate things is called ........
(a) metonym      (b) euphemism   (c) Personification  (d) simile

15. Which of the following statement best describes comedy?
(a) a play which is boring  (b) a play in which the hero is a clown  (c) a play which makes us weep
(d) a play which makes us laugh

16. Poetry is essentially different from drama because ................  (a) it involves many characters
(b) it uses many words  (c) it uses heroes and heroines  (d) it is an elevated language

17. Dramatic irony entails ............ (a) appraisal of the audience  (b) a satirical statement  (c) a statement that means
more than is evident to the speaker  (d) a hilarious statement

18. The persons who take part in a play are sometimes referred to as ........
(a) dramatis personae  (b) comedians  (c) audience  (d) dramatists

19. The main distinguishing feature of literature is that ............  (a) it is relevant to life  (b) It tells untrue stories
(c) It deals with exciting events  (d) It presents fictional accounts of human experience

20. “Though nothing can bring the hour of splendour in the grass, of glory in the flower; we will grieve not, rather
find strength in what remains behind ..........  (William Wordsworth). The above lines convey a sense of
(a) nostalgia  (b) dejection  (c) uneasy acceptance  (d) deep distress

21. “O murderous slumber layest thou thy ladder mace upon my boy ....... that plays thee music?”
The quoted lines above is an example of  (a) simile  (b) allusion  (c) metonymy  (d) personification

22. Pick the odd one out ............ (a) rhyme   (b) repetition  (c) paragraphs  (d) metre

23. “if winter comes can spring be far behind?” The literary device used above is ............
(a) apostrophe  (b) rhetoric  (c) poetic  (d) allegory

24. Point of view is a technique that is commonly associated with............... 
(a) characterization  (b) narrative  (c) plot  (d) atmosphere

25. *Rome and Juliet* is a tragedy because ............
(a) it has five acts  (b) Juliet is beautiful  (c) it ends unhappily  (d) it is set in Verona

26. In T.S. Eliot’s “The Journey of the Magi” the journey is difficult because they left in
(a) summer  (b) spring  (c) winter  (d) the night
27. In the poem “Bat” it is ironical that while the poet hates bat, it is a symbol of ......... in China
   (a) peace  (b) Joy    (c) Love     (d) happiness
28. In “Give me the Minstrel’s seat”, the poem dwells mostly on .............
   (a) Love    (b) kinship (c) hatred      (d) companionship
29. The two most important governors of the four Kanem Borno Provinces were the
   (a) Yerima and Waziri  (b) Waziri and Galadima  (c) Yerima and Galadima (d) Kaigama and Yerima
30. Who among the following founded second Kanem-Borno empire?
   (a) Mai Idris Alooma  (b) Mai Ali Ghaje (c) Mai Idris (d) Mai Umme Jilmi
31. Which of the under-mentioned peoples of Nigeria practised a decentralised political system in pre-colonial times? (a) Bini (b) Igbo (c) Hausa (d) Yoryba
32. Arochukwu is associated with the (a) long juju (b) trans Atlantic slave trades (c) trans Sahara trade (d) early settlement of the whitemen in Igbo land
33. The eldest of the Hausa State is (a) Katsina   (b) Kano          (c) Biram    (d) Rano
34. ........... Is the title of the Commander-in-Chief of the army in Old Oyo empire
   (a) Galadima  (b)Etsu  (c) Are- Onatakanfo  (d) Kaigama
35. The ruling Mai of Borno during the Fulani jihad against the empire was
   (a) Mai Dunam (b) Mai Ahmed (c) Mai Idris  (d) Mai Idris Alooma
36. Alhaji Umar belonged to the-------- Islamic brotherhood
   (a) Quadiriyya   (b) Tijaniyya       (c) Sonusiyya (d) Wahhabiyya
37. Which of the 19th century Islamic jihads in West Africa prepared inspiration for the other jihads?
   (a) The Sokoto jihad    (b) The Massina jihad   (c) The Takulor jihad    (d) The Bambara jihad
38. Which of the following mostly accounted for the revenue of the Niger Delta States before 1807?  (a) Trade in palm oil (b) trade in slaves (c) industrial production of goods and services (d) tributes from weaker states
39. Which of the 19th century Yoruba civil wars is commonly referred to as the sixteen year war?
   (a) the Owu-Ife war  (b) the Ijaye- Ibadan war (c) the Kirinji war  (d) the Ijebu war
40. Which of the following is not one of the new towns that emerged as a result of the 19th century Yoruba civil wars 
   (a) Modakeke     (b) Ife     (c) Abeokuta   (d) Ibadan
41. The first court of Equity to be established in Niger Delta was at
   (a) New Calabar (Kalabari)    (b) Akassa  (c) Old Calabar   (d) Bonny
42. One can identify a rigid constitution by its (a) amendment procedure (b) nature and scope (c) length (d) sources
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SECTION II : GENERAL PAPER (MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES)

1. A Nigeria citizen can only be deprived of his citizenship if he is (a) condemned to death (b) convicted by a court of law (c) an armed robber (d) married to foreigner

2. The following are the key factors which influence Nigeria’s foreign relations except (a) peaceful co-existence (b) economic dependence (c) non-interference (d) respect for territorial integrity

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4. Judicial independence means that (a) judges are above the law (b) judges can do no wrong (c) the judiciary is responsible to the people (d) judges are not influenced in the discharge of their duties

5. The concept of decentralization includes all the following elements except (a) deconcentration (b) devolution (c) delimitation (d) delegation

6. The practice of two or more sovereign states uniting for security and external affairs is called (a) totalitarianism (b) confederalism (c) republicanism (d) sectionalism

7. The advantage a firm enjoys by producing a wide range of goods is called (a) research economies (b) market economies (c) financial economies (d) risk bearing economies

8. A shift in the production possibility boundary could result from (a) unemployment (b) inflation (c) changes in production techniques (d) changes in production pattern

9. Long-run production is called (a) internal economies of scale (b) external economies of scale (c) increasing return to scale (d) returns to scale

10. The size of the working population is not determined by (a) size of the population (b) age structure (c) statutory age of entry (d) specialisation

11. Production of goods is continuous due to financing by the (a) government (b) retailers (c) consumers (d) wholesalers

12. The slope of the demand curve does not reflect (a) changes in weather (b) the law of diminishing marginal utility (c) substitution effect (d) income effect

13. What is the equilibrium price and quantity if \( Q_d = 80 - p \), \( Q_s = 20 + 4p \) (a) 10 and 30 (b) 12 and 68 (c) 12 and 86 (d) 68 and 12

14. The present high rate of inflation in Nigeria can be attributed to (a) increasing supply (b) increasing budget surplus (c) increasing cost of production (d) increasing tax rates

15. The shape of the average cost curve shows that as production increases (a) marginal cost steadily increases (b) average cost increases (c) total cost decreases (d) average cost decreases and then increases

16. An individual that needs a loan of ₦1 million to be paid back within 6 years should visit (a) money market (b) foreign exchange market (c) factor market (d) capital market
17. The demand curve of the monopolist …… (a) is perfectly elastic (b) slopes downward from left to right (c) is perfectly inelastic (d) slopes upward from right to left

18. The expression ‘Terms of Trade’ is used to describe (a) the quantity of export (b) the direction of foreign trade (c) terms of purchase on deferred payment basis (d) the rate at which exports exchange for import

19. By balance of visible trade we mean (a) import and export of goods (b) balance of current account in the BOP (c) import and export of services (d) balance of capital account in the BOP

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15. Taking the period of daylight on a certain day to be from 5.30am to 7.00pm, calculate the periods of daylight
    and of darkness on that day.
    (a) 187°30’ 172°30’  (b) 135° 225°  (c) 202°30’ 157°30’  (d) 195° 165°

16. A heavy object is suspended from a string and lowered into water so that it is completely submerged. The object
    appears lighter because  (a) the density of water is less than that of the object.  (b) the pressure is low just
    below the water surface  (c) it experiences an upthrust  (d) the tension in the string neutralizes part of the weight

17. Which of the following is a derived unit?  (a) Kilogramme  (b) metre  (c) Kelvin  (d) Newton

18. When a box of mass 45kg is given an initial speed of 5ms⁻¹ it slides along a horizontal floor a distance of 3m
    before coming to rest. What is the coefficient of the kinetic friction between the box and the floor?  \( g = 10ms^{-2} \)
    (a) 5/6  (b) 5/12  (c) 1/3  (d) 2/3

19. When two objects P and Q are supplied with the same quantity of heat, the temperature change in P is observed
    to be twice that of Q. The mass of P is half that of Q. The ratio of the specific heat capacity of P to Q is
    (a) 1 : 4  (b) 4 : 1  (c) 1 : 1  (d) 2 : 1

20. A man clapping his hands at regular intervals observes that the echo of a clap concedes with the next clap. If the
    reflecting cliff is 160m away and the speed of sound is 320ms⁻¹, what is the frequency of the clapping?
    (a) 1 Hz  (b) 2 Hz  (c) 4 Hz  (d) 8 Hz

21. 22,000 J of heat is required to raise the temperature of 1.5kg of paraffin from 20°C. Calculate the specific heat
    capacity of paraffin  (a) 1466Jkg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (b) 2933Jkg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (c) 4400Jkg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (d) 5866Jkg⁻¹°C⁻¹

22. In which of the following are the substances arranged in descending order of their thermal conductivities?
    (a) Copper, steel, glass  (b) Steel, Copper, glass  (c) steel, glass, Copper  (a) Copper, glass, steel

23. The resistance of a wire of length 0.8m and area \(2 \times 10^{-7} \text{m}^2\) is found to be 4Ohms.
    Calculate the resistivity of the material.  (a) \(1 \times 10^{-7} \Omega \text{m}\)  (b) \(1 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \text{m}\)  (c) \(1 \times 10^{-9} \Omega \text{m}\)  (d) \(1 \times 10^{-6} \Omega \text{m}\)
24. In a wet Lechanch cell, which of the following is used as a positive and negative pole respectively
   (a) Carbon rod and zinc rod  (b) carbon rod and lead rod  (c) Lead rod and carbon rod  (d) zinc rod and carbon rod
25. A transformer is rated 240V. If the primary coil is 5000 turns and the secondary voltage is 12, determine the number of turns in the secondary (a) 300  (b) 350  (c) 250  (D) 400
26. Which of the following is correct  (a) Power is appropriate to current  (b) power is energy multiplied by time  (c) Power is inversely proportional to voltage  (d) Power is independent on resistance
27. A 40KW electric cable is used to transmit electricity through a resistor of resistance 2Ω at 800V. The power loss as internal energy is  (a) 280KW  (b) 320KW  (c) 40KW  (d) 300 KW
28. The complex salt formed when aluminium dissolves in Sodium hydroxide solution is?  (a) Na₃Al(OH)₄  (b) Na₂Al(OH)₃  (c) NaAl(OH)₃  (d) NaAl(OH)₄
29. In the redox reaction represented by the following equation  \( \text{Cu}^{2+} (aq) + \text{Zn} (s) \rightarrow \text{Cu} (s) + \text{Zn}^{2+} (aq) \)  
   (a) The oxidation number of copper increases  (b) Copper (ii) ion is reduced to copper atom  (c) Zinc atom is reduced to Zn ion  (d) Copper (ii) ion donates electrons to Zinc atom
30. A current of 40 amperes was passed through Copper (ii) tetraoxosulphate (vi) solution for one hour using copper electrode. What was the mass of copper deposited  (a) 32g  (b) 48g  (c) 64g  (d) 48g
31. Which of the following compounds will form a solution if exposed to the air  (a) Na₂CO₃ 10H₂O  (b) NaNO₃  (c) CUSO₄  (d) CaCl₂
32. Under high pressure real gases do not obey gas law because their molecules  (a) have become more energetic  (b) have become less energetic  (c) have become smaller in size  (d) decompose into atoms
33. Which of the following statement is an exception in the assumption of the Kinetic theory of gases?  
   (a)Gases are composed of many elastic particles  (b) The particles are of negligible size  (c) The particles are in constant random motion  (d) The particles are of negligible mass
34. Fats and oils are  (a) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol (b) Condensation products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol (c) Addition products of long-chain fatty acids and alkali (d) None of the above
35. Zn + 2HCl \( \rightarrow \) ZnCl₂ +H₂ The rate of the above reaction will be greatly increased if  
   (a) The zinc is in the powder form  (b) a greater volume of the acid is used  (c) a smaller volume of the acid is used  (d) The reaction vessel is immersed in an ice-bath
36. A sample orange Juice is suspected to have been contaminated with a yellow dye. Which of the following method can be used to detect the dye?  (a) Decantation  (b) chromatography  (c) Distillation  (d) Filtration
37. In the reaction represented by the equation 2FeCl₃ + SO₂ + 2H₂O \( \rightarrow \) 2FeCl₂ + H₂SO₄ + 2Hcl the oxidation number of Sulphur changes from  (a) +2 to +6  (b) +4 to +6  (c) 0 to +6  (d) -2 to +4
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   (a) chorion  (b) amnion  (c) placenta  (d) umbilical cord

2. The menstrual cycle is controlled by …...
   (a) ovum maturation  (b) copulation  (c) ovulation  (d) gonadotropins and ovarian hormones

3. Which of the following statement is not true of vegetative reproduction? (a) Offspring obtain food reserve
   from their parents (b) colonisation of new area is slow (c) New varieties are not produced
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4. The following are scientists who contributed to the cell theory except
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11. The bicuspid valve is located between the------ (a) left auricle and left ventricle  (b) right auricle and right
    ventricle  (c) left and right auricle (d) left and right ventricle

12. Which of the following organisms will have the highest biomass
    (a) small fish  (b) Hawk  (c) Phytoplankton  (d) Tadpole

13. The passage of nerve impulse across a synapse is facilitated by the secretion of
    (a) insulin  (b) thyroxine  (c) acetylcholine  (d) progesterone

14. The concave shape of bird’s wing during flight ensures that the greater pressure under the wings will
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27. A heavy object is suspended from a string and lowered into water so that it is completely submerged.
   The object appears lighter because  (a) the density of water is less than that of the object.
   (b) the pressure is low just below the water surface  (c) it experiences an upthrust  (d) the tension in the
   string neutralizes part of the weight

28. Which of the following is a derived unit?  (a) Kilogramme  (b) metre  (c) Kelvin  (d) Newton

29. When a box of mass 45kg is given an initial speed of 5ms\(^{-1}\) it slides along a horizontal floor a distance
   of 3m before coming to rest. What is the coefficient of the kinetic friction between the box and the floor?
   (g =10ms\(^{-2}\))  (a) 5/6  (b) 5/12  (c) 1/3  (d) 2/3

30. When two objects P and Q are supplied with the same quantity of heat, the temperature change in P is
   observed to be twice that of Q. The mass of P is half that of Q. The ratio of the specific heat capacity of P
   to Q is  (a) 1 : 4  (b) 4 : 1  (c) 1 : 1  (d) 2 : 1

31. A man clapping his hands at regular intervals observes that the echo of a clap conceives with the next clap.
   If the reflecting cliff is 160m away and the speed of sound is 320ms\(^{-1}\), what is the frequency of the
clapping?  (a) 1 Hz  (b) 2 Hz  (c) 4 Hz  (d) 8 Hz

32. 22,000 J of heat is required to raise the temperature of 1.5kg of paraffin from 20°C. Calculate the specific heat capacity of paraffin  
(a) 1466JKg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (b) 2933JKg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (c) 4400JKg⁻¹°C⁻¹  (d) 5866JKg⁻¹°C⁻¹

33. In which of the following are the substances arranged in descending order of their thermal conductivities?  
(a) Copper, steel, glass  (b) Steel, Copper, glass  (c) steel, glass, Copper  (d) Copper, glass, steel

34. The resistance of a wire of length 0.8m and area 2x10⁻⁷m² is found to be 4Ohms.
Calculate the resistivity of the material.  
(a) 1x10⁻⁷Ωm  (b) 1x10⁻⁵Ωm  (c) 1x10⁻⁸Ωm  (d) 1x10⁻⁶Ωm

35. In a wet Lechanch cell, which of the following is used as a positive and negative pole respectively 
(a) Carbon rod and zinc rod  (b) carbon rod and lead rod  (c) Lead rod and carbon rod  (d) zinc rod and carbon rod

36. The complex salt formed when aluminium dissolves in Sodium hydroxide solution is?  
(a) Na₃Al(OH)₄  (b) Na₂Al(OH)₃  (c) NaAl(OH)₃  (d) NaAl(OH)₄

37. In the redox reaction represented by the following equation  
\( \text{Cu}^{2+} + \text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Cu} + \text{Zn}^{2+} \)
(a) The oxidation number of copper increases  (b) Copper (ii) ion is reduced to copper atom  
(c) Zinc atom is reduced to Zn ion  (d) Copper (ii) ion donates electrons to Zinc atom

38. A current of 40 amperes was passed through Copper (ii) tetraoxosulphate (vi) solution for one hour using copper electrode. What was the mass of copper deposited?  
(a) 32g  (b) 48g  (c) 64g  (d) 48g

39. Which of the following compounds will form a solution if exposed to the air?  
(a) Na₂CO₃ 10H₂O  (b) NaNO₃  (c) CUSO₄  (d) CaCl₂

40. Under high pressure real gases do not obey gas law because their molecules  
(a) have become more energetic  (b) have become less energetic  (c) have become smaller in size  (d) decompose into atoms

41. Which of the following statement is an exception in the assumption of the Kinetic theory of gases?  
(a) Gases are composed of many elastic particles  (b) The particles are of negligible size  
(c) The particles are in constant random motion  (d) The particles are of negligible mass

42. Fats and oils are  
(a) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol  (b) Condensation products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol  
(c) Addition products of long-chain fatty acids and alkali  (d) None of the above

43. Zn + 2HCl  \( \rightarrow \) ZnCl₂ + H₂  The rate of the above reaction will be greatly increased if  
(a) The zinc is in the powder form  (b) a greater volume of the acid is used  (c) a smaller volume of the acid is used  
(d) The reaction vessel is immersed in an ice-bath

44. A sample orange Juice is suspected to have been contaminated with a yellow dye. Which of the following method can be used to detect the dye?  
(a) Decantation (b) chromatography  (c) Distillation  (d) Filtration

45. General Murital Muhammed was assassinated in a Col Dimka led coup on  
(a) 29/5/1975  (b) 13/2/1996  (c) 14/3/1976  (d) 23/4/1976

46. The Minister of the Federal Capital Territory of Nigeria is  
(a) Bala Muhammed  (b) Yusuf Suleiman  (c) Idris Umar  (d) Mohammed Bello Adoke
EDUCATION CANDIDATES
UNIVERSITY OF BENIN, BENIN CITY, NIGERIA
POST UNIVERSITY DIRECT ENTRY SCREENING
SATURDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER, 2010; 9.00AM

Time allowed: 1h 15min

INSTRUCTIONS
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3. Write your JAMB Registration number at the top of page 1 of your Question Papers.
4. Attempt all questions.
5. The use of calculators and/or similar electronic devices is NOT allowed.

SECTION A: ENGLISH
Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:
That the Nigerian nation is reeling under the weight of iniquities, the foundation of which was laid by military misrule represented by Military Heads of State and their Civilian collaborators will not enjoy respite, was confirmed by the recent exposure of financial impropriety, fiscal rascality and squander mania pulsating the National Assembly. Eleven years into Civilian Rule, we agree that no magical transformation can rid our present situation of affairs completely free of the dirty past, but one was expecting that lessons ought to have been learnt. The present leadership ought to have mended their ways and should have abandoned and jettisoned the rottenness, greed, irresponsible behaviour and large scale looting of the past. However, as the leopard can never change its spots our worst fears are confirmed by the scary findings indicating that Nigeria very much remains the erstwhile corrupt nation.

1. The word "reeling" in the passage means
   (a) Failing    (b) staggering    (c) moving with unsteady steps    (d) moving
2. The word foundation in the passage implies that the so-called ills are
   (a) entrenched   (b) salutary   (c) accidental   (d) outcome of nefarious system
3. "Collaborators" in the passage are
   (a) Partners in victory   (b) co-sinners   (c) perpetrators   (d) unintended masters
4. Enjoy respite as used in the passage means
   (a) know peace   (b) have recreation   (c) enjoy oneself   (d) have respect
5. The word "pulsating" in the passage means
   (a) shaking   (b) rocking   (c) reverberating   (d) causing upheavals
6. The intention of the writer of this passage may best be described as (a) vituperative   (b) corrective   (c) washing the Nigerian dirty linen in public   (d) restorative
7. "The leopard can never change its spots" implies that corruption is
   (a) endemic   (b) a passing phase   (c) part of national growth   (d) accidental occurrence
8. "Scary findings" in the passage does not imply one of the following
   (a) frightful discoveries   (b) frightful outcomes   (c) fearful findings   (d) unsettling findings

   **Choose the option that provides the correct answer to the questions in this section**

9. Many politicians in Nigeria are concerned more with illegal......................of wealth
   (a) accumulation   (b) accumulation   (c) accumulation    (d) accumulation

10. Raining season comes with.........................
    (a) catarh   (b) catter   (c) cattarrh    (d) cartarh

11. School facilities deteriorate because of lack of.........................
    (a) maintainance    (b) maintenance   (c) maintainance    (d) menntenance

12. The army ran out of.........................
    (a) arm and ammunitions   (b) arms and ammunitions (c) arms and ammunition    (d) arm and ammunition

13. We promised to make.........................
    (a) amend   (b) ammends  (c) ammend    (d) amends

14. As a former female student of the University of Benin, Amina is an..............of the university.
    (a) alumni   (b) alumni   (c) alumna    (d) alumina

15. The criminal's room is redolent................Marijuana all the time.
    (a) for   (b) of   (c) by    (d) in

16. Lecturers Egbe and Braimoh have become..........................
    (a) Notary public   (b) Notaries publics    (c) Notaries public    (d) Notary publics

   **Choose the option which is nearest in meaning to the underlined word or words**

17. I gather from his appearance that he did not sleep at all last night (a) conclude   (b) accept   (c) interpret   (d) imply

18. Mary was skeptical about the story her brother had told her (a) ignorant   (b) uncertain   (c) doubtful   (d) confused

19. John said that the car belongs to his old flame
    (a) his father's   (b) his grandfather's   (c) his former classmates   (d) his former lover

20. Passuma ran with the hare and hunted with the hounds in the misunderstanding between Ejiro and Oke
    (a) was insincere (b) was very fair to both sides (c) critisized both seriously (d) saw clearly what caused the misunderstanding

21. Ngozi played the Man Friday in the quarrel that ensued between Musa and Yemisi
    (a) Ngozi supported Musa (b) betrayed Musa (c) was fair to both parties (d) prayed before intervening

22. Patrick is putty in Lindas's hands implies that Patrick is
    (a) Too tough for Linda to handle (b) too unpredictable to Linda (c) is easily influenced by Linda
    (d) loves Linda dearly

   **Choose the correct option in the following questions**

23. A sentence can be divided into two parts.......................and---------------
    (a) Predicate/subject   (b) slaonce/element   (c) adverb/ component   (d) subject/complement
24. The name Lagos is a............noun.
   (a) Common    (b) proper   (c) countless   (d) mass
25. The pronoun we is
   (a) 1st person singular (b) 3rd person singular (c) 3rd person plural   (d) 1st person plural
26. A red-letter day implies
   (a) a day to be remembered for good   (b) a day to be remembered for evil   (c) a day the town is to be painted red   (d) none of the above
27. A highly strung person is one that is
   (a) tied with many strings   (b) very sensitive   (c) is not easily upset   (d) nervous and easily upset
28. On arriving home with his new purchase, Emmanuel found out that he had bought a pig in a poke.
   This suggests that Emmanuel
   (a) bought at the best value available   (b) bought something he did not see   (c) bought a pig instead of what he needed   (d) bought something different from his need
29. Burning the candle at both ends implies
   (a) expending energy in one direction   (b) going to work early everyday   (c) dissipating energy in all directions   (d) doing many things at the same time
30. Withdrawal at this stage of the screening exercise will amount to a loss of face. This suggests
   (a) taking a patriotic decision   (b) a humiliating act   (c) an unconditional surrender   (d) a fatal mistake

SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER (EDUCATION)

Choose the correct option in the following questions.

1. Home economics is the study of
   (a) humans and their environment   (b) humans and their productive system   (c) humans and their culture   (d) humans and their environment for better living
2. Home management is an aspect of home economics dealing with
   (a) Management of both human and material resources for better life   (b) Managing only humans   (c) Managing only material resources   (d) Managing family dependants
3. The study of nutrition is
   (a) nutrients and their deficiency   (b) nutrients and their consumption   (c) nutrients and their composition   (d) the composition of foods, function and utilization
4. Protein deficiency in children is known as
   (a) kwasoki   (b) kwashiokor   (c) kwamasi   (d) kwahobi
5. One of these is not an energy food
   (a) yogurt   (b) garri   (c) milk   (d) meat
6. Marasmus is a deficiency of
   (a) Protein and energy   (b) energy only   (c) protein only   (d) protein and vitamin
7. Flame retarded treatment of a fabric means that the fabric means that the fabric cannot
   (a) fade   (b) crease   (c) shrink   (d) burn
8. A three course meal include the following
   (a) Appetizer → Main → Wine
   (b) Main → Dessert → Wine
   (c) Wine → Main → Dessert
   (d) Appetizer → Main → Dessert
9. Buying of goods without prior planning is called
   (a) Think buying    (b) like buying   (c) impulse buying   (d) stop buying
10. A person employed to sell or buy on behalf of someone is called
    (a) retailer   (b) sales agent   (c) wholesaler   (d) bulk buyer
11. Elijah challenged the people of Israel to a contest on mount (a) Hebron    (b) Horeb   (c) Carmel   (d) Sinai
12. Another name for Tabitha who was raised from the dead was (a) Joanne   (b) Dorcas   (c) Aeneas   (b) Naomi
13. Which of the following does not relate to the new life in Christ
    (a) circumcision   (b) grace of God   (c) faith   (d) baptism
14. The first Christian martyr was
    (a) Peter   (b) Stephen   (c) Philip   (d) James
15. The number of stone jars that were filled with water which later turned into wine was
    (a) 6    (b) 9    (c) 12   (d) 3
16. After the flood that destroyed the world, god made a new beginning with the family of
    (a) Adam   (b) Noah   (c) Moses   (d) Abraham
17. Which of these is not a fish
    (a) tilapia   (b) starfish   (c) mackerel   (d) salmon
18. Which of these is a tissue
    (a) Saliva   (b) blood   (c) heart   (d) Lung
19. Which of these is an agricultural classification of plants
    (a) cereals   (b) spermatophyta   (c) perennial   (d) ephemeral
20. Mitosis occurs in
    (a) Somatic cells   (b) reproductive cells   (c) gamates   (d) sex cells
21. Which of the castes of termites is blind?
    (a) soldier   (b) worker   (c) queen   (d) king
22. Pulmonary respiration is the respiration between the heart and the (a) Veins   (b) lungs   (c) arteries   (d) liver
23. A directional response to a unidirectional stimulus is referred to as
    (a) taxism   (b) natism   (c) tropism    (d) growth movement
24. The agricultural practice of planting crops and trees is referred to as
    (a) deforestation   (b) monoculture   (c) agroforestory   (d) crop rotation
25. The pathogen of avian flu is
    (a) bacteria   (b) fungi   (c) algae   (d) virus
26. In chemistry the reaction between an acid and a base results in (a) salt   (b) gas    (c) water   (d) solids
27. The sheet of muscle that separates the thoracic cavity from the abdominal cavity is known as
    (a) biceps   (b) diaphragm   (c) triceps   (d) cadilac
28. An image which cannot be caught on a screen is called
    (a) real image   (b) half image   (c) virtual image   (d) parallel image
29. Lightning conductors work on the principle of
   (a) force field  (b) electrostatic force  (c) electrophorous  (d) point action

30. A polythene strip rubbed with fur acquires
   (a) negative charge  (b) positive charge  (c) electrical neutrality  (d) no charge

31. Simplify log6 + log2 - log2
   (a) 0   (b) -1  (c) 1  (d) 4

32. The log of a number is the power to which the............is raised in order to obtain the number
   (a) base  (b) root  (c) reciprocal  (d) the first integer

33. Macro Economics is a study of economic science from the stand point of view of
   (a) Individual producers or consumers  (b) companies or firms  (c) production factors of unit  (d) aggregate economy

34. In which of the following economic systems is the consumer referred to as The King
   (a) planned economy       (b) regulated economy  (c) market economy  (d) socialist economy

35. In the history of economic thought, the concept of division of labour is usually associated with
   (a) J.M. Keynes    (b) Adam Smith    (c) Lionel Robins    (d) David Richards

36. Demand for a factor of production is
   (a) competitive demand   (b) derived demand  (c) composite demand  (d) Joint demand

37. The smallest planet in the solar system is
   (a) Uranus    (b) Neptune    (c) Venus    (d) Mercury

38. Solar eclipse means
   (a) When the sun comes between the moon and the earth  (b) When the stars are between the sun and the earth
   (c) When the moon comes between the sun and the earth  (d) When the earth comes between the sun and the moon

39. Graphite is a metamorphic rock produced from
   (a) coal    (b) limestone    (c) graphite    (d) clay

40. Calculate the distance in kilometers between Lagos, Nigeria (Lat 6°N) and Cape town, South Africa (Lat 35°S)
   (a) 4500Km   (b) 4551Km   (c) 7820Km   (d) 3219Km
EDUCATION CANDIDATES
UNIVERSITY OF BENIN, BENIN CITY, NIGERIA
DIRECT ENTRY SCREENING EXERCISE FOR 2011/2012 SESSION
SATURDAY 15th OCTOBER, 2011  9.00AM

Time allowed 1Hr 15mins

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SECTION A : ENGLISH

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Anyone who trains animals recognizes that human and animal perception capacities are different. For most human, seeing is believing, although we do occasionally brood about whether we can believe our eyes. The other senses are largely ancillary; most of us do not know how we might go about either doubting or believing our noses. But for dogs, scenting is believing. A dog’s nose is to ours as the wrinkled surface of our complex brain is to the surface of an egg. A dog who did comparative psychology might easily worry about our consciousness or lack thereof, just as we worry about the consciousness of a squid.

We who take sight for granted can draw pictures of scent, but we have no language for doing it the other way about, no way to represent something virtually familiar by means of actual scent. Most humans cannot know, with their limited noses, what they can imagine about being deaf, blind, mute, or paralyzed. The sighted can, for example, speak of a blind person as “in the darkness”, but there is no corollary expression for what it is that we in relationship to scent. If we tried to coin words, we might come up with something like ‘scent-blind.” But what would it mean? It couldn’t have the sort of meaning that “colour-blind” and “tone-deaf” do, because most of us have expressed what “tone” and “colour” means in those expressions, but we don’t know what “scent” means in the expression “scent blind.” Scent for many of us can be only a theoretical, technical expression that we use because our grammar required that we have a noun to go in the sentences we are prompted to utter about animals’ tracking. We don’t have a sense of scent. What we do have is sense of smell.

So if Fido and I are sitting on a terrace, admiring the view, we inhabit worlds with radically different principles of phenomenology say that the wind is to our backs. Our world lies all before us, within a 180 degree angle. The dog’s – well, we don’t know, do we?

1. The phrase, “other senses are largely ancillary” is used by the author to suggest that
   (a) Only events experienced directly can be appreciated by the senses.
   (e) For many humans the sense of sight is the primary means of knowing about the world
   (f) Smell is in many respects more powerful than sight.
   (g) The perceptual capacity of a human is a function of its ability to integrate all of its senses.
2. The missing phrase in the incomplete sentence

   The dog’s ------ well, we don’t know, do we? refers to
   (a) Colour blindness   (b) depth perception   (c) perception of the world   (d) concern for our perception

3. “A dog who did comparative psychology…” This expression can be described as
   (a) satirical   (b) metaphysical   (c) superstitious   (d) metaphorical   Temi

4. From the passage the writer seems to imply that the expression “scent blind” is
   (a) comparative   (b) anomalous   (c) innocuous   (d) ambiguous

5. Which of the following is true according to the passage
   (a) certain well-trained dogs can understand comparative psychology   (b). human noses are grossly underdeveloped
   (c) the human brain is complex and has wrinkled surface   (d) the description of human perception is problematic

6. I’ve just heard the news that two of our students ------- kidnapped   (a) are being   (b) had been   (c) being   (d) have been

7. Tade ------- his clothes out to dry   (a) hanged   (b) has hung   (c) have hung   (d) has hanged

8. I can vouch for his honesty; I have always found him ------- and carefully observant of the truth.
   (a) Plausible   (b) volatile   (c) veracious   (d) arbitrary

9. Perhaps because he feels ------- by an excess of parental restrictions and rules, at adolescence the repressed child may
   break out dramatically   (a) nurtured   (b) confined   (c) librated   (d) fascinated.

Choose the word that has a different Stress Pattern from the others

10. (a) result   (b) ratify   (c) taxi   (d) famous

11. (a) ability   (b) revivalist   (c) quadruplicate   (d) registration

12. (a) comment   (b) workshop   (c) technique   (d) caution

13. (a) candidate   (b) calculate   (c) interesting   (d) concerted

Choose the option which is nearest in meaning to the sentences in each of the following questions.

14. We visited the home of one boy. That’s the boy I mean.
   (a) That’s the boy whom we visited his home   (b) That’s the boy whose home we visited   (c) That’s the boy to whose
   home we visited   (d) That’s the boy whom we visited the home.

15. The dog was limping. It appeared that one of its legs might have been injured
   (a) The dog was limping as if it had an injured leg   (b) The dog was limping as it had an injured leg   (c) The dog
   was limping so it had an injured leg   (d) The dog was limping so as it had an injured leg

16. I can walk that distance and have done so many times   (a) I am used to walk that distance   (b) I used to walk that
   distance   (c) I used to walking that distance   (d) I am used to walking that distance

17. For all he cared, his parents might have been dead for years.  (a) Although concerned about his parents, he had
   been unable to find out if they were alive. (b) He cared for no-one except his parents, and it was possible that they
   had died long before  (c) He did not care whether his parents were alive or had died long before   (d) He was
   concerned about everyone, not just about his parents who might have died long before

Choose the option which is opposite in meaning to the word or phrase in italics

18. The string was taut   (a) stretched   (b) loose   (c) firm   (d) tight

19. The diminutive figure bounces over the track with unfathomable lightness
   (a) irresistibility   (b) predictable   (c) invigorating   (d) impressive
20. The teacher announced that the class would be making a fleeting visit to the Zoo
   (a) long (b) routine (c) brief (d) guided
21. We intend to make the reception a diurnal event. (a) an annual (b) a weekly (c) a nightly (d) a short
22. The permanent Secretary left his job under a cloud
   (a) with a clear record (b) on a sunny day (c) in disgrace (d) on a cloudy day
23. It is surprising that this politician has now turned renegade (a) militant (b) loyal (c) quiet (d) corrupt
24. Some equatorial areas have a sultry climate. (a) A temperate (b) An inclement (c) A stable (d) A hot
25. Updating the Board’s brochure is an arduous task (a) An annual (b) An easy (c) A regular (d) a difficult
26. Ali wondered why the principal was ambivalent about the students’ future.
   (a) Decisive (b) inconsiderate (c) Anxious (d) Ambitious
27. The journalist’s write-up contained a plethora of detail
   (a) Simplicity (b) Spectrum (c) Shortage (d) Complexity
Choose the option nearest in meaning to the word or phrase in italics
28. The presence of the captain makes the sailors ill at ease (a) sickly (b) impatient (c) easily ill (d) uncomfortable
29. Okonkwo manages his household with a heavy hand
   (a) like a heavyweight champion (b) like a powerful dictator (c) using the cane on every occasion
   (d) without tolerating weaknesses
30. Ibro shows enough liberality with his meager income
   (a) prodigality (b) insensitivity (c) generosity (d) frugality
31. The press described the efforts of the government in pejorative terms
   (a) contemptible (b) critical (c) superlative (d) palpable
32. The witness provided a monstrous account of the event. (a) supportive (b) tragic (c) shocking (d) verbatim
33. Adamu is rather meddlesome in dealing with his friends
   (a) impertinent (b) intimidating (c) quarrelsome (d) uncaring
34. After the meeting I read a leer on his face as he looked at the woman.
   (a) satisfying meaning (b) bad look (c) pleasant disposition (d) poor smile
35. The judge emphasized his morbid desires in his judgment
   (a) inordinate (b) uncritical (c) ravenous (d) unpleasant
36. The recommended novel has a convoluted theme.
   (a) a simple (b) an attractive (c) a disgusting (d) a complicated
Choose the option that best completes the gap(s)
37. They ------ wet if they had gone out in the rain (a) would get (b) would have got (c) will have got (d) had got
38. When I came in, I ------ (a) laid on the floor (b) lie on the floor (c) lain on the floor (d) lay on the floor
39. Either the teacher or the students ------- to blame (a) is (b) are (c) has being (d) are being
40. You should anticipate and prepare for changes ------- in your office.
   (a) that has taken place (b) which takes place (c) taking place (d) that would take place
41. The scholar examined ------- of the subject.
   (a) three a part analysis (b) a part-three analysis (c) a three-part analysis (d) three part analysis
SECTION B: GENERAL PAPER

1. One of the following is not necessary in school administration (a) planning (b) control (c) supervision (d) adaptation
2. The central essence of democratizing education is to increase (a) teachers’ roles (b) curriculum content (c) access (d) imbalance
3. The national policy on education came into existence in (a) 1982 (b) 1977 (c) 1976 (d) 1969
4. The main feature of the Junior Secondary School in Nigeria is the (a) use of mother tongue (b) comprehensive nature (c) unified curriculum (d) pre-vocational content
5. The implementation of UPE in Nigeria started in (a) 1974 (b) 1975 (c) 1976 (d) 1979
6. Cognitive learning is a major feature of (a) informal schools (b) formal schools (c) non-formal schools (d) private schools
7. The first school in Nigeria was established in (a) 1955 (b) 1905 (c) 1860 (d) 1842
8. Functional education is ultimately (a) lifelong (b) qualitative (c) adaptive (d) political
9. The use of electronics in teaching is referred to as (a) computerization (b) on-line instruction (c) pedagotronics (d) interning
10. Education in Sparta was noted for its (a) gracefulness (b) democracy (c) sportsmanship (d) militancy
11. Both cognitivists and behaviourists schools agree on (a) changes in the cognitive structure (b) the learner being a passive organism (c) behaviour change as the most significant aspect in learning (d) provision of suitable environment for learning
12. A system which accepts information from its interfacing system and is capable of adapting to new circumstances is --- (a) communicating system (b) a closed system (c) a receiving system (d) an open system
13. At the base of the cone of experience, direct purposeful experiences can be enhanced by the use of (a) real objects or specimen (b) pictures, maps and photography (c) TV, CCTV and VCR (d) radio and audio cassettes
14. The SMCR Model of communication was developed by (a) Shannon and Weaver (b) David Berlo (1969) (c) Harold Lasswell (d) Robert Gayne (1965)
15. The model of communication which explains human communication using the principles of telecommunication was developed by (a) David Berlo (1969) (b) Harold Lasswell (c) Shannon and Weaver (1948) (d) Robert Gayne (1965)
16. One of the following is not a teacher’s professional duties which extend beyond formal teaching (a) Accompanying students on field trips (b) Organisation of school functions (c) Preparing homework, assessment and assignment (d) Supervision of extracurricular activities
17. Students with IQ between ---- are classified as slow learners (a) 65 and 70 (b) 70 and 75 (c) 70 and 85 (d) 80 and 85
18. A ----- test can be used to identify gifted and talented learners (a) Scholastic Aptitude (b) Verbal Aptitude (c) Quantitative Aptitude (d) Vocational inventory
19. A learning technique which focuses on memorization of materials so that learners can recall exactly the same way it was read or heard is (a) dialogic learning (b) rote learning (c) cognitive learning (d) non-formal learning
20. The three domains of learning suggested by Benjamin Bloom are --- (a) tangential, dialogic and rote (b) informal, formal and non-formal (c) cognitive, psychomotor and affective (d) cognitive, tangential and dialogic
21. Which of the following is not a material illustration? (a) Diagrams (b) models (c) specimen (d) actual objects
22. In multiple choice items, the alternatives refer to (a) stem and distractors (b) stem and key (c) key and answers (d) key and distractors
23. A discipline model where there is absence of any degree of imposition of external standard or control on individual conduct is referred to as ---- (a) authoritarian (b) democratic (c) laissez-faire (d) theoractic
24. A test can fulfill any of the following functions except (a) motivate students to study (b) determine how much the students have learned (c) a war between the teacher and students (d) determine the student’s special ability
25. The major aim of observation in an observational technique is to see and describe human behaviour in a (a) natural setting (b) Hawthorne setting (c) structured setting (d) unstructured setting
26. The reliability of a test instrument is usually expressed as a coefficient ranging from (a) -3 to +3 (b) -2 to +2 (c) -1 to +1 (d) +1 to 0
27. In a test-retest method of establishing reliability the correlation coefficient obtained is called the coefficient of (a) stability (b) equivalence (c) consistency (d) objectivity
28. Which of the following is an example of an inferential statistics? (a) Mean (b) Variance (c) Standard deviation (d) Chi-square
29. The following are major subfields of modern psychology except (a) educational psychology (b) principal psychology (c) comparative psychology (d) developmental psychology
30. One of the following belongs to the group of psychologists known as the behaviourists (a) Sigmund Freud (b) Carl Rogers (c) B.F. Skinner (d) Jean Piaget
31. The various subfields of psychologists are in agreement that age and maturation to a large extent determine (a) effectiveness of learning outcomes (b) ineffectiveness of learning outcomes (c) solid economic status (d) success in life
32. The various personality theories are grouped under the following except (a) psychological (b) behavioural (c) psychodynamic (d) humanistic
33. In Maslow’s hierarchy of needs which one of these needs is at the bottom? (a) safety needs (b) physiological needs (c) needs for self actualization (d) aesthetic needs
34. Given that $\log_{10} 5 = 0.699$ and $\log_{10} 3 = 0.477$, find $\log_{10} 15$ without using Mathematical tables (a) 1.076 (b) 2.43 (c) 1.176 (d) 1.23
35. A bottle of malt cost three times as much as a bottle of mirinda. If 5 bottles of malt and 4 bottles of mirinda cost ₦380.00 altogether how much does a bottle of malt cost? (a) ₦90 (b) ₦80 (c) ₦60 (d) ₦40
36. A characteristic that distinguishes bryophytes from flowering plant is the (a) absence of vascular tissues (b) ability to grow in moist habitats (c) possession of true stem and leaves (d) ability to reproduce asexually
37. Which of the following structures is common to euglena, white blood cells and amoeba? (a) vacuole (b) cell membrane (c) chloroplast (d) cell wall
38. The World Health Organisation (WHO) is an agency of the (a) Organisation of African Unity (OAU) (b) Economic Community of West African State (ECOWAS) (c) Commonwealth of Nations (d) United Nations Organisation (UNO)
39. The economic and social Council of the United Nations Organisation (UNO) is made up of (a) 25 members (b) 26 members (c) 27 members (d) 28 members
SECTION I: ENGLISH

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow.

The endeavour to maintain proper standards of fairness in journalism must be pursued. It is fatally easy for the journalist to deviate from the strength path. There is his natural desire to ‘make a story’, and insidious temptation to twist facts to square with his paper’s policy. Both are as indefensible as the framing of misleading headlines for the sake of effect. The conscientious journalist must check any tendency to bias, and guard against the dangers inherent in personal antipathies or friendships, and in traditional opposition between rival schools of thought. When a political opponent, whose stupidity habitually provokes attack, make an effective speech, honesty requires that he be given credit for it. Where personal relationships might make it easier and more congenial to keep silent than to criticize, the journalist must never forget his duty to the public and the supreme importance of recording the truth.

1. When may a journalist have to act against his own inclination?
   (a) When his friends act stupidly.  (b) When he becomes weak and decrepit
   (c) When his enemies make a mistake (d) when his political opponents frame misleading

2. A journalist would be able to uphold the tenets of his profession if   (a) he seeks publicity (b) he tries to achieve
   popularity  (c) he resists temptation to bias (d) he can manipulate his story to please his employers

3. Insidious (line 2) means  (a) Subtle  (b) wicked  (c) natural  (d) unusual

4. A dutiful journalist must  (a) read widely  (b) have political acumen  (c) make no enemies but friends
   (d) be able to recognise merit wherever found

5. The duty of the Journalist to the public entails  (a) giving credit to his political enemies  (b) Keeping quiet when
   necessary  (c) trying to make a story     (d) telling the truth

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

I began work at the smithy on the Monday morning. My wages were half a crown a week. My hours were from six in the morning till six at night, with an hour’s break for lunch. My boss, Boeta Dick, was a tall, bent, reedy consumptive. He had
a parched yellow skin, drawn tight over his jutting bones. His cheeks were so sunken it was as though he were permanently sucking them in. His eyes were far back in his head. He coughed violently, and besides his seat was a bucket of sand into which he spat. Changing the sand daily was the only part of my job I hated. The smithy was divided into two parts. At one end were the machines that cut shaped, and put the tins together. The men who worked on the machines were on a regular weekly wage. At the other end was a row of small furnaces, each with its own bellows and pile of fuel. Here at each furnace, a man sat soldering the seams of the tins as they came from the machines. The solderers were on piece-work. To average two or three pounds a week they had to do a mountainous amount of soldering. Each solder had a boy to cart the tins from the machines to him, then to smear the seams of each tin with sulphur powder so that they lead too easily, and, after checking, to cart the tins out of the yard where the Lorries collected them.

6. The boss, Boeta Dick, can be described as being (a) skinny (b) hard working (c) ambitious (d) a Chinees

7. Boeta Dick spat in the bucket because
   (a) he was sick (b) he had a dirty habit (c) he coughed (d) the smithy smelled badly

8. Without the solderers in the smithy (a) no work can be done (b) the boss will go into debt
   (c) the products cannot be completed (d) the boss will be unhappy

9. The solderers received (a) occasional money for their work (b) too much for their work
   (c) just enough for their work (d) not so much as their work demanded

10. Sulphur powder was added to (a) beautify the tin (b) complete the manufacture (c) strengthen the tin
    (d) satisfy the boss.

Fill in the blank in the following sentences making use of the best of the five options

11. The Chairman ruled the impertinent speaker...
    (a) according to order (b) out of order (c) contrary to order (d) disorderly

12. The way to stop some frivolous publications is to .... the press (a) gag (b) shackle (c) fetter (d) handcuff

13. He bought a typewriter with a view .... to type (a) to learning (b) to learn (c) to be learning (d) to be learnt

14. Had he know in advance, he ... (a) should prepare for the interview (b) was going to prepare for the interview
    (c) would have prepared for the interview (d) will have been preparing for the interview

15. As a pioneer, he ..... the institution from his own resources (a) found and funded (b) founded and funded
    (c) was finding and funding (d) Had found and funded

16. If ..... one day we would talk about it for weeks (a) a lion would be coming into this room
    (b) a lion was coming into this room (c) a lion came into this room (d) a lion is coming into this room

17. Some people think that ............ are potentially a nuisance (a) parent in law (b) parents in law (c) parents in laws
    (d) parent in laws

18. ........ several bad air crashes recently (a) There is (b) They are (c) There were (d) There have been

19. Have you paid your taxes up to date? The tax collector inquired if ..... (a) you have paid your taxes up to date
    (b) I had paid my taxes up to date (c) I paid my taxes up to date (d) have I paid my taxes up to date

20. The passenger waited patiently whilst they transferred his ......... from the taxi to the bus (a) properties
    (b) baggages (c) Luggage (d) Luggages

Choose the option nearest in meaning to the underline word(s) or phrase(s)

21. Ngozi and Ekaete were fast friends when we were in the secondary school
    (a) friends who run very quickly together (b) friends who go without food for a long time together
(c) friends who are not easily separated from each other. (d) friends who spend too much time and energy on pleasure and excitement

22. The policeman looked at the face of the robber and saw tell-tale signs of dyed-in-the-wool convict (a) hardened (b) remorseless (c) heady (d) hardhearted

23. The senior prefect had to carry the can because he refused to identify the culprit (a) dispose the can of refuse (b) accept responsibility (c) be made one of the scapegoats (d) bear the brunt

24. Adah has not been regular at lectures because she has been off colour (a) gloomy (b) trying to hide her bleached skin (c) slightly sick (d) upset

25. The builder’s taste reflected superfluous grandeur (a) excellent (b) superlative (c) expensive (d) too much

Choose the most appropriate option opposite in meaning to the underline word(s)

26. The lecturer was merely obfuscating the issue with his endless examples. (a) complicating (b) clarifying (c) confusing (d) summarizing

27. Such measures end up exacerbating the pain (a) aggravating (b) increasing (c) eliminating (d) alleviating

28. The elderly often fulminate against the apparent indolence (a) protest bitterly about (b) complain seriously about (c) promote vigorously (d) commend warmly

29. We should discourage further investment on existing factories (a) productive (b) prosperous (c) prospective (d) precious

30. Nigeria is gradually experiencing economic recession (a) birth (b) discovery (c) recovery (d) destruction

In each of the questions below choose the word that does not have the same vowel sound as the others

31. (a) Even (b) People (c) Wind (d) Key

32. (a) Log (b) Toil (c) Enjoy (d) Rejoice

33. (a) Bale (b) plait (c) saint (d) gate

34. (a) Fight (b) Die (c) Rice (d) Granite

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19. A Nigeria citizen can only be deprived of his citizenship if he is (a) condemned to death (b) convicted by a court of law
(c) an armed robber (d) married to foreigner

20. The following are the key factors which influence Nigeria’s foreign relations except
(a) peaceful co-existence (b) economic
dependence (c) non-interference (d) respect for territorial integrity

21. The two most important governors of the four Kanem Borno Provinces were the
(a) Yerima and Waziri (b) Waziri and Galadima  (c) Yerima and Galadima (d) Kaigama and Yerima

22. The eldest of the Hausa State is (a) Katsina (b) Kano (c) Biram (d) Rano

23. .......... Is the title of the Commander-in-Chief of the army in Old Oyo empire
(a) Galadima (b)Etsu (c) Are-Onatakanfo  (d) Kaigama

24. The ruling Mai of Borno during the Fulani jihad against the empire was
(a) Mai Dunam (b) Mai Ahmed (c) Mai Idris (d) Mai Idris Alooma

25. Alhaji Umar belonged to the-------- Islamic brotherhood (a) Quadiriyya (b) Tijaniyya (c) Sonusiyya (d) Wahhabiyya

26. Which of the 19th century Islamic jihads in West Africa prepared inspiration for the other jihads? (a) The Sokoto jihad
(b) The Massina jihad (c) The Takulor jihad (d) The Bambara jihad

27. Which of the following mostly accounted for the revenue of the Niger Delta States before 1807?
   (a) Trade in palm oil (b) trade in slaves (c) industrial production of goods and services (d) tributes from weaker states

28. Which of the 19th century Yoruba civil wars is commonly referred to as the sixteen year war?
   (a) the Owu-Ife war (b) the Ijaye-Ibadan war (c) the Kirinji war (d) the Ijebu war

29. Which of the following is not one of the new towns that emerged as a result of the 19th century Yoruba civil wars?
   (a) Modakeke (b) Ife (c) Abeokuta (d) Ibadan

30. The first court of Equity to be established in Niger Delta was at
   (a) New Calabar (Kalabari) (b) Akassa (c) Old Calabar (d) Bonny

31. The law of corban among the Jews is the practice of
   (a) dedicating their lives to the service of God (b) dedicating their properties to God (c) dedicating their first born male to God (d) training into levitical priesthood

32. Jesus commended the healed leper to go and show himself to the priest because
   (a) Leprosy is a contagious disease (b) the priest is the leper’s spiritual leader (c) he had been sending anybody healed to the priest (d) the law demanded it.

33. Which of the following material is not associated with painting?
   (a) intaglio (b) lithograph (c) Squeegee (d) armature

34. A painting process that is applied on a zinc, plastic and aluminium is called ....... print
   (a) intaglio (b) lithograph (c) relief (d) silkscreen

35. An artist who specializes in book cover illustrations and poster designs is called
   (a) cartoonist (b) an advertiser (c) a designer (d) a graphist

36. The figurative device that gives human attribute to inanimate things is called .......
   (a) metonym (b) euphemism (c) Personification (d) simile

37. Which of the following statement best describes comedy?
   (a) a play which is boring (b) a play in which the hero is a clown (c) a play which makes us weep (d) a play which makes us laugh

38. Poetry is essentially different from drama because ............
   (a) it involves many characters (b) it uses many words (c) it uses heroes and heroines (d) it is an elevated language

39. Dramatic irony entails ..........
   (a) appraisal of the audience (b) a satirical statement (c) a statement that means more than is evident to the speaker (d) a hilarious statement

40. The persons who take part in a play are sometimes referred to as .......... (a) dramatis personae (b) comedians (c) audience (d) dramatists

41. The main distinguishing feature of literature is that ...........
   (a) it is relevant to life (b) It tells untrue stories (c) It deals with exciting events (d) It presents fictional accounts of human experience

42. “Though nothing can bring the hour of splendour in the grass, of glory in the flower; we will grieve not, rather find strength in what remains behind ........ (William Wordsworth). The above lines convey a sense of
   (a) nostalgia (b) dejection uneasy acceptance (d) deep distress

43. “O murderous slumber layest thou thy ladder mace upon my boy ........ that plays thee music?” The quoted lines above is an example of
   (a) simile (b) allusion (c) metonymy (d) personification

44. Pick the odd one out ............ (a) rhyme (b) repetition (c) paragraphs (d) metre
45. “if winter comes can spring be far behind?” The literary device used above is ...........
   (a) apostrophe    (b) rhetoric    (c) poetic    (d) allegory

46. Point of view is a technique that is commonly associated with...................
   (a) characterization    (b) narrative    (c) plot    (d) atmosphere

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Find \( x \) when \( t = 1/3 \)
(a) 81 (b) 27 (c) 1/9 (d) 1/27

18. If \( \sin x \) equals \( \cos x \), what is \( x \) in radians?
(a) \( x/2 \) (b) \( x/3 \) (c) \( x/4 \) (d) \( x/6 \)

19. The ratio of the price of a loaf of bread to the price of a packet of sugar in 1975 was \( r : f \). In 1980 the price of a loaf went up by 25% and that of a packet of sugar by 10%. Their new ratio is now.
(a) \( 40r : 50t \) (b) \( 44r : 50t \) (c) \( 50r : 44t \) (d) \( 55r : 44t \)

20. Find a two-digit number such that three times the tens digit is 2 less than twice the units digit, and twice the number is 20 greater than the number obtained by reversing the digits.
(a) 24 (b) 42 (c) 74 (d) 47

21. Find the value of \( x \) satisfying \( x/2 - 1/3 < 2x/5 + 1/6 \)
(a) \( x < 5 \) (b) \( x > 7\frac{1}{2} \) (c) \( x < 7\frac{1}{2} \) (d) \( x < -5 \)

22. The developed part of the embryo that makes contact with the uterine wall is known as the (a) chorion (b) amnion (c) placenta (d) umbilical cord

23. The menstrual cycle is controlled by …..
(a) ovum maturation (b) copulation (c) ovulation (d) gonadotropins and ovarian hormones

24. Which of the following statement is not true of vegetative reproduction? (a) Offspring obtain food reserve from their parents (b) colonisation of new area is slow (c) New varieties are not produced (d) None of the above

25. The following are scientists who contributed to the cell theory except (a) Robert Brown (b) Felix du Jardin (c) Robert Hooke (d) Matthias Schleiden

26. Which of the following statement is correct? (a) Excretory structure of organisms vary in complexity (b) Urine is the only excretory product of animal (c) Nephridium is the excretory organ in insects (d) In insects, the Malpighian tubules take part in feeding only

27. Which of the following groups embraces the rest? (a) Class (b) Kingdom (c) Phylum (d) Species

28. Which of the following pairs of organisms are photosynthetic? (a) Amoeba and paramecium (b) Volvox and Rhizopus (c) Chlamydomonais and Euglena (d) Nostoc and Plasmodium

29. Which of the following statement about mutation is true? (a) The genotype is not affected (b) The genotype is affected (c) The phenotype is not affected (d) It cannot be induced by artificial mean

30. Which of the following is NOT classified as terrestrial habitat? (a) Desert (b) Afro-Alpine (c) Littoral zone (d) Forest

31. A dry indehiscent fruit containing one seed and possessing a hairy pappus is described
(a) a nut (b) a berry (c) an achene (d) a drupe

32. The bicuspid valve is located between the----- (a) left auricle and left ventricle (b) right auricle and right ventricle (c) left and right auricle (d) left and right ventricle

33. Which of the following organisms will have the highest biomass (a) small fish (b) Hawk (c) Phytoplankton (d) Tadpole

34. The passage of nerve impulse across a synapse is facilitated by the secretion of (a) insulin (b) thyroxine (c) acetylcholine (d) progesterone

35. The concave shape of bird’s wing during flight ensures that the greater pressure under the wings will (a) lift the bird so that it can remain airborne (b) enables the pectoral muscle to contract (c) change the direction of the bird (d) counter the effect of gravity

36. The site for the production of ATP in a cell is -- (a) cytoplasm (b) mitochondria (c) Golgi body (d) ribosome
37. Under high pressure real gases do not obey gas law because their molecules (a) have become more energetic (b) have become less energetic (c) have become smaller in size (d) decompose into atoms

38. Which of the following statement is an exception in the assumption of the Kinetic theory of gases? (a) Gases are composed of many elastic particles (b) The particles are of negligible size (c) The particles are in constant random motion (d) The particles are of negligible mass

39. Fats and oils are (a) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol (b) Condensation products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol (c) Addition products of long-chain fatty acids and alkali (d) None of the above

40. Zn + 2HCl \( \rightarrow \) ZnCl\(_2\) + H\(_2\) The rate of the above reaction will be greatly increased if (a) The zinc is in the powder form (b) a greater volume of the acid is used (c) a smaller volume of the acid is used (d) The reaction vessel is immersed in an ice-bath

41. A heavy object is suspended from a string and lowered into water so that it is completely submerged. The object appears lighter because (a) the density of water is less than that of the object (b) the pressure is low just below the water surface (c) it experiences an upthrust (d) the tension in the string neutralizes part of the weight

42. Which of the following is a derived unit? (a) Kilogramme (b) metre (c) Kelvin (d) Newton

43. When a box of mass 45kg is given an initial speed of 5ms\(^{-1}\) it slides along a horizontal floor a distance of 3m before coming to rest. What is the coefficient of the kinetic friction between the box and the floor? \((g = 10\text{ms}^{-2})\) (a) 5/6 (b) 5/12 (c) 1/3 (d) 2/3

44. When two objects P and Q are supplied with the same quantity of heat, the temperature change in P is observed to be twice that of Q. The mass of P is half that of Q. The ratio of the specific heat capacity of P to Q is (a) 1 : 4 (b) 4 : 1 (c) 1 : 1 (d) 2 : 1

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19. \(P\) varies directly as the square of \(q\) and inversely as \(r\). If \(p = 36\) when \(q = 3\) and \(r = 4\), find \(p\) when \(q = 5\) and \(r = 2\) (a) 72 (b) 100 (c) 90 (d) 200

20. A straight line \(y = mx\) meets the curve \(y = x^2 - 12x + 40\) in two distinct points. If one of them is (5,5) find the other. (a) (5,6) (b) (8,8) (c) (8,5) (d) (7,7)

21. Tunde and Shola can do a piece of work in 18 days. Tunde can do it alone in \(x\) days. Whilst Shola takes 15 days longer to do it alone. Which of the following equations is satisfied by \(x\)? (a) \(x^2 - 5x - 18 = 0\) (b) \(x^2 - 20x + 360 = 0\) (c) \(x^2 - 21x - 270 = 0\) (d) \(x^2 + 42x - 190 = 0\)

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23. Find a factor which is common to all three binomial expressions \(4a^2 - 9b^2\), \(8a^3 + 27b^3\), \((4a + 6b)^2\) (a)4a + 6b (b) 4a-6b (c) 2a + 5b (d) 2a -3b

24. Taking the period of daylight on a certain day to be from 5.30am to 7.00pm. calculate the periods of daylight and of darkness on that day. (a) 187°30’, 172°30’ (b) 135° 225° (c) 202°30’, 157° 30’ (d) 195° 165°

25. Earthquake shocks are recorded by a delicate instrument called (a) radar (b) clinometers (c) altimeter (d) seismograph

26. The term ‘geoid’ means (a) earth shaped (b) spherical shaped (c) round shaped (d) orange shaped
27. The axis of the earth is inclined to the plane of its ecliptic at angle of (a) 23½\(^0\) (b) 66½\(^0\) (c) 90\(^0\) (d) 66\(^0\)  
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37. The slope of the demand curve does not reflect (a) changes in weather (b) the law of diminishing marginal utility (c) substitution effect (d) income effect  
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44. Judicial independence means that (a) judges are above the law (b) judges can do no wrong (c) the judiciary is responsible to the people (d) judges are not influenced in the discharge of their duties  
45. The concept of decentralization includes all the following elements except (a) deconcentration (b) devolution (c) delimitation (d) deligation  
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18. If sine x equals cosine x, what is x in radians? (a) x/2 (b) x/3 (c) x/4 (d) x/6
19. The ratio of the price of a loaf of bread to the price of a packet of sugar in 1975 was r : f. In 1980 the price of a loaf went up by 25% and that of a packet of sugar by 10%. Their new ratio is now.
20. Find a two-digit number such that three times the tens digit is 2 less than twice the units digit, and twice the number is 20 greater than the number obtained by reversing the digits.

(a) 24  (b) 42  (c) 74  (d) 47

21. Find the value of x satisfying \( \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{3} < 2x/5 + \frac{1}{6} \)

(a) \( x < 5 \)  (b) \( x > 7\frac{1}{2} \)  (c) \( x < 7\frac{1}{2} \)  (d) \( x < -5 \)

22. Two cars X and Y start at the same point and travel towards a point P which is 150km away. If the average speed of Y is 60km per hour and X arrives at P 25 minutes earlier than Y. What is the average speed of X?

(a) 51\frac{3}{9} \text{ km per hour}  (b) 72\text{ km per hour}  (c) 37\frac{1}{2} \text{ km per hour}  (d) 66 \text{ km per hour}

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(a) the density of water is less than that of the object.  (b) the pressure is low just below the water surface  (c) it experiences an upthrust  (d) the tension in the string neutralizes part of the weight

27. Which of the following is a derived unit?

(a) Kilogramme  (b) metre  (c) Kelvin  (d) Newton

28. When a box of mass 45kg is given an initial speed of 5ms\(^{-1}\) it slides along a horizontal floor a distance of 3m before coming to rest. What is the coefficient of the kinetic friction between the box and the floor? (g =10ms\(^{-2}\))

(a) \( \frac{5}{6} \)  (b) \( \frac{5}{12} \)  (c) \( \frac{1}{3} \)  (d) \( \frac{2}{3} \)

29. When two objects P and Q are supplied with the same quantity of heat, the temperature change in P is observed to be twice that of Q. The mass of P is half that of Q. The ratio of the specific heat capacity of P to Q is

(a) 1 : 4  (b) 4 : 1  (c) 1 : 1  (d) 2 : 1

30. A man clapping his hands at regular intervals observes that the echo of a clap coincides with the next clap. If the reflecting cliff is 160m away and the speed of sound is 320ms\(^{-1}\), what is the frequency of the clapping?

(a) 1 Hz  (b) 2 Hz  (c) 4 Hz  (d) 8 Hz

31. 22,000 J of heat is required to raise the temperature of 1.5kg of paraffin from 20°C. Calculate the specific heat capacity of paraffin.

(a) 1466Jkg\(^{-1}\)C\(^{-1}\)  (b) 2933Jkg\(^{-1}\)C\(^{-1}\)  (c) 4400Jkg\(^{-1}\)C\(^{-1}\)  (d) 5866Jkg\(^{-1}\)C\(^{-1}\)

32. In which of the following are the substances arranged in descending order of their thermal conductivities?

(a) Copper, steel, glass  (b) Steel, Copper, glass  (c) steel, glass, Copper  (d) Copper, glass, steel

33. The resistance of a wire of length 0.8m and area 2\times10\(^{-7}\)m\(^2\) is found to be 40Ohms. Calculate the resistivity of the material.

(a) 1\times10^7\Omega\text{m}  (b) 1\times10^5\Omega\text{m}  (c) 1\times10^9\Omega\text{m}  (d) 1\times10^6\Omega\text{m}

34. The complex salt formed when aluminium dissolves in Sodium hydroxide solution is

(a) Na\(_2\)Al(OH)\(_4\)  (b) Na\(_2\)Al(OH)\(_3\)  (c) NaAl(OH)\(_3\)  (d) NaAl(OH)\(_4\)

35. In the redox reaction represented by the following equation  \( \text{Cu}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{(s)} + \text{Zn}^{(aq)} \)

(a) The oxidation number of copper increases  (b) Copper (ii) ion is reduced to copper atom  (c) Zinc atom is reduced to Zn ion  (d) Copper (ii) ion donates electrons to Zinc atom

36. A current of 40 amperes was passed through Copper (ii) tetraoxosulphate (vi) solution for one hour using copper...
electrode. What was the mass of copper deposited?
(a) 32g  (b) 48g  (c) 64g  (d) 48g

37. Which of the following compounds will form a solution if exposed to the air
(a) Na₂CO₃ 10H₂O  (b) NaNO₃  (c) CuSO₄  (d) CaCl₂

38. Under high pressure real gases do not obey gas law because their molecules
(a) have become more energetic  (b) have become less energetic  (c) have become smaller in size  (d) decompose into atoms

39. Which of the following statement is an exception in the assumption of the Kinetic theory of gases?
(a) Gases are composed of many elastic particles  (b) The particles are of negligible size
(c) The particles are in constant random motion  (d) The particles are of negligible mass

40. Fats and oils are
(a) addition products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol  (b) Condensation products of long-chain fatty acids and glycerol
(c) Addition products of long-chain fatty acids and alkali  (d) None of the above

41. Zn + 2HCl → ZnCl₂ + H₂. The rate of the above reaction will be greatly increased if
(a) The zinc is in the powder form  (b) a greater volume of the acid is used  (c) a smaller volume of the acid is used  (d) The reaction vessel is immersed in an ice-bath

42. The sun’s surface temperature is approximately
(a) 9000°C  (b) 6000°C  (c) 600°C  (d) 7500°C

43. The circumference of the earth is approximately
(a) 10,761 km  (b) 12,803 km  (c) 40,084 km  (d) 150,000 km

44. The approximate distance of the earth from the sun is
(a) 57,600,000 km  (b) 107,200,000 km  (c) 148,800,000 km  (d) 772,800,000 km

45. What is the longitudinal location of place “X” with local time 4.30 pm, when it is 11.30 GMT?
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From the options A to D, identify the one most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined words.

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2. The doctor was acquitted after being ______ by a female patient of seducing her. (a) sentenced (b) defended (c) accused (d) discharged
3. She was a very proficient hair dresser but had little aptitude for sew in which she was _______ (a) unskilled (b) unlearned (c) ignorant (d) awkward
4. At school, John was industrious, whereas his brother was ______ (a) underdeveloped (b) jobless (c) indolent (d) unresponsive
5. The general said that raw troops were not good, he needed _____ veterans. (a) baked (b) processed (c) seasoned (d) roasted

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As soon as I took the newspaper from the -6-, I quickly -7- through the pages, and stopped at the sports page. There, the picture of Marvin Hagler, the boxer attracted me. He was preparing for the -8- of his title. The -9- harped on Hagler’s previous fight and -10- an easy victory over his -11-. I then read through the -12- which usually states the paper’s opinion on current issues. The -13- were very many, with some of them taking up full pages. There was only one -14- by an artist whose intention was clearly to -15- readers.
6. trader dealer vendor painter
7. perused studied stared flipped
8. victory attack protection defence
9. correspondent writer editor publisher
10. predicted prophesied imagined expressed
11. antagonist opponent protagonist attacker
12. communiqué propaganda editorial resolution
13. commercials announcements advertisement exhibits
14. drawings cartoon sketch caricature
15. amuse abuse annoy stimulate

In each of the following questions, the primary stress is indicated by writing the syllable on which it occurs in capital letters. From the words lettered A to D, choose the one that has the correct stress.

16. dedication (a) DED.i.ca.tion (b) ded.I.ca.tion (c) ded.i.CA.tion (d) ded.i.ca.TION
17. officialdom (a) of.fi.CIA.l.dom (b) of.Fl.cia.dom (c) OF.fi.cial.dom (d) of.fi.cial.DOM
18. exhibition (a) ex.HI.bi.tion (b) EX.hi.bi.tion (c) ex.hi.BI.tion (d) ex.hi.bi.TION
19. unwillingness (a) UN.will.ing.ness (b) un.WILL.ing.ness (c) un.will.ING.ness (d) un.will.ing.NESS

After each of the sentences below, a list of possible interpretations of the underlined part of the sentence is given. Identify the option that best explains the underlined part.

20. The chief used to dress quite expensively, but he is very down at heel now. (a) is wearing sandals (b) doesn’t bother about his appearance (c) is very poorly dressed (d) is much smarter than he used to be.
21. The student came boldly to the front of the class and began to explain from where the teacher had left off, but was soon out of his depth. (a) forced to leave the class (b) in great difficulty (c) being attacked on all sides (d) being praised for his courage
22. Unlike the Vice Principal, the Principal always fights shy of punishing anybody. (a) takes delight (b) never hesitates (c) fears (d) avoids
23. He didn’t realise it but not many of even the more experienced employees could hold a candle to him. (a) give him light (b) were more skillful than he was (c) experience really helps (d) were experts

24. My friend will hate his uncle forever because he left him in the lurch in his hour of need. (a) disinherited him (b) left him in a sick state (c) punished him (d) abandoned him

25. I will suggest that we both go over the plans for tomorrow’s activities. (a) ignore (b) examine (c) amend (d) implement

From the options lettered A to D, choose the one that is nearly the same in meaning to the underlined word.

26. The groom was described as a man of alluring personality. (a) intricate (b) remarkable (c) charming (d) trustworthy

27. The complainant was not happy with the decision of the court. (a) solicitor (b) accused (c) plaintiff (d) witness

28. Mrs Jacob plays the piano with great dexterity. (a) pride (b) force (c) skill (d) wisdom

29. Ojo’s gallantry was noticed during the recent communal crisis. (a) bravery (b) kindness (c) rascality (d) disobedience

30. The culprit must be punished. (a) mason (b) delinquent (c) prig (d) angel

From the words lettered A to D, choose the word that best completes each of the following sentences.

31. When the two women started fighting, the man who tried to _______ was knocked down. (a) intrude (b) interpose (c) intervene (d) obstruct

32. The journalists saw that she was _______ and although they admired her, they also hated her. (a) a young career ruthless woman (b) a career young ruthless woman (c) a young career ruthless woman (d) a ruthless young career woman

33. They are advertising _______ drink. (a) a soft new carbonated appetising (b) a new appetising soft carbonated (c) an appetising new carbonated soft (d) an appetising carbonated new soft

34. You are entitled to a bigger share of the profits, but not _____ my expense. (a) on (b) at (c) with (d) from

35. While the worshippers closed their eyes in prayer, a thief _____ with the collection. (a) made out (b) made away (c) made up (d) made through

36. No sooner had we started the journey _____, we had a flat tyre. (a) then (b) that (c) when (d) than

37. Maryam is a clever girl _____ parents are both well educated. (a) her (b) whose (c) who’s (d) who her

38. In order to separate the two boys, the policeman stood ___ them. (a) with (b) against (c) among (d) between
39. If Veronica failed the examination, she _____ (a) shall repeat  (b) would repeat  (c) will repeat  (d) would repeat

40. The elite _____ many fine ideas to suggest to government.  (a) have  (b) has  (c) think up  (d) is having

SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

1. According to _____________, the leading specialist in African language certification, there are only five independent language families in Africa. (a) Joseph Greenberg  (b) Ayo Banjo  (c) Francis Egbokhare  (d) Harrison Greenland

2. The most famous of the wondering scholars, whose influence eventually spread throughout the western Sudan, was ________________  (a) Tijanniya Ahmed  (b) Uthman dan Fodio  (c) Abdullahi Agades  (d) Ahmadu Bello

3. ______________ was the first warrior king of Benin Kingdom, who launched the state on the path of conquest, expansion and empire-building in the 15th century.  (a) Oba Ozolua  (b) Oba Ewuare  (c) Oba Esigie  (d) Oba Orhogbua

4. Indirect rule in colonial Nigeria was introduced by ________________  (a) Sir John Macpherson  (b) Sir Oliver Lyttleton  (c) Sir Hugh Clifford  (d) Sir Frederick Lugard

5. In ____________ in Lagos, the Nigerian Youth Movement (NYM) was formed and put forward a charter which sought to encourage national feeling in Nigeria and demanded self-determination and Africanisation.  (a) 1932  (b) 1933  (c) 1934  (d) 1935

6. European powers met in _________ to discuss their interests in Africa in the second half of the 19th century.  (a) Berlin  (b) Paris  (c) London  (d) Barcelona

7. At independence in 1960, the federal government of Nigeria was led by ___________  (a) Queen Elizabeth II  (b) Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe  (c) Chief Obafemi Awolowo  (d) Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa

8. The proclamation of the Republic of Biafra was made on ________________  (a) 30th May, 1967  (b) 15th July, 1967  (c) 1st August, 1967  (d) 18th September, 1967

9. The driving force at the 1945 Pan-African Conference in London was supplied by the energy of two men, ________________  (a) King George V and Prince Harry  (b) William Boyd and Steven Ross  (c) Kwame Nkrumah and George Padmore  (d) Ben Moore and George Washington

10. The Charter of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) was signed on ____________  (a) 25th August, 1955  (b) 17th August, 1975  (c) 26th May, 1963  (d) 18th May, 1993

11. ______________ has been adopted by the African Union as one of the Pan-African languages and has been proposed as a future lingua franca for Africa.  (a) Mandinka language  (b) English language  (c) Yoruba language  (d) Swahili language

12. The evidence that one of King Solomon’s wives was an African is recorded in ____________  (a) Proverbs  (b) Song of Solomon  (c) Chronicles  (d) Revelation
13. The coming of ___________ in the seventh century was responsible for the eclipse of Christianity in the Maghreb and Nubia. (a) Judaism  (b) Islam  (c) Hindu  (d) Hebrew

14. The ___________ were the first European power to sail into the Indian Ocean from the South, through the Cape. (a) Spanish  (b) British  (c) French  (d) Portuguese

15. The apartheid system in South Africa collapsed in _______________ (a) 1984  (b) 1994  (c) 2004  (d) 2014

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SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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45. (a) predicted  (b) prophesied  (c) imagined  (d) expressed
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After each of the sentences below, a list of possible interpretations of the underlined part of the sentence is given. Identify the option that best explains the underlined part.

55. The chief used to dress quite expensively, but he is very down at heel now.  (a) is wearing sandals   (b) doesn’t bother about his appearance   (c) is very poorly dressed   (d) is much smarter than he used to be.
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58. He didn’t realise it but not many of even the more experienced employees could hold a candle to him.  (a) give him light   (b) were more skilful than he was   (c) experience really helps   (d) were experts
59. My friend will hate his uncle forever because he left him in the lurch in his hour of need.  (a) disinherit him   (b) left him in a sick state   (c) punished him   (d) abandoned him
60. I will suggest that we both go over the plans for tomorrow’s activities.  (a) ignore   (b) examine   (c) amend   (d) implement

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64. Ojo’s gallantry was noticed during the recent communal crisis. (a) bravery (b) kindness (c) rascality (d) disobedience

65. The culprit must be punished. (a) mason (b) delinquent (c) prig (d) angel

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68. They are advertising _______ drink. (a) a soft new carbonated appetising (b) a new appetising soft carbonated (c) an appetising new carbonated soft (d) an appetising carbonated new soft

69. You are entitled to a bigger share of the profits, but not _____ my expense. (a) on (b) at (c) with (d) from

70. While the worshippers closed their eyes in prayer, a thief _____ with the collection. (a) made out (b) made away (c) made up (d) made through

71. No sooner had we started the journey _____, we had a flat tyre. (a) then (b) that (c) when (d) than

72. Maryam is a clever girl _____ parents are both well educated. (a) her (b) whose (c) who’s (d) who her

73. In order to separate the two boys, the policeman stood ___ them. (a) with (b) against (c) among (d) between

74. If Veronica failed the examination, she _____. (a) shall repeat (b) would repeat (c) will repeat (d) would repeat

75. The elite ____ many fine ideas to suggest to government. (a) have (b) has (c) think up (d) is having

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SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

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112. Unlike the Vice Principal, the Principal always fights shy of punishing anybody.  (a) takes delight   (b) never hesitates   (c) fears   (d) avoids
113. He didn’t realise it but not many of even the more experienced employees could hold a candle to him.  
(a) give him light  
(b) were more skilful than he was  
(c) experience really helps  
(d) were experts

114. My friend will hate his uncle forever because he left him in the lurch in his hour of need.  
(a) disinherited him  
(b) left him in a sick state  
(c) punished him  
(d) abandoned him

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(a) ignore  
(b) examine  
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(d) implement

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(b) accused  
(c) plaintiff  
(d) witness

118. Mrs Jacob plays the piano with great dexterity.  
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(b) force  
(c) skill  
(d) wisdom

119. Ojo’s gallantry was noticed during the recent communal crisis.  
(a) bravery  
(b) kindness  
(c) rascality  
(d) disobedience

120. The culprit must be punished.  
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(c) an appetising new carbonated soft  
(d) an appetising carbonated new soft

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(a) on  
(b) at  
(c) with  
(d) from

125. While the worshippers closed their eyes in prayer, a thief _____ with the collection.  
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(b) made away  
(c) made up  
(d) made through

126. No sooner had we started the journey _____, we had a flat tyre.  
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(b) that  
(c) when  
(d) than

127. Maryam is a clever girl _____ parents are both well educated.  
(a) her  
(b) whose  
(c) who’s  
(d) who her
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(c) among  (d) between

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will repeat (d) would repeat

The elite ____ many fine ideas to suggest to government. (a) have (b) has (c) think  
up (d) is having

SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

51. __________ are legally imposed minimum prices usually above the market equilibrium  
price. (a) Price floors (b) Price ceilings (c) Administered prices (d) market prices

52. __________ exists when a formed organization of producers within the industry is  
established to take over certain management decisions and functions of individual firms. (a)  
Oligopoly (b) Monopoly (c) Cartel (d) Duopoly

53. In instituting minimum wage laws, the government aims to ________________ (a)  
improve the standard of living of the masses at the lower tail of the income strata  (b) curtail  
the exploitation of the relatively immobile labour class (c) increase the buying power of the  
low income families (d) all of the above

54. When we take the first derivative of the total cost function, we obtain ____________ (a)  
average cost (b) marginal cost (c) simple cost (d) diminishing cost

55. Marginal efficiency of capital is __________ (a) the lowest rate of return expected from an  
additional unit of a capital asset over its cost. (b) the highest rate of return expected from an  
additional unit of a capital asset over its cost (c) the lowest rate of return expected from the  
total unit of a capital asset (d) the highest rate of return expected from the total unit of a  
capital asset

56. Under the classical theory, unemployment results from ________________ (a) the  
rigidity in the wage structure (b) the interference in the working of free market system in the  
form of trade union legislation, minimum wage legislation (c) options (a) and (b)  (d) none of the  
above

57. Disequilibrium in balance of payments of a country may be caused by ____________ (a)  
changes in exchange rates (b) changes in national income (c) price changes (d) all of the  
above

58. The price of one currency in terms of another currency is ________ (a) exchange rate  
(b) inflation rate (c) swap rate (d) drift rate

59. __________ is a systematic record of all its economic transactions with the outside world in  
a given year. (a) Balance of payments account (b) Balance of trade (c) Gross National  
Product (d) Exchangeable record

60. The history of accounting is traceable to ____________ (a) Abraham Lincoln (b) Robert  
Mugabe (c) Luca Pacioli (d) John Luck

61. __________ is a mathematical relationship between what a business owns and what a  
business owes. (a) Assets (b) Liabilities (c) Balance sheet (d) Profit and loss account
62. If sales = ₦30,000; cost of sales = ₦15,000 and other expenses = ₦8,200, then find the gross profit and net profit, respectively. (a) ₦16,800; ₦15,000  (b) ₦15,000; ₦15,800  (c) ₦45,000; ₦6,800  (d) ₦15,000; ₦6,800

63. In an imprest system, the total amount expended in a period is ₦9,730, while the reimbursement is ₦1,370. What is the float? (a) ₦8,360  (b) ₦11,100  (c) ₦10,000  (d) I do not know

64. _______________ is ‘an unconditional order in writing addressed by one person to another, signed by the giving it requiring the person to whom it is addressed to pay on demand or at a fixed or determinable future time, a sum certain in amount to or the order of specified person or to bearer’. (a) Negotiable instrument  (b) Warranty  (c) Bill of lading  (d) Bill of exchange

65. _______________ is a reduction in the catalogue price of an article, given by a wholesaler or manufacturer to a retailer. (a) Trade discount  (b) Cash discount  (c) Settlement discount  (d) Bulk discount

66. Sociology of Education essentially focuses on _______________ (a) socioeconomic status of members of the society  (b) resolutions of gender issues in the society  (c) influences of the society on school and vice versa  (d) arranging roles or responsibilities to school leavers


68. The minimum teaching qualification approved by the government of Nigeria is _______________ (a) TC II  (b) NCE  (c) B.Ed.  (d) Diploma in Education

69. The government parastatal that supply and control primary education in Nigeria is known as _______________ (a) Universal Basic Education Commission  (b) National Primary Education Commission  (c) Local Education Authority  (d) None of the above

70. Philosophy of education is intended to _______________ (a) cover what education is all about  (b) create the logical purity and sequence in the body of knowledge  (c) options (a) and (b)  (d) none of the above

71. The agency that regulates the establishment, management and funding of colleges of education in Nigeria is the _______________ (a) Federal Ministry of Establishment and Manpower  (b) National Commission for Colleges of Education  (c) Federal National Council on Education  (d) none of the above

72. The memory process encompasses _______________ (a) encoding and storage processes only  (b) encoding, storage and retrieval processes only  (c) encoding, storage, retrieval and feedback processes only  (d) none of the above

73. Operant conditioning theory was propounded by _______________ (a) B.F. Skinner  (b) Pavlov  (c) Thorndike  (d) John Dewey

74. Behavioural objectives in lesson note are written in actionable words such as: (a) know, understand, show, help, draw, list  (b) draw, list, identify, sing, dance  (c) come, go, carry, draw, list  (d) all of the above

75. In writing lesson note, (a) the demographics of the students are compulsory  (b) explanation of the lesson presentation is compulsory  (c) evaluation of the lesson and use of teaching aids are not necessarily compulsory  (d) both options (a) and (b) are correct
76. The following are the qualities of a good teacher except (a) dress flamboyantly (b) talk very loud (c) comport him/herself very well (d) punctual at classes

77. The following are sources of financing public primary education in Nigeria except (a) payment of school fees (b) support from PTA (c) donations (d) school business ventures

78. The following are examples of records kept in the school (a) logbook, staff meeting minutes book (b) lesson note, lesson plan, teacher salary structure (c) logbook, lesson note, time book (d) all of the above

79. The approved class size for Nigerian secondary schools is (a) 1:30 (b) 1:35 (c) 1:40 (d) options (a) and (c)

80. The purpose of education is to (a) speak English fluently (b) solve mathematics problems quickly (c) acquire skills to function and survive in the society (d) earn good salary and allowances

81. Learning occurs when (a) a learner passes his/her examinations (b) desirable changes occur in behaviour (c) a learner is able to read and write (d) all of the above

82. All are agents of socialization except (a) home (b) church (c) government (d) peer groups

83. _____________ is not a descriptive statistic (a) t-test (b) standard deviation (c) mean (d) range

84. The following are measures of central tendencies except (a) variance (b) mean (c) mode (d) median

85. The first university to be established in Nigeria is the (a) University of Nigeria, Nsukka (b) University of Lagos, Akoka (c) University of Ibadan, Ibadan (d) University of Benin, Benin City

86. Given the sets \( A = \{ x: x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0 \} \) and \( B = \{ x: x = 2n + 1, \text{ } n \text{ is an integer} \} \), find \( A \cap B \).
   (a) \{ 1, 2 \} (b) \{ 1, 3, 4 \} (c) \{ 1 \} (d) \emptyset

87. If \( x^2 - xy - 6y^2 = 0 \), find the values of \( \frac{x}{y} \).
   (a) 3, -4 (b) -2, 3 (c) -5, 4 (d) -2, -5

88. Solve the equations \( x + y = 5 \) and \( x^2 + y^2 = 13, x < y \).
   (a) 2, 5 (b) 3, 4 (c) 2, 3 (d) 1, 6

89. Solve \( 2^{x^2} + 4(2^x) - 32 = 0 \).
   (a) -8 (b) 4 (c) 6 (d) 2

90. Solve the equation \( \log_{10}(3x^2 + 8) = 1 + \log_{10}\left(\frac{x}{2} + 1\right) \).
   (a) -3, 2 (b) -2, \frac{1}{3} (c) -\frac{1}{3}, 2 (d) -2, 3

91. According to ____________, the leading specialist in African language certification, there are only five independent language families in Africa.
   (a) Joseph Greenberg (b) Ayo Banjo (c) Francis Egbokhare (d) Harrison Greenland

92. The most famous of the wondering scholars, whose influence eventually spread throughout the western Sudan, was ____________
   (a) Tijanniya Ahmed (b) Uthman dan Fodio (c) Abdullahi Agades (d) Ahmadu Bello
93. ____________ was the first warrior king of Benin Kingdom, who launched the state on the path of conquest, expansion and empire-building in the 15th century. (a) Oba Ozoluwa (b) Oba Ewuare (c) Oba Esigie (d) Oba Orhogbua

94. The driving force at the 1945 Pan-African Conference in London was supplied by the energy of two men, ________________ (a) King George V and Prince Harry (b) William Boyd and Steven Ross (c) Kwame Nkrumah and George Padmore (d) Ben Moore and George Washington

95. The Charter of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) was signed on __________ (a) 25th August, 1955 (b) 17th August, 1975 (c) 26th May, 1963 (d) 18th May, 1993

96. ______________ has been adopted by the African Union as one of the Pan-African languages and has been proposed as a future lingua franca for Africa. (a) Mandinka language (b) English language (c) Yoruba language (d) Swahili language

97. The evidence that one of King Solomon’s wives was an African is recorded in __________ (a) Proverbs (b) Song of Solomon (c) Chronicles (d) Revelation

98. The coming of __________ in the seventh century was responsible for the eclipse of Christianity in the Maghreb and Nubia. (a) Judaism (b) Islam (c) Hindu (d) Hebrew

99. The __________ were the first European power to sail into the Indian Ocean from the South, through the Cape. (a) Spanish (b) British (c) French (d) Portuguese

100. The apartheid system in South Africa collapsed in ________________ (a) 1984 (b) 1994 (c) 2004 (d) 2014
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DIRECT ENTRY SCREENING EXERCISE 2014/2015

Friday, September 26th, 2014
Total Time Allowed: 1 hour

Name _______________________________   JAMB Reg. No. _______________________

Read the following instructions carefully:

xiii. use HB pencil only and shade in your names. Ensure that any shading in error is thoroughly erased.

xiv. candidates should write their full names (surname first), JAMB registration number, sex, JAMB score, course of first choice and the paper type given to them, in the appropriate spaces on the answer sheet.

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143. She was a very proficient hair dresser but had little aptitude for sew in which she was _________  (a) unskilled  (b) unlearned  (c) ignorant  (d) awkward

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145. The general said that raw troops were not good, he needed ______ veterans. (a) baked  (b) processed  (c) seasoned  (d) roasted

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As soon as I took the newspaper from the -16-, I quickly -17- through the pages, and stopped at the sports page. There, the picture of Marvin Hagler, the boxer attracted me. He was preparing for the -18- of his title. The -19- harped on Hagler’s previous fight and -20- an easy victory over his -21-. I then read through the -22- which usually states the paper’s opinion on current issues. The -23- were very many, with some of them taking up full pages. There was only one -24- by an artist whose intention was clearly to -25- readers.

(a)  (b)  (c)  (d)
146. trader  dealer  vendor  painter

147. perused  studied  stared  flipped

148. victory  attack  protection  defence

149. correspondent  writer  editor  publisher

150. predicted  prophesied  imagined  expressed

151. antagonist  opponent  protagonist  attacker

152. communiqué  propaganda  editorial  resolution

153. commercials  announcements  advertisement  exhibits
In each of the following questions, the primary stress is indicated by writing the syllable on which it occurs in capital letters. From the words lettered A to D, choose the one that has the correct stress.

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SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

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2. Vitamin ______ improves eyesight. (a) K (b) A (c) D (d) B

3. Safety in the kitchen starts from ________ (a) allowing children into the kitchen (b) interring the floor with peels from floors (c) mopping up all liquid spills on the floor immediately (d) putting on high heel shoes

4. Household equipments are classified into ____________ (a) brooms and brushes (b) vacuum cleaners and carpet sweeper (c) mechanical and electrical equipment (d) dish washes and mashing machine

5. The human ear is divided into ________ parts. (a) four (b) three (c) one (d) five

6. ________ is one of the benefits of consumer education. (a) It enables the consumer to obtain the best value for his money (b) Engage in lime purchase (c) Engage in impulsive buying (d) Enables the consumers to buy cheap commodities

7. In educational measurement, which of these is considered a measure of students’ achievement? (a) Observation (b) Interview (c) Questionnaire (d) Essay

8. In designing a test blueprint for pupils in primary one, the highest member of items should be at the ________ level. (a) knowledge (b) understanding (c) application (d) interpretation

9. In an examination hall, the following except one is needed. (a) Invigilator (b) Supervisor (c) Attendant (d) Security guard

10. The test used to measure students personality include ____________ (a) quantitative aptitude (b) verbal aptitude (c) interest (d) special ability

11. Which of these scales has absolute zero? (a) Nominal (b) Ordinal (c) Interval (d) Ratio

12. Which of these is not a measure of central tendency? (a) Mean (b) Median (c) Variance (d) Mode

13. The age bracket of adolescence is ____________ (a) 6 – 12 years (b) 12 – 18 years (c) 18 – 40 years (d) 14 – 19 years

14. In Maslow’s hierarchy of needs, the first to be satisfied is ________ (a) psychological needs (b) social needs (c) safety needs (d) self-esteem needs

15. One pointer to poor home environment as inhibiting learning is ____________ (a) lateness to school (b) restlessness in class (c) noise making (d) non-completion of assignment

16. When the teacher has a large content area to cover, the preferred method of teaching is ________ (a) demonstration (b) discussion (c) peer intoring (d) lecture

17. In Jean Piaget theory of intellectual development, the pre-operational stage is between ________ years. (a) 0 – 2 (b) 2 – 7 (c) 8 – 11 (d) 12 and above
18. The teaching method that encourages students active participation in the learning process is __________. (a) field trip  (b) inquiry  (c) demonstration  (d) team teaching
19. The following is an example of non-conventional method of teaching.  (a) Lecture  (b) Demonstration  (c) Brainstorming  (d) projects
20. What type of test is most assured to objective scoring?  (a) Essay  (b) Matching  (c) Completion  (d) Multiple choice
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22. If  $x^2 - xy - 6y^2 = 0$, find the values of $\frac{x}{y}$.
   (a) 3, -4  (b) -2, 3  (c) -5, 4  (d) -2, -5
23. Simplify $(1 + \tan^2 x)(1 - \sin^2 x)$. (a) $\sec^2 x$  (b) $\cos^2 x$  (c) 2  (d) 1
24. If  $S_n = n^2 - n + 1$, find the 5th term.  (a) 8  (b) 21  (c) 13  (d) 15
25. Find the radius of the circle described by the equation $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 24x + 12y + 11 = 0$.  (a) $\frac{7\sqrt{3}}{3}$  
   (b) 4  (c) 2  (d) 11
26. If $f(x) = (3x - 2)(x^2 + 3)$, find $f'(0)$.  (a) -4  (b) 0  (c) 9  (d) 3
27. A box contains 40 identical discs, some red and the rest white. If a disc is drawn at random, the probability that it is red is $\frac{1}{4}$. How many more red discs must be added to make the probability of red disc being picked equals $\frac{1}{3}$?  (a) 4  (b) 5  (c) 6  (d) 7
28. Evaluate the determinant

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\begin{vmatrix}
2 & 7 & 5 \\
4 & 6 & 3 \\
8 & 9 & 1 
\end{vmatrix}
\]

(a) -21  (b) 30  (c) 27  (d) 38
29. Evaluate $\int x^2 e^x dx$.  
   (a) $\frac{x^3}{3} e^x + c$  (b) $e^x (x^2 - 2x + 2) + c$  (c) $e^x + c$  (d) $e^x (x^2 + 1) + c$
30. The mean of the numbers 1, 3, $x$, $y$, 10, 15 is 7 and their standard deviation is $\sqrt{21}$. Find $x^2 + y^2$.  (a) 85  (b) 13  (c) 16  (d) 48
31. Give the dimension of the equation $E = MC^2$, where $C$ is the speed of light.  (a) $MLT^{-1}$  
   (b) $M^{-1}LT^{-1}$  (c) $ML^2T^{-2}$  (d) $M^2LT^2$
32. Two small spheres separated 20m apart have equal charges. How many excess electrons must be present on each sphere if the experienced a repulsive force of $2.30\times10^{-22}$.  (a) 20,000  (b) 19,955  (c) 20,955  (d) 18,600
33. A load of 400Ω is connected via a potential divider of resistance of 800Ω, to a 10V supply. What is the potential difference across the load when the slider is one quarter way up the divider?  (a) 1.11V  (b) 1.12V  (c) 1.82V  (d) 1.16V

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34. A material in which light travels at the same speed in all direction is called ______ (a) polar material (b) isotropic material (c) homotropic material (d) caustic material

35. A luminous object and a screen are 2.5cm apart. What is the focal length of the lens which will throw upon the screen an image of the object magnified 24 times? (a) 0.11 cm (b) 0.10cm (c) 0.09cm (d) 0.08cm

36. A prism that has an apex angle of 50° is made up of material with \( n = 2.20 \), what is the angle of minimum deviation? (a) 32.02° (b) 86.80° (c) 22.5° (d) 68.40°

37. A wave is described by \( y = 15 \sin(10x - 50t) \), where \( x \) and \( y \) are in cm. Find the phase velocity. (a) 0.033ms\(^{-1}\) (b) 0.05ms\(^{-1}\) (c) 0.52ms\(^{-1}\) (d) 0.025ms\(^{-1}\)

38. The inducement offers to the floor of current in an electric circuit is referred to as ______ (a) resistivity (b) conductivity (c) conductance (d) all of the above

39. What form of curve is used to represent the half-life of a radioactive sample? (a) Hyperbolic decay curve (b) Exponential decay curve (c) Sine wave curve (d) Cosine curve

40. The equation of motion of a point mass is given as \( 8\ddot{x} + 7\dot{x} + 20x = \cos(5t - \phi) \). Find the resonance frequency. (a) 0.78rad/s (b) 0.92rad/s (c) 0.64rad/s (d) 0.56rad/s

41. The general formula for alkanols is _____ (a) \( C_nH_{2n} \) (b) \( C_nH_{2n+1}OH \) (c) \( C_nH_{2n+2}OH \) (d) \( C_nH_{2n-2}OH \)

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DIRECT ENTRY SCREENING EXERCISE 2014/2015

Friday, September 26th, 2014
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64. Household equipments are classified into ____________ (a) brooms and brushes (b) vacuum cleaners and carpet sweeper (c) mechanical and electrical equipment (d) dish washes and mashing machine

65. The human ear is divided into ________ parts. (a) four (b) three (c) one (d) five
66. ______ is one of the benefits of consumer education. (a) It enables the consumer to obtain
the best value for his money (b) Engage in hire purchase (c) Engage in impulsive buying
(d) Enables the consumers to buy cheap commodities
67. In educational measurement, which of these is considered a measure of students’ achievement?
(a) Observation (b) Interview (c) Questionnaire (d) Essay
68. In designing a test blue print for pupils in primary one, the highest member of items should be
at the ______ level. (a) knowledge (b) understanding (c) application (d) interpretation
69. In an examination hall, the following except one is needed. (a) Invigilator (b) Supervisor (c) Attendant (d) Security guard
70. The test used to measure students personality include _________ (a) quantitative aptitude
(b) verbal aptitude (c) interest (d) special ability
71. Which of these scales has absolute zero? (a) Nominal (b) Ordinal (c) Interval (d) Ratio
72. Which of these is not a measure of central tendency? (a) Mean (b) Median (c) Variance (d) Mode
73. The age bracket of adolescence is _____________ (a) 6 – 12 years (b) 12 – 18 years (c) 18 – 40 years (d) 14 – 19 years
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(b) social needs (c) safety needs (d) self-esteem needs
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to school (b) restlessness in class (c) noise making (d) non-completion of assignment
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__________ (a) demonstration (b) discussion (c) peer intoring (d) lecture
77. In Jean Piaget theory of intellectual development, the pre-operational stage is between ______
years. (a) 0 – 2 (b) 2 – 7 (c) 8 – 11 (d) 12 and above
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______________ (a) field trip (b) inquiry (c) demonstration (d) team teaching
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From the options A to D, identify the one most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined words.

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(a)  (b)  (c)  (d)
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267. perused  studied  stared  flipped
268. victory  attack  protection  defence
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270. predicted  prophesied  imagined  expressed
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SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

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313. In order to separate the two boys, the policeman stood ___ them. (a) with  (b) against  
(c) among  (d) between
314. If Veronica failed the examination, she _____. (a) shall repeat  (b) would repeat  (c) 
will repeat  (d) would repeat
315. The elite ____ many fine ideas to suggest to government. (a) have  (b) has  (c) think up  
(d) is having

From the options A to D, identify the one most nearly opposite in meaning to the underlined words.

316. Abimbola is a very sturdy child, but his sister Simisola is _________  (a) puny  (b) 
incapable  (c) powerless  (d) decrepit
317. The doctor was acquitted after being ______ by a female patient of seducing her. (a) 
sentenced  (b) defended  (c) accused  (d) discharged
318. She was a very proficient hair dresser but had little aptitude for sew in which she was 
_______  (a) unskilled  (b) unlearned  (c) ignorant  (d) awkward
319. At school, John was industrious, whereas his brother was ______  (a) underdeveloped 
(b) jobless  (c) indolent  (d) unresponsive
320. The general said that raw troops were not good, he needed ____ veterans.  (a) baked 
(b) processed  (c) seasoned  (d) roasted

In the following passage, the numbered gaps indicate missing words. Against each number in the list 
below the passage, four options are offered in columns lettered A to D. For each question, choose the 
option that is the most suitable to fill the numbered gap in the passage.

As soon as I took the newspaper from the -31-, I quickly -32- through the pages, and stopped at the 
sports page. There, the picture of Marvin Hagler, the boxer attracted me. He was preparing for the -33- 
of his title. The -34- harped on Hagler’s previous fight and -35- an easy victory over his -36-. I then 
read through the -37- which usually states the paper’s opinion on current issues. The -38- were very 
many, with some of them taking up full pages. There was only one -39- by an artist whose intention 
was clearly to -30- readers.

(a)  (b)  (c)  (d)

321. trader  dealer  vendor  painter
322. perused  studied  stared  flipped
323. victory  attack  protection  defence
324. correspondent  writer  editor  publisher
325. predicted  prophesied  imagined  expressed
326. antagonist  opponent  protagonist  attacker
SUBJECT: GENERAL PAPER

1. According to _____________, the leading specialist in African language certification, there are only five independent language families in Africa. (a) Joseph Greenberg (b) Ayo Banjo (c) Francis Egbohfare (d) Harrison Greenland

2. The most famous of the wondering scholars, whose influence eventually spread throughout the western Sudan, was ________________ (a) Tijanniya Ahmed (b) Uthman dan Fodio (c) Abdullahi Agades (d) Ahmadu Bello

3. _______________ was the first warrior king of Benin Kingdom, who launched the state on the path of conquest, expansion and empire-building in the 15th century. (a) Oba Ozolua (b) Oba Ewuare (c) Oba Esigie (d) Oba Orhogbua

4. Indirect rule in colonial Nigeria was introduced by ______________ (a) Sir John Macpherson (b) Sir Oliver Lyttleton (c) Sir Hugh Clifford (d) Sir Frederick Lugard

5. In __________ in Lagos, the Nigerian Youth Movement (NYM) was formed and put forward a charter which sought to encourage national feeling in Nigeria and demanded self-determination and Africanisation. (a) 1932 (b) 1933 (c) 1934 (d) 1935

6. European powers met in __________ to discuss their interests in Africa in the second half of the 19th century. (a) Berlin (b) Paris (c) London (d) Barcelona

7. At independence in 1960, the federal government of Nigeria was led by __________ (a) Queen Elizabeth II (b) Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe (c) Chief Obafemi Awolowo (d) Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa

8. The proclamation of the Republic of Biafra was made on ________________ (a) 30th May, 1967 (b) 15th July, 1967 (c) 1st August, 1967 (d) 18th September, 1967

9. The driving force at the 1945 Pan-African Conference in London was supplied by the energy of two men, ________________ (a) King George V and Prince Harry (b) William Boyd and Steven Ross (c) Kwame Nkrumah and George Padmore (d) Ben Moore and George Washington

10. The Charter of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) was signed on __________ (a) 25th August, 1955 (b) 17th August, 1975 (c) 26th May, 1963 (d) 18th May, 1993

11. ______________ has been adopted by the African Union as one of the Pan-African languages and has been proposed as a future lingua franca for Africa. (a) Mandinka language (b) English language (c) Yoruba language (d) Swahili language

12. The evidence that one of King Solomon’s wives was an African is recorded in __________ (a) Proverbs (b) Song of Solomon (c) Chronicles (d) Revelation
13. The coming of ________ in the seventh century was responsible for the eclipse of Christianity in the Maghreb and Nubia. (a) Judaism (b) Islam (c) Hindu (d) Hebrew

14. The _________ were the first European power to sail into the Indian Ocean from the South, through the Cape. (a) Spanish (b) British (c) French (d) Portuguese

15. The apartheid system in South Africa collapsed in ____________ (a) 1984 (b) 1994 (c) 2004 (d) 2014

16. _________ are legally imposed minimum prices usually above the market equilibrium price. (a) Price floors (b) Price ceilings (c) Administered prices (d) market prices

17. _________ exists when a formed organization of producers within the industry is established to take over certain management decisions and functions of individual firms. (a) Oligopoly (b) Monopoly (c) Cartel (d) Duopoly

18. In instituting minimum wage laws, the government aims to _______________ (a) improve the standard of living of the masses at the lower tail of the income strata (b) curtail the exploitation of the relatively immobile labour class (c) increase the buying power of the low income families (d) all of the above

19. When we take the first derivative of the total cost function, we obtain ____________ (a) average cost (b) marginal cost (c) simple cost (d) diminishing cost

20. Marginal efficiency of capital is ____________ (a) the lowest rate of return expected from an additional unit of a capital asset over its cost. (b) the highest rate of return expected from an additional unit of a capital asset over its cost (c) the lowest rate of return expected from the total unit of a capital asset (d) the highest rate of return expected from the total unit of a capital asset

21. Under the classical theory, unemployment results from _________________ (a) the rigidity in the wage structure (b) the interference in the working of free market system in the form of trade union legislation, minimum wage legislation (c) options (a) and (b) (d) none of the above

22. Disequilibrium in balance of payments of a country may be caused by ____________ (a) changes in exchange rates (b) changes in national income (c) price changes (d) all of the above

23. The price of one currency in terms of another currency is ____________ (a) exchange rate (b) inflation rate (c) swap rate (d) drift rate

24. ____________ is a systematic record of all its economic transactions with the outside world in a given year. (a) Balance of payments account (b) Balance of trade (c) Gross National Product (d) Exchangeable record

25. The history of accounting is traceable to _________________ (a) Abraham Lincoln (b) Robert Mugabe (c) Luca Pacioli (d) John Luck

26. ____________ is a mathematical relationship between what a business owns and what a business owes. (a) Assets (b) Liabilities (c) Balance sheet (d) Profit and loss account

27. If sales = ₦30,000; cost of sales = ₦15,000 and other expenses = ₦8,200, then find the gross profit and net profit, respectively. (a) ₦6,800; ₦15,000 (b) ₦15,000; ₦7,800 (c) ₦45,000; ₦6,800 (d) ₦15,000; ₦6,8000
28. In an imprest system, the total amount expended in a period is N9,730, while the reimbursement is N1,370. What is the float?  (a) N8,360   (b) N11,100   (c) N10,000   (d) I do not know

29. __________ is ‘an unconditional order in writing addressed by one person to another, signed by the giving it requiring the person to whom it is addressed to pay on demand or at a fixed or determinable future time, a sum certain in amount to or the order of specified person or to bearer’.  (a) Negotiable instrument   (b) Warranty   (c) Bill of lading   (d) Bill of exchange

30. __________ is a reduction in the catalogue price of an article, given by a wholesaler or manufacturer to a retailer.  (a) Trade discount   (b) Cash discount   (c) Settlement discount   (d) Bulk discount

31. __________ are expenses incurred or services enjoyed during an accounting period but which have not yet been paid for.  (a) Prepayments   (b) Accrued expenses   (c) Capital expenditures   (d) Revenue expenditures

32. A business purchased a fixed asset at a cost of N10,000. Its expected useful life is 3 years and its estimated residual is N2,160. If the cost of depreciation rate is 40% on reducing balance basis, what is the depreciation in year 3?  (a) N1,440   (b) N4,000   (c) N2,400   (d) N2,160

33. Income and expenditure account is equivalent to __________  (a) profit and loss account   (b) trading account   (c) balance sheet   (d) value added

34. Discounts allowed are given to ________, while discount received are obtained from the __________  (a) creditors and debtors   (b) debtors and creditors   (c) debtors and suppliers   (d) clients and customers

35. __________ shows the relationship between various prices of a commodity and the quantity purchased per unit time.  (a) Supply schedule   (b) Demand schedule   (c) Indifference curve   (d) Indifference map

36. Given the sets \[ A = \{ x : x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0 \} \] and \[ B = \{ x : x = 2n + 1, \ n \text{ is an integer} \}, \] find \( A \cap B \).  (a) \{1, 2\}   (b) \{1, 3, 4\}   (c) \{1\}   (d) \emptyset

37. If \( x^2 - xy - 6y^2 = 0 \), find the values of \( \frac{x}{y} \).  (a) 3, -4   (b) -2, 3   (c) -5, 4   (d) -2, -5

38. Solve the equations \( x + y = 5 \) and \( x^2 + y^2 = 13, \ x < y \).  (a) 2, 5   (b) 3, 4   (c) 2, 3   (d) 1, 6

39. Solve the equation \( \log_{20}(3x^2 + 8) = 1 + \log_{20}\left(\frac{x}{2} + 1\right) \).  (a) -3, 2   (b) -2, \frac{1}{3}   (c) -\frac{1}{3}, 2   (d) -2, 3

40. Find \( a \) if \( \sqrt[3]{3} = \sqrt[3]{3a}, \) where \( a \) is a whole number.  (a) 24   (b) 15   (c) 8   (d) 3

41. If \( S_n = n^2 - n + 1 \), find the 5th term.  (a) 8   (b) 21   (c) 13   (d) 15
42. Find the limiting value of the sequence defined as \( T_n = 2 - \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{5} \right)^{n-1} \), as \( n \to \infty \). (a) \( \frac{1}{5} \) (b) \(-\frac{1}{2}\) (c) \(-\frac{1}{10}\) (d) \( \frac{1}{2}\)

43. If \( f(x) = (3x - 2)(x^2 + 3) \), find \( f'(0) \). (a) \(-4\) (b) \(0\) (c) \(9\) (d) \(3\)

44. A committee of two men and three women is to be chosen from five men and four women. How many different committees can be formed? (a) \(10\) (b) \(4\) (c) \(40\) (d) \(5\)

45. If the expansion of \((1+8x)^4\) is used to obtain the value \(\left( \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{5} \right)^8\), find the value of \(x\). (a) \(\frac{1}{100}\) (b) \(\frac{27}{25}\) (c) \(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{25}\) (d) \(\frac{9}{24}\)

46. A box contains 40 identical discs, some red and the rest white. If a disc is drawn at random, the probability that it is red is \(\frac{1}{4}\). How many more red discs must be added to make the probability of red disc being picked equals \(\frac{1}{3}\)? (a) \(4\) (b) \(5\) (c) \(6\) (d) \(7\)

47. Evaluate the determinant \(\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 & 3 \\ 8 & 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix}\). (a) \(-21\) (b) \(30\) (c) \(27\) (d) \(38\)

48. If \( A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}\), find the transpose of \( A^2 \). (a) \(\begin{pmatrix} 16 & 49 \\ 25 & 4 \end{pmatrix}\) (b) \(\begin{pmatrix} 51 & 42 \\ 30 & 39 \end{pmatrix}\) (c) \(\begin{pmatrix} 51 & 30 \\ 42 & 39 \end{pmatrix}\) (d) \(\begin{pmatrix} 16 & 25 \\ 49 & 4 \end{pmatrix}\)

49. Evaluate \(\int x^2 e^x \, dx\).
   (a) \(\frac{x^3}{3} e^x + c\) (b) \(e^x (x^2 - 2x + 2) + c\) (c) \(e^x + c\) (d) \(e^x (x^2 + 1) + c\)

50. The mean of the numbers \(1, 3, x, y, 10, 15\) is \(7\) and their standard deviation is \(\sqrt{21}\). Find \(x^2 + y^2\). (a) \(85\) (b) \(13\) (c) \(16\) (d) \(48\)