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1. Who recently became 161st member of WTO?

- a) Yemen
- b) Seychelles
- c) Tajikistan
- d) Ukraine

2. Which city became the 17th city to be designated as world book capital recently by UNESCO?

- a) New Delhi
- b) Bangkok
- c) Conakry
- d) Wroclaw

3. HRIDAY Scheme of Government of India is being implemented in how many identified cities of India?

- a) 8
- b) 6
- c) 12
- d) None of the above

4. 'INCH towards Miles' which was recently in news refers to relation between

- a) India and China
- b) SAARC countries
- c) India and Pakistan
- d) India, Nepal and China

5. 'United Stock Exchange' is India's newest stock exchange. The main area of operations of this stock exchange is

- a) Currency Futures
- b) Share & Securities
- c) Copper & Metal Futures
- d) Commodities Futures

6. Find out the incorrect rank combination among defence forces:

	Army	Navy	Air Force
a)	General	Admiral	Air Chief Marshal
b)	Brigadier	Commodore	Air Commodore
c)	Major	Lieutenant	Squadan Leader
d)	Colonel	Captain	Group Captain

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7. Which strait separates Europe from Africa?

- a) Mallaica
- b) Gibraltar
- c) Berring
- d) Palk

8. Which country gives Magsaysay Awards?

- a) India
- b) Britain
- c) China
- d) The Philippines

9. In full – time organizational framework of NITI Aayog, the ex – officio members are to be nominated by

- a) Vice Chairperson of NITI Aayog
- b) Prime Minister
- c) Leader of opposition in Lok Sabha
- d) CEO of NITI Aayog

10. The scholar who accompanied Mahmud Ghaznavi during his expedition to India was

- a) Ibn Batuta
- b) Al Beruni
- c) Firdausi
- d) Al Razi

11. Which article of the Constitution of India requires the constitution of a Finance Commission every five years or earlier?

- a) Article 280
- b) Article 250
- c) Article 126
- d) None of these

12. Think tank of Government of India that replaced Planning Commission on January 01, 2015 is

- a) NITI Vakya
- b) NITI Dharma
- c) NITI Vajpayee
- d) NITI Aayog

13. What is the name of ‘Innovative Council’ proposed in the Rail Budget 2015 to promote innovation?

- a) Rail Tech

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- b) Snakalp
- c) Kayakalp
- d) Navachar

14. Which city will host the 2022 Commonwealth Games?

- a) Gold Coast, Australia
- b) Durban, South Africa
- c) Lusaka, Zambia
- d) Nairobi, Kenya

15. Serena Williams defeated _____ to win the women's singles title of Australian open 2015

- a) Venus Williams
- b) Sania Mirza
- c) Maria Sharapova
- d) Ana Ivanovic

16. Sir CV Raman awarded Nobel Prize for his work connected with which of the following phenomenon of radiation?

- a) Scattering
- b) Diffraction
- c) Interference
- d) Polarization

17. Natural radioactivity was discovered by

- a) Marie Curie
- b) Earnest Rutherford
- c) Henry Bacquerel
- d) Enrico Fermi

18. Vinod Mehta, an eminent Indian journalist and founder editor – in – chief of 'Outlook', published his autobiography by the name of

- a) Lucknow Boy: A Memoir
- b) One Life is Not Enough
- c) Accidental Prime Minister
- d) The Substance and the Shadow

19. The book, 'Born Again on the Mountain' is authored by

- a) Pooja Rani
- b) Arunima Sinha
- c) Bachendri Pal
- d) Urbashi Lal

20. Which of the following Asian countries celebrates its Independence Day on 4 February?
- a) Sri Lanka
 - b) Bahrain
 - c) Cambodia
 - d) Bangladesh
21. Who has been awarded the Dada Saheb Phalke Award for the year 2014?
- a) Pran
 - b) Shashi Kapoor
 - c) Dilip Kumar
 - d) Amitabh Bachchan
22. The Russian name of INS Vikramaditya is
- a) Admiral Groshkov
 - b) Admiral Gorbachev
 - c) Admiral Nakhimov
 - d) Admiral Petr Bezobrazov
23. The present chairman of ISRO is
- a) MYS Prasad
 - b) Shailesh Nayak
 - c) A.S. Kiran Kumar
 - d) K. Radhakrishnan
24. Indian – American music composer, Ricky Kej has won the Germany Award for the album
- a) In the Lonely Hour
 - b) Morning Phase
 - c) Beyonce
 - d) Winds of Samsara
25. Who is the ex – officio Chairman of the Rajya Sabha?
- a) President of India
 - b) Vice – President of India
 - c) Minister of Parliamentary Affairs
 - d) Leader of Opposition
26. The Vijayanagar Empire owes its origin to
- a) Krishnadeva Raya
 - b) Harihara and Bukka
 - c) Balaji Viswanath
 - d) Rajaraja Chola

27. **Article 356 of the Constitution of India proves for**

- a) Reservation of jobs for Backward Classes
- b) Protection of religious monuments
- c) A special status for Jammu and Kashmir
- d) Imposition of President's Rule in a State

28. **The 'Sea of Tranquility' is located in**

- a) South East Africa
- b) The West Coast of Russia
- c) The Moon
- d) The West Coast of India

29. **'Rh' factor is a term that we hear in connection with**

- a) Space travel
- b) Blood transfusion
- c) Air pressure
- d) Blood pressure

30. **Gateway of India was built in**

- a) 1911
- b) 1927
- c) 1857
- d) 1947

31. **Which one of the following freedoms is not specifically mentioned in Article 19 of the Constitution?**

- a) Freedom of speech and expression
- b) Freedom of assemble peacefully and without arms
- c) Freedom to move freely
- d) Freedom of the Press

32. **'Pultizer' prizes are awarded to Americans for excellence in**

- a) Films
- b) Social work
- c) Journalism
- d) Medicine

33. **Amnesty International is**

- a) A human rights group
- b) A refugee camp in Croatia
- c) A wing of the World Bank

d) A U.N. agency to fight global terrorism

34. Insulin controls the metabolism of

- a) Sugars
- b) Fats
- c) Proteins
- d) Salts

35. The Halley's Comet will be visible again in the year

- a) 2066 A.D.
- b) 2064 A.D.
- c) 2062 A.D.
- d) 2060 A.D.

36. Who was the first Indian to make a movie?

- a) H.S. Bhatwadekar
- b) Ardeshir Irani
- c) Dhundiraj Govind Phalke
- d) V. Shantaram

37. Alberuni was the historian during the period of

- a) Mahmud of Ghazni
- b) Balban
- c) Akbar
- d) Muhammad – bin – Tughlaq

38. Indian Constitution does not provide any procedure to remove the

- a) President
- b) Vice – President
- c) Judges of the Supreme Court
- d) Governors

39. Osteology is the study of

- a) Cell formation
- b) Eyes
- c) Nose
- d) Bones

40. The Uri Hydroelectric Project is located in

- a) Jammu and Kashmir
- b) Himachal Pradesh

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- c) Uttar Pradesh
- d) Haryana

41. **India switched to the decimal system of coinage in**

- a) 1947
- b) 1950
- c) 1957
- d) 1962

42. **Teak and Sal are the principal trees in the forests known as**

- a) Tropical moist evergreen
- b) Dry deciduous
- c) Tropical moist deciduous
- d) Dry evergreen

43. **The 'President Rule' in the State means that the State is ruled by**

- a) The President directly
- b) A Caretaker Government
- c) The Chief Minister nominated by the President
- d) The Governor of the State

44. **The colours of the Indian flag in ascending order are**

- a) Saffron, white and green
- b) White, green and saffron
- c) Green, white and saffron
- d) Saffron, green and white

45. **Holding of elections for the Village Panchayat is decided by**

- a) The Collector
- b) The Election Commission
- c) The Central Government
- d) The State Government

46. **At the Equator, the duration of a day is**

- a) 10 hrs
- b) 12 hrs
- c) 14 hrs
- d) 16 hrs

47. **Begum Akhtar is related to**

- a) Music
- b) Dance

- c) Writing
- d) Painting

48. **High Altitude Research Laboratory is situated in**

- a) Srinagar
- b) Gulmarg
- c) Laddakh
- d) Pehalgam

49. **RDX is**

- a) An instrument to measure blood pressure
- b) A gene
- c) A chemical used in the manufacture of fertilizers
- d) An explosive

50. **India House is located in**

- a) London
- b) New Delhi
- c) Mumbai
- d) Kolkata

51. **The Indian Independence league was set up by**

- a) Rashbehari Bose
- b) S. M. Joshi
- c) Aruna Asaf Ali
- d) Jayaprakash Narayan

52. **In which year was the Tashkent Pact signed between India and Pakistan?**

- a) 1964
- b) 1965
- c) 1966
- d) 1967

53. **The magnificent temple at 'Halebid' was established by the**

- a) Rayas
- b) Hoysalas
- c) Cholas
- d) Pandyas

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