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M.Phil / Ph.D. Entrance Examination, July - 2022
ENGLISH

Day and Date : Friday, 15 - 07 - 2022**Total Marks : 100****Time : 11.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m.**

- Instructions :**
- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Each question carries 2 marks.
 - 3) Answers should be marked in the given OMR answer sheet by darkening the appropriate option.
 - 4) Use black ball point pen only for marking the circle. Do not make any stray mark on the OMR Answer Sheet.
 - 5) Follow the instructions given on OMR Sheet.
 - 6) Rough work shall be done on the sheet provided at the end of question paper.
 - 7) Only non-programmable calculators are allowed.

- 1) What is an analysis combining the results of several studies that address a set of related hypotheses called?
(A) Correlation (B) Mixed method
(C) Chi-square analysis (D) Meta-Analysis
- 2) What is 'a string of numbers, letters and symbols used to permanently identify an article or document and link to it on the 'web' called?
(A) Digital Object Identifier (B) Article Identifier
(C) Cohort identifier (D) Reference Registry
- 3) Select the most appropriate alternative to complete the sentence: "The theoretical writings that fall into the category of _____ entered the intellectual agenda as part of the 'metropolitan' left-wing response to the 'Third World' struggles of the 1950s onwards."
(A) 'Postmodern' (B) 'Postcolonial'
(C) 'Neohistoricism' (D) 'New Historicism'

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- 4) Who applied semiotic analysis to a wide variety of literary, philosophical and visual texts in works such as *Mythologies* and *Image-Music-Text*?
- (A) Roland Barthes (B) Gerard Genette
(C) Judith Butler (D) Jacques Derrida
- 5) Consider the following statements: (i) Qualitative research deals with ‘soft’ data, (ii) Qualitative research is process oriented.
- (A) Only (i) is correct
(B) Only (ii) is correct
(C) Both (i) and (ii) are correct
(D) Both (i) and (ii) are incorrect
- 6) Which of the following is a criterion for a good research question?
- (A) Questions should connect with established theory and research.
(B) Questions should be long and use complex terms
(C) Questions should show where the research biases are
(D) Questions should sound contemporary.
- 7) If you are doing research on Mahesh Dattani’s plays, and you interview him, what kind of data are you collecting on the basis of this interview with him?
- (A) Secondary data (B) Tertiary data
(C) Filtered data (D) Primary data
- 8) Which was the first group of philosophers to use Freud and also to attempt to combine his thinking with that of Marx’s?
- (A) The Russian Formalists
(B) The Prague Structuralists
(C) The Frankfurt School
(D) The Feminists

- 9) Which of the following is the appropriate way to indicate within your research report that some information from a quotation is added or omitted?
- (A) Bold the information you add, and insert ellipses (...) for information you omit.
 - (B) Use brackets [] around the information you add and ellipses enclosed in brackets [...] for the information you omit.
 - (C) Use parentheses () around the information you add and ellipses (...) for information you omit.
 - (D) There is no need of marking as the reader can read the original source.
- 10) How will you describe a brief citation in parentheses, for example, (Pandharipande, 2019), when the source is mentioned citing the author's last name and the year of publication?
- (A) In-text citation in APA style
 - (B) Reference list citation in APA style
 - (C) In-text citation in MLA style
 - (D) None of these
- 11) What does a level of significance of 5% indicate in quantitative research?
- (A) We are 5% confident the results have not occurred by chance
 - (B) We are 95% confident that the results have occurred by chance
 - (C) We are 95% confident that the results have not occurred by chance
 - (D) We are 100% confident the results have not occurred by chance
- 12) What is a 'longitudinal design' of research?
- (A) A study completed in a different area or a community than the one to which the researcher belongs.
 - (B) A study which needs a detailed long report,
 - (C) A study with two contrasting cases.
 - (D) A study completed over a distinct period of time to map changes in social phenomena.

- 13)** Which kind of research approach tries to understand the whole phenomenon by looking at the separate parts?
- (A) Deductive research (B) Analytic research
(C) Heuristic research (D) High control research
- 14)** What is a research design?
- (A) The choice between using qualitative or quantitative methods
(B) The way of conducting research
(C) The framework for every stage of the collection and analysis of data
(D) The style in which research findings are presented
- 15)** Where is the term ‘Controlled Group’ used?
- (A) Historical research
(B) experimental research
(C) Descriptive research
(D) Survey research
- 16)** Which of the following software is used to check plagiarism?
- (A) Team Viewer
(B) Sound forge
(C) Firefox
(D) Turnitin
- 17)** Which of the following is known as Secondary Source In literary research?
- (A) Books about the author (B) Diary of the author
(C) Author’s autobiography (D) Letters of the author
- 18)** Who is the author of “Tradition and Individual Talent”?
- (A) I A Richards (B) D H Lawrence
(C) T S Eliot (D) Sigmund Freud

- 19)** Who is the author of "Madness and Civilization"?
- (A) Sigmund Freud (B) James Frazer
(C) T S Eliot (D) Michel Foucault
- 20)** What is the purpose of bibliographical research?
- (A) interpretation of the text
(B) Analysis of the text
(C) To determine Authorship and Authenticity of the text
(D) To determine the Meaning of the text
- 21)** What is a hypothesis?
- (A) A part of the research question
(B) A Research finding
(C) A tentative statement providing an explanation
(D) A strategy of evaluating data
- 22)** What is the most appropriate source to find out descriptive information?
- (A) Dictionary (B) Directory
(C) Diary (D) Encyclopaedia
- 23)** The scientific method of research is firmly based on which approach?
- (A) Empirical (B) Descriptive
(C) Qualitative (D) Quantitative
- 24)** Who is the author of "Orientalism"?
- (A) Gayatri Spivak (B) Edward Said
(C) Homi K Bhabha (D) Homi J Bhabha

- 25)** Which part of a research paper helps the reader to ascertain the paper's purpose?
- (A) Abstract (B) Analysis
(C) Objectives (D) Bibliography
- 26)** Identify the type of code-switching in: “yahan alag kuch hot a hai, the story is very different.”
- (A) Intrasentential (B) Intersentential
(C) Tag (D) Multilingual
- 27)** Consider the following statements: i) Lexicology is the branch that is involved with dictionary making, ii) Lexicography studies the vocabulary of a language, including its history.
- (A) Only (i) is correct (B) Only (ii) is correct
(C) Both (i) and (ii) are correct (D) Both (i) and (ii) are incorrect
- 28)** What are the three levels of the creole continuum?
- (A) Baselect-Midlect-Acrolect
(B) Basallect-Middlelect-Extremelect
(C) Basilect-Mesolect-Acrolect
(D) Deep Structure-Base Structure-Surface Structure
- 29)** Who of the following is unhappy with the term “regional” theatres of India as each of these modes is uniquely Indian according to this critic?
- (A) Aparna Dharwadkar
(B) Shanta Gokhale
(C) M.K. Naik
(D) G. P. Deshpande

- 30)** Which of the following statements about Sanskrit drama is NOT correct?
- (A) The dialogue is written in prose and verse
 - (B) The dialogue uses both prakrit and Sanskrit
 - (C) The plays observe all the unities
 - (D) There is imitation of a particular state of mind
- 31)** According to Eco, which of the following are used when one does not know how to deal with story because they have already worked elsewhere?
- (A) unusual situations
 - (B) unique situations
 - (C) stereotyped situations
 - (D) critical situations
- 32)** Who declared - “As institution the author is dead”?
- (A) Gerald Prince
 - (B) Geoffrey Leech
 - (C) Gerard Genette
 - (D) Roland Barthes
- 33)** According to whom literature is an unreal entity, neither objective nor subjective?
- (A) Terry Eagleton
 - (B) Tzvetan Todorov
 - (C) Vladimir Propp
 - (D) Umberto Eco
- 34)** Which subject does Nick teach?
- (A) History
 - (B) Biology
 - (C) Chemistry
 - (D) Law

- 35)** Who kills Medea’s children?
- (A) Jason
 - (B) The nurse
 - (C) Medea
 - (D) Creon
- 36)** Who is the author of “Zoo Story”?
- (A) Edward Albee
 - (B) Arthur Miller
 - (C) Arthur Adamov
 - (D) Samuel beckett
- 37)** What is the Name of the rhythm that Pindar used in his First Olympian Ode?
- (A) paeonic
 - (B) spondees
 - (C) trochees
 - (D) dactyls
- 38)** Alexander Pushkin’s *The Bronze Horseman* is based on _____
- (A) Pushkin’s exile in 1824
 - (B) French invasion of Russia in 1812
 - (C) The Decembrist Revolt in 1825
 - (D) The flood that occurred in St. Petersburg in November of 1824.
- 39)** What does the cruellest month breed according to the speaker of the Waste Land”?
- (A) Loneliness
 - (B) Lambs
 - (C) Lilacs
 - (D) Love

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- 40) Which of the following poem by Langston Hughes makes strong use of the traditional 'song- type' called "Dixie"
- (A) Harlem
 - (B) Song for a Dark Girl
 - (C) The Negro Speaks of Rivers
 - (D) Bad Luck Card
- 41) In "Harlem," the first question that the speaker asks is: "What happens to a dream...?"
- (A) Hidden
 - (B) Exploded
 - (C) Lost
 - (D) Deferred
- 42) What is the name of the clubfooted man Charles operates?.
- (A) Homais
 - (B) Lheureux
 - (C) Bournisien
 - (D) Hyppolyte
- 43) Why is Ikemefuna sent from another village to live with Okonkwo?
- (A) To marry with Ezinma
 - (B) Okonkwo's family takes him as a house servant
 - (C) As part of the price for woman being murdered
 - (D) Because Ikemefuna's parents die accidentally
- 44) What is Mahesh's profession?
- (A) A Regional Manager in Multi-national company
 - (B) A Professor
 - (C) A Doctor
 - (D) A Manger in Bank

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- 45) Who tries to trap Raskolnikov by asking for more details which only Raskolnikov could have known regarding the murders?
- (A) Zossimov (B) Porfiry
(C) Fomitch (D) Zametov
- 46) Meursault and Marie make a date to see a comic film
- (A) Fernandel (B) Charlie Chaplin
(C) Tom & Jerry (D) Laurel-Hardy
- 47) A form having more than one meaning is called ----?
- (A) Synonymy (B) Polysemy
(C) Homonymy (D) Ambiguity
- 48) Who argued “You shall know a word by the company it keeps.”?
- (A) Bloomfield (B) Malinowski
(C) Firth (D) I. A. Richards
- 49) Which of the following poet is famous for ‘graphological deviations’?
- (A) Dylan Thomas (B) G. M. Hopkins
(C) E. E. Cummings (D) Philip Larkin
- 50) Which stylistic device is present in the following lines? “Ill fares the land, to hastening ills a prey; Where wealth accumulates and men decay”
- (A) grammatical deviation (B) lexical deviation
(C) metaphor (D) parallelism



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