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Instructions :

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Each question carries 1 mark.
 - 3) Answers should be marked in the given OMR answer sheet by darkening the appropriate option.
 - 4) Follow the instructions given on OMR sheet.
 - 5) Rough work shall be done on the sheet provided at the end of question paper.
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1. Which company ranks first among global companies with the highest brand value in 2024?

(A) Microsoft

(B) Apple

(C) Tesla

(D) Reliance

2. According to India employment report 2024, what is the percentage of youth in unemployment in India?

(A) 80

(B) 84

(C) 83

(D) 85

3. Who has been appointed as Director General of National Investigation Agency?
- (A) Sadananda Date (B) Sanjeev Reddy
- (C) Rakesh Maria (D) Vishwas Nangre Patil
4. The place where India's Chandrayaan-3 successfully landed on the South Pole of the Moon. Which name has been approved by International Astronomical Organization to give that place?
- (A) Bhim shakti
- (B) Shiva Shakti
- (C) Bharat Mata
- (D) Jai Hind
5. To convert a message into groups of words, symbols, gestures, or sounds that present ideas or concepts is called:
- (A) encoding (B) feedback
- (C) noise (D) media richness
6. Vividh Bharati is also known as _____
- (A) Commercial Broadcasting Service
- (B) Commercial Broadcasting Company
- (C) Commercialized Broadcasting Service
- (D) Mercantile Broadcasting Company

7. Punya Bhushan Award 2023-24 has been announced to whom?

(A) Dr. Vijay Bhatkar

(B) Nana Patekar

(C) Raghunath Mashelkar

(D) Dr. Narendra Jadhav
8. What is the theme of International One Din 2024?

(A) Forest and Health

(B) Forest and Environment

(C) Forest and Industry

(D) Forest and Innovation
9. Saraswati Samman 2023 has been announced to literary Prabha Rao from which state?

(A) Maharashtra (B) Kerala

(C) Tamil Nadu (D) Telangana
10. Prabha Rao has been announced Saraswati Samman 2023 for literature in which language?

(A) Malayalam

(B) Marathi

(C) Hindi

(D) Sanskrit

11. Vladimir Putin has been elected as the President of which country?
- (A) Russia (B) China
- (C) America (D) Singapore
12. Along with the 18th Lok Sabha elections, the assembly elections of four states of the country will be held. Which state is not included in it?
- (A) Arunachal Pradesh (B) Haryana
- (C) Sikkim (D) Odisha
13. Who has been appointed as the President of Prasar Bharati?
- (A) Navneet Kumar Sehgal (B) Rajeev Pratap
- (C) Mukesh Sharma (D) Rani Varma
14. Which app has been developed by the Central Election Commission to prevent complaints of violation of code of conduct and irregularities in Lok Sabha elections?
- (A) C vigil (B) A vigil
- (C) S vigil (D) P vigil
15. Who has been selected as the Chief Director General of Press Information Bureau (PIB)?
- (A) Poonam Sinha
- (B) Prachi Desai
- (C) Aditi Paranjape
- (D) Shefali Saran

16. Which activity is going to be implemented from the coming academic year for the students of class 1st to 8th in all schools in Maharashtra?
- (A) Pleasant Sunday (B) Pleasant Saturday
(C) Pleasant Monday (D) Pleasant Wednesday
17. A committee headed by whom has submitted a report to President Draupadi Murmu on One Nation One Election?
- (A) Ram Nath Kovind (B) Subhash Kashyap
(C) Arjuna Munda (D) Ulhas Bapat
18. Who among the following has been appointed as Central Election Commissioner?
- (A) Anup Shah and Chirag Shetty
(B) Rahul Rao and Bharat Shah
(C) Sukhwinder Singh Sandhu and Dyanesh Kumar
(D) Rajesh Aggarwal and Parag Soman
19. According to the list of electoral bonds published by the Central Election Commission, which political party has received the most donations?
- (A) Trinamool Congress
(B) BJP
(C) Rashtriya Janata Dal
(D) Indian National Congress

20. In the Human Development Index 2022, what is India's rank in the list of 193 countries?
- (A) 134 (B) 132
(C) 131 (D) 130
21. Which organization publishes Human Development Index?
- (A) World Bank (B) IMF
(C) UNDP (D) UNO
22. According to the report released by UNDP, what percentage of women participates in the labour force rate in the country?
- (A) 35.6 (B) 38.5
(C) 25.5 (D) 28.3.
23. Which district of Maharashtra has been approved by the state cabinet to be renamed Ahilyanagar?
- (A) Ahmednagar (B) Pune
(C) Aurangabad (D) Usmanabad
24. The Maharashtra government has approved the renaming of which taluka of Pune district as Rajgad?
- (A) Purandar (B) Haramati
(C) Welhe (D) Indapur

25. Who has been elected as Chief Minister of Haryana?
- (A) Naib Singh Saini
 - (B) Jayant Chaudhary
 - (C) Gaurav Gogai
 - (D) Dushyant Chautala.
26. Mohanlal Khattar has resigned as Chief Minister of which state?
- (A) Punjab
 - (B) Goa
 - (C) Haryana
 - (D) Gujarat
27. Which film has won the best film award at the Oscars 2024?
- (A) Oppenheimer
 - (B) Poor Things
 - (C) Godzilla
 - (D) Barbie
28. Which state government has decided to include mother's name before father's name in government documents?
- (A) Bihar
 - (B) Rajasthan
 - (C) Maharashtra
 - (D) Gujarat

29. Asifa Bhutto has been recognized as the first lady of which country?
- (A) India (B) Afghanistan
(C) Nepal (D) Pakistan
30. Santosh Trophy is related to which sport?
- (A) Cricket (B) Badminton
(C) Tennis (D) Football
31. Who among the following has resigned from the post of Election Commissioner?
- (A) Rajesh Aggarwal (B) Jayant Sinha
(C) Piyush Jain (D) Arun Goyal
32. Asif Ali Zardari has been elected as the President of which country?
- (A) Pakistan (B) Iran
(C) Iraq (D) Nepal
33. Yashwantrao Chavan National Award 2023 given by Yashwantrao Chavan Foundation has been announced to whom?
- (A) Anurag Kashyap
(B) Anil Kakodkar
(C) Dr. Soumya Swaminathan
(D) Saroj Patil

34. Who among the following has been selected as a nominated member of the Rajya Sabha by President Droupadi Murmu?
- (A) Sudha Murthy
- (B) Narayan Murthy
- (C) Gautam Adani
- (D) Ratan Tata
35. Which district of Maharashtra state has got the highest price for turmeric crop in the country?
- (A) Kolhapur (B) Solapur
- (C) Sangli (D) Satara
36. What scheme has been launched to encourage innovation in defense technology?
- (A) Savitri Yojana (B) Bharti Scheme
- (C) Aditi Scheme (D) Indira Yojana
37. Who has been awarded Kusumagraj National Literary Award by Yashwantrao Chavan Open University of Maharashtra State?
- (A) Gulzar
- (B) Javed Akhtar
- (C) Salim Khan
- (D) Hussain Dalwai

38. Maharashtra Legislative Assembly has passed a bill to implement how many member ward system in other Municipal Corporations of the state except Mumbai Municipal Corporation?
- (A) 3 (B) 4
(C) 5 (D) 6
39. Which country has recently become a member of NATO?
- (A) Iran (B) Italy
(C) Singapore (D) Sweden
40. Who has been appointed as Chief Electoral Officer of Maharashtra State?
- (A) S. Chokalingam
(B) Rajesh Aggarwal
(C) Iqbal Singh
(D) Brijesh Mohan.
41. Sangeet Natak Akademi Award has been announced for which of the following Marathi actors?
- (A) Ashok Saraf
(B) Mahesh Kothare
(C) Sachin Pilgaonkar
(D) Sayaji Shinde

42. In the Interim Budget, the Maharashtra Government has announced the establishment of Aarti Sanstha for which community on the lines of Barti?
- (A) Matang (B) Dhangar
- (C) Mali (D) Koli
43. Which social media platform is best suited for professional networking and job hunting?
- (A) Snapchat (B) Facebook
- (C) Instagram (D) LinkedIn
44. Which new scheme for farmers has been announced by the Maharashtra government in the Interim Budget 2024-25?
- (A) Ask him to farm
- (B) Ask him well
- (C) Ask him for agricultural loan
- (D) Ask him for a solar agricultural pump
45. Who has been appointed as the Lokpal of India?
- (A) Justice Ajay Khanwilkar
- (B) Justice Rituraj Avasthi
- (C) Justice Sandeep Sharma
- (D) Justice Pankaj Kumar

46. Maharashtra Government's first Maharashtra Vanbhushan Award has been announced to whom?
- (A) Kashiram Jadhav
(B) Ramji Patil
(C) Chaitram Pawar
(D) Ankush Kadam
47. Pankaj Udhas passed away. What field did they belong to?
- (A) Politics (B) Journalists
(C) Industry (D) Art
48. Which day is celebrated as Marathi language Gaurav Deen in Maharashtra state?
- (A) 28 February (B) 27 February
(C) 26 February (D) 29 February
49. Who wrote the book Freedom in Fire?
- (A) Laxmikant Deshmukh
(B) Sadananda Deshmukh
(C) Sadananda More
(D) Nikhil Wagle

50. Social media allows users to share which types of content?
- (A) Text, images, videos, and live streams
 - (B) Songs and movies only
 - (C) Physical products for sale
 - (D) Personal identification information
51. Who has been honored with the best actress award at the DadasahebPhalke International Film Festival?
- (A) Kareena Kapoor
 - (B) Kajal
 - (C) Deepika Padukone
 - (D) Nayantara
52. Which is the oldest English daily in India?
- (A) The Hindustan Times
 - (B) The Statesman
 - (C) The Times of India
 - (D) The Indian Express
53. Which is the first talkie film in India?
- (A) Pundalik
 - (B) AlamAra
 - (C) Sant Tukaram
 - (D) Raja Harishchandra

58. Who regulates and oversees the conduct of the press in India?
- a) Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
 - b) Press Council of India
 - c) Editors Guild of India.
 - d) Indian Broadcasting Foundation
59. The first newspaper published in India was:
- a) The Bengal Gazerte
 - b) The Bombay Samachar
 - c) The Hindu
 - d) The Indian Express
60. Which of the following is NOT a social media platform"
- a) Facebook
 - b) Twitter
 - c) Amazon
 - d) Instagram
- 61 . Who founded Facebook and currently holds the most shares in Meta?
- A. Bill Gates
 - B. Jeff Bezos
 - C. Mark Zuckerberg
 - D. Sergey Brin
62. How many years old people can vote at home in Lok Sabha elections?
- (A) 70
 - (B) 75
 - (C) 80
 - (D) 85

63. What symbols have been awarded to the Nationalist Congress Sharad Chandra Pawar party by the Central Election Commission?
- (A) Trumpets
- (B) Banyan tree
- (C) Shield
- (D) Sword
64. What percentage of FDI has been approved by the Union Cabinet in the space sector?
- (A) 100 (B) 75
- (C) 80 (D) 91
65. Who has been awarded Raj Kapoor Jeevan Gaurav Award for the year 2022 by the Government of Maharashtra?
- (A) Helen (B) HemaMalini
- (C) Rekha (D) Jaya Bachchan
66. Shiv Sena senior leader Manohar Joshi passed away. Which of the following positions did he not hold?
- (A) Governor
- (B) Chief Minister
- (C) MP
- (D) Speaker of Lok Sabha

67. Amin Sayani passed away recently. Was that famous radio
- (A) Jockey (B) Narrator
- (C) Speakers (D) Artists
68. Fali Nariman passed away. Who was he?
- (A) Artists (B) Journalists
- (C) Constitutionalists and lawyers (D) Scientist
69. Which film has been awarded Film of the Year at the Dadasaheb Phalke International Film Festival 2024?
- (A) Salar (B) Jawan
- (C) Pathan (D) Bhola
70. Who has been awarded the Best Actor Award at the Dadasaheb Phalke International Film Festival 2024?
- (A) Ranveer Singh
- (B) Ajay Devgn
- (C) Ranbir Kapoor
- (D) Shah Rukh Khan
71. How many years old senior citizens of the state have been provided free ST travel?
- (A) 75 (B) 80
- (C) 70 (D) 60

72. What percentage discount has Maharashtra government given to women in the state in bus travel?
- (A) 45% (B) 50%
- (C) 60% (D) 65%
73. Which airport in the state is named after mass leader D. B. Patil?
- (A) Pune (B) Nanded
- (C) Navi Mumbai (D) Thane
74. Where is the Maharashtra Shakti Peeth Highway?
- (A) Nagpur to Mumbai
- (B) Mumbai to Gioa
- (C) Thane to Pune
- (D) Nagpur to Goa
75. How many times will Indian-origin astronaut Sunita Williams go into space?
- (A) Third time (B) First time
- (C) Second time (D) Fifth time
76. Which country has been approved as a permanent member of the United Nations General Assembly?
- (A) Palestine (B) Israel
- (C) Ukraine (D) Iraq

77. The Pulitzer Prize has been announced for this year's news organization The New York Times and Washington Post, Associated Press which is a famous newspaper of which country?
- (A) America (B) South Africa
(C) Germany (D) Iran
78. In the 2023-24 Pulitzer Prize, which organization will be honoured with the prize in the category of photography?
- A) NDTV (B) Reuters
(C) ARP news (D) The Economic Times
79. Who has been elected as the National President of the United Janata Dal Party?
- (A) Nitish Kumar (B) Lalan Singh
(C) Tejashwi Yadav (D) Sitaram Yechury
80. Which state's rebel outfit ULFA has signed a peace accord with the central government?
- (A) Maharashtra (B) Bihar
(C) Manipur (D) Assam
81. University Grants Commission has decided to cancel the recognition of which degree?
- (A) Ph.D. (B) M.Sc.
(C) M.Phil (D) MBA

82. Who was the President of the 100th All India Marathi Theater Conference?

- (A) Laxmikant Deshmukh
(B) Sadananda More
(C) Raghunath Mashelkar
(D) Dr. Jabbar Patel

83. Who introduced the Press and Periodicals Bill 2023 in the Lok Sabha?

- (A) Amit Shah
- (B) Piyush Goyal
- (C) Rajnath Singh
- (D) Anurag Thakur

84. Who has announced the Sahitya Akademi Award in Marathi for the year 2023?

- (A) Krishnat Khot
- (B) Bhalchandra Nemade
- (C) Asaram Lonte
- (D) Bhalchandra Mungekar

85. What is the number of national parties in India in 2023?

- A. 7
B. 8
C. 6
D. 9

86. On which day is Marathi Language Pride Day celebrated in Maharashtra state?
 - A. 26 February
 - B. 27 February
 - C. 25 February
 - D. 24 February
87. Ramesh Bais was the Governor of which state before becoming the Governor of Maharashtra?
 - A. Odisha
 - B. Jharkhand
 - C. Meghalaya
 - D. Manipur
88. The controversial Barsu refinery project in Maharashtra is proposed in which district?
 - A. Ratnagiri
 - B. Raigad
 - C. Sindhudurg
 - D. Mumbai
89. The song NatuNatu which won the Oscar award is from which movie?
 - A. R.R.R.
 - B. Pathan
 - C. Sher Shah
 - D. Brahmastra
90. Shiv Chhatrapati Award of the Maharashtra government honours the personalities belonging to which field?
 - A. Literature
 - B. Sports
 - C. Agriculture
 - D. Women empowerment

91. Who is known as the Father of Marathi journalism?
- A. Mahadev Govind Ranade
 - B. Balshastri Jambhekar
 - C. Gopal Hari Deshmukh
 - D. Gopal Ganesh Agarkar
92. In which city is Deekshabhoomi located?
- A. Panvel
 - B. Nagpur
 - C. Navi Mumbai
 - D. Bhiwandi
93. Which is the folk dance of Maharashtra?
- A. Chanlam
 - B. Lavani
 - C. Koodiyattam
 - D. Kuchipudi
94. Which of the following statement is true?
- A. HIV causes AIDS
 - B. AIDS causes HIV
 - C. HIV and AIDS happens at the same time
 - D. None of the above
95. How many years will the Agniveers will serve in the Indian Armed Forces?
- A. 6
 - B. 4
 - C. 5
 - D. 10

96. Freedom of religion is guaranteed by which official document of india?

- A. Preamble
- B. Indian constitution
- C. Penal code
- D. Fundamental rights

97. Rafael fighter jets are manufactured in which country?

- A. USA
- B. France
- C. Germany
- D. India

98. Report it, Don't Share it Initiative is launched by

- A. Facebook
- B. Telegram
- C. Snapchat
- D. Pics Art

99. Al-Jazeera TV Channel belongs to.....

- A. Qatar
- B. Kuwait
- C. Egypt
- D. Bahrain

100. Which day is celebrated as the Marathi Patrkar Din in Maharashtra?

- A . 2nd February
- B. 8th April
- C. 11th October
- D. 6th January

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