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Instructions :

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Each question carries 2 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.

1) Which of these nations made its debut appearance at a FIFA World Cup in 2026?

A) Brazil

B) Germany

C) Uzbekistan

D) Spain

2) In June 2026, which team recorded its first-ever T20I win over India?

A) Scotland

B) Ireland

C) Netherlands

D) Zimbabwe

3) Which Marathi filmmaker produced the award-winning children's film Naal 2?

A) Sujay Dahake

B) Riteish Deshmukh

C) Nagraj Manjule

D) Pravin Tarde

4) Aneet Padma made her big-screen debut in which 2025 romantic film?

A) Animal Park

B) Saiyaara

C) Kabir Singh 2

D) Metro In Dino

- 5) What record prize money will the winner of the FIFA World Cup 2026 receive?
A) \$42 million
B) \$60 million
C) \$35 million
D) \$50 million
- 6) Which actress plays a supporting role alongside Vicky Kaushal in Chhaava?
A) Rashmika Mandanna
B) Alia Bhatt
C) Kiara Advani
D) Sara Ali Khan
- 7) PTI, India's largest news agency, stands for:
A) Prime Times Institute
B) Public Times of India
C) Press Trust of India
D) Press Telegraph of India
- 8) Who among the following was the founder-editor of 'Sakal' newspaper?
A) Vsant Bhosle
B) Shriram Pawar
C) N B Parulekar
D) DS Kulkarni
- 9) Which social media platform changed its name to 'X' after a change in ownership?
A) Twitter
B) Facebook
C) Instagram
D) LinkedIn
- 10) Which of these is NOT a neighbouring state of Maharashtra?
A) Madhya Pradesh
B) Karnataka
C) Gujarat
D) Kerala
- 11) If a shopkeeper sells an item for Rs 480 after giving a 20% discount, what was the actual price of the item?
A) Rs 620
B) Rs 600
C) Rs 550
D) Rs 570

12) Which metro line, connecting Wadala to Gateway of India, was announced in the Maharashtra Budget 2026-27?

- A) Metro Line 9
- B) Metro Line 7.
- C) Metro Line 11
- D) Metro Line 3

13) ANI, a major Indian news agency, stands for:

- A) Asian News International B) Associated News of India
- C) Agency News Institute D) All News India

14) What is the full form of OTT, a term widely used in the media and entertainment industry?

- A) On the Trend B) Online Television Terminal
- C) Open Type Television D) Over the Top

15) Find the odd one out.

- A) Nottingham
- B) Belfast
- C) Ahmedabad
- D) Manchester

16) Who appoints the Chief Justice of India?

- A) The Prime Minister
- B) The Parliament
- C) The President of India
- D) The Chief Election Commissioner

17) Which is the state bird of Maharashtra?

- A) Yellow-footed Green Pigeon B) Kingfisher
C) Peacock D) Sparrow

- 18) From July 23, 2026, the Commonwealth Games will begin in
- A) Glasgow, Scotland B) New Delhi, India
C) Melbourne, England D) None of these
- 19) Which court awarded capital punishment to the accused in gruesome Nasrapur minor rape case?
- A) Bombay High Court B) Special CBI Court, Pune
C) District and Session Court, Pune D) Special POCSO Court, Pune
- 20) Which Indian batter became the youngest player ever to be included in a senior Indian cricket team, at the age of 15?
- A) Sarfaraz Khan B) Ishan Kishan
C) Vaibhav Sooryavanshi D) Prince Yadav
- 21) The 2026 US strikes on Iran were officially described by US Central Command as being in response to attacks on commercial ships near which waterway?
- A) Suez Canal B) Red Sea
C) Persian Gulf coast alone D) Strait of Hormuz
- 22) India won the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2026, defeating which team in the final?
- A) New Zealand B) Australia
C) Pakistan D) South Africa

- 23) Dr Rajanish Kamat, the new Vice Chancellor of Shivaji University, was earlier Vice Chancellor of which university?
- A. Dr Homi Bhabha State University, Mumbai
 - B. SNDT Women's University
 - C. Savitribai Phule Pune University
 - D. Mumbai University
- 24) Which Marathi newspaper group also owns a television news channel by a similar name?
- A) Loksatta
 - B) Pudhari
 - C) Lokmat
 - D) Maharashtra Times
- 25) What is meant by the term 'fourth estate' in the context of a democracy?
- A) The legislature
 - B) The executive
 - C) The judiciary
 - D) The press
- 26) Find the odd one out.
- A) Sindhudurg
 - B) Kolhapur
 - C) Nashik
 - D) Satara
- 27) 'Panchayati Raj' in India primarily deals with governance at which level?
- A) State level
 - B) National level
 - C) District Court level
 - D) Local/village level
- 28) Which of the following city is popularly called the 'Cultural Capital of Maharashtra'?
- A) Nashik
 - B) Pune
 - C) Nagpur
 - D) Kolhapur

- 29) PM Modi's July 2026 state visit strengthened defence ties with
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| A. Thailand | B. Malaysia |
| C. Vietnam | D. Indonesia |
- 30) Ladki Bahin Yojana gives eligible women every month.
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| A. Rs. 21,000 | B. Rs. 2,500 |
| C. Rs. 1,500 | D. Rs. 2,000 |
- 31) The 2026 farm loan waiver scheme is named after
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| A. Shivaji Maharaj | B. Shahu Maharaj |
| C. Jyotiba Phule | D. Ahilyadevi Holkar |
- 32) Who plays the lead in 2026's biggest Bollywood hit, Dhurandhar: The Revenge?
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| A. Sunny Deol | B. Akshay Kumar |
| C. Ranbir Kapoor | D. Ranveer Singh |
- 33) A 'PTC' in TV news stands for
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| A. Piece to Camera | B. Public Telecast |
| C. Press Time Check | D. Print to Copy |
- 34) Which is the smallest prime number?
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| A.0 | B. 2 |
| C.3 | D. 1 |
- 35) Kolhapur's old historical name is
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| A. Vishalgad | B. Karvir |
| C. Miraj | D. Panhala |

- 36) NIA chargesheeted Hafiz Saeed in 2026 over the
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| A. 2019 Pulwama attack | B. 2008 Mumbai attack |
| C. 2016 Uri attack | D. 2025 Pahalgam attack |
- 37) Who is the Higher and Technical Education Minister of Maharashtra?
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| A. Chandrakant Patil | B. Prakash Abitkar |
| C. Chhagan Bhujbal | D. Dattatray Bharane |
- 38) 'Farzi Season 2' streams on
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| A. Disney+ Hotstar | B. Netflix |
| C. SonyLIV | D. Amazon Prime Video |
- 39) DTH stands for
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| A. Digital TV Hub | B. Direct TV Highway |
| C. Data Transfer Hub | D. Direct to Home |
- 40) Who wrote India's national song, Vande Mataram?
- A. Iqbal
- B. Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay
- C. Tagore
- D. Sarojini Naidu
- 41) Who is credited as the author of the epic 'Ramayana'?
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| A) Ved Vyasa | B) Sage Valmiki |
| C) Tulsidas | D) Kalidasa |

- 42) The Reserve Bank of India's headquarters is located in which city?
- A) New Delhi
B) Kolkata
C) Mumbai
D) Chennai
- 43) An article bought for Rs 800 is sold at a profit of 25%. Find the selling price.
- A) Rs 950
B) Rs 980
C) Rs 1000
D) Rs 1020
- 44) If today is Wednesday, what day will it be after 22 days?
- A) Wednesday
B) Thursday
C) Friday
D) Saturday
- 45) As of July 11, 2026, which country will get India's UPI facility?
- A. New Zealand
B. Ireland
C. Indonesia
D) None of these
- 46) Maamla Legal Hai Season 2, a light-hearted legal comedy, streams on which OTT platform?
- A) Amazon Prime Video
B) SonyLIV
C) ZEE5
D) Netflix
- 47) Which Japanese Prime Minister did PM Modi host for a summit in New Delhi shortly before his July 2026 Asia-Pacific tour?
- A) Sanae Takaichi
B) Fumio Kishida
C) Shigeru Ishiba
D) Yoshihide Suga

48) Panchayat Season 5 streams on which OTT platform?

A. Amazon Prime Video

B. Netflix

C. Zee5

D. SonyLIV

49) Ravi is taller than Mohan, shorter than Suresh. Suresh is shorter than Anil. Who is tallest?

A. Ravi

B. Mohan

C. Suresh

D. Anil

50) Kolhapur is famous across India for its

A. Brassware

B. Chappals

C. Pottery

D. Silk sarees



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