

GROUP II - GENERAL ENGLISH - 10th school book...

1) Match the following

i) glum - a) sullen

ii) freckled - b) small brown spots

iii) alms - c) offerings

iv) piteous - d) sorrow

ans: i) ii) iii) iv)

a) b c d a

b) a b c d

c) d c b a

d) d b c a

2) forlorn means

a) forsaken b) lonely c) a and b (d) none of these

3) buffet is known as -----

a) the model millionaire b) the legendary donator c) the legendary investor (d) a great philanthropist

4) ----- is appreciated for his largest contribution to charity

a) bill gates b) melinda gates c) berkshire hathway d) edward warren buffet

5) having too much money would make people

a) ideal b) charitable c) active d) idle

6) paul holmes - wrote

a) The model millionaire b) music c) a golden path d) beautiful inside

7) find out odd man out

a) vile, evil b) pile, heap c) grim, gloomy d) strife, knife

8) The boy called the dog -----

a) sweetie b) goldy c) brownie d) naughty

9) frisbee is a

a) music b) game c) sport d) both b and c

10) A ----- is not a pet animal

a) dog b) cat c) tiger d) none of these

11) quartet - a piece of music composed for a group of ---- musicians or singers
a) 2 b) 3 c) 4 d) 5

12) concentration camps were physically concentrated on ---- camp(S)
a) 2 b) 1 c) 3 d) 4

13) which type of chambers are created to kill thousands of jewes everyday
a) solid b) liquid c) gas d) semi solid

14) hoops means the rings of
a) volley ball b) basket ball c) football d) cricket ball

15) scrabble is a
a) wall game b) board game c) chair game d) table game

16) who has composed the German Requiem between 1865 and 1868
a) johannes abraham b) johannes brahms c) johannes john d) johannes britto

17) whose tenure was the longest in philharmonic history, lasting until 1991
a) bubin mehta b) mubin mehta c) zubin mehta d) rubin Mehta

18) ilayaraja has been conferred padmavibushan during the year
a) 2010 b) 2011 c) 2012 d) 2014

19) Central college of karnatic music was established during the year
a) 1939 b) 1949 c) 1959 d) 1969

20) piano --by
a) s.h.lawrence b) d.h.lawrence c) c.h.lawrence d) r.h.lawrence

21) piano lesson --- by
a) rob reilly b) rob helly c) rob july d) rob droly

22) clip clopped means
a) slowly b) quickly c) noisily d) loudly

23) ivories are the keys of
a) violin b) piano c) guitar d) steelpan

24) FIFA may have to commission a new trophy for the year
a) 2042 b) 2052 c) 2062 d) 2072

25) The phrase "lay its hands on" means
a) to steal b) to grab c) to secure d) to give away

26) Jules Rimet and Henry Delaunay are ----- administrators
a) Russian b) French c) American d) Chinese

27) Live to some purpose - wrote by
a) Anne Proctor b) James Augustus c) Abraham d) John Thorpe

28) Manliness means
a) Anne Proctor b) James Augustus c) Abraham d) Rudyard Kipling

29) The Face of Judas Iscariot by
a) Anne Proctor b) James Augustus c) Bonnie Chamberlin d) Rudyard Kipling

30) The young man who approached the artist begged for
a) money b) wine c) food d) clothes

31) Melee means
a) crowd of animals b) crowd of snakes c) crowd of people d) crowd of cows

32) Indian summer is like a blast furnace
a) space for heating solids b) cooking areas c) fire cracker d) exploding bomb

33) A place where water comes up naturally from the ground is
a) canal b) geyser c) ocean d) waterfall

34) A large mass of ice which moves slowly down a mountain valley
a) canal b) geyser c) glacier d) waterfall

35) A large area of water surrounded by land
a) lake b) geyser c) glacier d) waterfall

36) CODER means
a) Comprehending b) Organising the plants c) Developing a draft d) part of these

37)GOING FOR WATER ---- By

a)anne proctor b)james augusty c) robert frost d)rudyar kipling

38)SWEPT AWAY -----By

a)anne proctor b)james augusty c) robert frost d)Susannah hicking

39)deluge means

a) droght b)floods (c) both a and b d)none of these

40)Making the visible invisible means

a)anne proctor b)james augusty c) robert frost d)kalpana Sharma

41)Madras week celebrated from -----to-----

a)aug 3 to 13 b) aug 6 to 13 c) aug 7 to 13 d) aug 8 to 15

42)Our government passed the Right to Education Act in April

a)2010 b)2009 c)2008 d)2007

43)The Cry of the children - by

a) anne proctor b)elizabeth browning c) robert frost d)kalpana Sharma

44)Child labour

a) anne proctor b)elizabeth browning c) Faheem jawald d)kalpana Sharma

45)A close encounter

a) anne proctor b)elizabeth browning c) Faheem jawald d)Rex Coker

answers:

1)b 2)d 3) c 4) d 5) d 6)d 7)d 8)b 9)b 10)c 11)c 12)b 13)b 14)b 15)b 16)b 17)c 18)a 19)b 20)b
21)a 22)c 23)b 24)a 25)c 26)b 27)a 28)d 29)c 30)b 31)c 32)a 33)b 34)c 35)a 36)d 37)c 38)d 39)b
40)d 41)c 42)a 43)b 44)c 45)d

1. Identify the sentence that is different from the others in structure:

- a) Being ill my brother did not attend the class
- b) In spite of this poverty he helps the poor.
- c) You must run fast or you will not win.
- d) In case of the cat being away the nice are at play.

2. The active form of the sentence is: The wounded man was being helped by some boys
- Some boys were helping the wounded man
 - Some boys are helping the wounded man
 - Some boys have been helping the wounded man.
 - Some boys have not been helping the wounded man.
3. Choose the option that contains the answer that would complete the sentence:
_____ is easy; but practising is difficult.
- Have been preaching
 - preaching
 - Having been preaching
 - Having preached
4. In which short story of Oscar Wilde does the character Baron Hausberg appear?
- The Selfish Giant
 - The Happy Prince
 - Two friends
 - The Model millionaire
5. “What an amazing model!” Whispered Hughie. Who is referred as? ‘an amazing model’ in Oscar Wilde’s “The Model Millionaire”?
- Alan Trevor
 - Laura Merton
 - Baron Hausberg
 - Colonel Desmouline
6. Choose the correct passive voice of the sentence given below:
He will have written a letter.
- A letter will have written by him
 - A letter will have write by him
 - A letter will be written by him
 - A letter will have been written by him
7. In ‘Music-The Hope Raiser’ Dr. Karl Paulnack says:
“The Greeks said that music and astronomy were two sides of the same coin”.
“Two sides of the same coin’ would mean.
- similar in every way
 - similar in approach but different in aim
 - opposite in every way
 - none of the above
8. Match the following words given under column A with their meanings under column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below
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|--------------|-------------|
| column A | column B |
| a) avocation | 1. Relevant |

- a) Mark Antony b) Marcus Brutus c) Julius Caesar d) Casca

21. Choose the correct antonym of the word underlined:

He groaned is agony.

- a) ecstasy b) Harmony c) Faith d) Freedom

22. Choose the appropriate prefix for the word: 'seen'

- a) un- b) in- c) en- d) mis –

23. Attach a suitable suffix to the word underlined to complete the sentence.

Ganga Ram died due to his Stupid

- a) ical b) ity c) ify d) dom

24. Choose the correct synonym of the word underlined

His enthusiasms were abominable

- a) contemptible b) desirable
c) preferable d) attractive

25. Match the following phrases given in column A with the blending word in column B

column A

column B

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|---------------------------|------------------|
| a) Technology + Wizard | 1. Diffabled |
| b) International + police | 2. Forex |
| c) Differently + abled | 3. Techno-wizard |
| d) Foreign + exchange | 4. Interpol |

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| a) | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| b) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| c) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| d) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |

26. Match the following words given under column A with the blended forms under column B

column A

column B

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|------------------------|---------------|
| a) splash + spatter | 1. Skylab |
| b) travel + catalogue | 2. docudrama |
| c) sky + laboratory | 3. splatter |
| d) documentary + drama | 4. travelogue |

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|----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| a) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

I shall ring you up as soon as _____

- a) I will arrive
- b) I shall arrive
- c) I shall be arriving
- d) I arrive

44. Fill in the blank with a suitable article. _____ harder you work, the greater are the chances of your success.

- a) The
- b) A
- c) An
- d) No article

45. Choose from the following short stories written by Oscar Wilde

- a. The Selfish Giant
- b. a man who had no eyes
- c. The Happy Prince
- d. The wooden Bowl

- a) a, d
- b) a, c
- c) b, d
- d) c, b

46. Fill in the blank with the suitable answer: _____ is the life history of Mahatma Gandhi.

- a) I Dare
- b) Wings of Fire
- c) My Experiments with Truth
- d) Specimen Days

47. Choose the sequence of articles that would complete the passage, from the codes given below:
Jijabai used to tell Shivaji stories from _____ Ramayana and _____ Mahabharata.
This made him _____ terror to Aurangzeb.

- a) an, a, the
- b) a, a, the
- c) a, the, an
- d) the, the, a

48. "Take up one idea, Make that one idea your life-think of it dream of it, live on that idea. Let the brain muscles every part of your body, be full of that idea and leave every other idea alone".
This is the way to success. Who said the above?

- a) Dr.APJ. Abdul Kalam
- b) Subhash Chandra Bose
- c) Swami Vivekananda
- d) Gopala Krishna Gokhale.

49. The poem 'Going for Water' is written by _____

- a) Thomas Hardy
- b) Robert Frost
- c) D.H. Lawrence
- d) Walt Whitman

50. Choose the right option:

Pearl S. Buck, known for her book "The good Earth" had a _____ background.

- a) Russian
- b) Chinese
- c) Burmese
- d) Finnish

1. c	2. a	3. b	4. d	5. c	6. d	7. b	8. c	9. b	10. d
11. c	12. a	13. a	14. a	15. b	16. b	17. a	18. b	19. c	20. c
21. a	22. a	23. b	24. a	25. b	26. c	27. c	28. a	29. b	30. b
31. c	32. c	33. a	34. c	35. d	36. c	37. c	38. a	39. c	40. a
41. c	42. d	43. d	44. a	45. b	46. c	47. d	48. c	49. b	50. b