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GENERAL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POST OF RESEARCH INVESTIGATOR (ARCHAEOLOGY) CONTRACT UNDER ART & CULTURE DEPARTMENT. AUGUST, 2016.

ANTHROPOLOGY
PAPER-II

Time Allowed : 2 hours                                  Full Marks : 150

All questions carry equal mark of 2 each. Attempt all questions.

1. The region around Potwar and the Kashmir valley was explored by
   (a) De Terra and Paterson (b) K. V. Soundara Rajan
   (c) Paolo Graziosi       (d) None of these

2. Rock art sites in India include the site(s) of
   (a) Bhimbetka           (b) Adamgarh
   (c) Lakhajaur           (d) All of these

3. Which technique was used for making lower Palaeolithic tools in the Kortalayar valley?
   (a) Vaal technique       (b) Para-Levallois
   (c) Both (a) & (b)       (d) None of these

4. Sivapithecus appears to be more closely related to
   (a) Humans               (b) Orangutans
   (c) Gorilla              (d) Chimpanzee

5. The middle Palaeolithic culture of India is also known as
   (a) Pravaran             (b) Nevasian
   (c) Soan                 (d) None of these

6. The westernmost Mesolithic site of India is
   (a) Tilwara              (b) Bagor
   (c) Mahasati             (d) Langhnaj

7. Teri refers to a group of 11 sites of Neolithic clusters in the Tinnevelly district of Tamil Nadu. This statement is
   (a) Correct              (b) Incorrect
   (c) Difficult to state   (d) None of these

8. Ramapithecus and Sivapithecus belong to the same genus. This statement is
   (a) Correct              (b) Incorrect
   (c) Difficult to state   (d) None of these
9. The Hathnora skull belongs to
   (a) Homo sapiens  (b) Homo sapiens sapiens
   (c) Homo erectus  (d) None of these

10. Pit dwelling is a characteristic feature of
    (a) Mehargarh  (b) Koldihawa
        (c) Burzahom  (d) All of these

11. Neolithic tools have been found in the site(s) of
    (a) Daojali Hading  (b) Selbalgre
        (c) Sarutaro  (d) All of these

12. The distinguishing feature of Chalcolithic cultures in India is
    (a) Copper tools  (b) Structures
        (c) Pottery Ware  (d) All of these

13. The ancient name of Indus valley was
    (a) Indu  (b) Meluha
        (c) Dilmun  (d) Bharat

14. The Indus script is similar to the Egyptian Hieroglyphics. This statement is
    (a) Correct  (b) Incorrect
        (c) Difficult to state  (d) None of these

15. One of the probable reasons behind the decline of civilisation in Indus valley is
    (a) The Aryan invasion  (b) Hydrological changes
        (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

16. The iron using group(s) in India is/are
    (a) PGW  (b) NBP
        (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

17. The Asiatic Society of Bengal was set up in the year
    (a) 1767  (b) 1784
        (c) 1776  (d) 1748

18. The term Sanskritization refers to taking up the rituals of the upper castes by the lower castes and tribes. This statement is
    (a) Correct  (b) Incorrect
        (c) Difficult to state  (d) None of these

19. *A Philosophy for NEFA* was written by
    (a) J. H. Hutton  (b) Verrier Elwin
        (c) P. R. T. Gurdon  (d) C. von Furer-Haimendorf

20. Which of the following term(s) was/were introduced by L. P. Vidyarthi?
    (a) Sacred performance  (b) Sacred geography
        (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these
21. Which racial classification on the population of India is correctly given under?
   (a) Risley's classification – 1916  (b) Haddon's classification – 1924
   (c) Guha's classification – 1936  (d) Sarkar's classification – 1959

22. Which of the following language(s) belong to the Austro-Asiatic family?
   (a) Khasi  (b) Mundari
   (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

23. The book *The Naked Nagas* was written by
   (a) J.H. Hutton  (b) Verrier Elwin
   (c) P.R. T. Gurdon  (d) C. von Furer-Haimendorf

24. The Kuki-Chin language group falls within which branch of the Tibeto-Burman sub-family?
   (a) Tibeto-Himalayan branch  (b) North Assam Branch
   (c) Assam-Burmese branch  (d) None of these

25. Which of the following traditional occupational groups fall in low caste?
   (a) Chamar  (b) Bhangi
   (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

26. The concepts of universalisation and parochialization were given by
   (a) Robert Redfield  (b) Mckim Marriot
   (c) M.N. Srinivas  (d) Yogendra Singh

27. L.P. Vidyarthi studied the sacred complex of
   (a) Gaya  (b) Ganga
   (c) Varanasi  (d) Kashi

28. The term “continuum” was first introduced by
   (a) Robert Redfield  (b) Mckim Marriot
   (c) M.N. Srinivas  (d) Yogendra Singh

29. The Nature-Man-Spirit complex is an attempt to understand the ________.
   (a) Adaptation of the socio-cultural institutions with the local environmental conditions.
   (b) Relationship of humans with their natural environment.
   (c) Both (a) & (b)
   (d) None of these

30. *Purushartha* refers to four goals namely
    (a) dharma, varna, artha, moksha  (b) dharma, artha, kama, moksha
    (c) dharma, varna, moksha, rina  (d) None of these

31. *Vanaprastha ashrama* refers to
    (a) The life of a learner who leads a life of piety, self-denial, discipline and non-indulgence
    (b) The life of a householder who reproduces, acquires wealth, feeds the family, provides education to family, helps other members of the society etc.
    (c) The life of a retiree who retires into the nearest forest where he has to lead a life of meditation with minimal needs
    (d) None of these
32. Rina refers to debts that one has to repay to
   (a) *Rishi* and gurus  (b) One's parents
   (c) Both (a) & (b)     (d) None of these

33. Which of the statement(s) is correct?
   (a) *Karma* is action and the consequence of action
   (b) *Karma* is connected to the belief in rebirth
   (c) Both (a) & (b)
   (d) None of these

34. A practice where a boy from upper caste marries a girl from lower caste is known as
   (a) *Pratiloma* marriage  (b) *Anuloma* marriage
   (c) Inter-caste marriage  (d) Court marriage

35. Which of the statements on *jaanani* system is incorrect?
   (a) Each caste group is expected to give certain standardised services to the families of other castes
   (b) It is an agriculture based system of production and distribution of goods and services
   (c) It is governed by *jaanani-prajan* relations
   (d) It has been abolished by the Indian government

36. Caste system is seen among the Christian community in India. This statement is
   (a) Correct  (b) Incorrect
   (c) Difficult to state  (d) None of these

37. Small economy and simple technology is the characteristic of which economy?
   (a) Tribal  (b) Caste
   (c) *Jaanani*  (d) Market

38. The Todas of Nilgiri Hills are an agricultural tribe. This statement is
   (a) Correct  (b) Incorrect
   (c) Difficult to state  (d) None of these

39. The tribe(s) living in Andaman and Nicobar islands is/are
   (a) Jarawa  (b) Onge
   (c) Shompen  (d) All of these

40. Shifting cultivation is also known as
    (a) Slash and burn cultivation  (b) Hoe and burn cultivation
    (c) Horticulture  (d) None of these

41. The Garos are a ________ tribe.
    (a) Matrilineal  (b) Matriarchal
    (c) Patrilineal  (d) Patrilocal

42. The declaration of some forest areas as reserved led to ________ among the tribals.
    (a) Land alienation  (b) Poverty and indebtedness
    (c) Problems of health  (d) Cultural problems
43. The tribal pockets of Chotanagpur region, Orissa, West Bengal and Madhya Pradesh suffered the most due to ______.
   (a) Mining activities  (b) Lack of education
   (c) Lack of drinking water and other amenities  (d) Displacement and rehabilitation

44. Developmental projects have impacted the tribals and their livelihood. This statement is
   (a) Correct  (b) Incorrect
   (c) Difficult to state  (d) None of these

45. Which Act was enacted by the Parliament of India to prevent atrocities against SCs and STs?
   (c) Article 17 of the Indian Constitution.
   (d) None of these

46. The Other Backward Class were found to comprise ______% by the Mandal Commission in 1980.
   (a) 45  (b) 52
   (c) 55  (d) 49

47. According to which Schedule has the Autonomous District Councils and Autonomous Regional Councils in some states in Northeast India set up?
   (a) Fifth Schedule  (b) Sixth Schedule
   (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

48. Which of the following schemes is NOT implemented by the Ministry of Welfare for SCs/STs through the state governments?
   (a) Post-matric scholarships  (b) Scheme for girls hostel
   (c) Construction of roads in rural areas  (d) Coaching and allied schemes

49. Traditional factor(s) of culture change among tribals of India is
   (a) Hinduization  (b) Christianization
   (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

50. What does pseudo-tribalism mean?
   (a) Tribals who have adopted a modern and urban way of life
   (b) Non-tribals undergoing the process of tribalisation for claiming socio-economic benefits
   (c) Both (a) & (b)
   (d) None of these

51. The impact of proselytization of Christianity was first felt among the ______ in Northeast India.
   (a) Khasis  (b) Nagas
   (c) Mizos  (d) None of these

52. The ______ region has been under the grip of an Industrial Revolution and this has led to too rapid urbanisation.
   (a) Northeast  (b) Chotanagpur
   (c) Madras  (d) None of these
53. Rani Gaidinliu is associated with the ________ movement.
   (a) Bodoland  (b) Nagalim
   (c) Zeliangrong  (d) None of these

54. The Seng Khasi organisation was formed to safeguard the Khasi ________.
   (a) Language  (b) Culture
   (c) Religion  (d) None of these

55. The main issue of the Assam agitation of 1979-1985 was ________.
   (a) Illegal migration from Bangladesh  (b) Eroding of Assamese culture
   (c) Unemployment of educated youths  (d) None of these

56. DONER stands for
   (a) Department of North Eastern Region  (b) Development of North Eastern Region
   (c) Division of North Eastern Region  (d) None of these

57. One of the major revitalisation movements in Chotanagpur was the sarna dharma movement which attempted to forge pan-tribal unity by constructing and promoting a common
   (a) language which would be understood by all  (b) non-Christian tribal religion
   (c) socio-economic development platform  (d) None of these

58. Which of the following statements is correct?
   (a) Sanskritization and secularization are two faces of the same coin
   (b) Secularization is a more general process while sanskritization affects only those who live in villages
   (c) Secularization is more marked among the urban and educated youths and sanskritization among the lower Hindu castes and tribes
   (d) None of these

59. Under the Indian Constitution a low caste Hindu when converted to Christianity becomes
   (a) Scheduled Caste  (b) Scheduled Tribe
   (c) Other Backward Class  (d) None of these

60. The term PTG is now known as ________.  
   (a) Primitive tribal group  (b) Particularly vulnerable tribal group
   (c) Both (a) & (b)  (d) None of these

61. Which of the following tribes do NOT fall in PTGs?
   (a) Chenchu  (b) Birhor
   (c) Reangs  (d) Apatani

62. The Christian missionaries aided tribal development by ________.
   (a) Providing health services and opening educational institutions
   (b) Bringing in newer technology in agriculture and setting up industries
   (c) Both (a) & (b)
   (d) None of these
63. The Integrated Tribal Development Agency (ITDA) was set up during which Five Year Plan period?
   (a) Fourth (b) Fifth (c) Sixth (d) None of these

64. The idea of communalism in India is derived from assumptions of
   (a) History (b) Linguistic differences
   (c) Racial differences (d) None of these

65. Which of the following is not a focus of applied anthropology?
   (a) Increased collaboration and partnership with the communities and members of studied populations
   (b) Concrete efforts to influence policy in areas where anthropologists have expertise and where their research points to important changes that need to be made
   (c) Expanded outreach to the public so that the results of research become broadly disseminated
   (d) Taking up problems of the tribals with the government and trying to get justice for victimised people.

66. In an examination, Mohan scored 140 points, which are 20 points above 40%, and Gopal scored 70%. The points scored by Gopal are:
   (a) 210 (b) 275 (c) 280 (d) 440

67. Consider the table given below in which the numbers bear certain relationship among themselves along the rows:

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Which one of the following numbers is the missing number indicated above by x?
   (a) 19 (b) 8 (c) 15 (d) 14

**Directions for Questions 68 to 70: Read the following passage and answer the items that follow:**

We started pitching the highest camp that has ever been made. Everything took five times as it would have taken in a place where there was enough air to breathe; but at last we got the tent up and when we crawled in, it was not too bad. There was only a light wind, and inside it was not too bad. There was only a light wind, and inside it was not too cold for us to take off our gloves. At night most climbers take off their boots; but I prefer to keep them on. Hillary, on the other hand, took off and laid them next to his sleeping bag.

68. What does the expression “pitching the highest camp” imply?
   (a) They reached the summit of the highest mountain in the world.
   (b) So far nobody has ever climbed that high.
   (c) Those who climbed that high earlier did not pitch that high.
   (d) There were too many climbers and needed to pitch a big camp.
69. They took a long time to finish the work because
   (a) There was not enough air to breathe       (b) They were very tired
   (c) It was very dark                          (d) It was very cold

70. When they crawled into the tent
   (a) They did not take off their gloves though it was not cold
   (b) They took off their gloves because it was not very cold
   (c) They could not take off their gloves because it was very cold
   (d) They took off their gloves though it was very cold

71. The elements of the problem figures given below are changing with a certain rule as we observe them from left to right:

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According to this rule, which of the following would be the next figure if the changes were continued with the same rule?

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72. Single out the odd man.

A
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C
D

(a)  A       (b)  B
     (c)  C       (d)  D
73. Count the number of surfaces in the given image.

(a) 18  (b) 15
(c) 14  (d) 16

74. Five balls of different colours are to be placed in three boxes of different sizes. Each box can hold all five balls. In how many different ways we can place balls so that no box remains empty?

(a) 60  (b) 150
(c) 300  (d) 600

75. Consider the following statement:
1. All X-brand cars parked here are white.
2. Some of them have radial tyres.
3. All X-branded cars manufactured after 1986 have radial tyres.
4. All cars are not X-branded.

Which one of the following conclusions can be drawn from the above statements?
(a) Only white cars are parked here.
(b) Some white X-branded cars with radial tyres are parked here.
(c) Cars other than X-brand cannot have radial tyres.
(d) Most of the X-brand cars are manufactured before 1986.

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