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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 Tinnevely 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) *rishis* 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 *jajmani* 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 *jajman-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) *Jajmani* (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?
- (a) The Scheduled Caste and Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act of 1999.
(b) The Scheduled Caste and Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act of 1989.
(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:

29	13	18
33	x	19
30	27	3

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.

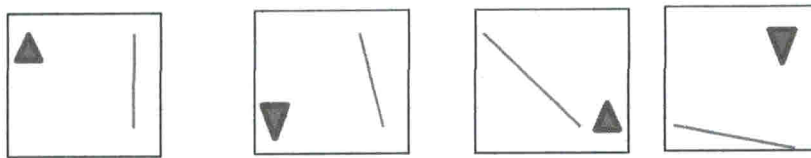
69. They took a long time to finish the work because

- (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

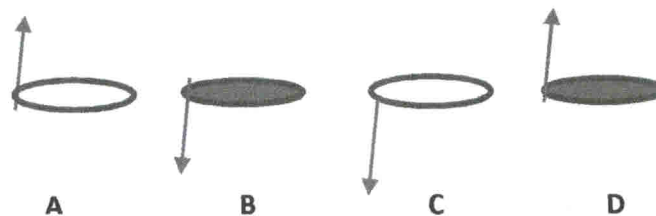
71. The elements of the problem figures given below are changing with a certain rule as we observe them from left to right:



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



72. Single out the odd man.



- (a) A
- (b) B
- (c) C
- (d) D

