

# MIZORAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POST OF JUNIOR GRADE OF MIZORAM LEGAL SERVICE (LAW OFFICER) UNDER LAW & JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM. FEBRUARY, 2021

### GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Time Allowed : 2 hours

Full Marks : 100

*All questions carry equal mark of 1 each.*

*Attempt all questions.*

1. What is the Mantra given by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi for youths to remain relevant in changing business environment?
  - (a) Skill, Reskill, Multitask
  - (b) Skill, Semiskill, Multiskill
  - (c) Skill, Reskill, Upskill
  - (d) Skill, Multitask, Deskill
2. Name the vaccine that is jointly developed by the German Company BioNTech and US Pharma giant Pfizer for Covid-19?
  - (a) BNT162
  - (b) PICCOVAC
  - (c) Favipiravir
  - (d) All of these
3. The Human Resource Development Ministry conducted the first ever Indian Scholastic Assessment (IND-SAT) Test 2020 in India recently. Which of the following statements stands true?
  - 1) IND-SAT is an exam for grant of scholarships and admissions to foreign students for studying in select Indian Universities.
  - 2) The Exam is designed to gauge the scholastic capability of students applying to study in India
  - 3) The IND-SAT scores will serve as a criterion to shortlist the meritorious students for the allocation of scholarships for under graduate as well as post graduate programmed under study in India.
  - (a) 1 & 2 only
  - (b) 2 & 3 only
  - (c) 1 & 3 only
  - (d) All of these
4. Operation *Samudra Setu*, is related to:
  - (a) Measures to assure the safety and security of the Indian vessels in the Persian Gulf
  - (b) Initiative to bring stranded Indians abroad amid global corona virus lockdown
  - (c) Bilateral naval exercise between India and Seychelles
  - (d) Initiative to build Ram Setu between India and Sri Lanka.
5. South China Sea has been an area of dispute between China and many of the south East Asian countries for long. Which of the following islands lies in the South China Sea?
  - 1) Howland island
  - 2) Spratly island
  - 3) North island
  - 4) Triton island
  - (a) 1 & 2 only
  - (b) 2 & 4 only
  - (c) 3 & 4 only
  - (d) 2 & 3 only
6. *Luhman 16*, recently seen in the news, is a:
  - (a) Brown dwarf
  - (b) Star
  - (c) NASA'S Satellite
  - (d) Exoplanet

7. Which Bank launched 100% paperless digital self assisted online saving account named 'Insta Click Savings'?
  - (a) ICICI Bank
  - (b) HDFC Bank
  - (c) Bank of Baroda
  - (d) State Bank of India
8. Which state/ UT cabinet approved the doorstep ration delivery scheme named '*Mukhya Mantri Ghar Ghar Ration Yojana*'?
  - (a) Delhi
  - (b) Tamil Nadu
  - (c) Gujarat
  - (d) Goa
9. The consumer Protection Act (CPA) 2019 has come into effect from which date?
  - (a) January 1, 2020
  - (b) June 30, 2020
  - (c) July 20, 2020
  - (d) August 15, 2020
10. United Nations decided to dedicate 2021 as which year?
  - (a) International Year of Peace & Trust
  - (b) International Year of fruits & vegetables
  - (c) International Year for the elimination of child labour
  - (d) All the above
11. Indian railways planned to launch the 1st set of private trains by which year?
  - (a) 2023
  - (b) 2021
  - (c) 2022
  - (d) 2024
12. The recently released 'PRAGYATA guidelines' is associated with which of the following projects/ processes?
  - (a) Smart city project
  - (b) Urban water usage
  - (c) Digital education
  - (d) Power plan waste disposals
13. According to World Bank's classification by income level 2020-21, India was classified under which category?
  - (a) Upper Middle Income
  - (b) Lower-Middle-Income
  - (c) Low-Income
  - (d) Lowest- Income
14. '*Naku La pass*' sometimes seen in the news, is located in:
  - (a) Sikkim
  - (b) Arunachal Pradesh
  - (c) Jammu & Kashmir
  - (d) Ladakh
15. When is Day of International Criminal Justice observed annually?
  - (a) June 30
  - (b) July 17
  - (c) August 10
  - (d) July 31
16. The Panchayat raj department of which state has won 1st prize under e-Panchayat Puraskars 2020?
  - (a) Gujarat
  - (b) Madhya Pradesh
  - (c) Himachal Pradesh
  - (d) Karnataka
17. Which is the best performing state (*more than 50 lakh population*) in controlling TB as per '*India TB Report 2020*'?
  - (a) Telangana
  - (b) Gujarat
  - (c) Tamil Nadu
  - (d) Andhra Pradesh
18. What is the name of the first Mobile App for National Anti- Doping Agency?
  - (a) HEALTHY INDIA
  - (b) NADA INDIA
  - (c) INDIA ANDOP
  - (d) INDIA NADA

19. Which virus causes the disease Covid-19?
  - (a) SARS
  - (b) SARS- CoV-1
  - (c) SARS- CoV-2
  - (d) MERS
20. The Indian Economist who has been included in the 8-member Panel formed by the Asian Development Bank to find solutions for speedy recovery of Covid-19 in South East Asia is-
  - (a) Manmohan Singh
  - (b) Jagdish Bhagwati
  - (c) Rajiv Kumar
  - (d) Raghuram Rajan
21. Which Law was passed by China in June 2020 for Hongkong?
  - (a) Hongkong Internal Affairs Provision
  - (b) Hongkong National Security Law
  - (c) Hongkong Security Act
  - (d) Hongkong Law and Order Maintenance Act
22. Where was the first Plasma Bank set up in India?
  - (a) Mumbai
  - (b) Kolkata
  - (c) Lucknow
  - (d) New Delhi
23. The indigenously developed Torpedo Decoy System by the Indian Navy is
  - (a) Maareech
  - (b) Prithvi
  - (c) Aakash
  - (d) Brahmos
24. The Rajya Sabha Secretariat launched an Employees Welfare Scheme in the name of which Union Minister?
  - (a) Rajnath Singh
  - (b) Prakash Javadekar
  - (c) Nirmala Sitharaman
  - (d) Arun Jaitley
25. India signed an agreement for the establishment of 'Emergency Medical Services' with which country?
  - (a) Maldives
  - (b) Germany
  - (c) Mauritius
  - (d) Japan
26. Which Minister from India attended the 75<sup>th</sup> Victory Day Parade in Moscow's Red Square on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2020?
  - (a) Jitendra Singh
  - (b) Amit Shah
  - (c) Rajnath Singh
  - (d) Nirmala Sitharaman
27. Indian-origin Chandrika Persad Santoki has been elected as the President of which country?
  - (a) Chile
  - (b) Chad
  - (c) Mali
  - (d) Suriname
28. On June 2020, a violent clash broke out between Indian and Chinese soldiers in which of the following place?
  - (a) Galwan Valley
  - (b) Pulwama Valley
  - (c) Nubra Valley
  - (d) Indus Valley
29. Which State passes a bill in its Assembly to propose three Capitals for the State?
  - (a) Uttarakhand
  - (b) Andhra Pradesh
  - (c) Telengana
  - (d) Himachal Pradesh
30. 'Hope Mission' has been launched by which country to Mars?
  - (a) USA
  - (b) France
  - (c) India
  - (d) UAE
31. The first Industrialised country to phase out both coal and nuclear energy is
  - (a) France
  - (b) Germany
  - (c) UK
  - (d) Japan

32. Which country's court ordered the Johnson and Johnson to pay US Dollar 2.1 billion in damages for causing ovarian cancer by Talcum powder?
- (a) UK (b) USA  
(c) Russia (d) France
33. Which State Government has initiated a measure "HEALTH CARE SERVICE AT YOUR DOOR STEP"?
- (a) Bihar (b) Madhya Pradesh  
(c) Gujarat (d) Maharashtra
34. Who developed India's first fully Indigenous made vaccine against Pneumonia, Pneumococcal, Polysaccharide, conjugate vaccine?
- (a) Mankind Pharma Ltd. (b) Sun Pharmaceuticals Industries Ltd.  
(c) Serum Institute of India's Private Ltd. (d) Biocon Ltd.
35. The first Bollywood film to go plastic free is-
- (a) War (b) Dream girl  
(c) Mission Mangal (d) Coolie No.1
36. Who authored the book titled "*The Pandemic Century*"?
- (a) Khaled Hosseini (b) Mark Honigsbaum  
(c) Siddhartha Mukherjee (d) C.J. Lyons
37. Consider the following books and authors:
- |                   |   |                       |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1) Zodinpuii      | : | Lalchhantluanga       |
| 2) Zoram Vartian  | : | Lalhruaitluanga Ralte |
| 3) Sihlipui       | : | Romuanpuui Zadeng     |
| 4) Rintei Zunleng | : | Lalhriat              |
| 5) Rinawmin       | : | C.Laizawna            |
- Which of the above pairs are correctly matched?
- (a) 1, 2 & 3 only (b) 2, 4 & 5 only  
(c) 1 and 3 only (d) 2, 3 & 4 only
38. The author of the Book 'Freedom in Exile'
- (a) Ruskinbond (b) Dalai Lama  
(c) Jawaharlal Nehru (d) Natwar Singh
39. 'The God of Small Things' is written by
- (a) Arundhati Roy (b) Asha Ghosh  
(c) Asha Purna Devi (d) Aswa Ghosh
40. Raghuram Rajan is the author of
- (a) Thoughts and Reflections (b) I Do What I Do  
(c) Son of Thunder Clouds (d) A Life in Diplomacy
41. Who is the first recipient of 'Bhasha Samman' among the Mizos?
- (a) James Dokhuma (b) Lalthangfala Sailo  
(c) Rev.C.Zairema (d) Dr.Laltluangaliana Khiangte
42. The Current Director General of the World Health Organization(WHO) is
- (a) Dr Margaret Chan (b) Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus  
(c) Dr Lee Jong Wook (d) Dr Gro Harlem Brundtland

43. The Current Attorney General of India is  
(a) Harish Salve (b) Tushar Mehta  
(c) KK. Venugopal (d) Prashant Bhusan
44. The Chairman of the 21<sup>st</sup> Law Commission is  
(a) Justice Navin Sinha (b) Justice Heman Gupta  
(c) Justice Balbir Singh Chauhan (d) Justice Mukesh Shah
45. First LLM among Mizos-  
(a) A.Thanglura (b) LH.Lianhrima  
(c) Dr.HT Sangliana (d) RC.Thanga
46. Which of the following awards is not associated with the field of Sports:  
(a) Arjuna Award (b) Norman Borlaug Award  
(c) Dronacharya Award (d) Dyanchand Award
47. The term 'Pitcher' is associated with:  
(a) Baseball (b) Tennis  
(c) Golf (d) Boxing
48. World highest paid Sportsman of 2020 is  
(a) Lebron James (b) Cristiano Ronaldo  
(c) Lionel Messi (d) Roger Federer
49. FIFA World Cup 2022 will be held on-  
(a) Spain (b) Japan  
(c) USA (d) Qatar
50. In the latest FIFA World Ranking, India is ranked-  
(a) 97 (b) 104  
(c) 112 (d) 117
51. What is the full form of CSIR?  
(a) Center for science and Industrial Research  
(b) Council for Scientific and information Research  
(c) Council of Scientific and Industrial Research  
(d) Center for share and investment Ratio
52. 'VIRUS' stands for:  
(a) Various Information Resources under stage  
(b) Vital Information Resources under siege  
(c) Various Information Resources unlimited Storages  
(d) Vital Images Reviews Universal Studios
53. 'MAHFED' stands for:  
(a) Mizoram State Animal Husbandry Federation Limited  
(b) Mizoram State Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Federation Limited  
(c) Mizoram State Agriculture, Horticulture, Forestry and Marketing Cooperative Federation Limited  
(d) Mizoram State Cooperation on Agriculture, Horticulture and Fishery Development Limited.
54. BRICS stands for  
(a) Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa  
(b) Brazil, Russia, Indonesia, China and South Africa  
(c) Brazil, Russia, India, Cambodia and South Africa  
(d) Brunei, Russia, India, China and South Africa

55. IBRD stands for
- (a) International Bank for Resources and Development
  - (b) International Board for Reconstruction and Development
  - (c) International Bank of Reconstruction and Development
  - (d) International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
56. Which is called '*Remnant of the mighty empire*'?
- (a) Australia
  - (b) China
  - (c) Austria
  - (d) Iraq
57. Which city is called the '*City of eternal Spring*'?
- (a) London
  - (b) Rome
  - (c) Paris
  - (d) Quito
58. Which state is called the '*Basket of Fruits*'?
- (a) Punjab
  - (b) Himachal Pradesh
  - (c) Jammu & Kashmir
  - (d) Haryana
59. Land of Thunder Bolt is related to
- (a) Bhutan
  - (b) China
  - (c) Nepal
  - (d) North Korea
60. Which one of the following countries is called 'Pearl of Orient'?
- (a) Singapore
  - (b) Malaysia
  - (c) Thailand
  - (d) Hongkong
61. Which award was given to Shri C.Kamlova in the early 2020?
- (a) Padma Shri Award
  - (b) Padma Bhushan Award
  - (c) Bhasha Samman
  - (d) National Award to Teacher
62. Who has won the prestigious 2020 World Food Prize, which is considered to be equivalent to a Nobel Prize in the field of agriculture?
- (a) Salman Akhtar
  - (b) Nita Ahuja
  - (c) Naresh Dalal
  - (d) Rattan Lal
63. Second highest Civilian Award in India
- (a) Bharat Ratna
  - (b) Padma Shree
  - (c) Padma Bhushan
  - (d) Padma Vibhushan
64. Who was Awarded Nobel Prize for both Physics and for Chemistry?
- (a) Albert Einstein
  - (b) CV Raman
  - (c) Marie Curie
  - (d) Pierre Curie
65. The First Padma Shri Awardee among Mizo is
- (a) Anselm Sawihlira
  - (b) James Dokuma
  - (c) Khawlkungi
  - (d) Nuchhungi Renthlei
66. The concept of '*Green House Gases*' was postulated by:
- (a) Joseph Fourier
  - (b) Abdul Kalam
  - (c) M.S Swami Nathan
  - (d) Richael Carlson
67. Blood groups were discovered by:
- (a) Morgan
  - (b) P.C Roy
  - (c) William Harvey
  - (d) Karl Landsteiner

68. Which one of the following is recognized as one of the fathers of Internet?  
(a) Evan Williams (b) Larry Page  
(c) Mark Zuckerberg (d) Vint Cerf
69. Who discover the North Pole?  
(a) Christopher Columbus (b) Robert Peary  
(c) Vasco da Gama (d) Edmund Hillary
70. The Structure of Atom was discovered by-  
(a) Enrico Fermi (b) Blaise Pascal  
(c) Isaac Newton (d) Ernest Rutherford
71. A network of computers and other devices that is confined to a relatively small space is called:  
(a) Wide Area Network (b) Local Area Network  
(c) Global Network (d) Peer to Peer Network
72. Every computer connected to the internet is identified by a unique four-part string, known as:  
(a) IP Address (b) Host name  
(c) Domain name (d) None of these
73. Which of the following statement is correct?  
(a) 1 KB=1024 bytes (b) 1MB=2048 bytes  
(c) 1MB=1000 kilobytes (d) 1KB=1000 bytes
74. USB is a device used to store and it stands for:  
(a) Unlimited Service Band (b) Universal Service Band  
(c) Unlimited Serial Bus (d) Universal Serial Bus
75. SD card is a memory cards used in electronic equipments including digital cameras and cell phones. What does SD stands for?  
(a) Scab Disk (b) Short Drive  
(c) Secure Digital (d) Slot Disk
76. HTTP stands for:  
(a) Hyper Text Transfer Protocol (b) Hyper Timed Text Protocol  
(c) Hopper Transfer Text Protocol (d) Hopper Text Time Protocol
77. The Software which prevents unauthorised person from accessing certain parts of a Programme, Data base or network is  
(a) Ethernet (b) Firewall  
(c) Freeze (d) Hypertext
78. The pre-established setting that a programme follows unless changed by the user is known as  
(a) Default Setting (b) Default Management  
(c) Default Managers (d) Default Entry
79. SMPS stands for  
(a) Switch Mode Power Supply (b) Single Mode Power Supply  
(c) Start Mode Power Supply (d) Store Mode Power Supply
80. A Computer code that can make multiples of it and spread from one Computer system to another system is called  
(a) Malware (b) Computer Warm  
(c) Virus (d) Trojan horse

81. Which one of the following is not a prime number?  
(a) 31 (b) 61  
(c) 71 (d) 91
82. It was Sunday on January 1, 2006. What was the day of the week January 1, 2010?  
(a) Sunday (b) Saturday  
(c) Friday (d) Wednesday
83. The smallest 3 digit prime number is:  
(a) 101 (b) 103  
(c) 109 (d) 113
84. A grocer has a sale of Rs. 6435, Rs. 6927, Rs. 6855, Rs. 7230 and Rs. 6562 for 5 consecutive months. How much sale must he have in the sixth month so that he gets an average sale of Rs. 6500?  
(a) Rs. 4991 (b) Rs. 5991  
(c) Rs. 6001 (d) Rs. 6991
85. The average monthly income of P and Q is Rs. 5050. The average monthly income of Q and R is Rs. 6250 and the average monthly income of P and R is Rs. 5200. The monthly income of P is:  
(a) 3500 (b) 4000  
(c) 4050 (d) 5000
86. Look at this series: 2, 1, (1/2), (1/4), ... What number should come next?  
(a) (1/3) (b) (1/8)  
(c) (2/8) (d) (1/16)
87. Look at this series: 58, 52, 46, 40, 34, ... What number should come next?  
(a) 26 (b) 28  
(c) 30 (d) 32

**Direction (Questions No. 88 - 90) : In these series, you will be looking at both the letter pattern and the number pattern. Fill the blank in the middle of the series or end of the series.**

88. SCD, TEF, UGH, \_\_\_\_\_, WKL  
(a) CMN (b) UJI  
(c) VIJ (d) IJT
89. ZA5, Y4B, XC6, W3D, \_\_\_\_\_  
(a) E7V (b) V2E  
(c) VE5 (d) VE7
90. P5QR, P4QS, P3QT, \_\_\_\_\_, P1QV  
(a) PQW (b) PQV2  
(c) P2QU (d) PQ3U

**Direction (Questions No. 91 - 93) : Problem consists of three statements. Based on the first two statements, the third statement may be true, false, or uncertain**

91. Tanya is older than Eric.  
Cliff is older than Tanya.  
Eric is older than Cliff.  
If the first two statements are true, the third statement is  
(a) true (b) false  
(c) uncertain



92. Blueberries cost more than strawberries.

Blueberries cost less than raspberries.

Raspberries cost more than strawberries and blueberries.

If the first two statements are true, the third statement is

- (a) true
- (b) false
- (c) uncertain

93. All the trees in the park are flowering trees.

Some of the trees in the park are dogwoods.

All dogwoods in the park are flowering trees.

If the first two statements are true, the third statement is

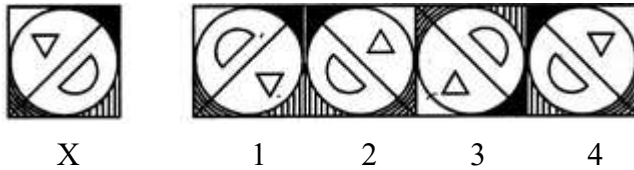
- (a) true
- (b) false
- (c) uncertain

94. Choose the alternative which is closely resembles the mirror image of the given combination.

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(1) AN2P8Q1S (2) S1Q8P2NA  
(3) 2NA8PQ1S (4) 1SQ8P2AN2

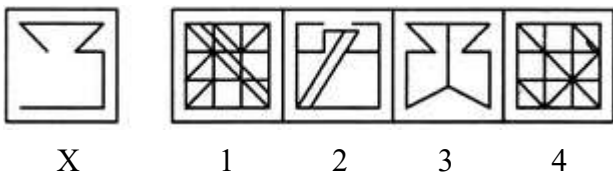
- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 4

95. Choose the correct mirror image of the given figure (X) from amongst the four alternatives



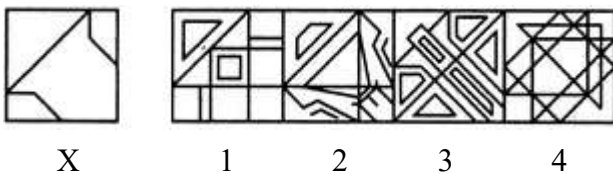
- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 4

96. Find out the alternative figure which contains figure (X) as its part



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

97. Find out the alternative figure which contains figure (X) as its part.



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

- 98.** The sum of ages of 5 children born at the intervals of 3 years each is 50 years. What is the age of the youngest child?
- (a) 4 years (b) 8 years  
(c) 10 years (d) None of these
- 99.** A father said to his son, "I was as old as you are at the present at the time of your birth". If the father's age is 38 years now, the son's age five years back was:
- (a) 14 years (b) 19 years  
(c) 33 years (d) 38 years
- 100.** A, B and C can do a piece of work in 20, 30 and 60 days respectively. In how many days can A do the work if he is assisted by B and C on every third day?
- (a) 12 days (b) 15 days  
(c) 16 days (d) 18 days

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