

Written Test (Objective Type) for direct recruitment of Stenographer Grade-I for
Principal Seat, Gauhati High Court

Total Marks: 20 (Twenty)

Duration: 30 Minutes

Every question carries 1/2 marks.

Attempt all questions

1. When do we observe National Consumers' Day?
(a) December 28
(b) December 24
(c) December 31
(d) December 20.
2. Who is the only Indian recipient of an Oscar Award for lifetime achievement?
(a) Dev Anand
(b) Satyajit Ray
(c) Dada Saheb Phalke
(d) Govind Nilhani
3. The smallest day in the world is
(a) 22 November
(b) 22 December
(c) 23 January
(d) 21 December.
4. Which is the largest continent in the World?
(a) Asia
(b) South America
(c) Africa
(d) North America
5. Oral Rehydration Therapy is associated with the treatment of
(a) Cancer
(b) Diarrhoea
(c) Anaemia
(d) Beri-beri
6. Who can remove the President of India from his office?
(a) Chief Justice of India
(b) Prime Minister
(c) Lok Sabha
(d) Parliament
7. Which of the following city is not situated on the bank of river Yamuna?
(a) Haridwar
(b) Agra
(c) Thane
(d) Nagpur.
8. Who invented the super Computer?
(a) J.H. Van Tassel
(b) Farnsworth
(c) Hairy Brearley
(d) Thomas Newcomen
9. Which planet has the maximum number of satellites?
(a) Neptune
(b) Venus
(c) Saturn
(d) Earth.
10. In which year was the first laptop introduced?
(a) 1980
(b) 1981
(c) 1982
(d) 1979.
11. What is UBUNTU ?
(a) Firmware
(b) Language
(c) Hardware
(d) Operating System.
12. Name the first Indian to take a hat-trick in one day international cricket match ?
(a) Kapil Dev
(b) Roger Binni
(c) Chetan Sarma

(d) Bishen Singh Bedi.

13. "David Copperfield" was written by:

- (a) John Mansfield
- (b) Charles Dickens
- (c) Somerset Maugham
- (d) Emilia Zola.

14. First woman to win a Nobel Prize for literature ;

- (a) Selma Lagerof
- (b) Emily Dickinson
- (c) Jane Austin
- (d) None of these.

15. Name the actor who played the role of James Bond in the movie "Tomorrow Never Dies".

- (a) Louis Phillip
- (b) John Nicholson
- (c) Pierce Brosnan
- (d) None of these.

16. 'Omkara' a Hindi film by Vishal Bhardwaj is based on which Shakespearean work?

- (a) Hamlet
- (b) Othello
- (c) The Merchant of Venice
- (d) As You like It.

17. Which is the main food crop of India?

- (a) Wheat
- (b) Gram
- (c) Rice
- (d) Coarse Grains.

18. The currency of Italy is

- (a) Pound
- (b) Euro
- (c) Krone
- (d) Mark.

19. The capital of Brazil is

- (a) Sao Paulo
- (b) Santos
- (c) Belem
- (d) Brasilia.

20. Name the musician who adapted guitar to Hindustani music?

- (a) Ravi Shankar
- (b) R.D. Burman
- (c) Viswa Mohan Bhatt
- (d) Remo.

General English

Choose the correct determiner :

21. The teacher has given us _____ useful advice.

- a. Many
- b. Few
- c. Much
- d. None of these

22. Reading is _____ useful hobby.

- a. A
- b. An
- c. The
- d. None of these

23. _____ pen do you want?

- a. Which
- b. Any
- c. Few
- d. None of these

Choose the correct Tense:

24. I _____ this letter since morning.
- a. Wrote
 - b. Have written
 - c. Have been writing
 - d. None of these.
25. He cannot play in the match as he _____ his foot.
- a. Had injured
 - b. Injured
 - c. Has injured
 - d. None of these.
26. The train _____ at 9 o'clock each morning.
- a. Started
 - b. Starts
 - c. Is starting
 - d. None of these.

Select the correct indirect speech:

27. He said to her, "Don't read so fast".
- a. He told her not to read so fast.
 - b. He advised her don't read so fast.
 - c. He requested her not to read so fast.
 - d. He ordered her not to read so fast.
28. Please ask him, " why did you make so much noise?"
- a. Please ask him that why he make so much noise.
 - b. Please ask him why he had made so much noise.
 - c. Please ask him that he made so much noise.
 - d. All correct.

Select the correct voice:

29. I know your father well.
- a. Your father is known by me well.
 - b. Your father is known to me well.
 - c. Your father has been known by me well.
 - d. Your father had been known by me well.
30. The hunter killed the tiger.
- a. The tiger is killed by the hunter.
 - b. The tiger was killed by the hunter.
 - c. The tiger has been killed by the hunter.
 - d. The tiger had been killed by the hunter.

Select the correct prepositions:

31. You must take care _____ your parents.
- a. For
 - b. To
 - c. Of
 - d. None of these.
32. I was surprised _____ his behaviour.
- a. With
 - b. By
 - c. At
 - d. To

Select the correct antonyms:

33. Opportunity-
- a. Proper time
 - b. High time
 - c. Improper time
 - d. Unfortunate.
34. Hopeless-
- a. Lucky
 - b. Kind
 - c. Distinct
 - d. Futile

Select the correct synonyms:

35. Absolute-
- a. Reliable
 - b. Limitless
 - c. Narrow
 - d. Reasonable
36. Inspire-
- a. Persuade
 - b. Compel
 - c. Encourage
 - d. Incite
37. Hinder-
- a. Impede
 - b. Protect
 - c. Devote
 - d. Create

Choose the correct auxiliary:

38. Sita _____ marry next month.
- a. Will
 - b. Would
 - c. Can
 - d. None of these
39. We _____ love our country.
- a. Must
 - b. Ought to
 - c. Should
 - d. None of these.
40. He wish that I _____ be prosperous.
- a. May
 - b. Might
 - c. Can
 - d. None of these.
