

**Written Test (Objective Type) for Direct Recruitment of  
Stenographer (Grade-II) Itanagar Bench, Naharlagun,  
Gauhati High Court.**

Total Questions – 40(Forty)

Total Marks: 20(Twenty)

Duration: 30 Minutes

All Question carry equal (1½) Marks. Answer all questions

1. The boiling point of water is -  
A. 273 K                      B. 376 K  
C. 373 K.                      D. 100 K
2. Which of the following statement is right with reference to melting of ice?  
A. At melting point only ice exist  
B. At melting point only water exists  
C. At melting point both ice and water exists  
D. At melting point ice, water and steam exist
3. Which one of the following is a protective food?  
A. Potato                      B. Egg  
C. Rice                          D. Lemon
4. Which of the following is the simplest carbohydrate?  
A. Maltose                      B. Glucose  
C. Sucrose                      D. Starch
5. Who won the Wimbledon Men's open tennis championship in the year 2013?  
A. Roger Federer              B. Andy Murray  
C. Rafael Nadal                D. Novak Djokovic
6. Antibiotics work against-  
A. Virus                          B. Bacteria  
C. Dengue                      D. Elephantiasis
7. The surface of the earth covered by water is -  
A. 25%                          B. 33%  
C. 50%                          D. 75%
8. Name the Pakistani Girl who became famous for defying the Taliban -  
A. Malala Youhana              B. Malala Yousafzai  
C. Malala Yuhudi                D. Heena Rabbani
9. Mr. Siba Thapa won a gold medal in Boxing in  
A. Olympic Games              B. Asian Games  
C. Commonwealth Games      D. SAARC Games
10. Name the IAS Officer who was in news for her suspension by the Uttar Pradesh Government?  
A. Durga Nagpal                B. Durga Devi Nagpal  
C. Durga Luxmi Nagpal        D. Durga Shakti Nagpal
11. Which country granted temporary asylum to intelligence whistle blower Edward Snowden ?  
A. India                          B. China  
C. Russia                        D. Cuba
12. Who is the present Chief Justice of the Gauhati High Court ?  
A. Justice Ranjan Gogoi              B. Justice Amitava Roy  
C. Justice Makunda Kam Sarma      D. Justice Adarsh Kumar Goel

13. The battle of Plassy was fought in the year :  
A. 1757                      B. 1857  
C. 1657                      D. 1557
14. The 'Quit India' movement was launched by the Indian National Congress in the year :  
A. 1938                      B. 1942  
C. 1944                      D. 1943
15. In which year the first war of Independence was fought?  
A. 1757                      B. 1857  
C. 1947                      D. None of these
16. The difference between Indian Standard Time and Greenwich Mean Time is :  
A. 5 hours                  B. 4 ½ hours  
C. 5 ½ hours                D. 6 hours
17. The Indian Standard Time was fixed on the basis of standard meridian which passes through :  
A. Madras  
B. Guwahati  
C. Allahabad                D. Delhi
18. Which is the longest Railway platform in India?  
A. Howra                    B. Allahabad  
C. Lucknow                  D. Kharagpur
19. World's largest producer of wool is :  
A. India                      B. United States  
C. Australia                 D. South Africa
20. The largest artificial lake in India is :  
A. Dal lake                  B. Puskar  
C. Govind Sagar (Bhakra)    D. Nainital lake

CHOOSE THE WORD WHICH IS MOST NEARLY OF THE SAME MEANING AS THE WORD GIVEN

21. Arduous -  
A. Hazardous  
C. Different  
B. Difficult  
D. Pleasurable
22. Formulate -  
A. Apply  
C. Contemplate  
B. Frame  
D. Regulate
23. Degrading -  
A. Demeaning  
C. Corrupting  
B. Lowering  
D. Minimizing
24. Viable -  
A. Rudimentary  
C. Negative  
B. Visible  
D. Possible
25. Inevitably -  
A. Conflict  
C. Division  
B. Enmity  
D. Certainly

In which part of the following sentences (Of A, B, and C), there is a mistake. If there is no mistake, then the answer is "D"?

26. A. In spite of B. all his brag

27. C. he had to eat humble pie D. No mistake  
 A. The singer, B. having a slight cough,  
 C. was in voice at the concert. D. No mistake.
28. A. At least, B. in the question of child marriage,  
 C. We are at one D. No mistake
29. A. When I saw him last B. he was beside himself  
 C. with grief. D. No mistake
30. A. What you say B. has no bearing  
 C. on the subject before our hand D. No mistake.

CHOOSE THE MOST SUITABLE 'ONE WORD' FOR THE FOLLOWING PHRASAL EXPRESSIONS.

31. Act of taking one's life  
 A. Suicide B. Slaughter  
 C. Homicide D. Immolation
32. A man who dances to the tune of his wife  
 A. Effeminate B. Slave  
 C. Henpecked D. Chum
33. A slow-witted and incompetent person  
 A. Nigger B. Dud  
 C. Snooty D. Duffer
34. One who is neither intelligent nor dull  
 A. Tolerable B. Commoner  
 C. Mediocre D. Diligent
35. Something which is not thorough or profound  
 A. Superficial B. Superstitious  
 C. Superfluous D. Supernatural
36. Indifference to pleasure or pain  
 A. Docility B. Stoicism  
 C. Patience D. Reticence
37. The branch of medical science which deals with the problems of the old People.  
 A Oncology B. Geriatrics  
 C. Obstetrics D. Endocrinology

**Fill up the blanks with appropriate word/words**

38. They are late as usual. I don't think we should \_\_\_\_\_ them.  
 A. Await for B. wait for  
 C. Await on D. wait on
39. The Guwahati police were very anxious \_\_\_\_\_ about the crime.  
 A. more learn B. learn more  
 C. to more learn D. to learn more
40. Many excited women could \_\_\_\_\_ at the department store sale.  
 A. Seen B. be seen  
 C. Be seeing D. be see

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