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GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TALENT SEARCH OLYMPIAD(GTSSO) 2015 - 2016

STAGE - 1

TIME : 60 min.

CLASS : VI

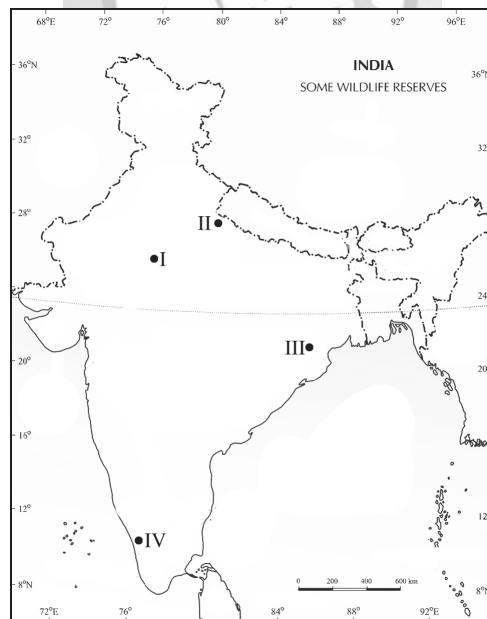
Max. Marks : 50

## Instructions:

- ⇒ Fill the OMR sheet completely and carefully.
- ⇒ Each question carries one mark and has only one correct answer. No negative marks
- ⇒ The question paper contains 50 questions to be answered in 60 minutes.

1. What was the capital of Mauryan Empire ? [ ]  
1) Delhi                      2) Shimla                      3) Pataliputra                      4) Jaipur
2. Which one among the following state has the maximum number of national parks ? [ ]  
1) Madhya Preadesh      2) Arunachal Pradesh      3) Assom                      4) Meghalaya.
3. "Democracy is a government of the people, by the people and for the people." Who gave this definition for democracy ? [ ]  
1) Aristotle                      2) Abraham Lincoln      3) Winton Churchill      4) Bayard Rustin
4. "Arise, awake, stop not until your goal is achieved." Who gave this quotation? [ ]  
1) Gandhiji                      2) Swami Vivekananda  
3) Tagore                      4) Iqbal
5. Large portions of Telangana and Rayalaseema fall in [ ]  
1) Meghalaya Plateau      2) Chotanagpur Plateau  
3) Deccan Plateau                      4) Malwa Plateau
6. Cinematography was invented by [ ]  
1) Graham Bell                      2) Thomas Alva Edison  
3) Zeiss                      4) Faraday
7. Most of the Ashoka's inscriptions were in this language [ ]  
1) Sanskrit                      2) Prakrit                      3) Hindi                      4) Pali
8. Mudumalai Sanctuary is famous for [ ]  
1) Bisons                      2) Birds                      3) Elephants                      4) Tigers
9. Which of the following governments have primary idea about local problems ? [ ]  
1) Central government                      2) State government  
3) Local government                      4) Pressure groups
10. "The empty vessels makes the loudest sound". These words are said by [ ]  
1) William Shakespeare                      2) Albert Einstein  
3) Allan Bloom                      4) Tagore
11. Andhra Pradesh has a long stretch of plains called 'Costal Plains' stretching from Srikakulam in the north to [ ]  
1) Kolleru lake                      2) Chilaka lake                      3) Sambar lake                      4) Pulicat lake
12. Who invented the Word Wide Web ? [ ]  
1) Tim Berners Lee      2) Earle Dickson      3) James Rineose      4) Laszlo Jozef Biro

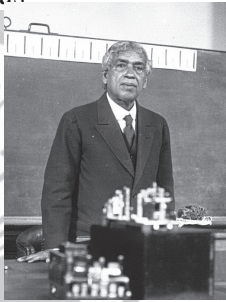

13. Which of the following statements about the conversion of Ashoka to Buddhism is generally believed to be correct ? [ ]
- 1) It took place as a dramatic event soon after the war at Kalinga
  - 2) Ashoka was never converted to Buddhism, he only borrowed some of its ideas to profound his doctrine of dhamma.
  - 3) His conversion to Buddhism was a gradual process
  - 4) He became a convert to Buddhism under the influence of Upagupta
14. What was the capital of Satavahanas ? [ ]
- 1) Pataliputra
  - 2) Madurai
  - 3) Dhanyakataka
  - 4) Vengi
15. Biosphere Reserve of India, Nanda Devi is located in the state of [ ]
- 1) Uttarakhand
  - 2) Sikkim
  - 3) Meghalaya
  - 4) Himachal Pradesh
16. Which party system does India follow ? [ ]
- 1) Single party system
  - 2) Two party system
  - 3) Three party system
  - 4) Multi party system
17. Who gave the slogan 'Do or Die'? [ ]
- 1) Mahatma Gandhi
  - 2) Subhas Chandra Bose
  - 3) Bhagat Singh
  - 4) Bala Gangadhar Tilak
18. Which is the deepest Ocean in the World ? [ ]
- 1) Arctic Ocean
  - 2) Atlantic Ocean
  - 3) Pacific Ocean
  - 4) Indian Ocean
19. Match the National parks on the map of India (I, II, III, IV) with their respective names

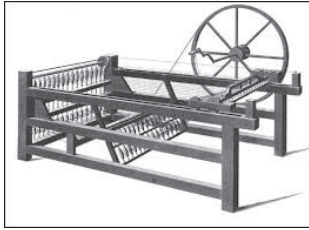


- a) Ranthambhor      b) Dudhwa      c) Simlipal      d) Bandipur

Which is the correct set ? [ ]

- 1) a - III, b - II, c - I, d - IV
  - 2) a - I, b - II, c - III, d - IV
  - 3) a - II, b - III, c - IV, d - I
  - 4) a - III, b - II, c - IV, d - I
20. During the reign of Bindusara, there was unrest at [ ]
- 1) Ujjayini
  - 2) Pushkalavati
  - 3) Takshasila
  - 4) Rajagriha
21. Kautilya or Chanakya was the Prime Minister of [ ]
- 1) Skandagupta
  - 2) Kumaragupta
  - 3) Chandra Gupta Maurya
  - 4) Brihadratha

22. What was the name of India's first biosphere reserve ? [ ]  
 1) Panna Biosphere 2) Nilgiri Biosphere Reserve  
 3) Sunderbans 4) Manas
23. The present Lok Sabha is the [ ]  
 1) 13<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha 2) 14<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha 3) 15<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha 4) 16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha
24. "Impossible is a word to be found only in dictionary of fools". Who said these words? [ ]  
 1) Napoleon 2) Mussolini 3) Stalin 4) Hitler
25. Which is the most active volcano in the World ? [ ]  
 1) Mount Vesuvius 2) Cotopaxi 3) Kilimanjaro 4) Stromboli
26. The Parliament of India cannot be regarded as a sovereign body because [ ]  
 1) It can legislate only on subjects entrusted to the centre by the Constitution  
 2) It has to operate within the limits prescribed by the Constitution  
 3) The supreme court can declare laws passed by Parliament as unconstitutional if they contravene the provisions of the Constitution  
 4) All the above
27. The famous Indian Scientist pioneered the investigation of Radio and Microwave optics made very significant contributions to plant science was [ ]  
 1) C.V. Raman  
 2) Homi. J. Bhabha  
 3) Satyendranath Bose  
 4) Jagadish Chandra Bose
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28. Chandra Gupta Maurya was the follower of [ ]  
 1) Buddhism 2) Hinduism 3) Ajivika 4) Jainism
29. Nelapattu Bird Sanctuary is located in [ ]  
 1) Tamil Nadu 2) Andhra Pradesh 3) Kerala 4) Karnataka
30. The minimum age required to become the Prime Minister of India is [ ]  
 1) 25 years 2) 30 years 3) 35 years 4) 40 years
31. Who popularised the famous slogan "Satyameva Jayate"? [ ]  
 1) Bala Gangadhar Tilak 2) Madan Mohan Malaviya  
 3) Gandhiji 4) Indira Gandhi
32. \_\_\_\_\_ is the largest multipurpose project in India. [ ]  
 1) Hiracud 2) Bhakra Nangal 3) Gandak 4) Chambal
33. Identify the picture of land form given below [ ]  
 1) 'U' shaped valley  
 2) Mushroom Rocks  
 3) 'V' shaped valley  
 4) Moraines
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34. Food is cooked faster in a pressure cooker because [ ]  
 1) Steam is hotter than the boiling water  
 2) Heat cannot escape from the cooker  
 3) In the cooker, water starts boiling at a lower temperature  
 4) Due to high pressure, the boiling point of water is raised

35. The famous Ashokan pillar containing a sculpture of four lions standing back to back located at  
 1) Saranath                      2) Bhopal                      3) Allahabad                      4) Peshawar [   ]
36. Kanha National Park is famous for [   ]  
 1) Rhinoceros                      2) Tigers                      3) Birds                      4) Crocodiles
37. “My life is my message” These words are said by [   ]  
 1) Nehru                      2) Gandhiji                      3) Tilak                      4) Bose
38. Which is the smallest Continent ? [   ]  
 1) Africa                      2) Australia                      3) Europe                      4) North America
39. Who invented Steam Engine (Condenser) ? [   ]  
 1) Harry Brearley                      2) Thomson                      3) James Watt                      4) Walter Hunt
40. Spinning jenny was invented by [   ]  
 1) James Stevenson  
 2) James Hargreaves  
 3) Elliwitin  
 4) Andreas Celsius
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41. The materials with the highest heat conductivities are the [   ]  
 1) Liquids                      2) Gases                      3) Woods                      4) Metals
42. Who was the greatest ruler among the Satavahana rulers ? [   ]  
 1) Pulumavi                      2) Gautamiputra Satakarni  
 3) Satakarni - I                      4) Yagnasri Satakarni
43. “Pakala Sanctuary” is found in [   ]  
 1) Adilabad                      2) Khammam                      3) Warangal                      4) Nellore
44. The slogan ‘Jai Hind’ was started by [   ]  
 1) Bala Gangadhar Tilak                      2) Subhas Chandra Bose  
 3) P. V. Narasimha Rao                      4) Nehru
45. Which of the following is not a Himalayan river ? [   ]  
 1) Ganga                      2) Indus                      3) Brahmaputra                      4) Godavari
46. Which of the following was invented by Alfred Nobel, after whose name the Nobel Prize was started? [   ]  
 1) Aeroplane                      2) Telephone                      3) Safety Lamp                      4) Dynamite
47. Nagarjuna is known as the Einstein of India because [   ]  
 1) He had a rare insight into the nature of the universe  
 2) He was one of the greatest physicists of all time  
 3) He profounded the theory of shunyavada similar to Einstein’s theory of relativity  
 4) He was a great dialectician
48. The quotation “I came, I saw, I conquered” is stated by [   ]  
 1) Julius Augustus                      2) Julius Caesar                      3) Julia Caesaris                      4) Gaius Julius Caesar
49. Who was considered as first emperor of India ? [   ]  
 1) Chandra Gupta Maurya                      2) Ashoka  
 3) Akbar                      4) Satakarni - I
50. Which of the following is not the function of a democratic government ? [   ]  
 1) To Construct roads                      2) Provide health facilities  
 3) Implement welfare programmes for poor                      4) Collect heavy taxes from the poor people