## Section 1 - Paperl-English Language

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

Quicksand is a colloid hydrogel consisting of fine granular material (such as sand, silt or clay), and water.Quicksand forms in saturated loose sand when the sand is suddenly agitated. When water in the sand cannot escape, it creates a liquefied soil that loses strength and cannot support weight. Quicksand can form in standing water or in upwards flowing water (as from an artesian spring). In the case of upwards flowing water, forces oppose the force of gravity and suspend the soil particles. The saturated sediment may appear quite solid until a sudden change in pressure or shock initiates liquefaction. This causes the sand to form a suspension and lose strength. The cushioning of water gives quicksand, and other liquefied sediments, a spongy, fluid-like texture. Objects in liquefied sand sink to the level at which the weight of the object is equal to the weight of the displaced soil/water mix and the submerged object floats due to its buoyancy. Liquefaction is a special case of quicksand. In this case, sudden earthquake forces immediately increase the pore pressure of shallow groundwater. The saturated liquefied soil loses strength, causing buildings or other objects on that surface to sink.A human is unlikely to sink entirely into quicksand and drown at all due to the higher density of the fluid (assuming the quicksand is on dry ground and not under water, but even if underwater, sinking is still improbable). Quicksand has a density of about 2 grams per milliliter, whereas the density of the human body is only about 1 gram per milliliter. At that level of density, sinking in quicksand is impossible. Descending about up to the waist is possible, but not any further. Even objects with a higher density than quicksand will float on it-until they move. Aluminum, for example, has a density of about 2.7 grams per milliliter, but a piece of aluminum will float on top of quicksand until motion causes the sand to liquefy. Continued or panicked movement, however, may cause a person to sink further in the quicksand. Since it increasingly impairs movement, it can lead to a situation where other factors such as weather exposure, dehydration, hypothermia, tides or carnivores may harm a trapped person.

1) The factor that causes liquefaction is
A) force of gravity
B) denser objects
C) sudden shock
D) colloid hydrogel
2) Choose among the following one material that is composed in Quicksand.
A) Silt
B) Aluminium
C) Gel
D) Hydrogen
3) The factors that could harm a person in quick sand other than sinking is
A) dehydration
B) shallow groundwater
C) roots of nearby plant
D) density of the person
4) In case of liquefaction, during earthquake
A) the saturated liquefied soil becomes strong
B) the groundwater liquefies the sand
C) the pore pressure of the shallow groundwater increases
D) the liquefied soil reaches saturation
5) It is impossible for a human to sink in quick sand because
A) the human density is equal to the density of quicksand
B) quicksand is made up of hydrogel
C) human body is denser than quicksand
D) quicksand is denser than human body
6) Select the right form of verb from the given options.

He is unhappy because his brother $\qquad$ his computer.
A) was used
B) didn't use
C) used
D) doesn't use
7) Choose the most appropriate similar meaning word:

FAKE
A) Trustworthy
B) Loyal
C) Original
D) False
8) Select the correct plural form from the given options.

The farmer has $\qquad$ that are so pretty.
A) sheeps'
B) sheep
C) sheepes
D) sheeps
9) Select the correct option.

I love living in this $\qquad$ beautiful city.
A) no article
B) a
C) the
D) an
10) Choose the most appropriate similar meaning word: IMPROVEMENT
A) Preference
B) Hindrance
C) Enhancement
D) Deterioration

## Section 2 - Paperl-Education and General Awareness

11) The kind of phase change that occurs when a gas changes into liquid is called
A) condensation
B) crystallization
C) sublimation
D) evaporation
12) Which of the following is popularly known as 'Magna Carta' of English education in India?
A) Narendradeo Committee (1939)
B) Wood's Despatch (1854)
C) Monitorial System (1880)
D) Lord Stanley's Despatch (1859)
13) Which of the following documents was the result of deliberations, consultations and consensus on National Policy on Education (NPE), 1986 and was later reviewed and updated in 1992?
A) Programme of Consensus (POC)
B) Programme of Deliberation (POD)
C) Programme of Action (POA)
D) Programme of Discussion (POD)
14) The function of State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT) is to impart
A) in-service training to the principals of undergraduate colleges
B) information of language laboratory in undergraduate education
C) pre-service and in-service training to teachers at all levels of school education
D) financial aid to the professors intending to pursue a doctoral degree
15) Who among the following politicians is known as the 'Father of Indian Constitution'?
A) Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar
B) Rajendra Prasad
C) Jawaharlal Nehru
D) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

## Section 3 - Paperl-Reasoning

16) Instruction: Below mentioned are statements followed by some conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from the commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:
Some fruits are vegetables
Some vegetables are leafy vegetables
No leafy vegetable is a fruit
Conclusions:
I) All fruits are leafy vegetables
II) No fruit is a leafy vegetable
A) Only II follows
B) Only I follows
C) None of the conclusions follow
D) Both I and II follow
17) In a certain code language 123 means 'John will run", 345 means "Run fastly buddy", 578 means "Buddy has slept" and 148 means "John fastly slept". What is the code for 'fastly'?
A) 8
B) 7
C) 4
D) 3
18) Instruction: In the following questions mark:

1, if the question can be answered with the help of statement I alone.
2, if the question can be answered with the help of statement II alone.
3 , if the question can be answered with the help of both I and II.
4, if the question can't be answered at all.
What is the perimeter of the playing surface of the table tennis table?

Statement I : Width of the playing surface of the table is 3.525 meters.

Statement II : Four players are playing on the table.
A) 3
B) 1
C) 4
D) 2
19) What is the duplicate ratio of $17: 19$ ?
A) $324: 361$
B) $289: 361$
C) $19: 17$
D) $289: 324$
20) Instruction: Below mentioned are statements followed by some conclusions. You have to take the given statements to be true even if they seem to be at variance from the commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the given statements disregarding commonly known facts.

Statements:
All the screens are drives.
All the drives are discs.
Some discs are cables.

Conclusions:
I) Some screens are cables.
II) Some cables are drives.
III) All the screens are discs.
IV) Some cables are discs.
A) Only II and III follow
B) Only I and II follow
C) Only I and IV follow
D) Only III and IV follow

## Section 4 - Paperl-Teaching Aptitude

21) One of the five components of the centrally sponsored Scheme of Restructuring and Reorganization of Teacher Education under the Government of India was establishment of DIETs. What is the full form of DIET?
A) Dunce Institute of Educational Training
B) Deemed Institute of Educational Training
C) District Institute of Educational Training
D) Distance Institute of Educational Training
22) One of the maxims of teaching is
A) reason to understanding
B) lesser to more
C) sooner to later
D) concrete to abstract
23) Which of the following is the location of the Western Regional office (WRO) of the University Grants Commission?
A) Hyderabad
B) Pune
C) Uttar Pradesh
D) Bihar
24) 'Students present various points of view, react to the ideas of others, and reflect on their own thoughts in an effort to build their knowledge, understanding, or interpretation of the matter at hand'. This statement is related to which of the following teaching methods?
A) Story telling method
B) Project method
C) Problem solving method
D) Discussion method
25) Focus of the examination on rank ordering students or declaring them failed tilts the classroom climate and the school ethos towards
A) vicious competition
B) passive competition
C) healthy competition
D) joyful competition
26) A general term that refers to the traditional teaching strategy that relies on explicit teaching through lectures and teacher-led demonstrations is known as
A) Co-operative Learning
B) Inquiry-Based Learning
C) Direct Instruction
D) Project-based Learning
27) In a classroom environment, which of the following statements is TRUE with reference to the meaning of 'Evaluation'?
A) Evaluation is process-oriented
B) Evaluation is a formative process
C) Evaluation provides feedback on performance and areas of improvement
D) Evaluation determines the extent to which objectives are achieved
28) The goal of which of the following assessments is to evaluate student learning at the end of an instructional unit by comparing it against some standard or benchmark?
A) Diagnostic assessment
B) Formative assessment
C) Summative assessment
D) Criterion-referenced assessment
29) The concept of general and specific intelligence was given by
A) Charles Spearman
B) Louis LeonThurstone
C) Edward Thorndike
D) Howard Gardner
30) Which of the following documents is NOT mandatory to obtain admission under RTE Act?
A) Community certificate
B) Child's birth certificate
C) Income certificate
D) Transfer certificate

## Section 5 - Paperll-General English

31) Read the following sentence and try to choose the best synonym for the underlined word by searching for context clues in the sentence:

The baseball player's malice toward the referee was revealed in his spiteful remarks to the media, which almost ruined the referee's career.
A) Rude
B) Crazy
C) Unpleasant
D) Vindictive
32) Please select the correct Passive form for this sentence:

The English expected to conquer Berlin.
A) They will conquer Berlin that was expected by the English.
B) It was expected by the English that they will conquer Berlin.
C) It was expected by the English that they would conquer Berlin.
D) It was expected by the English that they will be conquer Berlin.
33) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the word:

Permits are issued at the state level, and the requirements for receiving one $\qquad$ from state to state.
A) will vary
B) varies
C) has varied
D) vary
34) Read the following sentence and try to choose the best definition for the underlined word by searching for context clues in the sentence:

I got a vicarious thrill watching you on the diving board.
A) Evil
B) Empathetic
C) Unpleasant
D) Adventurous

Read the Passage and answer the following questions:
The crystal clear, blue water and the magnificent sun make the Caribbean island of Saint Maarten a favorite vacation spot, one that is popular with North Americans during their winter holidays from December through March, as well as with South Americans and Europeans from April through August. The French and Dutch settled on the island in the 1600s, and to this day, the island is divided between the two of them. The French capital is Marigot; the Dutch capital is Philipsburg.

Tourists soon discover that St. Maarten has an intriguing history. Ancient artifacts found on the island date back to the Stone Age, 6,000 years ago! Tourists also learn that 1,200 years ago the Arawak Indians inhabited all the islands of the West Indies and were a peaceful people living under the guidance of their chiefs. Three hundred years after the Arawaks first arrived on St. Maarten, in the 1300s, they were defeated and forced to abandon the island by a hostile tribe of Indians originating in South America. This new tribe was called the Carib. The Caribbean Sea was named after them. Unlike the Arawaks, they had no permanent chiefs or leaders, except in times of strife. And they were extremely warlike. Worse, they were cannibalistic, eating the enemy warriors they captured. In fact, the very word cannibal comes from the Spanish name for the Carib Indians. The Spanish arrived in the fifteenth century and, unfortunately, they carried diseases to which the Indians had no immunity. Many Indians succumbed to common European illnesses; others died from the hard labor forced upon them.
35) According to the Passage, what does the word 'Intriguing' mean?
A) Enthralling
B) Sterile
C) Wearying
D) Tiring
36) According to the Passage, the present-day St. Maarten is in which location?
A) belongs to the Spanish
B) is independent
C) is part of the U.S. Virgin Islands
D) is shared by the French and the Dutch
37) What is the meaning of "STRIFE" as used in the Passage?
A) Chief
B) War
C) Cannibalism
D) Duty-free
38) According to the Passage, the Carib Indians were finally defeated by what?
A) Sickness and forced labor
B) The French explorers
C) The more aggressive Arawak tribe
D) The Dutch West India Company
39) As per the passage, which of the following is NOT true about the Carib Indians?
A) They ate human flesh.
B) They were peaceful fishermen, hunters, and farmers.
C) They settled after defeating the Arawak Indians
D) The sea was named after them.
40) Please select the correct Passive form for this sentence:

You will have heard this news already.
A) This news would have been heard by you already.
B) This news will have been heard by you.
C) This news will have heard by you already.
D) This news will be heard by you already.
41) Fill in the blank with the appropriate word:

Neither the children nor their mother $\qquad$ admitted.
A) have had
B) were
C) was
D) had
42) Fill in the blank with the appropriate word:

We had no idea who the special guest speaker would be, because the organizers of the event were so $\qquad$
A) emotional
B) secretive
C) talented
D) animated
43) Fill in the blank with the appropriate word:

The Mughals $\qquad$ the battle of Panipat.
A) have won
B) had won
C) wins
D) won
44) Turn the following into INDIRECT speech:
"I have acted foolishly" said Bali, "in what I did".
A) Bali admitted that he acted foolishly in what he had done.
B) Bali admitted that he had acted foolishly in what he had done.
C) Bali admitted that he acted foolishly in what he did.
D) Bali admitted that he had acted foolishly in what he did.
45) Read the following sentence and try to choose the best definition for the underlined word by searching for context clues in the sentence:

The designer window treatments in her house, installed 17 years ago, were outmoded.
A) Unnecessary
B) Pointless
C) Out-of-date
D) Worthless

## Section 6 －Paperll－Odia Language







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## Section 7 - Paperll-History and Political Science

56) Who was the first Governor-General of British East India Company in 1773?
A) Lord Irvine
B) Lord Minto
C) Warren Hastings
D) Lord Dalhousie
57) In 1765, the Diwani of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa was given to the British East India Company by which of the following Mughal Emperors?
A) Shah Alam II
B) Siraj ud-Daulah
C) Mir Kasim
D) Shuja-ud-Daula
58) Clergy, nobles or rich members belonged to which estate in France?
A) Fourth Estate and First Estate
B) Third Estate and Fourth Estate
C) First, Second and Third Estate
D) First and Second Estate
59) Foundation of Harijan Sevak Sangh was laid down in 1932 by:
A) Mahatma Gandhi
B) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
C) Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru
D) Pt. Madan Mohan Malviya
60) Who founded Tattvabodhini Sabha for propagating the ideas of the Upanishads?
A) Rabindranath Tagore
B) M.G. Ranade
C) Debendranath Tagore
D) R.G. Bhandarkar
61) When was the British East India Company founded?
A) 1498
B) 1600
C) 1857
D) 1757
62) "God intended me to look upon all religions with one eye; that is why he took away the light from other", was said by whom?
A) Maharaja Dalip Singh
B) Bhagat Puran Singh
C) Bhai Mani Singh
D) Maharaja Ranjit Singh
63) The name of the Union Legislature is
A) Rajya Sabha
B) Parliament
C) Lok Sabha
D) Vidhan Sabha
64) Which one of the following is a federal feature of the Indian Constitution?
A) Single Constitution
B) Single Supreme Court
C) Single Citizenship
D) Two levels of Government
65) The Bardoli Satyagraha, 1928 was started for the farmers of Bardoli against the unjust raising of taxes. This movement was led by
A) Subhash Chandra Bose
B) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
C) Balgangadhar Tilak
D) Vinoba Bhave
66) The Sarda Act of 1929 was aimed to discourage
A) Child Marriage
B) Sati Pratha
C) Inheritance of property
D) Women's Education
67) Which one of the following rights is removed from the list of Fundamental Rights?
A) Right to Property
B) Right against Exploitation
C) Right to Equality
D) Right to Freedom
68) What did the red cap symbolise in the French Revolution?
A) Symbol of power
B) Symbol of royal power
C) Symbol of liberty
D) Symbol of slavery
69) Which one of the following is the highest judicial court in a state in India?
A) District Court
B) Supreme Court
C) High Court
D) Sessions Court
70) Who built the Berlin Baghdad railway?
A) Britain
B) France
C) German
D) Russia
71) The idea of Preamble is taken from the Constitution of which country?
A) Canada
B) UK
C) USA
D) France
72) By the provisions of the Regulating Act of 1773, the Supreme Court was set up by the British at
A) Madras
B) Delhi
C) Calcutta
D) Bombay
73) One of the socio-religious movement among the Muslims was founded by Mirza Ghulam Ahmad in 1899 under which a number of schools and colleges were opened imparting modern education. Which movement is being referred here?
A) Indian Social Conference
B) Ahmediya Movement
C) Aligarh Movement
D) Muslim League
74) In the Indian Parliamentary system, what is the duration of the Legislative Assembly?
A) 6 years
B) Permanent house
C) 4 years
D) 5 years
75) Who among the following organised the Depressed Classes Association in 1930 to uplift the dalits?
A) Dr B.R. Ambedkar
B) Ram Prasad Bismil
C) Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru
D) Subhash Chandra Bose

## Section 8 - Paperll-Geography

76) Dandakaranya Plateau is situated in the state of
A) Kerala
B) Jharkhand
C) Chhattisgarh
D) Maharashtra
77) Rat hole mining is related to
A) iron
B) red clay
C) coal
D) mica
78) According to 2011 census what is the median age of India?
A) 25 Years
B) 26 Years
C) 23 Years
D) 24 Years
79) In which of the following regions dry evergreen forest is the most common form of vegetation?
A) Barind plain
B) Vale of Kashmir
C) Kathiawar peninsula
D) Coromandel coast
80) Monazite sand in Kerala is associated with which of the following chemical elements?
A) Uranium
B) Vanadium
C) Thorium
D) Polonium
81) Konaseema is the deltaic region of the river
A) Pennar
B) Krishna
C) Kaveri
D) Godavari
82) Which among the following is a CORRECT match between the waterfall and their respective rivers?
A) Raneh falls and Ken river
B) Jog falls and Netravati river
C) Chitrakoot falls and Pranhita river
D) Hundru falls and Koel river
83) Which of the following statements is NOT TRUE for International Date Line?
A) It is an irregularly drawn line
B) It separates Australia from New Zealand
C) It is a great circle
D) It refers to $180^{\circ}$ longitude
84) In which among the following regions solar energy can be used efficiently to produce electricity?
A) Upper Assam plain
B) Malabar coast in Kerala
C) Andaman and Nicobar islands
D) Marusthali of Rajasthan
85) As per the 2011 Census data, which of the following districts of Uttarakhand is the most populated?
A) Almora
B) Haridwar
C) Nainital
D) Dehradun
86) Bhitarkanika is a conservation site for
A) Saltwater crocodile
B) King cobra
C) Blue footed bubi bird
D) Indian elephant
87) If earth would have taken 500 days for a single rotation, then which among the following statements would have been TRUE for earth?
A) There would have been a total of 500 longitudes on earth
B) Tide and ebb would cease to exist
C) A place on earth would have experienced all the seasons in same day
D) Earth's axis would have tilted more
88) Most of the United States begins Daylight Saving Time at
A) Second Sunday in March at 2:00 a.m.
B) First Sunday in March at 2:00 p.m.
C) First Sunday in April at 2:00 p.m.
D) Second Sunday in April at 2:00 a.m.
89) Which of the following options is a CORRECT match between tree and type of forest?
A) Teak - Evergreen forests
B) Birch - Deciduous forests
C) Rosewood - Coniferous forests
D) Ironwood - Mangrove forests
90) Dooars or Duars are located at which of the following regions?
A) Tarai region of Uttar Pradesh
B) Foothills of Northeast Himalayas
C) Doon valley of Garhwal Himalayas
D) Bugyals in Uttarakhand

