

SECTION 1 - SECTION 1

Question No.1

☐

Who was the Chief Justice of India when Public Interest Litigation (PIL) was introduced?

- ☐ M. Hidayatullah
- ☐ A.S Anand
- ☐ P.N Bhagavati
- ☐ Y.V Chandrachud

Question No.2

☐

Who was the first European to designate 'Aryans' as a race?

- ☐ Max Muller
- ☐ Sir William Jones
- ☐ Alexander Cunningham
- ☐ H. H. Wilson

Question No.3

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The right to criticize the government is a

- ☐ Civil Right
- ☐ Legal Right
- ☐ Political Right
- ☐ Natural Right

Question No.4

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What was the purpose with which Sir William Wedderburn and W.S. Caine had set up the Indian Parliamentary Committee in 1893.

- ☐ To agitate for the entry of eminent Indians into the British Parliament.
- ☐ To agitate for Indian political reforms in the House of Commons.
- ☐ facilitate a discussions on India's Independence in the British Parliament.
- ☐ To campaign for the entry of Indians in to the Imperial Judiciary.

Question No.5

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The foundation of modern educational system in India was laid by

- ☐ Macaulay's Minutes of 1835

- ☐ Woods Despatch of 1854
- ☐ The Charter Act of 1813
- ☐ The Hunter Commission of 1882

Question No.6

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Regarding the International Monetary Fund which one of the following statements is correct?

- ☐ It can grant loans to the Central Bank of a Country
- ☐ It can grant loans to only developed countries
- ☐ It grants loans to only member countries
- ☐ It can grant loans to any country

Question No.7

☐

Who was Titu Mir?

- ☐ Leader of Faraji Movement
- ☐ Leader of Santals
- ☐ Leader of Wahabi Movement
- ☐ Leader of the Indigo Revolt

Question No.8

☐

Nastaliq was

- ☐ a raga composed by Tansen
- ☐ a manual of code of conduct for the Ulemas
- ☐ a cess levied by the Mughal rulers
- ☐ a Persian script used in Medieval India

Question No.9

☐

Who introduced Private Member Bill in Parliament relating to the rights of transgender?

- ☐ Palani Swamy
- ☐ Palaniappan
- ☐ Tiruchi Shiva
- ☐ Nachiappan

Question No.10

☐

What is China's main vehicle for cultural initiatives overseas?

- ☐ The China Syndrome
- ☐ The Mao Institute
- ☐

The Institute of Economic Affairs

☐ The Confucius Institute

Question No.11

☐

Who among the following founded the Madras Labour Union?

- ☐ Bharat Bhushan Pandey
- ☐ Subodh Banerjee
- ☐ B.P. Wadia.
- ☐ Lala Lajpat Rai

Question No.12

☐

'Popular Sovereignty' means Sovereignty vests with

- ☐ the People
- ☐ The King
- ☐ Judiciary
- ☐ Constitution

Question No.13

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The people of India agitated against the arrival of Simon Commission because

- ☐ The Simon Commission suggested the partition of the country.
- ☐ Indians never wanted the review of the working of the Act of 1919.
- ☐ Simon Commission recommended the abolition of Dyarchy(Diarchy) in the provinces.
- ☐ There was no Indian member in the Simon Commission.

Question No.14

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First SAARC summit was held in Dhaka on

- ☐ November 1984
- ☐ December 1984
- ☐ November 1985
- ☐ December 1985

Question No.15

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Which of the following is not an example of sampling technique?

- ☐ Inductive
- ☐ Quota
- ☐ Snow-ball

- ☐ Purposive

Question No.16

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Kalilah wa Dimma is an Arabic version of the :

- ☐ Panchatantra
- ☐ Brahma Siddhanta
- ☐ Mahabharata
- ☐ Susruta Samhita

Question No.17

☐

In which of the following events did Martin Luthur King Jr. delivered his famous speech I Have a Dream?

- ☐ Birmingham Campaign
- ☐ March on Washington
- ☐ Montgomery Bus Boycott
- ☐ Freedom Rides

Question No.18

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Civil Services Day is observed on

- ☐ 21st July
- ☐ 22nd April
- ☐ 22nd July
- ☐ 21st April

Question No.19

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Which building of Akbar was designed on the principles of Buddhist Vihara?

- ☐ Panch Mahal
- ☐ Diwan-i-Khas
- ☐ Tomb of Salim Chisti
- ☐ Jodhabai Palace

Question No.20

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Karl Marx explained the process of class struggle with the help of which one of the following theories?

- ☐ Dialectical materialism
- ☐ Empirical liberalism
- ☐ Existentialism

- ☐ Darwin's theory of evolution

Question No.21

☐

At which site, overlap of Harappan and Painted Grey Ware culture has been unearthed?

- ☐ Bhagwanpura
- ☐ Sardarnagar
- ☐ Ropar
- ☐ Atranjikhhera

Question No.22

☐

Who among the following is said to have witnessed the reigns of eight Delhi Sultans?

- ☐ Shams-I-Siraj Afif
- ☐ Minhaj-us-Siraj
- ☐ Amir Khusrau
- ☐ Ziauddin Barani

Question No.23

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To which personality Gandhiji gave the title "DeenBandhu"?

- ☐ CR Das
- ☐ Vinoba Bhave
- ☐ CF Andrews
- ☐ Sri Aurobindo

Question No.24

☐

Who amongst the following says Sociology is the study of Collective Representation ?

- ☐ Comte
- ☐ Durkheim
- ☐ Weber
- ☐ Spencer

Question No.25

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Type of authority in a religious sect is :

- ☐ Bureaucratic
- ☐ Traditional
- ☐ Legal
- ☐ Rational

Question No.26☐

A form of government in which a small group rules and holds supreme power over a larger society is known as

- ☐ Anarchy
- ☐ Oligarchy
- ☐ Polyarchy
- ☐ Monarchy

Question No.27☐

Annie Besant was

1. Responsible for starting the Home Rule Movement
2. The founder of the Theosophical Society
3. Once the President of the Indian National Congress

Select the correct statement/statements using the codes given below.

- ☐ 1 and 2 only
- ☐ 1 only
- ☐ 1,2 and 3
- ☐ 2 and 3 only

Question No.28☐

The principle which guided the formation of the policy called 'policy of splendid isolation'?

- ☐ Monroe Doctrine
- ☐ Diplomatic alliances
- ☐ Westward Movement
- ☐ British imperialism

Question No.29☐

Who founded the city of Singapore?

- ☐ Stamford Raffles
- ☐ Lee Kuan Yew
- ☐ Herman Willem Daendels
- ☐ Francis Light

Question No.30☐

Who made a distinction between "class in itself" and class for itself" to reflect the movement from a class's potential self awareness to actual self awareness?

- ☐ R. Dahrendorf

- ☐ Karl Marx
- ☐ R. Collins
- ☐ L.A. Coser

Question No.31

☐

In which one of the following concepts has M. N. Srinivas explained caste mobility as a process of Social and Cultural change?

- ☐ Modernization
- ☐ Sanskritization
- ☐ Westernization
- ☐ Secularization

Question No.32

☐

What is the maximum number of votes which can be cast in an Electronic Voting Machine?

- ☐ 5000 votes
- ☐ 4820 votes
- ☐ 3840 votes
- ☐ 3720 votes

Question No.33

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During social research a pilot study is conducted

- ☐ Between the detail research
- ☐ Intermittent research
- ☐ After the research
- ☐ Before the detail research

Question No.34

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Mechanical Solidarity is the feature of

- ☐ Complex Society
- ☐ Industrial Society
- ☐ Simple Society
- ☐ Urban society

Question No.35

☐

Who constructed the famous Jagannath Temple at Puri?

- ☐ Krishnavarman
- ☐ Bhimavarman
- ☐ Anantvarman

- ☐ Devavarman

Question No.36

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The "Third Front " in China refers to

- ☐ The struggle for scientific knowledge
- ☐ The simultaneous struggle against Japanese, English and US imperialism
- ☐ The Third area to build industries in remote mountainous areas of inland China
- ☐ The grouping during the Long March of Mao

Question No.37

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Unity in Diversity is an example for

- ☐ Culutral Diffusion
- ☐ Culutral Idealism
- ☐ Culutral Assimilation
- ☐ Culutral Pluralism

Question No.38

☐

The first state in India that implemented Panchayati Raj after passing 73rdAmendment Act is

- ☐ Gujarat
- ☐ Madhya Pradesh
- ☐ Kerala
- ☐ Rajasthan

Question No.39

☐

Who among the following sultans was advised by Qazi Mughisuddin to act according to the laws of Shariat, but the Sultan rejected his advice?

- ☐ Sikander Lodi
- ☐ Mohammad Bin Tughlaq
- ☐ Balban
- ☐ Alauddin Khalji

Question No.40

☐

Which of the following commissions recommended that Union Government may persuade the State Governments for constitution of an All India Service for Education?

- ☐ Kothari Commission

- ☐ Sarkaria Commission
- ☐ Radhakrishnan Commission
- ☐ Yash Pal Commission

Question No.41

☐

The First systematic and scientific attempt to put Indian pre-history on a proper foundation was made by

- ☐ Yale- Cambridge Expedition
- ☐ Archeological Survey of India
- ☐ Deccan College Pune
- ☐ Meadows Tailor

Question No.42

☐

The research which is concerned with quest for knowledge and knowing more about the phenomenon is known as

- ☐ Pure research
- ☐ Exploratory research
- ☐ Evaluation Research
- ☐ Applied research

Question No.43

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The first ever talks between Donald Trump and Vladimir Putin were held in

- ☐ Helsinki
- ☐ Manila
- ☐ Singapore
- ☐ Brussels

Question No.44

☐

Behaviour which takes account of the interests of others, usually treated as an opposition to selfishness and individualism is known as

- ☐ Egoism
- ☐ Animism
- ☐ Altruism
- ☐ Individualism

Question No.45

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Bitumen is obtained from

- ☐ Underground mines

- ☐ Forests and Plants
- ☐ Kerosene Oil
- ☐ Crude Oil

Question No.46

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Which of the following country's constitution is called tailor-made constitution?

- ☐ France
- ☐ Britain
- ☐ Sri Lanka
- ☐ Canada

Question No.47

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The British empire is rotten to the core, corrupt in every direction and tyrannical and mean. The above statement was made by ___?

- ☐ W. Digby
- ☐ William Wedderburn
- ☐ Sister Nivedita
- ☐ Mrs. Annie Besant

Question No.48

☐

The term 'Apabhramsa' was used in Medieval Sanskrit texts to denote

- ☐ Non-Sanskrit verse metres
- ☐ Deviations from Vedic rituals
- ☐ Early forms of some of the modern Indian languages
- ☐ Outcastes among the Rajputs

Question No.49

☐

Status may be:

- ☐ Achieved
- ☐ Derived
- ☐ Both ascribed and achieved
- ☐ Ascribed

Question No.50

☐

Who is the only known scribe from Ashokan epigraphs?

- ☐ Chapada
- ☐ Ravikirti
- ☐ Kupana Chama

☐ Harisena

Question No.51

☐

“ Law of three stages” was given by

- ☐ Durkheim
- ☐ Comte
- ☐ Taylor
- ☐ Spencer

Question No.52

☐

The phrase *Nationalist Historians* was first used by :

- ☐ D.D.Kosambi
- ☐ R.C.Majumdar
- ☐ R.C.Dutt
- ☐ Jadunath Sarkar

Question No.53

☐

Who was the first to use the term 'Adivasi' to refer to the tribal people?

- ☐ M N Srinivas
- ☐ Thakkar Bappa
- ☐ B R Ambedkar
- ☐ Jyotiba Phule

Question No.54

☐

Who was the first to use the comparative method in Sociology?

- ☐ Emile Durkheim
- ☐ Herbert Spencer
- ☐ V. Pareto
- ☐ Max Weber

Question No.55

☐

Who among the following Sultans made a land grant to the Jain Saint Jambuji?

- ☐ Balban
- ☐ Sikander Lodi
- ☐ Alauddin Khalji
- ☐ Muhammad Bin Tughlaq

Question No.56☐

An attitude of regarding one's own culture and group as inherently superior is

- ☐ Xenocentrism
- ☐ Inherentism
- ☐ Ethnocentrism
- ☐ Egocentrism

Question No.57☐

Who among the following gave the Cyclical theory of social change?

- ☐ Ogburn
- ☐ Sorokin
- ☐ Pareto
- ☐ Spengler

Question No.58☐

Which section of Information Technology Act, 2000 deals with the punishment for violation of privacy?

- ☐ Section 66A
- ☐ Section 66D
- ☐ Section 66F
- ☐ Section 66E

Question No.59☐

December 16 is observed as 'Vijay Diwas' to commemorate the victory of

- ☐ Indo-Pak War of 1965
- ☐ Kargil War
- ☐ Indo-Pak War of 1971
- ☐ Liberation of Goa from Portuguese

Question No.60☐

Which of the following Articles of the Constitution of India provides for Financial emergency?

- ☐ Article 362
- ☐ Article 352
- ☐ Article 356
- ☐ Article 360

Question No.61

The Sunset Law is related to which of the following :

- ☐ Deccan agrarian riots
- ☐ Suppression of thugs
- ☐ Suppression of revolutionary activities
- ☐ Permanent Settlement

Question No.62

The 'Archaeology of Knowledge' is the work of

- ☐ Claude Levi Strauss
- ☐ Michael Foucault
- ☐ Marc Bloch
- ☐ Saussure

Question No.63

Who among the following was the President of the All India State's Peoples Conference in 1939?

- ☐ Jayaprakash Narayan
- ☐ Sardar Vallabhai Patel
- ☐ Sheikh Abdullah
- ☐ Jawaharlal Nehru

Question No.64

who among the following is the author of " Mind, Self and Society"?

- ☐ Margaret Mead
- ☐ George H.Mead
- ☐ Talcott Parsons
- ☐ Gardner Murphy

Question No.65

Who has introduced the term " the generalized other"?

- ☐ G H Mead
- ☐ Hebert Blumer
- ☐ Erwing Goffman
- ☐ C H Cooley

Question No.66

The clan of Rajputs who ruled the princely state of Jaipur was?

- ☐ Hadas

- ☐ Sisodiyas
- ☐ Rathors
- ☐ Kachhawahas

Question No.67

☐

Double dome in the medieval building was first introduced in the tomb of :

- ☐ Ghiyasuddin Tughluq
- ☐ Firoz Tughluq
- ☐ Sikandar Lodi
- ☐ Iltutmish

Question No.68

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Providing Urban Amenities in Rural Areas (PURA) model was developed by

- ☐ C. Rangarajan
- ☐ Manmohan Singh
- ☐ Madhav Gadgil
- ☐ A.P.J Abdul Kalam

Question No.69

☐

The concepts of Mechanical Solidarity and Organic Solidarity was given by

- ☐ c. H. Spencer
- ☐ R. Redfield
- ☐ Emile Durkheim
- ☐ Tonnies

Question No.70

☐

Section 498 A of IPC is appeared recently in the news in the context of

- ☐ violence against women within the family
- ☐ violence against girl child within the family
- ☐ violence against old age person within the family
- ☐ violence against children within the family

Question No.71

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Panchayati Raj System is based on the principle of

- ☐ Rule of law through panchayats
- ☐ Administration through government officials

- ☐ Democratic decentralization of administration
- ☐ Effective central administration for improvement of villages

Question No.72

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Who led the attack on European Club at Pahartali in Chittagong?

- ☐ Pritilata Waddadar
- ☐ Surya Sen
- ☐ Anant Singh
- ☐ Loknath Bal

Question No.73

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Who studied Trobriand Islanders?

- ☐ B. Malinowski
- ☐ E. Durkheim
- ☐ R. Brown
- ☐ J. Frazer

Question No.74

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Who among the following is associated with Eco-Feminism?

- ☐ Suman Sahi
- ☐ Vandana Shiva
- ☐ Arundathi Roy
- ☐ Medha Patkar

Question No.75

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A statement of relationship between variables to be tested is known as—

- ☐ Problem of the study
- ☐ Research question
- ☐ Hypothesis
- ☐ Objective of the study

Question No.76

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The salaries and allowances of judges of High Court are charged to

- ☐ Contingency Fund of India
- ☐ Consolidated Fund of India
- ☐ Contingency Fund of State
- ☐ Consolidated Fund of State

Question No.77☐

What is the Economic theory practised by Britain in United States of America?

- ☐ Mercantilism
- ☐ Laissezfaire
- ☐ Free Trade
- ☐ Capitalism

Question No.78☐

India's first World Heritage city declared by the World Heritage Committee of UNESCO, is

- ☐ Jaipur
- ☐ Delhi
- ☐ Ahmedabad
- ☐ Mumbai

Question No.79☐

Which of the following is not the characteristic of a community ?

- ☐ Language
- ☐ territory
- ☐ We feeling
- ☐ A set of Social relationships

Question No.80☐

Which of the following committees is the exclusive committee of Lok Sabha?

- ☐ Committee on Public Undertakings
- ☐ Ethics Committee
- ☐ Estimates Committee
- ☐ Public Accounts Committee

Question No.81☐

The headquarters of UN Human Rights Council is in

- ☐ Paris
- ☐ Geneva
- ☐ Washington
- ☐ London

Question No.82

Who wrote the book 'Third Wave'?

- ☐ Alvin Toffler
- ☐ Andre Gunder Frank
- ☐ Martindale
- ☐ Alvin Gouldner

Question No.83

The last member state joined in European Union is

- ☐ Latvia
- ☐ Croatia
- ☐ Lithuania
- ☐ Estonia

Question No.84

Consider the following events:

1. August Offer
2. Poona Pact
3. Third Round Table Conference
4. Communal Award

The correct chronological sequence of these events is :

- ☐ 1,2,3,4
- ☐ 3,2,1,4
- ☐ 4,2,3,1
- ☐ 4,3,2,1

Question No.85

To whom does the Lingayat Movement owe its origin?

- ☐ Basava
- ☐ Meerabai
- ☐ Chaitanya Mahaprabhu
- ☐ Vidyananya

Question No.86

A biological being is transformed into a social being with the help of the following ?

- ☐ Desocialization
- ☐ Anticipatory Socialization
- ☐ Resocialization
- ☐ Socialization

Question No.87☐

The book “ *The Rules of Sociological Method*” was written by

- ☐ Emile Durkheim
- ☐ Karl Marx
- ☐ Merton
- ☐ Max Weber

Question No.88☐

Who wrote “*The Poor pay more*”?

- ☐ D F Johnson
- ☐ David Caplovitz
- ☐ I. M. Rubinow
- ☐ Oscar Lewis

Question No.89☐

Acid rain is caused by the pollution of environment by

- ☐ Carbon dioxide and Nitrogen
- ☐ Ozone and Carbon dioxide
- ☐ Nitrous oxide and Supur dioxide
- ☐ Carbon monoxide and Carbon dioxide

Question No.90☐

The term of the Chairperson of National Green Tribunal is

- ☐ 6 years or 65 years of age whichever is earlier
- ☐ 5 years or 65 years of age whichever is earlier
- ☐ 6 years or 70 years of age whichever is earlier
- ☐ 5 years or 70 years of age whichever is earlier

Question No.91☐

The movement of Individuals between different strata in the hierarchy is referred to as :

- ☐ Social hierarchy
- ☐ Social mobility
- ☐ Upward mobility
- ☐ Downward mobility

Question No.92

“Springing Tiger: A Study of a Revolutionary” is a biographical work on ___? ☐

- ☐ Bhagat Singh
- ☐ Subhas Chandra Bose
- ☐ Shyamji Krishna Verma
- ☐ Chandrashekhar Azad

Question No.93

T.S.R Subramaniam Committee is related to ☐

- ☐ Market reforms
- ☐ Pension reforms
- ☐ Banking reforms
- ☐ National Education Policy

Question No.94

During the freedom struggle, the Dutt-Bradley Thesis was related to : ☐

- ☐ A Communist movement
- ☐ Trade union movement and industrial disputes.
- ☐ Entry of Indians to civil services
- ☐ System of agrarian taxation

Question No.95

Who is the author of the book 'A Grammar of Politics'? ☐

- ☐ Abraham Lincoln
- ☐ A.V Dicey
- ☐ Aristotle
- ☐ Harold Laski

Question No.96

Which of the following countries passed the first personal law for Hindu marriages in 2017? ☐

- ☐ Britain
- ☐ Mauritius
- ☐ Pakistan
- ☐ Canada

Question No.97

Who said, “Man is born free, but everywhere he is in chains”. ☐

- ☐ J.S Mill
- ☐ Rousseau
- ☐ Hobbes
- ☐ Montesquieu

Question No.98

☐

The First Persian ruler who occupied part of Indian territory was

- ☐ Cambyses
- ☐ Xerxes
- ☐ Darius
- ☐ Cyrus

Question No.99

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Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding BrahmoSamaj?

1. It opposed idolatry.
2. It denied the need for a priestly class for interpreting the religious texts.
3. It popularised the doctrine that the Vedas are infallible.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- ☐ 3 only
- ☐ 1 only
- ☐ 1, 2 and 3
- ☐ 1 and 2 only

Question No.100

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Who is the author of the book 'Freedom from fear'?

- ☐ Aung San Suiki
- ☐ Kofi Annan
- ☐ Nelson Mandela
- ☐ Fidel Castro