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1. Who is the exponent of 'Swach Bharath' ?
(A) Narendra Modi (B) Man Mohan Singh
(C) Indira Gandhi (D) Narasimha Rao
2. The longest railway platform in the world :
(A) Kharagpur (B) Gorakhpur
(C) Udayapur (D) Chennai
3. India's first electric bus launched in :
(A) Hyderabad (B) Gandhinagar
(C) Bombay (D) Bangalore
4. Malala Yusafzay now lives in :
(A) Washington (B) Paris
(C) Birmingham (D) Pakisthan
5. 'Playing it My Way' is the autobiography of :
(A) Dhoni (B) Sachin Tendulkar
(C) Kapildev (D) Sunil Gavaskar
6. 'One Life is not enough' is written by :
(A) Vinod Rai (B) P. C. Parakh
(C) Natwar Singh (D) Jaswanth Singh
7. The present Loksabha Speaker :
(A) Sumithra Mahajan (B) Smrithi Irani
(C) Umabharathi (D) Sushama Swaraj
8. The first kerosene free city in India :
(A) Calcutta (B) Bombay
(C) Chennai (D) Delhi

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9. The National flag of India was designed by :
(A) Tagore (B) Pingali Vengayya
(C) Nareesamehta (D) Bankim Chandra Chatterji
10. Nelumbonucifera is the scientific name of :
(A) Baniyan tree (B) Tulasi
(C) Lotus (D) Marigold
11. Which article of the Indian constitution deals with right to constitutional remedies ?
(A) Article 14 -18 (B) Article 32
(C) Article 23- 24 (D) Article 31
12. Gumti Wild Life Sanctuary is in :
(A) Tripura (B) West Bengal
(C) Uttaranchal (D) Sikkim
13. Kalamandalam Sathyabhama is famous for :
(A) Kadhakali (B) Kuchupudi
(C) Bharathanatyam (D) Mohiniyattam
14. Deficiency of Vitamin B1 creates :
(A) Night Blindness (B) Anemia
(C) Rickets (D) Beriberi
15. Who gave permission to wear upper clothes for Channar woman on 26th July 1859 ?
(A) UtradamTirunal Marthandavarma (B) Swathi Tirunal
(C) Dharmaraja (D) Gouri Lakshmibai
16. The real name of Thycad Ayyaguru :
(A) Narayana (B) Subbarayar
(C) Velayudhan (D) Raman Pillai
17. Who wrote 'Gajendramoksham vanjipattu' ?
(A) Velayudha Panicker (B) Ramapurathu Warrior
(C) Kunjan Nambiar (D) Sree Narayana Guru

18. Who introduced the idea 'A School along with every church' ?
(A) Kuriakose Elias Chavara (B) St. Alphonsa
(C) St. Augustine (D) St. Thomas
19. Who gave the title 'The King of Pulaya Community' ?
(A) Nehru (B) Patel
(C) Gandhiji (D) Ambedkar
20. The first president of Nair Service Society :
(A) Mannathu Padmanabhan (B) K. Kelappan
(C) K. Paramu Pillai (D) Ramakrishna Pillai
21. Chattampi Swamikal attained Samadhi at :
(A) Varkala (B) Mannanam
(C) Kannanmoola (D) Panmana
22. Kerala Kaumudi started by :
(A) K. P. Kesava Menon (B) C.V. Kunjiraman
(C) Vakkam Abdul Rahiman (D) C. Krishnan
23. Savarna Jatha was organized in connection with :
(A) Vaikom Sathyagraha (B) Guruvayoor Sathyagraha
(C) Paliyam Satyagraha (D) Kayal Satyagraha
24. The Captain of the volunteer Corps of Guruvayoor satyagraha :
(A) K. Kelappan (B) T. K. Madhavan
(C) Krishnan (D) A. K. Gopalan
25. Who popularised Arabic Malayalam by publishing an Arabic Malayalam monthly called "Al Islam" ?
(A) K. Ramakrishna Pillai (B) Vakkam Abdul Khadir Moulavi
(C) Abdul Rahiman (D) Moyyinkutty
26. Who won the title 'Kerala Panini' ?
(A) Kerala Varma Valiyakoithampuran (B) Kunhikuttan Thampuran
(C) A. R. Rajaraja Varma (D) Vasudeva Bhattathiri

27. The famous literary work of Ulloor .S. Parameswara Iyer :
- (A) Veenapoove (B) Umakeralam
(C) Sahithya manjari (D) Vritha manjari
28. 'Vishakanyaka' is the literary work of :
- (A) Lalithampika Antharjanam (B) Basheer
(C) Thakazhi (D) S. K. Pottakkad
29. Editor of 'Vidyavinodini' :
- (A) C. Achuthamenon (B) K. Bhaskaran Nair
(C) M. R Nair (D) E. M. Kovoov
30. Yachana Yatra of 1931 was led by :
- (A) Kumarapanicker (B) M. R. B. Bhattathiri
(C) V.T bhattathiripad (D) P. K. Raghava panicker
31. Author of the book 'A Short Story of the Peasant Movement in Kerala' :
- (A) Nehru (B) E. M. S. Namboodiripad
(C) Achuthamenon (D) Anandathirtha
32. Who founded the 'Araya Samajam 'in 1907?
- (A) Sahodaran Ayyappan (B) Agamananda Swami
(C) Vaikunda Swami (D) Pandit Karuppan
33. Who setup the Travancore Cherama Mahajana sabha in 1921 ?
- (A) Pampadi John Joseph (B) Subhananda Guru
(C) T. K. Madhavan (D) Ayyankali
34. The real name of Poikayil Sree Kumara Gurudeva :
- (A) Ayyappan (B) Kunjan
(C) Yohannan (D) Kumaran
35. Who was the Drafting Committee Chairman of the Constituent Assembly?
- (A) Ambedkhar (B) Rajendraprasad
(C) John Mathai (D) A. K. Menon

36. 52nd Constitutional Amendment is :
(A) Panchayathi Raj (B) National Capital territory
(C) Anti-Defection Law (D) Addition of new language
37. Who was the first acting President of India?
(A) Muhammed Hidayathulla (B) V. V. Giri
(C) B. D. Jetti (D) Zakkir Hussain
38. In which state the President's Rule declared first ?
(A) Punjab (B) Kerala
(C) Travancore - Cochin (D) Bihar
39. Who inaugurated the Indian Parliament ?
(A) Lord Mountbatten (B) Lord Irwin
(C) Lord Mayo (D) Lord Curzon
40. Who was the first cabinet minister who resigned from central government of India?
(A) V. P. Singh (B) Morarji Desai
(C) R. K. Shanmugham Chetti (D) Lal Bahadoor Sastri
41. The first Chief Justice of Supreme Court :
(A) Harilal J. Kenia (B) J. C. Shah
(C) P. N. Bhagavathi (D) R. S. Pathak
42. "Watch Dog" of Indian Public Finance :
(A) Attorney General (B) Finance Commission
(C) Advocate General (D) Controller and Auditor General
43. Who appoints the Chief Information Commissioner of India?
(A) President of India (B) U. P. S. C.
(C) Loksabha Speaker (D) Prime Minister
44. Lower house of Indian Parliament :
(A) Loksabha (B) Rajyasabha
(C) House of Commons (D) Senate

45. The State of Travancore - Cochin came into existence on :
(A) July 11, 1947 (B) July 1, 1948
(C) July 1, 1949 (D) July 5, 1949
46. The oldest High court in India :
(A) Kerala (B) Calcutta
(C) Tamilnadu (D) Chennai
47. Headquarters of UNICEF :
(A) Paris (B) London
(C) Geneva (D) New York
48. National Youth day :
(A) 12th January (B) 8th June
(C) 12th February (D) 1st October
49. Out of 250 members of Rajyasabha _____ are nominated by the President.
(A) 6 (B) 10
(C) 12 (D) 11
50. New name of Planning Commission :
(A) Neethi Ayog (B) Swach Bharath
(C) Neethi Bharath (D) Neethi Yojana
51. By default, on which page the Header & Footer is printed?
(A) On First Page (B) On Alternate page
(C) On Every page (D) None of these
52. Graphics of Word Processor :
(A) Clip Art (B) Peripheral
(C) Highlight (D) Execute
53. In M.S. Word Ctrl+W is used for :
(A) Update the current web page (B) Open the print dialogue box
(C) Open new window (D) Close the current window

54. What is the default number of lines to drop for drop cap?
(A) 3 (B) 10
(C) 15 (D) 20
55. How many columns can be inserted in a word document in Maximum?
(A) 55 (B) 50
(C) 45 (D) 40
56. Which is the function of Ctrl+B in MS Word?
(A) It converts selected text into the next larger size of the same font
(B) It makes the selected text bold
(C) It applies Italic formatting the selected text
(D) None
57. In Ms Word Shortcut SHIFT +Delete is used to :
(A) Delete the selected item permanently without placing the item in the Recycle Bin
(B) Create a shortcut to the selected item
(C) Rename the selected item
(D) Copy the selected item
58. What is the maximum number of lines you can set for a Drop cap?
(A) 10 (B) 15
(C) 20 (D) 25
59. What do you mean by vertical separation between columns?
(A) Orientation (B) Gutter
(C) Margin (D) Index
60. How many ways you can save a document?
(A) 5 (B) 3
(C) 2 (D) 4
61. Which option is not available in Insert Table Autofit behaviour?
(A) Auto fit to Column (B) Auto fit to Window
(C) Fixed Column Width (D) Auto fit to Contents

62. Autocorrect option was originally designed to replace _____ words as you type.
- (A) Grammatically incorrect (B) Misspelled
(C) Short and repetitive (D) None of these
63. Drop cap means :
- (A) Small case (B) All Caps
(C) Title case (D) None of these
64. Changing the appearance of a document is called :
- (A) Proofing (B) Editing
(C) Formatting (D) Mailings
65. Landscape is :
- (A) a Font size (B) a Paper size
(C) a Page Layout (D) a Page Orientation
66. What is a portion of a document in which you set certain page formatting options?
- (A) Page set up (B) Section
(C) Page (D) Document
67. Which of the following is not available on the Ruler of MS word Screen?
- (A) Left Indent (B) Right Indent
(C) Centre Indent (D) Top Indent
68. By pressing F12, which of the following will happen?
- (A) Save as dialogue box will open (B) Save dialogue box will open
(C) Open dialogue box will open (D) Close dialogue box will open
69. How will MS word will respond in repeated word?
- (A) A Blue wavy line under the repeated word
(B) A Red wavy line under the repeated word
(C) A Green wavy line under the repeated word
(D) None of these

70. Which is not a type of margin?
(A) Top (B) Right
(C) Left (D) Centre
71. What will be the use of Ctrl + J?
(A) Insert Image (B) Insert Symbol
(C) Align justify (D) Search
72. What is the use of Bookmarks?
(A) To correct the spelling
(B) To ignore spelling mistakes
(C) To save alignment as it is
(D) To jump to a specific location in the document
73. On which page the Header or Footer is printed by default?
(A) On first page (B) Every page
(C) On last page (D) On alternate page
74. Which of these toolbars allows changing of fonts and its sizes?
(A) Standard toolbars (B) Options
(C) Formatting toolbars (D) Drawing toolbars
75. Superscript, subscript, outline, emboss, engrave are known as :
(A) Text effects (B) Font effects
(C) Clip art (D) Word Art
76. Which of the following soft ware is used for creating letters and papers?
(A) Operating programme (B) Database
(C) Word processor (D) SPARK
77. Which of the following is not paragraph formatting?
(A) Alignment (B) Indenting
(C) Margins (D) Boldface

78. Which of the following is not a part of merge process?
- (A) Data filed (B) Merge field
(C) Data Source (D) Main document
79. When you want to view different parts of a document without moving the insertion point?
- (A) Use the previous page or next page buttons
(B) Use the Key board
(C) Use the Vertical and Horizontal Scroll bars
(D) Use the Zoom button
80. Which enables us to send the same letter to different persons?
- (A) Macros (B) Template
(C) Split (D) Mail merge
81. Home Key :
- (A) Moves the cursor beginning of the document
(B) Moves the cursor beginning of the line
(C) Moves the cursor beginning of the screen
(D) Moves the cursor beginning of the paragraph
82. Which of the following is true regarding Page Orientation of a Document?
- (A) Page Orientation can be change at any time
(B) Page Orientation of document determines by printer
(C) Page Orientation must be set before start typing
(D) Page Orientation of a document cannot be changed
83. _____ formatting is the process of changing the way letters, numbers, punctuation marks, and symbols appear on the screen and in print.
- (A) Document (B) Character
(C) Paragraph (D) Object

84. What is Gutter margin?
(A) Margin that is added to the left margin when printing
(B) Margin that is added to the right margin when printing
(C) Margin that is added to the binding side of page when printing
(D) Margin that is added to the outside of the page when printing
85. Change the _____ to create a document in wide format.
(A) Page Orientation (B) Page Margins
(C) Paper Style (D) Paper Source
86. In a Typewriter, dogs are located under the :
(A) Carriage (B) Pinion wheel
(C) Universal bar (D) Escapement wheel
87. The step by step movement of the carriage will not happen due to :
(A) failure of dog block (B) less tension of main spring
(C) breaking of carriage strap (D) breakdown of carriage release lever
88. Key board is fixed as per the arrangement of :
(A) Alphabets (B) Frequency of their occurrences
(C) Convenience of the inventor (D) None of these
89. In a typewriter, bell is fixed :
(A) In the type basket (B) In the key board
(C) In the carriage (D) Behind the typewriter
90. Carriage rack moves on the :
(A) rigid dog (B) loose dog
(C) pinion wheel (D) escapement wheel
91. The ribbon rises to the typing point when :
(A) Character key is pressed (B) Spacebar is pressed
(C) Tabular bar is pressed (D) Back space is pressed
92. Before cutting stencil paper, the following parts has to be adjusted :
(A) Tabulator bar (B) Touch indicator
(C) Line space liver (D) Ribbon indicator

93. The cylinder ratchet wheel is used for :
(A) Smooth movement (B) Ribbon movement
(C) Line spacing (D) Carriage movement
94. The main spring tension is distributed to the carriage through the :
(A) Rigid dog (B) Draw cord
(C) Loose dog (D) Pinion wheel
95. The movement of the carriage is controlled by :
(A) Character keys (B) Main spring tension
(C) Escapement wheel (D) Loose Dog and Rigid Dog
96. Pinion wheel acts as an agent between Escapement wheel and :
(A) Universal Bar (B) Carriage Rack
(C) Loose Dog (D) Rigid Dog
97. The rubber roller placed under the cylindrical drum to feed the paper is called :
(A) Wavering Roller (B) Reed Roller
(C) Impression roller (D) Indicator
98. The carriage will stop suddenly, if :
(A) The draw cord is cut off (B) The carriage rack is worn out
(C) The ribbon is cut off (D) The cylinder is worn out
99. The necessity for having two dogs in typewriter is :
(A) For automatic ribbon movement
(B) For getting step by step movement of the carriage
(C) For type bar action
(D) For typing work
100. Universal bar is connect to the :
(A) Dog Block (B) Main spring
(C) Type bar segment (D) Carriage Return Lever