General Awareness Mega Quiz for SSC & NTPC

Q1. Which of the following destroys the ozone layer?
(a) Sulphur
(b) Carbon
(c) Chlorine
(d) Silicon

Q2. Which of the following was the most important characteristic of India's trade throughout the colonial period?
(a) Import surplus
(b) Import deficiency
(c) Export deficiency
(d) Export surplus

Q3. Which Indian monument was built by Maharaja Sawai Pratap Singh in the year 1799?
(a) Hawa Mahal
(b) Leh Palace
(c) Mattancherry Palace
(d) Mysore Palace

Q4. The Red Fort and the Jama Masjid in Delhi stand out as towering achievements of architecture during the reign of______.
(a) Shah Jahan
(b) Akbar
(c) Jehangir
(d) Aurangzeb

Q5. Name the longest river in Asia.
(a) Yenisei
(b) Amazon
(c) Nile
(d) Yangtze

Q6. Who had built Taj Mahal, for his wife Mumtaz Mahal along the banks of the Yamuna River in Agra?
(a) Aurangzeb
(b) Akbar
(c) Jahangir
(d) Shah Jahan
Q7. Which river passes through maximum number of countries?
(a) Rhine  
(b) Danube  
(c) Amazon  
(d) Volga

Q8. ______ received the very first Nobel Prize in Physics in 1901 for his discovery of X-rays.
(a) Wilhelm Rontgen  
(b) William Thomson  
(c) Louis Pasteur  
(d) William Crookes

Q9. The theory that dinosaurs were driven to extinction by the aftermath of a large asteroid impact on Earth was given by ______.
(a) Wilhelm Rontgen  
(b) Luis Alvarez  
(c) Henry Moseley  
(d) William Crookes

Q10. ______ has been called the “architect king” as during his reign, the world witnessed a unique development of arts and culture of the Mughal Empire.
(a) Shah Jahan  
(b) Jahangir  
(c) Aurangzeb  
(d) Akbar

Q11. Which of the following is a dance form from Karnataka?
(a) Rouf  
(b) Karma  
(c) Lava  
(d) Bayalata

Q12. Indian mountaineer ______ is the first women in the world to climb Mount Everest twice and the first women to successfully climb Mt. Everest from Kangshung face.
(a) Malavath Purna  
(b) Santosh Yadav  
(c) Premlata Agarwal  
(d) Arunima Sinha

Q13. ______ located in Thekkady, Kerala is the perfect example of nature’s bounty with great scenic beauty and rich biodiversity.
(a) Wild Ass Sanctuary  
(b) Periyar Wildlife Sanctuary  
(c) Pakhal Sanctuary  
(d) Dachigam National park
Q14. The ______is an ancient Indian treatise on statecraft, economic policy and military strategy that was written in Sanskrit. Kautilya is traditionally credited as the author of the text.
(a) Rigveda
(b) Puranas
(c) Charaka Samhita
(d) Arthashastra

Q15. Akbar commissioned ______ to chronicle the story of his father Humayun, ‘Humayun-nama’.
(a) Jagat Gosain Begum
(b) Mariam-uz-Zamani
(c) Jodha Begum
(d) Gulbadan Begum

Q16. The city of victory, Fathpur Sikri in ______ was built during the glorious reign of the Mughals.
(a) Jaipur
(b) bidar
(c) Aligarh
(d) Agra

Q17. Standing committee on finance headed by ____ was selected for outstanding performance among the parliamentary standing committees for the Sansad Ratna Awards in Chennai
(a) Dhananjay Mahadik
(b) Nishikant Dubey
(c) M Veerappa Moily
(d) NK Premachandran

Q18. Which of the following best describe the nature of Indian economy?
(a) Mixed economy
(b) Socialist economy
(c) Communist economy
(d) Capitalistic economy

Q19. Megasthenes, a Greek historian visited India in the reign of ______ in the 4th century B.C.
(a) Ashoka
(b) Bindusara
(c) Chandragupta Maurya
(d) Alexander

Q20. Which of the following is a dance form from Rajasthan?
(a) Jhulan
(b) Kumi
(c) Dappu
(d) Maruni
Q21. The Chola Empire was invaded by ----- in the early 14th century A.D.
(a) Malik Kafur
(b) Taimur
(c) Muhammad Ghori
(d) Genghis Khan

Q22. Who wrote the book ‘An Era of Darkness: The British Empire in India’?
(a) Sudha Murthy
(b) Shashi Tharoor
(c) Ramchandra Guha
(d) A P J Abdul Kalam

Q23. With which of the following sports is the term ‘tumble turns’ associated?
(a) Long Jump
(b) Cycling
(c) Swimming
(d) Running

Q24. A ______ is the main printed circuit board (PCB) in a computer.
(a) ROM (Read only Memory)
(b) CPU (Central Processing Unit)
(c) RAM (Random Access Memory)
(d) Motherboard

Q25. ‘World Metrology Day’ was celebrated in India on _______ in 2019.
(a) 18th April
(b) 25th January
(c) 20th May
(d) 17th February

Q26. Jawaharlal Nehru port is located in:
(a) Kerala
(b) Maharashtra
(c) Andhra Pradesh
(d) West Bengal

Q27. Google was founded in 1998 by Larry Page and -----.
(a) Peter Thiel
(b) Steve Wozniak
(c) Sergey Brin
(d) Elon Musk
Q28. _________is the first Indian gymnast to win a Gold medal at a Global Event in the World Challenge Cup in Turkey.
(a) Ashish Kumar 
(b) Aruna Reddy 
(c) Rakesh Patra 
(d) Dipa Karmakar

Q29. Kalumar Peak is the highest point in _________ range.
(a) Karakoram 
(b) Satpura 
(c) Vindhya 
(d) Aravalli

Q30. Members of parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS) was introduced in December -----.
(a) 2014 
(b) 2004 
(c) 1991 
(d) 1993