

Punjab Public Service Commission Previous Year Question Paper

1. Agenda 21 is related with:

- (A) SAAR Summit
- (B) Earth Summit
- (C) NAM Summit
- (D) EU meeting

2. Indian President can nominate 2 members of one community to the Lok Sabha, if they are not adequately represented. The community is:

- (A) Anglo Indian
- (B) Sikh
- (C) Buddhist
- (D) Muslims

3. Rajya Sabha members are elected by means of:

- (A) First past the post system
- (B) Functional representation
- (C) Single transferable vote system
- (D) List system

4. The Defence Minister who resigned the post following an attack on Northern-Eastern borders of India by China in November 1962:

- (A) V.K. Krishna Menon
- (B) A.B. Vajpayee
- (C) Lal Bahadur Shastri
- (D) A.K. Antony

5. One of the following is not included in Writ:

- (A) Mandamus
- (B) Certiorari
- (C) Plebiscite
- (D) Prohibition

6. First Trade Union in India

- (A) AITUC
- (B) INTUC
- (C) CITU
- (D) BMS

7. Swadeshbhimani Ramakrishna Pillai exiled on

- (A) 26th Sept. 1909
- (B) 26th Sept. 1911
- (C) 26th Sept. 1910
- (D) 10th Sept. 1926

8. The first person who described the Sepoy Mutiny in 1857 as first war of Independence in his book 'First War of Independence':

- (A) John Seely
- (B) V.D. Savarkar
- (C) Sir Colling Kambell
- (D) Ramgopal Gosh

9. Odd man out:

- (A) Kabani
- (B) Chinnar
- (C) Bavani
- (D) Pampar

10. The winner of Wimbledon Tennis Men's title 2010:

- (A) Roger Federer
- (B) Rafael Nadal
- (C) Andy Murray
- (D) Thomas Berdych

11. The only Tropical Rain Forest in India. It is also called as the cradle of evolution:

- (A) Nilgiri Hills
- (B) Aravali Hills
- (C) Himadri Hills
- (D) Silent Valley

12. Here Pappa Somes' is the painting of:

- (A) M.F. Hussam
- (B) Leonardo Davinci
- (C) Raja Ravi Varma
- (D) R.K. Lakshman

13. The Indian National Movement leader who attracted the people into the freedom struggle movement through organising 'Ganapathy Carnival and Sivaji Carnival.'

- (A) Bala Gangadhara Thilak
- (B) Gopala Krishna Gokhale
- (C) Dada Bhai Navaraji
- (D) Vipin Chandra Pal

14. Octopus the Paul, who fascinated the football fans by correctly predicting results at 2010 World Cup Football, was hailed from :

- (A) South Africa
- (B) France
- (C) Germany
- (D) Spain

15. The French Novel 'The Count of Monte Cristo' written by Alexander Dumas inspired the Malayalam movie:

- (A) Padayottam
- (B) News paper boy
- (C) Kandam bechakottu
- (D) Mathilukal

16. In which city Commonwealth Games 2010 were held?

- (A) Mumbai
- (B) Guangzhou
- (C) Delhi
- (D) Hyderabad

17. "Say no to racism" is a banner raised before every match of:

- (A) CWG2010
- (B) Asian Games2010
- (C) World Cup Football 2010
- (D) Australian Open 2010

18. Which of the schedule of Indian Constitution enumerates powers and functions of Pan-chayath Raj Institution?

- (A) Eleventh
- (B) Seventh
- (C) Twelfth
- (D) Tenth

19. Three tier Panchayat Raj system established with the recommendation of:

- (A) Ashok Mehta Committee
- (B) Balwanth Rai Mehta Committee
- (C) Mandal Commission
- (D) Kaka Kaledkar Commission

20. The provision of fundamental rights in Indian Constitution is borrowed from

- (A) British Constitution
- (B) French Constitution
- (C) Russian Constitution
- (D) American Constitution

21. Power of Rajya Sabha in dealing with money bill

- (A) Equivalent power with Lok Sabha
- (B) Only can withhold 14 days
- (C) Can introduce only in Rajya Sabha
- (D) Decides the bill is money bill or not

22. The Veda which deal with music

- (A) Sam Veda
- (B) RigVeda
- (C) AtharvaVeda
- (D) YajurVeda

23. Jataka tales describe the stories related to the birth of

- (A) Budha
- (B) Vikramadithya
- (C) Varthamana Mahaveera
- (D) Jataveda

24. ASEAN referred to

- (A) Association of South East Asian Nations
- (B) Association of South American Nations
- (C) Association of South European Alliance Nations
- (D) Association of South East

25. The website that exposed detailed chronicle of systematic abuse, torture and concealment of the US and other military logs in Iraq.

- (A) People Daily
- (B) Wikipedia
- (C) Wiki Leaks
- (D) Wikimedia

26. The first Law Officer of Government of India

- (A) Solicitor General
- (B) Attorney General
- (C) Accountant General
- (D) Advocate General

27. Konark Sun Temple or Black Pagoda is situated in the state of

- (A) Orissa
- (B) Utter Pradesh
- (C) Madhya Pradesh
- (D) Maharashtra

28. Name the Hurricane that blew over Jamaica and Haiti in 2010

- (A) Tennis
- (B) Loo
- (C) Typhons
- (D) Willy Willies

29. One of the following is not held in India during the period of Viceroy the Lord Ripon

- (A) -Gens us in India
- (B) Illbei Bill Passed
- (C) Starting of Local self Government
- (D) Formation of Indian National Congress

30. The term "Third World" refers to

- (A) Developed countries
- (B) Afro Asian countries
- (C) Developing countries
- (D) Oil rich countries

31. 'Worshipping false Gods' is the book of

- (A) Khushwant Singh
- (B) Arun Shourie
- (C) Richard Brinsely Sheridan

(D) Arundathi Roy

32. Opium a war fought between

- (A) Afghanistan and China
- (B) China and Britain
- (C) Russia and China
- (D) Russia and Afghanistan

33. Currency notes in India are printed in

- (A) Security Press Nasik
- (B) Security Press Noida
- (C) Security Press Mumbai
- (D) Reserve Bank of India, New Delhi

34. In which layer of atmosphere the ozone layer found?

- (A) Ionosphere
- (B) Troposphere
- (C) Stratosphere
- (D) Mesosphere

35. Rice is the main crop of

- (A) China
- (B) India
- (C) Russia
- (D) Asia