

वार्षिक परीक्षा – 2022

QC

समय : 2:30 घण्टा)

कक्षा : 9

(पूर्णांक : 70

विषय : अंग्रेजी

General Instructions:

- (a) This question paper is divided into two sections.*
- (b) Section 'A' contains multiple questions.*
- (c) Section 'B' contains descriptive answer type questions.*
- (d) All questions are compulsory.*

Section : A (20 marks)

(Q.no. 1-3) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow, choosing correct option:

Jyotuba Phule and his wife were pioneers in female education as they started a school for girls in 1848 in Pune. In 1878, the University of Calcutta became one of the first universities to admit female graduates to its degree programmes.

In 1947, after India became independent, the University of Education Commission was set up to devise ways to improve the quality of education. In 1958, a national committee on women's education was appointed by the government. Most of its recommendations were accepted and female education got equal importance as boys. The Education Commission which was set up in 1964, recommended a national policy to be developed by the government with emphasis on female education.

Under the constitutional Amendment, elementary education is a fundamental right for children between 6 and 14 years of age. The government has undertaken to provide this free of cost and made it compulsory, and it is known as Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan. Some schemes are Mahila Samakhya Programme and National Programme for Education of Girls at Elementary Level.

1. Which university was first to admit female graduates in its degree programme?
(a) University of Calcutta
(b) University of Delhi
(c) University of Education Commission
(d) University of Chennai
2. When was the fundamental right for children between 6 and 14 years of age under the 86th constitutional amendment?
(a) 1947 (b) 1958 (c) 1964 (d) 1854

..... fundamental right for children between 6 and 14 years of age under the constitutional amendment?
(a) Female education (b) Women employment
(c) Elementary education (d) Girl's literacy

Q.No 4-20) Read the questions carefully to answer the following:

4. My friends These stories long ago.
(a) wrote (b) writes (c) is writing (d) write
5. Students Playing cricket 2 O'clock.
(a) has been, since (b) have been, since
(c) both a and b (d) none of these
6. Who was the writer of lesson "The fun they had"?
(a) Isaac Asimov (b) Shakespeare
(c) Katherine Mansfield (d) Anonymous
7. Margie school.
(a) love (b) hates (c) sometime love (d) none of these
8. What is the meaning of 'Orchestra'.
(a) a group of instrumentalist (b) a group of players
(c) a group of singers (d) none of these
9. How old was Evelyn when she went to the Royal Academy of Music?
(a) 17 (b) 27 (c) 22 (d) 12
10. What game did Bismillah Khan play in his childhood?
(a) shehnai (b) pungi (c) both a and b (d) flute
11. The character of 'Kezia' belongs to the following lesson.
(a) the little girl (b) the sound of music
(c) the fun they had (d) a truly beautiful mind
12. Rich should help poor.
(a) the, The (b) The, the (c) A, the (d) The, a
13. Rearrange the word to make a meaningful sentence:
is/the/policy/honesty/best
(a) The honesty is best policy (b) Honesty is the best policy
(c) The Policy is the best honesty (d) none of these
14. Which word is correctly spelled?
(a) education (b) egucation (c) educashian (d) edukation
15. A person who flies plane in the sky called:
(a) astronaut (b) pilot (c) driver (d) plane driver
16. My father practices law. He is a
(a) lawyer (b) judge (c) a and b (d) none of these
17. Iswaran is the best
(a) storyteller (b) cook (c) mahout (d) bricklayer

18. Who wrote "The Adventure of Toto"?
- (a) Isaac Asimov (b) Ruskin Bond
(c) Katherine Mansfield (d) Anonymous
19. Grandfather bought Toto from a tonga driver for the sum of rupees
- (a) 5 (b) 8 (c) 3 (d) 2
20. Who banned the playing of a musical instrument 'pungi'.
- (a) Emperor Akbar (b) Emperor Aurangzeb
(c) Rana Pratap (d) Shershah Soori
21. A big black canvas kit-bag was provided for:
- (a) Grandmother (b) Grandfather (c) tortoise (d) Toto

Section: B

22. Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions given below:

The sound of shehnai began to be considered auspicious. And for this reason it is still played in temples and is an indispensable component of any North Indian wedding. In the past, the shehnai was part of the naubat or traditional ensemble of nine instruments found at royal courts. Till recently it was used only in temple and weddings. The credit for bringing this instrument onto the classical stage goes to Ustad Bismillah Khan.

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- (a) Where is shehnai still played? 2
- (b) Why is it played there? 2
- (c) How did the shehnai make its presence felt at the royal courts in the past? 2
- (d) Who is credited for bringing shehnai onto the classical stage? 1
23. Answer any one of the following- 4
- (a) Write an application to the principal of your college for seven days leave on account of your illness.
- (b) Write a letter to DM for problem of irregular supply of electricity of your town.
24. Answer any one of the following in about 80-100 words- 6
- (a) My ideal teacher
- (b) Great festival of India
- (c) My school
25. (a) Rewrite the following by changing into indirect speech- 2
- He said, "Honesty is the best policy."

26. Answer the following questions in 30-40 words each-
- (a) How old are Margie and Tommy?
- OR
- When and where was Einstein born?
- (b) Where did the two roads diverge?
- OR
- What does the poet want the wind to blow gently?
27. Answer any one of the following in about 60 words-
- (a) What are the main features of the mechanical teachers?
- OR
- Why did Kazia suffer from nightmare? Explain.
28. What does the poet like to do when it rains?
- OR
- Reproduce 4 lines poem from your book.
29. Write central idea of any one of the following poems-
- (a) The road not taken
- (b) Rain on the roof
- (c) A legend of the Northland
30. Answer any one of the following in about 30-40 words-
- (a) What was the child's favourite sweet? Was he able to g
- OR
- (b) Where was the APJ Abdul Kalam born?
31. Answer any one of the following in about 60 words-
- (a) How did Toto take a bath? Where had he learnt to do
- How did Toto almost boil himself alive?
- (b) In what way was Iswaran an asset to Mahendra?