

**ALL KERALA BHAVAN'S  
SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION 2018-2019**

**CLASS : XII (COMMERCE STREAM)**

**Duration : 1 ½ Hrs**

**Date : .....**

**Max Marks : 100**

1. Choose the best alternative to complete the sentence.

The ship waited till the storm \_\_\_\_\_ before sailing out to sea.

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| a) Normalized | c) Consolidated |
| b) Evaporated | d) Abated       |

2. Find the antonym of '*Languish*'

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| a) Ripen    | c) Hasten |
| b) Flourish | d) Weaken |

3. The synonym of 'Impalable' is \_\_\_\_\_.

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| a) Intangible | c) volatile |
| b) tangible   | d) libelous |

4. An endless fountain of Immortal drink  
Pouring unto us from the heaven's brink.  
Name the poet

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| a) W.B Yeats          | c) John Keats   |
| b) William Wordsworth | d) Robert Frost |

5. The figure of speech used in the word "ringed" in the poem "Aunt Jennifer's Tigers" is

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| a) Synecdoche | c) Metonymy |
| b) Pun        | d) Symbol   |

6. The "ugly middle position" was a phrase used in

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|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| a) Lost Spring              | b) The Enemy           |
| c) Should Wizard Hit Mommy? | d) On the Face of It". |

7. Jasmine appeared as bashful as a school girl when her boss praised her in front of her colleagues . ( choose the synonym of the underlined word from the words given below )

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| a.) proud | b.)shy | c.) fresh | d.) lively |
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8. \_\_\_\_\_ proverb means one should not risk everything he has in a single venture .
- a) Everyone can find fault ,few can do better
  - b) Anytime means no Time.
  - c) Fair exchange is no robbery .
  - d) Don't put all your eggs in one basket .

### ECONOMICS

9. Domestic Income is greater than national income if,
- a) NFIA is positive
  - b) NFIA is negative
  - c) NFIA is zero
  - d) None of the above
10. Which of the following method is not used by Central Bank for credit control?
- a) Bank Rate
  - b) Open Market Operations
  - c) Repo Rate
  - d) Tax Rate
11. Given  $NDP_{fc} = 80$ , indirect tax = 10 and net factor income to abroad = -10, what is  $NNP_{mp}$ ?
- (a) 70      (b) 100      (c) 80      (d) 90
12. There is a "Law" in theory of consumer behavior which states that as a consumer consumes more and more units of a good, the utility from each new unit consumed :
- a) Decreases
  - b) Increases
  - c) Remains constant
  - d) increases initially, remains constant and ultimately decreases.
13. Demand curve of a firm is :
- (a) MR Curve
  - (b) TR Curve
  - (c) AR Curve
  - (d) None of these

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14. If there is unemployment in the economy, we would be producing \_\_\_\_\_ the PPC.
- a) Below                                      b) Above  
c) On    d) Beside
15. The horizontal demand curve parallel to X axis implies that the elasticity of demand is
- a) Zero    b) Infinite  
c) Equal to one                                      d) Greater than zero but less than infinity
16. Assume that consumer's income and the number of sellers in the market for good X both falls. Based on this information, we can conclude with certainty that the equilibrium:
- a) Price will decrease                                      c) Quantity will increase  
b) price will increase                                      d) quantity will decrease
17. In which of the following market structure is the degree of control over the price of its product by a firm very large?
- a) Imperfect competition                                      c) monopoly  
b) perfect competition                                      d) both (a) and (b)
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### BUSINESS STUDIES

18. Self direction and self control motivational technique is used under \_\_\_\_\_ leadership style .
- a) Autocratic    c) Laissez Faire  
b) Democratic    d) Participative
19. If a firm decides to sell its product on cash basis only, it is part of firm's \_\_\_\_\_ .
- a) Method    c) Policy  
b) Objectives    d) Procedure
20. Increase or decrease in the value of rupee is an example of \_\_\_\_\_ environment.
- a) Social    c) economic  
b) political    d) technological

21. In this source of recruitment, many prominent companies visit educational institutions for recruitment and selection of suitable candidates. Which source of recruitment is being referred here?
- a) Direct recruitment
  - b) Employment exchange
  - c) Campus recruitment
  - d) Casual callers
22. The highest level need in the Need Hierarchy of Abraham Maslow is \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Social
  - b) safety
  - c) esteem
  - d) self actualization
23. Vinod limited target production was 25000 units in a year. Production manager was able to achieve this target but a higher production cost. In this case the manager is \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Effective
  - b) Efficient
  - c) Both effective and efficient
  - d) Talented
24. Differential piece wage system, a technique of scientific management overlooks which one principle given by Henri Fayol
- a) Order
  - b) Remuneration of employees
  - c) Esprit De corps
  - d) Equity
25. The principles of management are significant because of-
- a) Increase in efficiency
  - b) Initiative
  - c) Optimum utilization of resources
  - d) Adaptation to changing technology
26. Status comes under the following type of barriers
- a) Semantic barriers
  - b) Organizational barriers
  - c) Non-semantic barriers
  - d) Psychological barriers

## ACCOUNTANCY

27. State the purposes for which the amount of securities premium may be utilized for:-

- A. To write off deferred revenue expenditure
- B. Issue of fully paid bonus share
- C. Write off the expenses or the commission paid or discount allowed on issue of shares/debentures
- D. To pay remuneration for promoters

a) B & C

c) A, B & C

b) C & D

d) A, B, C & D

28. H Ltd. had allotted 20000 shares to the applicants of 28000 shares on pro-rata basis. The amount payable on application was Rs. 2 per share. S applied for 840 shares. The number of shares allotted and the amount carried forward for adjustment against allotment money due from S will be:

a) 120 shares ; Rs 240

c) 640 shares ; Rs 400

b) 680 shares ; Rs 320

d) 600 shares ; Rs 480

29. Current Account of a partner

- a) will always have a credit balance
- b) will always have a debit balance
- c) may have a debit balance or a credit balance
- d) can never have a debit balance

30. A and B sharing profits and losses in the ratio of  $\frac{2}{3}$ <sup>rd</sup> and  $\frac{1}{3}$ <sup>rd</sup>, admit C as a partner giving him  $\frac{1}{4}$ <sup>th</sup> share. The new profit sharing ratio will be

a) A  $\frac{1}{2}$       B  $\frac{1}{4}$       C  $\frac{1}{4}$

b) A  $\frac{1}{3}$       B  $\frac{1}{3}$       C  $\frac{1}{4}$

c) A  $\frac{3}{8}$       B  $\frac{3}{8}$       C  $\frac{2}{8}$

d) A  $\frac{2}{8}$       B  $\frac{2}{8}$       C  $\frac{3}{8}$

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31. Global saving bank Ltd. Is to redeem 10000; 10% debentures of Rs 100 each on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2018. How much amount should be transferred to DRR by it ?
- a) Rs 2,50,000  
b) Rs 1,00,000  
c) Rs 5,00,000  
d) Nil
32. The balance of Debenture Redemption Reserve Account is finally transferred to
- a) Capital reserve account  
b) Specific reserve account  
c) General reserve account  
d) None of these
33. Which of the following transactions will result into flow of cash?
- a) Deposited Rs 40,000 into bank  
b) Withdraw cash from bank Rs 54,000  
c) Sold marketable securities of Rs 2,50,000 at par  
d) Sold machinery of book value of Rs 50,000 at a gain of Rs 10,000
34. Payment of income tax is classified as
- a) Investing activities  
b) Financing activities  
c) Operating activities  
d) Both (a) and (b)
35. Anil and Vijay are partners in a firm. Anil is entitled to get commission of 25% of net profit after charging such commission. Net profit before charging such commission is Rs 60000. Calculate Anil's commission
- a) Rs 12500  
b) Rs 15000  
c) Rs 12000  
d) Rs 2000

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36. Which award is known as Asia's Nobel prize?
- a) Magsaysay award  
b) Right lively hood award  
c) Holberg award  
d) Fields Medal
37. Which rescue operation has been launched by Indian army in the flood-hit areas of kerala?
- a) Operation Raahat  
b) Operation sahyog  
c) Operation Parakram  
d) Operation Sukoon

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38. In cricket, the length of the pitch between two wickets
- a) 24 yards
  - b) 23 yards
  - c) 22 yards
  - d) 21 yards
39. Who defined democracy as "Government of the people, by the people, and for the people?"
- a) Abraham Lincoln
  - b) Plato
  - c) Aristotle
  - d) Ruskin
40. Which city becomes the first Indian Metro to get a floating market?
- a) Chennai
  - b) Mumbai
  - c) Bengaluru
  - d) Kolkatta
41. National GST day as observed on
- a) July 2
  - b) July 3
  - c) July 1
  - d) July 4
42. Who is the current batting coach of IPL team 'Royal challengers of Bangalore'?
- a) Daniel Vettori
  - b) Ashish Nehra
  - c) Mahela Jayawardene
  - d) Gary Kirsten

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**IQ**

43. A person has certain number of cows and birds. They have 172 eyes and 344 legs. How many cows and birds does he have?
- a) 1 bird and 86 cows.
  - b) 0 birds and 86 cows.
  - c) 2 birds and 85 cows.
  - d) 2 birds and 86 cows.
44. In a race, if you pass a person in the second place, which place will you be in?
- a) first place
  - b) second place
  - c) hard to tell
  - d) None of the above.
45. Dan is Joshua's son and Guy's brother. Margaret is Guy's mother and Judy's daughter. Which of the statements below is true?
- a) Judy is Dan's mother-in-law
  - b) Margaret is Dan's mother
  - c) Judy is Joshua's grand mother
  - d) None of the above

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46. Pole: Magnet:: ? : Battery
- a) Energy  
b) Power  
c) Terminals  
d) Cells
47. How many minutes past 11 a.m is it, if two hours ago it was three times as many minutes past 8 a. m.?
- (a) 35 minutes  
(b) 30 minutes  
(c) 40 minutes  
(d) 20 minutes
48. Find the missing number :
- 2, 12, 1112, ?, 132112, 1113122112.
- (a) 2113  
(b) 1132  
(c) 3112  
(d) 2132
49. The day after day after tomorrow is four days before Monday. What day is it Today ?
- a) Monday  
b) Tuesday  
c) Wednesday  
d) Thursday
50. My successor's father is my father's son, and I don't have any brothers and sons. Who is my successor?
- a) Nephew  
b) niece  
c) daughter  
d) myself

### TIE BREAKER QUESTION

51. The supply of a commodity changes by 5% , but there is no change in the price of the commodity. What would be its elasticity of supply?
- a) Zero  
b) Infinite  
c) Unitary  
d) Finite

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