



MODEL EXAM II – GENERAL ENGLISH

1. Match the following words and phrases.

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| a. Rever to | - managed |
| b. Nose around | - collapse |
| c. Dealt with | - search |
| d. Cave in | - return |

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| A. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| B. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| C. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| D. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |

2. Choose the meaning of the phrasal word 'Stand in'

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| A. Stay away | B. Adhere |
| C. Defend | D. Substitute |

3. Choose the correct 'Synonym for the underline word.

Oriental students were Haggling over text books

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| A. Bargaining | B. Dragging | C. Preparing | D. feeling |
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4. Choose the correct 'Synonym for the underline word.

Subramaiya Iyer was not perturbed

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| A. Traditional | B. Flustered |
| C. Worried | D. Denied |

5. Choose the correct antonym for the underlined word.
 _____ then into the shrouded Milam valley
 A. Uncovered B. hidden C. protected D. secluded
6. Choose the correct antonym for the underlined word.
 He is acquitted of his guilt.
 A. Freed B. Praised C. sentenced D. detested
7. Choose the correct prefix for the word 'pious'
 A. in B. un C. pro D. im
8. Match the following suffixes
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| a. Miser | - full |
| b. Beauty | - ness |
| c. Sick | - er |
| d. Tall | - ly |
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| A. | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| B. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C. | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| D. | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
9. Fill in the blanks with right articles.
 He performs bare foot so that he can feel____
 Vibration of ____instruments in ____orchestra.
 A. The, a, the B. the, a, an
 C. the, the, the D. a, the, an
10. Fill in the blank with suitable article. He was elected
 ____chairman of the world
 A. no article B. an C. the D. a
11. Choose the right preposition. The work will be over ____ his
 earning
 A. by B. at C. on D. in

12. Choose the right preposition I live _____ Chennai _____ Cit nagar
A. in, in B. at, at C. at, in D. in, at
13. Select the correct question tag. Have some rice _____?
A. Do you B. haven't you C. will you D. have you
14. You know this story _____?
A. Do you B. don't you C. will you D. are you
15. Choose the correct tense form. I ____ (see) this movie already.
Let me ____ (tell)
You the story
A. Saw, tell B. seen, tell
C. have seen, told D. have seen, tell
16. Choose the correct tense from. They _____ a shopping complex
A. Have built B. have building
C. had built D. has built
17. Fill in the blanks with gerund _____ on the grass is forbidden
A. Having walked B walking
C. to be walked D. walk
18. Identify the nature of the underlined word. Recovering from illness, he was very weak.
A. Gerund B. Infinitive
C. Participle D. none of these
19. Identify the partner for the sentence. The secretary sanctioned ten lakhs to the school
A. SVOC B. SVIODO C. SVOA D. SVAA

20. Choose the correct homophones. The police tried to _____ information from the boot logger who Seles _____ liquor

- A. Elicit , illicit B. get , gin
C. secret , illicit D. illicit , elicit

21. Find out the error

at first I thought to put the money in the bank

A

B

C

- A. A B. B C. C D. no error

22. Find out the error

The lion as well as the tiger is wild

A

B

C

- A. A B. B C. C D. no error

23. Match the following foreign words & phrases

- a. Aideu 1. temporarily
b. Ad interim 2. without
c. Sans 3. for the sake of form
d. Preforma 4. good bye

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| A. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| B. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| D. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 |

24. Find the correct sentence

- A. May - concessions
B. Might - concessions
C. Should - compulsion
D. must - deduction

25. Select the correct sentence

- A. What is the time on your clock?
B. What is the time in your clock?
C. What is the time by your clock?
D. What is the time upon your clock?

26. Select the correct sentence

- A. Only the rich can buy this car
- B. Rich can only buy this car
- C. Rich can buy only this car
- D. Rich cannot buy only this car

27. Find the odd word

- A. Condensation
- B. condemnation
- C. condemn
- D. conciliation

28. Identify the sentence which does not contain an adjective

- A. He is an early riser
- B. the early bird was rewarded
- C. He rises early
- D. they came by early train

29. Find the incorrect plural form

- A. Aquarium - aquaria
- B. Alumna - alumnae
- C. Stratum - stratus
- D. Alumnus - alumni

30. Select the correct plural form of 'Swine'

- A. Swine
- B. Swinne
- C. Swine's
- D. Swinves

31. identify the complex sentence

- A. The management is thoroughly bad
- B. he succeed unexpectedly
- C. only Hindus are admitted
- D. the more ignorant a man is the less modest he is

32. Identify the type of sentence.

When angel heard the good news she felt happy.

- A. simple
- B. complex
- C. compound
- D. statement

33. identify the degree

The weather is not as bad as it was yesterday.

- A. superlative
- B. positive
- C. comparative
- D. negative

34. Identify the positive degree.
- in India, no other exercise is so healthy as swimming
 - Australia is the largest island in the world
 - he would sooner die than tell a lie
 - Make less noise.
35. Choose the correct answer for the blending word 'Mimsy'
- Mime + miserable
 - Mine + miserable
 - Flim + miserable
 - flimsy + miserable
36. Choose the incorrect blended word.
- Frenemy
 - Chunnel
 - cyborg
 - Med evacuation
37. find the compound word which is of the form 'Adverb + noun'
- Fast food
 - down cast
 - out wash
 - gentleman
38. Match the following word with their origin
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| a. Ahimsa | - Hindi |
| b. Dhoti | - Tamil |
| c. Bonafide | - Sanskrit |
| d. Curry | - Latin |
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| A. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| B. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| D. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
39. Which of the following options has a sentence with the verb in the active voice?
- Many students were questioned
 - Many students have been screened
 - Many students have been given a warning
 - Many students attended this workshop

40. The wounded man was being helped by some boys. The active form of the above sentence is
- Some boys were helping the wounded man
 - Some boys are helping the wounded man
 - Some boys have been helping the wounded man
 - Some boys have not been helping the wounded man
41. Repetition of the same word at the end of each Clause is _____
- Anaphora
 - Epimone
 - Epiphora
 - Antithesis
42. Choose the option that follows the figure of speech (both) metaphor and personifications
- But, gathering up the brightness of home sunshine
 - As humble plants by country hedgerows growing
 - You cannot rob us of the right we cherish
 - You bleached our souls soiled with impurities
43. The poem 'The Tables Turned' was written by
- Ruskin bond
 - Vikram Seth
 - William words worth
 - Francis beacon
44. The poem 'The Road Not Taken' was written by
- Salmon Rhusdie
 - John Ruskin
 - Ved Mehta
 - Robert frost
45. Match the following poems with their authors.
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| a. SITA | 1. Geraldine Forbes |
| b. Women in modern India | 2. Khalil Gibran |
| c. Death of the goat | 3. Toru Dutt |
| d. Earth | 4. Kamala Das |
| | 5. Rubert Brooke |
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| A. | 1 | 5 | 3 | 2 |
| B. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| C. | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| D. | 1 | 4 | 5 | 2 |

46. When did Robert frost first acclaimed as a poet
 A. 1911 B. 1912 C. 1913 D. 1920
47. Which one of the following is a travelogue
 A. Yaanai Malai B. Travelling far
 C. To the land of snow D. Brahadeswara temple
48. Read the passage and answer the question. In solitary confinement as complete as any 'gaol' I'll be off to outer space tomorrow morning.
 What does a 'gaol' mean?
 A. school B. Space C. Mortuary D. Prison
49. Match the prose with the authors
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| a. The mark of Vishnu | 1. Samuel Johnson |
| b. Hiroshima | 2. F. Raphael |
| c. A dictionary of a English language | 3. E. M. Forster |
| d. Helping hands | 4. Khushwant singh |
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| A. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| B. | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| C. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| D. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
50. Who said these quotes?
 "Under the wide and starry sky,
 Dig the grave and let me lie".
 A. H.W. Long fellow B. Sir Edmund Hillary
 C. Kalpana Chawla D. R.L Stevenson
51. Choose the poem in which these line occurs. "There's big work to do and there lesser to do".
 A. Be the best B. The solitary reaper
 C. Those 3 bears D. Is life but a dream

52. 'Kala nag' is the character from
 A. The gift of Maggi
 B. The mark of Vishnu
 C. Every living thing
 D. Kaanchanai
53. The story 'Ranji's wonderful Bat' is written by
 A. Tagore
 B. Manohar Devadoss
 C. Oscar Wilde
 D. Ruskin bond
54. Who influenced Gandhi to lead a simple community life
 A. Nelson Mandela, Abraham Lincoln
 B. Leo Tolstoy, Ruskin bond
 C. Nelson Mandela, Khalil Gibran
 D. Rettaimalai, VOC
55. "He belongs to the rare breed of individuals who are gifted to inspire and lead" whom does 'He' refer to?
 A. Sunil Sharma
 B. Tushar
 C. Alka Sharma
 D. Diwakar
56. Who is the guru of Nethaji?
 A. Gandhiji
 B. G.K Gokhale
 C. Beni Madhav Das
 D. Ravenshaw
57. Match the following
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| a. Hughie | 1. Khushwant singh |
| b. Gunga ram | 2. Ahtushi Deshpande |
| c. Khem nam | 3. William Shakespeare |
| d. Julius Caesar | 4. Oscar Wilde |
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| A. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B. | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| C. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| D. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
58. Who wrote the poem 'Harpers & Scribes'
 A. J.K Rowling
 B. Archibald Lampman
 C. Oscar Wilde
 D. Sir Edmund

59. The period William words worth is
A. 1770-1850
B. 1807-1882
C. 1790-1850
D. 1760-1820
60. In the play 'the merchant of Venice' who opened the silver casket.
A. prince of Aragon
B. prince of morocco
C. Gratiano
D. Bassanio
61. Kalpana Chawla was born in
A. Nagaur
B. Mohri
C. Karnal
D. Raipur
62. Who is the first one to stab Caesar
A. Decidius Brutus
B. Marcus Brutus
C. Casius
D. Casca
63. Hughie met his friend Alan on his way to _____
A. Lauramarron house
B. Holand Park
C. Ontario
D. Klondike Park
64. When was 'Quarter for the end of time' performed
A. 1941
B. 1940
C. 2001
D. 1976
65. Choose the option for the question from the lesson. 'The golden path'. The duty to fellow students will teach you ____ in later life.
A. Habit of friendship
B. Habit of quarrel
C. Habit of teasing
D. Habit of cooperation
66. 'The road to success' was written by
A. Edwin C Bliss
B. Dale Carnegie
C. G.D. Martineau
D. Nissim Ezekiel
67. The only people who were pleased to stay in the selfish giants garden were
A. Spring and summer
B. The birds & the animals
C. The snow and the frost
D. The storm & the nail

68. Match the following
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| a. glad till the dancing Stops and lilt of the music ends | 1. Khalil Gibran |
| b. We plant your fields With skulls and bones | 2. Robert frost |
| c. We ran as if to Meet the moon | 3. Leslie Norris |
| d. But he's locked in a concrete wall | 4. John Masefield. |
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| | a | b | c | d |
| A. | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| B. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| C. | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| D. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

69. Read the passage and answer the question. When I grow up , I am not going to be an airline pilot a dancer , a lawyer, or an MC. What is meant by MC
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| A. Member of cooperation | B. Master of ceremony |
| C. Member of cabinet | D. Master of commerce |

70. 'Gift of Maggie ' was written by
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| A. Leo Tolstoy | B. Oscar wide |
| C. O' Henry | D. Khushwant singh |

71. The first astronaut who stayed in space for the longest period of 195 days is
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| A. Sunita Williams | B. Rakesh Sharma |
| C. Neil Armstrong | D. Kalpana Chawla |

72. Match the following
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| a. A man who had no eyes | 1. James Harriot |
| b. Sorry, best friend | 2. Thomas hardy |
| c. The return of the native | 3. Hemangini Ranade |
| d. Every living thing | 4. MacKinlay Kantor |
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| | a | b | c | d |
| A. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| B. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| C. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| D. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

73. Choose the American English equivalent to the word 'freight car'.
- A. van B. tempo C. track D. wagon
74. Choose the author relevant to the character 'Lady Anstey'
- A. Lakshmi Mukundan B. E.M. Forster
C. Emerson D. Walter De la Mare
75. auto biography of 'Charles Dicken'
- A. De profundis B. Auto biographical note
C. Auto biographical study D. Autobiographical fragrance
76. 'A shot at history' is the auto biography of
- A. Jithu Roy B. Deepika Palikal
C. Abnnav bhindra D. Sakhshi Malik
77. A song narrating a popular story is called
- A. Oration B. Ballads
C. Couplet D. Dialogue
78. A poem of two line is called a
- A. Couplet B. Monologue C. Ballad D. Ode
79. Identify the speaker
"not that I loved Caesar less, but that I loved Rome more"
- A. Mark Antony B. Casca
C. Calphurnia D. Brutus
80. According to Greeks _____ were two side to the same coin
- A. Music and literature B. Music and dance
C. Culture and music D. Music and astronomy
81. Who wrote the poem ' Saltwater ballads'
- A. James Kirkup B. John Masefield
C. H.W. Long fellow D. William words worth

82. What is meant by 'Dysgraphia'?
- A. Difficult in reading B. Difficult in memorising
C. Difficult with written words D. Difficult in speaking
83. The reddest flower would look as pale as snow. the poet compares the flower to
- A. snow B. Pale C. red D. children
84. Who won the Atlantic award of literature in 1950
- A. John Mashfeld B. James Kirkup
C. V.K Gokak D. Agatha Christie
85. Which of the following is not the poem?
- A. Sambu in London B. Six and out
C. Is life but a dream D. A noiseless patient spider
86. Match the following
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| a. Charles Dickens | 1. transcendence |
| b. A.P.J Abdul Kalam | 2. Oliver twist |
| c. R.K Narayan | 3. jungle book |
| d. Rudyard Kipling | 4. waiting for the mahatma |
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| | a | b | c | d |
| A. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B. | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| C. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| D. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
87. Fill in the blanks
- The Lesson 'Gaia tells her tale' highlights the issue of
- A. Water pollution B. Cleanliness
C. Industrialisation D. Forest conservation
88. 'For Brutus is a honourable man'. Which poetic device is used by Shakespeare in the line
- A. Diction Euphemism C. Irony D. Epithet

89. Who is called as ' Prophet of British imperialism ' ?
 A. William words worth B. Rudyard Kipling
 C. D.H Lawrence D. Nehru
90. Choose the right option.
 The pen- name of Hector Hugh Munro is
 A.H.H Munro B. Hugh C. Saki D. Sagh
91. Match the following
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| a. Child poet | 1. H.W. Longfellow |
| b. Peoples poet | 2. jack Prelutsky |
| c. War poet | 3. Thomas Hardy |
| d. National institution | 4. Edgar A Quest |
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| | a | b | c | d |
| A. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| B. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| C. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| D. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
92. Laura presented a wallet to her friend. Replace the underlined word with its American equivalent
 A. Purse B. Bill folds C. Card holder D. Crib
93. Who said the quotes
 "Man is born free but everywhere he is in chains"
 A. Pope B. Plato C. J.K. Rowling D. J.J Rousseau
94. What is the British English for the word ' couch '
 A. Setee B. roof rack C. Comforter D. Janitor
95. ' Louise Martinez ' the character is related to which story
 A. The piano B. Swept away
 C. Her dream bicycle D. Joan of arc

96. Choose the option

The woman writer who has won both the Pulitzer Prize and the Nobel Prize is

- A. Annie Louisa
- C. Pear s buck

- B. Jane Austen
- D. Kamala Das

97. Who among the following writers is not a dramatist?

- A. Oscar wilder
- C. Tagore

- B. William Shakespeare
- D. Charles Babbage

98. 'Bharatpur' Bird Sanctuary is located in

- A. Rajasthan
- B. Odisha
- C. Telungana
- D. Sikkim

99. In the story ' lottery ticket '. How much Ivan planned to deposit in bank

- A. 30,000
- B. 40,000
- C. 15,000
- D. 75,000

100. The period of Douglas Malloch is

- A. 1852-1976
- C. 1877-1938
- B. 1907- 1949
- D. 1860-1901

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| A | D | C | A | D | A | B | C | B | A |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| C | D | B | C | C | A | D | C | C | A |
| 31 | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 |
| D | B | B | A | D | D | A | A | D | A |
| 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 50 |
| C | A | C | D | B | B | C | D | A | D |
| 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 58 | 59 | 60 |
| A | B | D | B | D | C | A | B | A | A |
| 61 | 62 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 70 |
| C | D | B | A | D | B | C | D | B | C |
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| 81 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 86 | 87 | 88 | 89 | 90 |
| B | C | A | B | A | C | D | C | B | C |
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