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(Part - A & Part - B)*

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Set No. of  
Question Paper:

**09**

**Part - A : Time : 1 Hour / Marks : 50**

**Part - B : Time : 2 Hours / Marks : 50**

**(Part - A)**

**Time : 1 Hour/**

**[Maximum Marks : 50]**

**Instructions :**

- 1) There are 50 objective type (M.C.Q.) questions in Part - A and all questions are compulsory.
- 2) The questions are serially numbered from 1 to 50 and each carries 1 mark.
- 3) Read each question carefully, select proper alternative and answer in the O.M.R. sheet.
- 4) The OMR sheet is given for answering the questions. The answer of each question is represented by (A) O, (B) O, (C) O, (D) O. Darken the circle ● of the correct answer with ball-pen.
- 5) Set No. of Question Paper printed on the upper-most right side of the Question Paper is to be written in the column provided in the OMR sheet.

- 1) How to begin an application?

- (A) with 'From' address (B) with 'To' address  
(C) with Subject (D) with Date

- 2) A friendly letter is an example for \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) informal letter (B) formal letter  
(C) application (D) complaint

- 3) A report is written usually in \_\_\_\_\_ tense.

- (A) present perfect (B) simple present  
(C) simple past (D) past perfect

- 4) A good essay deals with \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) self experience  
(B) personal thinking  
(C) borrowed ideas  
(D) proverbs
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ said he finds this atmosphere of mystery childish.  
(A) Congressman Brant  
(B) Jehan Shuman  
(C) General Weider  
(D) Aub
- 6) Jehan Shuman originated programming pattern that resulted in \_\_\_\_\_ computers of the highest order.  
(A) Self directing war  
(B) Super  
(C) Technical  
(D) Self directing calculation
- 7) I.N.S. Sukanya and I.N.S. \_\_\_\_\_ accompanied Mihir Sen crossing palk strait.  
(A) Saraswati  
(B) Sharda  
(C) Nagkanya  
(D) Sunita

- 8) The swimming expedition of Mihir Sen was to begin from \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Mannar  
(B) Myanamar  
(C) Rameshwaram  
(D) Talaimannar
- 9) Play 'If I were you' was written by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Mark Twain  
(B) Douglas James  
(C) Vasil Berezhnoy  
(D) Sheila Dailey
- 10) Intruder saw Gerrard first at \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Aylesbury  
(B) Charlesbury  
(C) Transberry  
(D) Salsbury
- 11) Swami Vivekananda is proud to belong to the religion which has sheltered and is still fostering the remnant of the grand \_\_\_\_\_ nation.  
(A) Zoroastrian  
(B) Christian  
(C) Sikhism  
(D) Islamic

- 12) \_\_\_\_\_ was master of Vivekananda.  
(A) Sri Vivekkrishna  
(B) Sri Harikrishna  
(C) Sri Ramakrishna  
(D) Sri Vishnukrishna
- 13) Anton Chekhov was a/an \_\_\_\_\_ writer.  
(A) German  
(B) Russian  
(C) American  
(D) Indian
- 14) Fat man was called Herostratus because he burnt a hole in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) the school carpet  
(B) the teacher's dress  
(C) the school curtain  
(D) the school register
- 15) Articulation is the courtesy of the \_\_\_\_\_ as punctuality is the courtesy of kings.  
(A) actor  
(B) gentleman  
(C) statesman  
(D) lawyer
- 16) The frequent use of \_\_\_\_\_ marks the small intellect.  
(A) Nationalism (B) Regionalisms  
(C) Provincialisms (D) Sectarianisms

- 17) Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam has written a book \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) India 2050  
(B) India 2010  
(C) India 2030  
(D) India 2020
- 18) Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam's teacher \_\_\_\_\_ was responsible for persuading Kalam's father to sent him to school setting aside financial constraints.  
(A) Krishnaswamy Iyer (B) Siva Subramania Iyer  
(C) B.K.S. Iyengar (D) Krishnamachari Iyer
- 19) O I am tired of strife and song and \_\_\_\_\_ and fame.  
(A) festivals (B) sorrows  
(C) name (D) sickness
- 20) Where do golden panthers drink water from?  
(A) Water-lily ponds (B) Water-lily pools  
(C) Rivers (D) Streams full of lotus flowers
- 21) In the poem 'she walks in beauty' the poet recreates \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) the beauty of natural objects  
(B) the beauty of the forest  
(C) the beauty of night sky  
(D) the beauty of the lady

- 22) Where do all that's best of dark and bright meet?  
(A) in her aspect and her eyes  
(B) in her aspect  
(C) in her face  
(D) in her forehead
- 23) 'May toss him to my breast'. Identify the figure of speech.  
(A) Synecdoche (B) Simile  
(C) Personification (D) Euphemism
- 24) 'So both should losers be'. Who are both?  
(A) Poet and his lady love  
(B) Man and woman  
(C) Man and God  
(D) Man and angel
- 25) What is a joy forever?  
(A) A thing of joy  
(B) A thing of beauty  
(C) A thing of love  
(D) All lovely tales
- 26) What happen to the trees around the temple?  
(A) they become spiritual  
(B) they become holy like temple  
(C) they become adorable  
(D) they become dear like temple

- 27) Shakespeare has made his \_\_\_\_\_ lovely and calmer than the summer.  
(A) mother (B) father  
(C) friend (D) class-mate
- 28) All beautiful things in this world \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) remain forever  
(B) decay and die  
(C) never get destroyed  
(D) shine delightedly
- 29) O' Henry describes Maxwell who is a \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) photographer  
(B) stenographer  
(C) share broker  
(D) steno typist
- 30) Harvey Maxwell's confidential clerk in the office is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) fletcher (B) pitcher  
(C) paniker (D) peter
- 31) The author of 'The Road to Success' is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Catherine Devrye  
(B) Fritz Karinthy  
(C) Margo Pfeiff  
(D) Arthur Conan Doyle

- 32) Fritz Karinthy whose play 'The Refund' made him overnight famous was a/an \_\_\_\_\_ playwright.
- (A) Indian (B) Iranian  
(C) American (D) Hungarian
- 33) Wasserkopf took \_\_\_\_\_ test before that of physics.
- (A) Mathematics (B) History  
(C) Geography (D) Economics
- 34) \_\_\_\_\_ years ago Wasserkopf was a student.
- (A) 19 (B) 18  
(C) 20 (D) 17
- 35) One should keep one's promise. (Change the voice)
- (A) Promises have been kept by us.  
(B) Promise should be kept by no one.  
(C) Promises should be kept.  
(D) Promises are being kept by us.
- 36) He is so foolish that he will not act. (Rewrite using 'too')
- (A) He is too foolish to act.  
(B) He is so foolish to act.  
(C) He is too foolish not to act.  
(D) He is to foolish that he cannot act.



37) Nathaniel reflected for a moment and hid behind his father's back.

(Make it simple)

- (A) Nathaniel reflecting for a moment, hid behind his father's back.
- (B) Nathaniel reflects for a moment and hid behind his father's back.
- (C) Nathaniel reflected for a moment so that he can hide behind his father's back.
- (D) Nathaniel reflected for a moment but hid behind his father's back.

38) They'll let you down if you're not careful. (Use 'unless')

- (A) Unless you're not careful they'll not let you down.
- (B) Unless you're not careful they'll let you down.
- (C) Unless you're careful they'll let you down.
- (D) If you're careful they'll let you down.

39) Completing each word to the last syllable represents the hall-mark of a 'well - groomed' speaker. gsebonline.com

(Find out the meaning of the underlined word)

- (A) Unclear
- (B) Neat and tidy
- (C) Neat and quick
- (D) Shouting loudly

- 40) The present convention is one of the most august assemblies ever held.  
(antonym of underlined word)
- (A) respect (B) disrespect  
(C) ordinary (D) extraordinary
- 41) You and I were childhood friends. (Identify the word form of the underlined word)
- (A) Verb (B) Noun  
(C) Adjective (D) Adverb
- 42) I \_\_\_\_\_ a very large gathering of students at St. Mary's school.  
(Use the proper form of past perfect tense of 'address')
- (A) addressing (B) address  
(C) have addressed (D) had addressed
- 43) This conversation bores me. (Find out the verb form of the underlined word)
- (A) conversational  
(B) converse  
(C) conversed  
(D) conversation
- 44) \_\_\_\_\_ about you was one of my luckiest breaks.
- (A) to hear (B) heard  
(C) hearing (D) had heard

- Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below it: (45 to 47)

In every country, people imagine that they are the best and the cleverest and the others are not so good as they are. The English man thinks that he and his country are the best; the French man is proud of France and everything French. The Germans and the Italians think no less of their countries and many Indians imagine that India is in many ways the greatest country in the world. This is wrong. Everybody wants to think well of himself and his country. But really there is no person who has not got some good and bad qualities. In the same way, there is no country which is not partly good and partly bad.

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45) People all over the world think \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) they are cleverer than some
- (B) they are the best
- (C) they are stronger
- (D) all others are bad

46) What do many Indians imagine?

- (A) India is the greatest country
- (B) they are better than others
- (C) they are the cleverest
- (D) they are as good as others

47) Choose from the pairs given below words of opposite in meaning of ill - worst.

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|------------------|-------------------|
| (A) well - best  | (B) well - bad    |
| (C) well - least | (D) well - better |

- Read the following poem carefully and answer the questions given below it:  
(48 to 50)

The Voice said, 'we are at war'  
And I was afraid, for I did not know  
What this meant.  
My sister and I ran to our friends next door  
As if they could help.  
History was lessons learnt  
With ancient dates, but here  
Was something utterly new,  
The radio called the wireless then, he said  
That the country would have to be brave  
There was much to do.

- 48) What frightened the poetess?  
(A) History (B) We are at war  
(C) Radio (D) Wireless
- 49) Why did she and her sister go next door?  
(A) to get their help (B) to meet them  
(C) to clear their doubt (D) to ask them about the Voice
- 50) How did they come to know about the war?  
(A) through the newspaper  
(B) through the radio  
(C) through the words of month  
(D) their mother told them

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(Part - B)

**Time : 2 Hours/****/Maximum Marks : 50****Instructions :**

- 1) Write in a clear hand writing.
- 2) There are four sections in Part - B of the question paper and total 1 to 17 questions are there.
- 3) All the questions are compulsory. Internal options are given.
- 4) The numbers at right side represent the marks of the question.
- 5) Start new section on new page.
- 6) Maintain sequence.

**SECTION - A**

■ Answer the following questions in about 5 to 6 sentences each (Any Three): [9]

- 1) Describe Myron Aub. What did he look like? How did he behave? What did the others think of him?
- 2) What is the reason that the intruder gives for wanting to become Gerrard?
- 3) What, according to Swami Vivekananda, is the message given by the convention?
- 4) What are the other features that depend on articulation?

- 5) Turn into indirect narration:

[4]

Intruder: Do you run a car?

Gerrard: No

Intruder: That's a lie. You're not dealing with a fool. I'm as smart as you and smarter, and I know you run a car. Better be careful, wise guy!

Gerrard: Are you American, or is that merely a clever imitation?

### SECTION - B

- Answer the following questions in about 3 to 4 sentences each (Any Four) : [8]

- 6) Why does Byron compare the lady's walk with a night of cloudless climes?

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- 7) What role do beautiful objects play in our life?

- 8) How will the poet make his friend independent of death?

- 9) Why does Sarojini Naidu want to fling all care away?

- 10) What blessings were bestowed on man by God according to George Herbert in poem 'The Pulley'?

- Answer the following questions in about 3 to 4 sentences each (Any Two): [4]

- 11) How does Wasserkopf earn "Excellent" grade in manners?
- 12) Rewrite the author's description of Maxwell's stenographer in the story 'The Romance of a Busy Broker'.
- 13) What is the strategy adopted by the author Catherine Devrye to speak in front of her own colleagues at IBM? gsebonline.com

### **SECTION - C**

- Read the following passage and make a precis reducing it to one - third of its size. Give a suitable title: [5]

- 14) The evils due to bacteria have received more attention than the goods. Their contribution to well-being is a prodigious and varied. Some bacteria are capable of living in the dark entirely on chemicals, without even the assistance of sunlight. These bacteria can produce life out of the indisputably dead. This fact suggests a bacterium may have been the first kind of organism to evolve from dead matter, for it could not live on itself and all other was purely dead matter. That is one justification for regarding bacteria or some organism of that sort as the link between the dead and living matter. Another kind of bacterium can eat bricks. It is found in decaying stone and perhaps is a type of organism which helps to manufacture soil in the earth's youth. There is evidence that soil is made by these bacteria on barren rocks and mountain peaks. gsebonline.com

- 15) Write an E-mail to your friend as a reply to the invitation sent by him for your participation in the coming 'Annual Day Celebrations' in your school. [5]

OR

Prepare the report of a committee headed by you to study about the steps taken to improve your surrounding area.

**SECTION - D**

- 16) The Personnel Manager, General Motors Ltd. P.O. Halol, District Panch Mahal, Gujarat, invites applications for the posts of Executive - Trainees. Post graduates from any discipline preferably from Business Administration may send in their application with complete Bio - Data. [7]
- 17) Write an essay on any one of the following in about 250 words. [8]
- a) Environmental pollution.
  - b) The spirit of sportsmanship.



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