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## TEST BOOKLET

### JUNIOR IAS MODEL TEST - T 001

Time Allowed: Two Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

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1) Who was the first President of America ?

- (a) George Washington
- (b) Martin Luther king
- (c) Thomas Jefferson
- (d) George Bush

2) Who reached the southern tip of Africa in the hope of finding a new sea route to India?

- (a) Vasco-da-Gama
- (b) Amerigo
- (c) Bartolomeu Dias
- (d) Columbus

3) What was the name of the devastating plague that swept through Europe in the 14th century?

- (a) The Great Famine
- (b) The Hundred Years' War
- (c) The Great Schism
- (d) The Black Death

4) Which global organisation was formed after World War II to promote international cooperation and peace?

- (a) United Nations
- (b) World Health Organisation
- (c) League of Nations
- (d) North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO)

5) Where did the Industrial Revolution first start?

- (a) Great Britain.
- (b) France.
- (c) Rome.
- (d) America.

6) Who was the last Viceroy of India?

- (a) Lord Louis Mountbatten
- (b) Lord Wavell
- (c) Lord Linlithgow
- (d) Lord Willingdon

7) Which Act authorised the Government to arrest any Indian without inquiry?

- (a) Rowlatt Act
- (b) Black Act
- (c) Martial Law
- (d) None of these

8) Who wrote the book Hind Swaraj?

- (a) Ambedkar
- (b) Savarkar
- (c) Mahatma Gandhi
- (d) Subhas Chandra Bose

9) Which British Prime Minister made the declaration about Indian Independence in the British Parliament?

- (a) Churchill
- (b) Thatcher
- (c) Atlee
- (d) Roosevelt

10) Who among the following took greater interest in laying out gardens than others?

- (a) Humayun
- (b) Babur
- (c) Jahangir
- (d) Akbar

11) Who founded the Asiatic Society of Bengal?

- (a) Max Muller
- (b) Lord Bentinck
- (c) William Jones
- (d) Lord Dalhousie

12) Which one is the longest epic in the world?

- (a) Ramayana
- (b) Ramcharitmanas
- (c) Mahabharata
- (d) Hanuman Chalisa

13) From where the Great Indian Mutiny of 1857 started?

- (a) Meerut
- (b) Kanpur
- (c) Delhi
- (d) Lucknow

14) Who among the following is known as the 'Napoleon of India'?

- (a) Samudragupta
- (b) Harshavardhana
- (c) Chandragupta Maurya
- (d) Ashoka

15) Tolkappiyam was written by which of the following?

- (a) Tiruvalluvar
- (b) Tolkappiyar
- (c) Senguttuvan
- (d) Sattanar

16) Battle of Colachel was fought between

- (a) Marthanda Varma and the Dutch
- (b) Dharmaraja and the Dutch
- (c) Marthanda Varma and the Portuguese
- (d) Marthanda Varma and the British

17) Vasco da Gama first landed at Calicut in the Year

- (a) 1453
- (b) 1498
- (c) 1503
- (d) 1524

18) Who is known as Kerala Gandhi?

- (a) K. Kelappan
- (b) K. P. Kesava Menon
- (c) Vakkom Maulavi
- (d) K. Madhavan

19) Who started 'Panthibhojanam' in Kerala?

- (a) Vaikunda Swamikal
- (b) Chattampi Swamikal
- (c) Sree Narayana Guru
- (d) Thycaud Ayya

20) What is the current name of the ancient port Muziris?

- (a) Cochin

- (b)Kodungallur  
(c) Kollam  
(d)Calicut
- 21)Where is Kaziranga National Park situated?  
(a)West Bengal  
(b)Assam  
(c)Mizoram  
(d)Karnataka
- 22)Which of the following is the highest peak of south India?  
(a)Anaimudi  
(b)Dodabeta  
(c)Mahendragiri  
(d)Gurushikhar
- 23)Which of the following is not an east-flowing river in Kerala ?  
(a)Periyar  
(b)Bhavani  
(c)Pambar  
(d)Kabini
- 24)Which of the following Indian States does not share International land border?  
(a)Bihar  
(b)Uttar Pradesh  
(c)Madhya Pradesh  
(d)Jammu and Kashmir
- 25)Kanchenjunga is situated in which state?  
(a)Himachal Pradesh  
(b)West Bengal  
(c)Assam  
(d)Sikkim
- 26)Blue Revolution is related to \_\_\_\_\_:  
(a)Oil production  
(b)Fish production  
(c)Milk production  
(d)Food production
- 27)Which latitude passes through the middle of India?  
(a)Equator  
(b)Arctic Circle  
(c)Tropic of Capricorn  
(d)Tropic of Cancer
- 28)India lies in the hemisphere  
(a)Northern and eastern  
(b)Southern and eastern  
(c)Northern and western  
(d)Southern and western
- 29)Which state has the longest coastline in India?  
(a)Andhra Pradesh  
(b)Maharashtra  
(c)Gujarat  
(d)West Bengal
- 30) Dal lake is situated in  
(a)Delhi  
(b)Kashmir  
(c)Himachal  
(d)Punjab
- 31)Which among the following words was added to the Preamble

of the Indian Constitution by the 42nd Amendment ?

- (a) Sovereign
- (b) Socialist
- (c) Democratic
- (d) Republic

32) Fundamental rights are given in which part of the Indian constitution?

- (a) Part II
- (b) Part III
- (c) Part IV
- (d) Part V

33) How many languages are covered under the 8th schedule of the Indian Constitution?

- (a) 12
- (b) 22
- (c) 18
- (d) 21

34) The number of Lok Sabha seats in Kerala

- (a) 17
- (b) 20
- (c) 21
- (d) 18

35) The Parliament of India consists

- (a) President, Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha
- (b) Prime minister, Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha
- (c) Vice President, Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha
- (d) President, Vidhan Sabha

36) Which of the following cities is known as the Manchester of South India?

- (a) Coimbatore
- (b) Chennai
- (c) Madurai
- (d) Mysuru

37) Construction is part of

- (a) Primary Sector
- (b) Secondary Sector
- (c) Service Sector
- (d) None of these

38) Who among the following regulates the banks in India?

- (a) Reserve Bank of India
- (b) SEBI
- (c) SBI
- (d) None of the above

39) The Union Budget of India is presented by whom ?

- (a) Finance Minister of India
- (b) Prime Minister of India
- (c) Cabinet Secretary
- (d) President of India

40) Who is called the father of Operation Flood in India?

- (a) Verghese Kurien
- (b) M.S. Swaminathan
- (c) Norman Borlaug
- (d) Vinoba Bhave

41) What is the name of the acid found in lemons?

- (a) Lactic acid
- (b) Sulfuric acid
- (c) Carbonic acid
- (d) Citric acid

42) Which vitamins help in the clotting of blood?

- (a) Vitamin A
- (b) Vitamin C
- (c) Vitamin K
- (d) Vitamin E

43) Which of the following is a root vegetable?

- (a) Carrot
- (b) Cassava
- (c) Onion
- (d) All the above

44) Consider the following statements regarding the pancreas.

1. It is an organ present in the back of the abdomen (belly).
2. It is not a part of the digestive system.

Which of the following statement(s) given above is/are correct?

- (a) Only 1
- (b) Only 2
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

45) Which of the following carries the process of cell respiration?

- (a) Nucleus
- (b) Golgi Body
- (c) Mitochondria
- (d) None

46) When is National Science Day Observed?

- (a) 20 February
- (b) 28 February
- (c) 3 March
- (d) 21 March

47) Which of the following diseases is caused by a virus?

- (a) Plague
- (b) Polio
- (c) Tetanus
- (d) Leprosy

48) The force acting on unit area of a surface is

- (a) Pressure
- (b) Velocity
- (c) Force
- (d) Displacement

49) In human beings the sound is produced by

- (a) Diaphragm
- (b) Oesophagus
- (c) Larynx
- (d) Trachea

50) The grease is used between the moving parts of the machine to

- (a) increase the friction

- (b) reduce the friction  
(c) the friction  
(d) to maintain the friction
- 51) The device used to detect a charge on the body is  
(a) Microscope  
(b) Telescope  
(c) Electroscope  
(d) stethoscope
- 52) The largest planet of our solar system is  
(a) Jupiter  
(b) Mercury  
(c) Mars  
(d) Venus
- 53) Which of the following is not a chemical change?  
(a) Electrolysis of water  
(b) Rusting of Iron  
(c) Melting of ice  
(d) Burning of wood
- 54) An element forms a gaseous oxide, which on dissolving in water gives a solution in which blue litmus paper turns red. The element is  
(a) Sodium  
(b) Sulphur  
(c) Calcium  
(d) magnesium
- 55) The substance which sublimes on heating is  
(a) common salt  
(b) Iodine  
(c) Aluminium  
(d) sugar
- 56) Seema was conducting an experiment with sodium hydroxide and Aluminum metal. She brought a burning matchstick near the mouth of the test tube and the gas escaping out of the test tube started burning by making a pop sound. This means that gas is  
(a) Oxygen  
(b) Carbon dioxide  
(c) Nitrogen  
(d) Hydrogen
- 57) Which of the following is not a web browser?  
(a) Safari  
(b) Google  
(c) Opera  
(d) Internet Explorer
- 58) Who is known as the father of computers?  
(a) James Gosling  
(b) Charles Babbage  
(c) Dennis Ritchie  
(d) Bjarne Stroustrup
- 59) Which of the following is the smallest unit of data in a computer?  
(a) Bit  
(b) KB  
(c) Nibble  
(d) Byte
- 60) Which of the following is the brain of the computer?  
(a) Central Processing Unit  
(b) Memory  
(c) Arithmetic and Logic unit  
(d) Control unit

61) In a library there are 4 books on different subjects lying on a table one over the other. In how many ways can they be arranged one over the other?

- (a) 16
- (b) 4
- (c) 24
- (d) 20

62) If Ahmad cycles at a speed of 20 kmph instead of 15 kmph, he would be able to cover a distance of 30 km more. What is the actual distance covered by him?

- (a) 70 kms
- (b) 110 kms
- (c) 90 kms
- (d) 50 kms

63) What will be the next term of the series 13, 17, 27, 49, 89, ...

- (a) 153
- (b) 142
- (c) 169
- (d) 129

64) The price of a Door frame has increased from Rs. 1040 to Rs. 1196. Find the percentage increase in the price.

- (a) 25
- (b) 10
- (c) 20
- (d) 15

65) The average of 50 numbers is 20. If two numbers 37 and 43 are discarded, find the average of the remaining numbers.

- (a) 19.17

- (b) 15.15
- (c) 21.34
- (d) 26.25

66) Raju is the son of Ravi's brother Shyam. Then Ravi is \_\_\_\_\_ of Raju

- (a) Brother
- (b) Nephew
- (c) uncle
- (d) father

67) In a certain code language, if YIELDER is coded as RIDLEEY, then how is ENGLAND coded in that language?

- (a) GENLDNA
- (b) DNLAGNE
- (c) DNALGNE
- (d) GNELDAN

68) A man is standing on a lawn facing North. If the man turns 45 degrees in anti-clockwise direction and 135 degrees in clockwise direction, which direction will he face now?

- (a) South
- (b) West
- (c) East
- (d) North



**69) Statement:** Every Australian speaks 6 languages. Antony speaks 6 languages.

**Conclusion:**

1. Antony is an Australian
  2. People from other countries do not speak 6 languages.
- (a) Only conclusion 1 follows  
(b) Only conclusion 2 follows  
(c) Either 1 or 2 follows  
(d) Neither 1 nor 2 follows

**70)** If 1st October is a Sunday, then what day will it be on 1st November?

- (a) Tuesday  
(b) Wednesday  
(c) Friday  
(d) Sunday

**71)** Who is the author of the book 'The white tiger'?

- (a) Vikram Seth  
(b) Rabindranath Tagore  
(c) Aravind Adiga  
(d) None of the above

**72)** In which year, the famous poet Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri won the Jnanpith award ?

- (a) 2020  
(b) 2019  
(c) 2018  
(d) 2017

**73)** Who wrote Panchatantra?

- (a) Kalidas  
(b) Tulsidas  
(c) Vishnu Sharma  
(d) Banabhatta

**74)** Which of the following is not a novel written by M T Vasudevan Nair

- (a) Naalukettu  
(b) Randamoozham  
(c) Manju  
(d) Nelli

**75)** Appukkili is a famous character in the novel

- (a) Kaalam  
(b) Balyakalasakhi  
(c) Khasakkinte Ithihasam  
(d) Francis Ittikora

**76)** Julius Caesar and Othello are famous works by

- (a) Charles Dickens  
(b) Jane Austen  
(c) William Shakespeare  
(d) Agatha Christie

**77)** Which of the following is not a character of The Thousand and One Nights

- (a) Aladdin

- (b)Ali Baba  
(c) Sindbad the Sailor  
(d)Gulliver
- 78)Which Nobel laureate is best known for his novel "The Old Man and the Sea"?
- (a)Gabriel Garcia Marquez  
(b)Ernest Hemingway  
(c)Toni Morrison  
(d)Salman Rushdie
- 79)Sherlock Holmes is a fictional detective created by
- (a)Edgar Allan Poe  
(b)Agatha Christie  
(c)Dashiell Hammett  
(d)Arthur Conan Doyle
- 80)Who wrote the epic Odyssey?
- (a)Homer  
(b)Virgil  
(c)Kafka  
(d)Sophocles
- 81)Which of the following languages is not an official language of the UNO ?
- (a)German  
(b)English  
(c)Arabic  
(d)French
- 82)"Kerala Kalamandalam" is situated in
- (a)Palakkad  
(b)Malappuram  
(c)Thrissur  
(d)Ernakulam
- 83)Who won the golden boots in Qatar World Cup Football 2022 ?
- (a)Neymar  
(b)Kylian mbappé  
(c)Ronaldo  
(d)lionel messi
- 84)The Chief Guest of India's Republic day celebrations in 2024
- (a)mr. Pushpa Kamal dahal, Prime minister Nepal  
(b)mr. Abdel Fattah EI-Sisi, President of Egypt  
(c)mr. Antony Blinken, U.S. Secretary of State  
(d)Emmanuel Macron, President of France
- 85)Who is known as the father of Indian missile technology ?
- (a)Dr Homi Bhabha  
(b)Dr Chidambaram  
(c)Dr U.R. Rao  
(d)Dr A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
- 86)Najeeb is the protagonist of which Famous novel ?
- (a)Dharmapurāṇam

- (b) Adujeevitham  
(c) Al arabian novel factory  
(d) Nireeshwaran
- 87) The 2023 Nobel Peace Prize was awarded to  
(a) Abiy Ahmed  
(b) Ales Bialiatski  
(c) Narges Mohammadi  
(d) Maria Ressa
- 88) Which of the given cities is located on the bank of river Ganga?  
(a) Patna  
(b) Gwalior  
(c) Bhopal  
(d) Mathura
- 89) The current secretary-general of the United Nations is  
(a) Ban Ki-moon  
(b) Audrey Azoulay  
(c) António Guterres  
(d) Dr. Tendros Adhanom Ghebreyesus
- 90) Gibraltar straits links which of the following?  
(a) The Pacific Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea  
(b) The Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea  
(c) The Red Sea and the Atlantic Ocean  
(d) The Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea
- 91) India's manned mission to the space is named as  
(a) Samudrayaan  
(b) Mangalyaan  
(c) Gaganyaan  
(d) Parker solar probe
- 92) Which famous poet is believed to be the founder of Thullal?  
(a) Cherussery Namboodiri  
(b) Kunjan Nambiar  
(c) Cheeraman  
(d) Poonthanam Namboodiri
- 93) Who won the first Olympic medal in wrestling for India?  
(a) Sushil Kumar  
(b) Karnam malleshwari  
(c) Bajrang Punia  
(d) Khashaba dadasaheb Jadhav
- 94) Who among the following nations is not a member of BRICS?  
(a) India  
(b) China  
(c) Russia  
(d) Japan
- 95) Shore temple is situated in which state of India?  
(a) Odisha  
(b) Tamil Nadu  
(c) Maharashtra  
(d) Kerala
- 96) In which state of India did the Kuchipudi dance originate?  
(a) Gujarat  
(b) Karnataka  
(c) Andhra Pradesh  
(d) Maharashtra
- 97) The capital of France, known for the Eiffel Tower and Louvre Museum, is?  
(a) Paris

- (b)Rome
- (c)Berlin
- (d)Madrid

98)Which of the following is the highest civilian award of India ?

- (a)Padma Bhushan
- (b)Bharat Ratna
- (c)Padam Shri
- (d)Jnanpith Award

99)Book 'A brief history of time' is written by: ?

- (a)John Green
- (b)J K Rowling
- (c)Suzame Colling
- (d)Stephen Hawking

100) \_\_\_\_\_ is the founder of Facebook ?

- (a)Mark Zuckerberg
- (b)Brian Acton
- (c)Jimmy Wales
- (d)Larry Page