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**PGT (ENGLISH) 2016**



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1. Which of the following tales of Chaucer deals with the Chivalric romance of Palamon and Arcite ?  
(A) *The Franklin's Tale* (B) *The Miller's Tale*  
(C) *The Merchant's Tale* (D) *The Knight's Tale*
2. Whose tomb Chaucer's pilgrims in *The Canterbury Tales* are going to visit ?  
(A) Thomas Aquinas (B) Saint Mary  
(C) Thomas Becket (D) Saint John
3. To whom did Chaucer dedicate his *Troilus and Criseyde* ?  
(A) John Gower (B) William Langland  
(C) John Wycliffe (D) King Edward II
4. Who of the following was the first to suggest that Satan is the real hero of *Paradise Lost* ?  
(A) John Dryden (B) William Blake  
(C) Joseph Addison (D) Samuel Johnson
5. An 'epithalamium' is a poem written to celebrate .....  
(A) Birth (B) Coronation  
(C) Marriage (D) Success

6. E.M. Forster's *A Passage to India* is set in .....
- (A) Agra (B) Delhi  
(C) Raipur (D) Chandrapore
7. Who wrote the play *The Return of Ulysses* ?
- (A) James Joyce (B) Tennyson  
(C) Robert Bridges (D) Graham Greene
8. *Evelina or A Young Lady's Entrance into the World* published in 1778 was written by .....
- (A) Miss Burney (Frances Fanny) (B) Charles Lamb (Elia)  
(C) Mar Anne Evans (George Eliot) (D) Francis Bacon
9. In which of the following plays does Hippolyta appear ?
- (A) *Measure for Measure* (B) *The Taming of the Shrew*  
(C) *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (D) *As You Like It*
10. Who is the author of *The Journal of the Plague Year* ?
- (A) Richard Steele (B) Daniel Defoe  
(C) Joseph Addison (D) Samuel Pepys

11. How long did Robinson Crusoe live on the deserted island ?
- (A) 12 years and 12 days                      (B) 16 years  
(C) A little over 21 years                      (D) A little over 28 years
12. 'Most friendship is feigning, most loving mere folly.' These words occur in .....
- (A) *Hamlet*    (B) *King Lear*  
(C) *As You Like It*                                      (D) *Twelfth Night*
13. One of the friends of the writer of *Utopia* is also a character in it. Name him.
- (A) Peter Giles                                      (B) Raphael Hythloday  
(C) Robertson                                      (D) John Brown
14. Pope reissued the final version of *The Rape of the Lock* after adding machinery of sylph and Clarissa's speech to its original version in .....
- (A) 1713    (B) 1715  
(C) 1717    (D) 1719
15. Wessex, a fictitious place in England, is invariably associated with one of the important novelists of modern era. Name the novelist.
- (A) Oscar Wilde                                      (B) Thomas Hardy  
(C) H.G. Wells                                      (D) E.M. Forster

16. *The Ossianic Poems* which explore the world of Celtic antiquity were written by .....
- (A) Coleridge (B) Shelley  
(C) Byron (D) Macpherson
17. Shelley's *The Cenci* is a/an .....
- (A) Play (B) Lyric  
(C) Ode (D) Elegy
18. Dickens caricatured utilitarian thinking with telling directness in his portrayal of .....
- (A) Paul Dombey (B) Thomas Gradgrind  
(C) Philip Pirrip (D) Harold Skimpole
19. Which of the following novelists does *not* belong to "Campus Novelists" Group ?
- (A) Angus Wilson (B) David Lodge  
(C) Anthony Powell (D) Malcolm Bradbury
20. Who was Samuel Johnson's biographer ?
- (A) Boswell (B) Walpole  
(C) Brook (D) Mackenzie

21. Who wrote the *Wealth of Nations* ?

(A) Jonathan Smith

(B) Adam Smith

(C) Thomas Percy

(D) De Quincey

22. Who buys Henchard's wife in *The Mayor of Casterbridge* ?

(A) Boldwood

(B) Farfrae

(C) Newson

(D) Jopp

23. "Beauty is truth, truth beauty"--that is all

ye need to know on earth, and all ye need to know."

Name the ode where from these lines have been taken :

(A) Ode to Autumn

(B) Ode to Nightingale

(C) Ode to Psyche

(D) Ode on a Grecian Urn

24. Porphyro and Madeline are lovers in .....

(A) The Eve of St. Agnes

(B) La Belle Dame Sans Merci

(C) Isabella

(D) The Eve of St. Mark

25. "I fall upon the thorns of life ! I bleed !" In which poem of Shelley does this line occur ?

(A) Lament

(B) The Cloud

(C) Ode to the West Wind

(D) To a Skylark

26. What is the other title of Mary Shelley's *Frankenstein* ?
- (A) *Ormond* (B) *The Modern Prometheus*  
(C) *Landor* (D) *The Last Man*
27. Mr. and Mrs. Bennet in *Pride and Prejudice* have ..... daughter(s).
- (A) One (B) Two  
(C) Three (D) Five
28. When Robert Southey was made the Poet Laureate ?
- (A) 1810 (B) 1811  
(C) 1812 (D) 1813
29. The polish mariner who presented colonialism as both brutal and brutalising in many of his novels and stories was .....
- (A) Samuel Butler (B) J.M. Barrie  
(C) Joseph Conrad (D) Roman Jacobson
30. Name the subtitle of Thackeray's *Vanity Fair* :
- (A) *A Novel Without a Hero*  
(B) *A Modern Pilgrim's Progress*  
(C) *Becky Sharp*  
(D) *Beatrice*

31. Margaret Hale is the central woman character in Elizabeth Gaskell's .....
- (A) *Cranford* (B) *Wives and Daughters*  
(C) *North and South* (D) *Marry Barton*
32. Pip is a character in Dickens's .....
- (A) *Little Dorrit* (B) *Nicholas Nickleby*  
(C) *Great Expectations* (D) *A Tale of Two Cities*
33. *Wuthering Heights* is a novel by .....
- (A) Charlotte Bronte (B) George Eliot  
(C) Anne Bronte (D) Emily Bronte
34. Which novel of George Eliot, according to Long, reaches a climax of her literary power ?
- (A) *Adam Bede* (B) *Romola*  
(C) *Silas Marner* (D) *The Mill on the Floss*
35. *Amours de Voyage* (1849) is one of the best known works of .....
- (A) Matthew Arnold (B) Arthur Clough  
(C) Thomas Carlyle (D) Alfred Tennyson



36. *Aurora Leigh* by E.B. Browning is better known as a/an .....
- (A) Sonnet sequence (B) Epic  
(C) Elegy (D) Verse novel
37. Who of the following wrote *The Critic as Artist* ?
- (A) T.S. Eliot (B) I.A. Richards  
(C) Oscar Wilde (D) Cleanth Brooks
38. One of the plays of George Bernard Shaw deals with the problem of phonetics and pronunciation. Which of the following is that play ?
- (A) *The Philanderer*  
(B) *Pygmalion*  
(C) *Major Barbara*  
(D) *Captain Brassbound's Conversation*
39. Disraeli's *Young England Trilogy* consists of *Coningsby*, *Sybil* and .....
- (A) *Tancred* (B) *The Warden*  
(C) *The Amazing Marriage* (D) *Lothair*

40. Macaulay served in India as a legal advisor to the Supreme Council from .....
- (A) 1833 to 1837 (B) 1834 to 1838  
(C) 1835 to 1839 (D) 1836 to 1840
41. Who wrote *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* ?
- (A) Anthony Trollope (B) George Meredith  
(C) George Eliot (D) R.L. Stevenson
42. Matthew Arnold's 'Memorial Verses' mourns the death of .....
- (A) Goethe, Byron and Wordsworth  
(B) Coleridge, Wordsworth and Southey  
(C) Clough, Southey and Byron  
(D) Clough, Byron and Wordsworth
43. *Unto This Last* is an unfinished series of articles on political economy which appeared in *The Cornhill Magazine*. Who wrote these articles ?
- (A) Thomas Carlyle (B) T.H. Huxley  
(C) John Ruskin (D) Walter Pater

44. The Oxford Movement led by the teachers at Oxford University was essentially a .....
- (A) Literary Movement (B) Political Movement  
(C) Religious Movement (D) Social Movement
45. Who succeeded Queen Victoria in 1901 ?
- (A) George V (B) Edward V  
(C) Edward VI (D) Edward VII
46. In which work was Sherlock Holmes introduced in 1887 ?
- (A) *The exploits of Brigadièr General*  
(B) *A Study in Scarlet*  
(C) *The Lost World*  
(D) *Micah Clarke*
47. Which of the plays of Bernard Shaw ridicules the popular romantic conception of the professional soldier's courage and incidentally the pretensions of aristocracy ?
- (A) *Candida* (B) *The Apple Cart*  
(C) *Arms and the Man* (D) *Man and Superman*

48. "Things fall apart; the centre cannot hold;  
Mere anarchy is loosed upon the world,"  
From which poem of W.B. Yeats have these lines taken ?
- (A) The Second Coming (B) Sailing to Byzantium  
(C) Leda and the Swan (D) Easter 1919
49. All plays of J.M. Synge were staged at .....
- (A) Rivoli Theatre (B) Abbey Theatre  
(C) Dynast Theatre (D) Jermina Theatre
50. Who of the following coined the term 'streams of consciousness' ?
- (A) Marcel Proust (B) Bertrand Russell  
(C) Sigmund Freud (D) William James
51. Who reduced the length of "The Waste Land" drastically and brought to the present stage ?
- (A) John Masefield (B) Ezra Pound  
(C) W.B. Yeats (D) William Carlos Williams

52. The Fourth Part of "The Waste Land" is titled as .....
- (A) A Game of Chess (B) What the Thunder said  
(C) The Fire Sermon (D) Death by Water
53. Where from did Aldous Huxley borrow the title, "Brave New World" ?
- (A) *Eupheus* (Lyly) (B) *Arcadia* (Sidney)  
(C) *New Atlantis* (Bacon) (D) *The Tempest* (Shakespeare)
54. A novel of Lawrence opens showing the Brangwan farm separated from the village of the miners by a river. It appears to be on the safe side of civilization where the male members of the family are mystically linked by a blood intimacy to the fertility of the land they cultivate. Name this novel.
- (A) *The Rainbow* (B) *The Lost Girl*  
(C) *Sons and Lovers* (D) *Women in Love*
55. In which of the following works of Virginia Woolf does the sex of the lead character changes ?
- (A) *The Voyage Out* (B) *Orlando*  
(C) *To the Lighthouse* (D) *The Waves*

56. Name the writer of the twentieth century who developed remarkable gifts of military leadership in Arabia :
- (A) D.H. Lawrence (B) J.M. Synge  
(C) Joseph Conrad (D) T.E. Lawrence
57. The only play James Joyce wrote is .....
- (A) *Pygmalion* (B) *Exiles*  
(C) *Ulysses* (D) *Finnegan's Wake*
58. *The Driver's Seat, The Public Image and Not To Disturb* are novels by .....
- (A) Muriel Spark (B) Nadine Gordimer  
(C) Agatha Christie (D) P.D. James
59. Which is the first volume of Doris Lessing's autobiography ?
- (A) *A Small Personal Voice* (B) *The Golden Notebook*  
(C) *Under My Skin* (D) *Walking in the Shade*

60. Whose painting does Auden refer to in "Muses de Beaux Arts" ?
- (A) Raphael (B) Breughel  
(C) Leonardo da Vinci (D) Michelangelo
61. Name the poet whose *The Hawk in the Rain* and *Lupercal* express a rapt fascination with animal energy and independence :
- (A) Philip Larkin (B) Thomas Gunn  
(C) Ted Hughes (D) John Wain
62. Who is the protagonist in John Osborne's *Look Back in Anger* ?
- (A) Luther (B) Murphy  
(C) Martin (D) Jimmy
63. Of the following who was the product of The Royal Court Theatre ?
- (A) John Arden (B) John Whiting  
(C) John Osborne (D) Samuel Beckett
64. Who wrote *Lolita* ?
- (A) Vladimir Nobokov (B) Maxim Gorky  
(C) Ivan Turgnev (D) Boris Pasternak

65. Which of the following is *not* a work of James Baldwin ?
- (A) *Just Above My Head* (B) *The Fire Next Time*  
(C) *Another Country* (D) *Uncle Tom's Children*
66. *The Old Man and the Sea* recounts the adventures of .....
- (A) Manolin (B) Joe DiMaggio  
(C) Santiago (D) None of these
67. *The Price* of Arthur Miller presents a family feud .....
- (A) between two sisters  
(B) between two brothers  
(C) among three brothers  
(D) between two cousins
68. Which novel of Rabindranath Tagore makes a psychological study of its three main characters—Nikhil, Bimla and Sandeep ?
- (A) *Gora* (B) *Broken Ties*  
(C) *The Wreck* (D) *The Home and the World*
69. In 1917, Ananda K. Coomaraswamy joined the Museum of Fine Arts as the Keeper of Indian Art at .....
- (A) Pretoria (B) London  
(C) Boston (D) Paris



70. What is the name of Bakha's sister in Anand's *Untouchable* ?

- (A) Sohini (B) Mohini  
(C) Champa (D) Rekha

71. Which of the following terms is most suitable to be applied to a character type or plot pattern or description which recurs frequently in literature and is thought to evoke profound emotional responses in the reader by evoking an image already existing in his unconscious mind ?

- (A) Myth (B) Anagnorsis  
(C) Oedipus complex (D) Archetype

72. 'Negative Capability' is a term associated with .....

- (A) Coleridge (B) Keats  
(C) Byron (D) Shelley

73. Panegyric is a formal written or oral composition .....

- (A) Deriding a person  
(B) Lamenting the death of a person  
(C) Celebrating the marriage of a person  
(D) Lauding a person

74. Who advocated the use of 'Touchstone Method' ?
- (A) Sidney (B) Shelley  
(C) Carlyle (D) Arnold
75. Milton composed *Areopagitica* in .....
- (A) Poetry (B) Prose  
(C) Dramatic form (D) None of these
76. Which of the following is not written by Shakespeare ?
- (A) *Titus Andronicus*  
(B) *Pericles*  
(C) *Love's Triumph Through Callipolis*  
(D) *A Lover's Complaint*
77. Who said, "Feminism at heart is a massive complaint, lesbianism is the solution" ?
- (A) Jill Johnson (B) Ed Cohen  
(C) Judith Butler (D) Julia Kristeva

78. Who formed the 'centre for contemporary cultural studies' at University of Birmingham ?
- (A) Raymond Williams (B) Stuart Hall  
(C) Hazel Carby (D) Richard Hoggart
79. The concept of 'Negritude' is most associated with .....
- (A) Frantz Fanon (B) Chinua Achebe  
(C) Wole Soyinka (D) Aime Cesaire
80. "Everything is connected to everything else." is the first of the four laws of ecology given by :
- (A) Cherryll Glotfelty (B) Harold Fromm  
(C) Lynn White, Jr. (D) Barry Commoner
81. Where is Chadra Tal lake ?
- (A) Bharmaur in Chamba (B) Pangi in Chamba  
(C) Central Lahaul in Lahaul Spiti (D) Upper Shimla in Shimla

82. Which river's tributaries are Baljedi and Budhil streams ?
- (A) Beas (B) Swan  
(C) Ravi (D) Yamuna
83. In which ancient Indian classic there is a mention of Khasas ?
- (A) Bhagvata Purana (B) Vayu Purana  
(C) Brihat Samhita (D) All of these
84. Who is the author of *The Himalayan District of Koloo, Lahaul and Spiti* ?
- (A) Pendope Chetwode (B) J.C. French  
(C) A.F.P. Harcourt (D) Herman Goetz
85. In which year was Kangra fort subdued by the Mughal forces under Nawab Ali Khan ?
- (A) 1613 A.D. (B) 1620 A.D.  
(C) 1627 A.D. (D) 1933 A.D.
86. In which village near Dharamsala town of H.P. is Vipassana centre of meditation ?
- (A) Shahkot (B) Mankot  
(C) Dharamkot (D) Sidhbari

87. Which company runs the cement plant of Rajban in Sirmaur district of H.P. ?
- (A) CCI (B) Jaypee  
(C) Ambuja (D) ACC
88. Where was Shimla's Bishop Cotton School originally located ?
- (A) Dagshai (B) Jutogh  
(C) Kasauli (D) Sabathu
89. Which of the following development blocks in H.P. is *not* covered under National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) ?
- (A) Dehra in Kangra (B) Kandaghat in Solan  
(C) Basantpur in Shimla (D) Haroli in Una
90. Which of the following hydro-power projects is in the Satluj basin ?
- (A) Upper Joiner (B) Sumez  
(C) Budhil (D) None of these
91. With which of the following is Jiturai associated ?
- (A) Wrestling (B) Boxing  
(C) Shooting (D) Rowing

92. Who is the Governor of Manipur ?
- (A) Najma Heptulla (B) Jagdish Mukhi  
(C) Banwari Lal Purohit (D) None of these
93. Which day is observed as Kisan Day in India ?
- (A) May 04 (B) July 26  
(C) August 09 (D) December 23
94. At which place in U.P. is the Dargah of Sheikh Saleem Chisti ?
- (A) Dewa Sharief (B) Fatehpur Sikri  
(C) Moradabad (D) Agra
95. Which successor of Guru Gobind Singh fought against the Mughals and was martyred ?
- (A) Bhai Dayala (B) Bhai Mardana  
(C) Banda Bahadur (D) Zorawar Singh
96. In which American city shooter Omar Mateen killed over 50 persons in June 2016 ?
- (A) Florida (B) Colorado  
(C) Arkansas (D) Texas

97. Solar Impulse-2 which began its world trip in March, 2015 from Abu Dhabi had its first stop in .....
- (A) Myanmar (B) Pakistan  
(C) Oman (D) Japan
98. Which of the following is *correct* description of *Hijab* ?
- (A) a head scarf that covers the hair and neck but not the face  
(B) a veil that covers head and face but not the eyes  
(C) a veil that covers the face leaving a mesh screen to see through  
(D) all of the above
99. When did Queen Elizabeth II ascend the British throne ?
- (A) 1952 (B) 1957  
(C) 1962 (D) 1967
100. Who was crowned Miss World 2015 ?
- (A) Sofia Nikitchuk (B) Maria Harfanti  
(C) Valerie Abou (D) Mireia Lalaguna Royo