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Section-XI	Kannada / ಕನ್ನಡ	50	84	90
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PART I — GENERAL

1. Brihadeesvera temple in Thanjavur in Tamilnadu was built by

(A) Marthanda Varma (B) Tipu Sultan

(C) Pulakesin II (D) Rajaraja Chola

2. Which is India's first artificial satellite?

(A) Aryabhatta (B) Bhaskara

(C) Rohini (D) INSAT

3. Who is the Union Minister of Environment, Forests and Climate Change?

(A) Nirmala Sitaraman (B) Ramesh Jairam

(C) Prakash Javedekar (D) Uma Bharati

4. What is the capital of Afghanistan?

(A) Teheran (B) Baghdad

(C) Kiev (D) Kabul

5. What is the currency of Bhutan?

(A) Ngultrum (B) Rupiah

(C) Taka (D) Rial

6. Who invented the Ball point pen?

(A) Biro Brothers (B) Waterman Brothers

(C) Bicc Brothers (D) Wright Brothers

7. Who discovered the radioactive element radium?

(A) Isaac Newton (B) Albert Einstein

(C) Marie Curie (D) Guglielmo Marconi

8. Who is the Prime Minister of Nepal?

(A) Baburam Bhattrai (B) Girija Prasad Koirala

(C) Khil Raj Regmi (D) Sushil Koirala

9. Which of the following is not a tributary of the Ganga?

(A) Kosi (B) Gandak

(C) Sone (D) Sabari

10. Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi has announced recently the scrapping of the

(A) Finance Commission

(B) Planning Commission

(C) Commission on Official Languages

(D) None of these

11. The contagious virus disease that is causing world wide alarm in recent times is

(A) E.coli (B) Ebola

(C) Azolla (D) Alzheimers

12. Nagerhole National Park is situated in

(A) Gujarat (B) Telangana

(C) Karnataka (D) Rajasthan

13. Which of the following works was authored by Kalidasa?

(A) Abhigyana Sakuntalam (B) Amukta Malyada

(C) Anand Math (D) None of these

14. Which of the following is the biggest constituent of Biogas?

(A) Carbon dioxide (B) Nitrogen dioxide

(C) Hydrogen (D) Methane

15. Who is the Railway Minister?

(A) Suresh Prabhu (B) Manohar Parrikar

(C) Sadananda Gowda (D) J.P. Nadda

16. Which is the nearest country with which India does not share a border?

(A) Mauritius
(B) Maldives
(C) Myanmar
(D) Sri Lanka

17. The longitude which is taken as the reference point for IST is

(A) 82.5° W
(B) 82.5° E
(C) 75.5° W
(D) 87.5° E

18. October 2, the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi is internationally celebrated as

(A) Non-Violence Day
(B) World Peace Day
(C) Communal Harmony Day
(D) Vegetarian Day

19. At which of the following sessions of the Indian National Congress did Mahatma Gandhi preside as the President?

(A) Lucknow 1916
(B) Lahore 1929
(C) Calcutta 1917
(D) Belgaum 1924

20. Whom did Babar defeat in the battle of Khanwa in 1527?

(A) Rana Pratap of Mewar
(B) Ibrahim Lodi
(C) Daulat Khan Lodi
(D) Rana Sanga of Mewar

21. Which of the following is not a dietary deficiency disease?

(A) Anemia
(B) Beri Beri
(C) Scurvy
(D) Diabetes

22. Sriharikota, which houses India's satellite launch facility is an island on which of the following lakes?

(A) Ulsoor Lake
(B) Kolleru Lake
(C) Pulicat Lake
(D) None of these

23. What is the capital of Australia?

(A) Adelaide
(B) Brisbane
(C) Canberra
(D) Darwin

24. The famous exponent of Kathak who passed away in November 2014 was

(A) Birju Maharaj
(B) Kelucharan Mohapatra
(C) Sonal Mansingh
(D) Sitara Devi

25. The cricketer who passed away in November 2014 after a fatal injury caused by a cricket ball was

(A) Sean Abbott
(B) Don Bradman
(C) Phillip Hughes
(D) None of these

26. Which of the following countries does not belong to SAARC countries?

(A) Afghanistan
(B) Bhutan
(C) Sri Lanka
(D) China

27. Who is the Chief Minister of Tamilnadu?

(A) J. Jayalalitha
(B) Karunanidhi
(C) O. Paneerselvam
(D) P. Chidambaram

28. Which of the following monuments was not built during the Mughal period?

(A) Red Fort
(B) Qutb Minar
(C) Taj Mahal
(D) Fateh Pur Sikri

29. Which was the first satyagraha Mahatma Gandhi undertook in India?

(A) Dandi march
(B) Kheda satyagraha
(C) Champaran satyagraha
(D) Bardoli satyagraha

30. SAARC is headquartered in

(A) Colombo (B) Islamabad

(C) Kathmandu (D) New Delhi

31. Which among the following actors is the first male UN Women's Goodwill Ambassador for South Asia?

(A) Shahrukh Khan (B) Bobby Deol

(C) Farhan Akhtar (D) Amir Khan

32. Where is the headquarters of INTERPOL located?

(A) Geneva (B) Venice

(C) Lyon (D) New York

33. The veteran Hindi film comedian who passed away in December 2014 was

(A) Deven Verma (B) Asrani

(C) Paintal (D) I.S. Johar

34. In which city was the 2014 FIDE World Championship Match between Vishwanath Anand and Magnus Carlsen held?

(A) Moscow (B) Oslo

(C) Sochi (D) Stockholm

35. In which of these cities did Rohit Sharma make the highest individual ODI score of 264 runs against Sri Lanka in November 2014?

(A) Kolkata (B) Vishakhapatnam

(C) Chennai (D) Kochi

36. Which film was awarded the Golden Peacock for the best film at the 45 international film festival in India in November 2014?

(A) Ek hazarchi note (B) Chotoder Chobi

(C) Leviathan (D) The Kindergarten Teacher

37. The National Emblem is an adaptation of the lion capital of Ashoka at

(A) Sanchi (B) Palitana

(C) Sarnath (D) Pataliputra

38. Which of the following dams is not on the River Krishna?

(A) Nagarjuna Sagar (B) Krishnaraja Sagar

(C) Srisailam (D) Alamatti

39. On banks of which river is Srinagar located?

(A) Sutlej (B) Beas

(C) Ravi (D) Jhelum

40. Which among the following is the least populated state in India?

(A) Sikkim (B) Goa

(C) Mizoram (D) Manipur

41. Which of the following is a 'Classical' dance form?

(A) Kathakali (B) Kalaripayattu

(C) Bhawai (D) Lavani

42. Through which constitutional amendment which came into force on March 28, 1989, was the voting age reduced from 21 to 18?

(A) 54 (B) 58

(C) 61 (D) 62

43. Judicial review was adopted in the Constitution of India from the constitution of

(A) UK (B) USA

(C) Bhutan (D) Australia

44. Which country has won the Davis Cup 2014, first such win for the country?

(A) Serbia
(B) France
(C) Switzerland
(D) Belarus

45. Who has taken over as the New Chief Minister of Goa?

(A) Dayanand Mandrekar
(B) Dilip Parulekar
(C) Lakshmikant Parsekar
(D) Francis D'souza

46. What name has been given to the mineral which makes up about 38% of Earth's volume?

(A) Putnisite
(B) Mojaveite
(C) Maruyamite
(D) Bridgmanite

47. Which company has launched the New E-mail Service named 'Verse'?

(A) IBM
(B) Yahoo
(C) Google
(D) Microsoft

48. Who is the Speaker of Lok Sabha?

(A) Najma Heptullah
(B) Sumitra Mahajan
(C) Sitaram Yechury
(D) Mallikarjun Kharge

49. Which of the following villages has been adopted by the Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi under the Saansad Adarsh Gram Yojana?

(A) Sitapur
(B) Raval
(C) Jayapur
(D) Palri

50. Hitavada, the newspaper started by Gopala Krishna Gokhale was originally published from

(A) Mumbai
(B) Pune
(C) Sholapur
(D) Nagpur

PART II — ENGLISH

Choose the most appropriate word(s) from those given below, to fill in the blanks (51 – 58) :

51. It's a quarter ———— midnight; only fifteen minutes to go before the New Year.
(A) at (B) to
(C) for (D) since

52. Hari is 58 years old. He will be retiring from his job ———— two years time.
(A) by (B) from
(C) in (D) since

53. David is ———— better Cricketer than John.
(A) a (B) an
(C) the (D) None of these

54. The boy ———— his mother that he would certainly do well in his exam.
(A) assured (B) ensured
(C) guaranteed (D) swore

55. The team's ———— got a boost when they netted a goal.
(A) moral (B) amoral
(C) morale (D) morality

56. We scored as many goals as ————.
(A) they (B) them
(C) then (D) their

57. The Headmaster ———— to speak to you.
(A) wants (B) is wanting
(C) had wanting (D) be wanting

58. This is a matter ———— little importance.
(A) for (B) to
(C) of (D) at

Q. (59 – 65) Each of the following sentences is divided into four parts (A), (B), (C), (D), one of which contains an error. Choose the part which has the error.

59. I prefer (A) punishment (B) than (C) insult (D)

60. No Sooner (A) had he began (B) to speak than (C) the students began to shout slogans (D)

61. I never (A) remember (B) to have met (C) this man. (D)

62. I (A) watched (B) him (C) fell. (D)

63. One of the secret (A) of success is (B) working (C) hard. (D)

64. The timing (A) of these strikes (B) were (C) badly planned. (D)

65. He is (A) senior (B) than me (C) in service. (D)

Pick the most appropriate SYNONYM for the words in CAPITALS from among the options given below (66 – 72) :

66. CEREMONIOUS

(A) Stately
(B) Informal
(C) Traditional
(D) Offensive

67. BIASED

(A) Injurious
(B) Partisan
(C) Neutral
(D) Opinionated

68. ANOMALY

(A) Recurrence
(B) Aberration
(C) Felicity
(D) Consistency

69. HUMBLE

(A) Proud
(B) Vain
(C) Obnoxious
(D) Lowly

70. HAVOC

(A) Wonder
(B) Peace
(C) Chaos
(D) Warfare

71. FATIGUE

(A) Energy
(B) Exhaustion
(C) Excitement
(D) Weakness

72. PERISH

(A) Decay
(B) Revive
(C) Destroy
(D) Kill

Choose the most appropriate option for the meaning of the idioms given below (73 – 80) :

73. Take the bull by the horns.

(A) To run away from difficulties
(B) To do a difficult thing
(C) To do a thing badly
(D) To be cruel to animals

74. Wash one's hands off.

(A) Speak rudely
(B) Beat some one
(C) Refuse to have anything to do with
(D) Keep one self clean

75. He was "feeling blue".

(A) He was freezing cold
(B) He was feeling sad
(C) He was unwell
(D) He was angry

76. "Cool as a cucumber".

(A) Very cold
(B) Ignorant
(C) Be unfriendly
(D) Be confident and carefree

77. Put the cart before the horse.

(A) Do things in the wrong order
(B) To do a difficult thing
(C) Take advance action
(D) To do things before time

78. Make mountain out of a molehill.

(A) To be irrational
(B) To make a small problem look big
(C) To be positive in a bad situation
(D) To research something carefully

79. Have your finger on the pulse.

(A) Be familiar with recent development
(B) To be intelligent
(C) To be nervous
(D) To have fever

80. Come under fire

(A) Take revenge
(B) To be criticised
(C) To cook well
(D) To be defeated

81. To open a new file in MS-Word, the shortcut key is

(A) Ctrl + X
(B) Ctrl + N
(C) Ctrl + Y
(D) None of these

82. FTP stands for

(A) File Transfer Protocol
(B) Fast Text Processing
(C) File Transmission Programme
(D) None of these

83. Regarding a Visual Display Unit, which statement is most appropriate?

(A) It is an input device
(B) It is an output device
(C) It is an operating device
(D) None of the above

84. The process of dividing the disk into tracks and sectors is called

(A) Tracking
(B) Formatting
(C) Crashing
(D) Allotting

85. Computer language used on Internet is

(A) Pascal
(B) BASIC
(C) Java
(D) None of these

86. Which shortcut keys are used for selecting the whole document?

(A) Ctrl + A
(B) Ctrl + S
(C) Ctrl + W
(D) Ctrl + X

Choose the correct word for the phrases below from the options given (87 – 93) :

87. A person with a long experience in a profession.

(A) Novice
(B) Veteran
(C) Genius
(D) Workaholic

88. Something no longer in use.

(A) Desolate
(B) Absolute
(C) Obsolete
(D) Primitive

89. A book in its original handwritten form.

(A) Manuscript
(B) Proof
(C) Proforma
(D) Text

90. A vehicle for carrying dead bodies.

(A) Truck
(B) Coffin
(C) Hearse
(D) Galley

91. The quality of being faithful.

(A) Honesty
(B) Creditable
(C) Fidelity
(D) Genuine

92. An imaginary name assumed by an author as disguise.

(A) Pet name
(B) Nick name
(C) Homonym
(D) Pseudonym

93. One who has become dependent on a substance.

(A) Drunkard
(B) Addict
(C) Edict
(D) Derelict

Pick the most appropriate ANTONYM to the words given below, from the choices given (94 – 100) :

94. ANTIPATHY

(A) Sympathy
(B) Enmity
(C) Remedy
(D) Allergy

95. INFAMOUS

(A) Sincere
(B) Reputable
(C) Notorious
(D) Innocent

96. LAVISH

(A) Grand
(B) Austere
(C) Awful
(D) Large

97. FORGO

(A) Despise
(B) Abstain
(C) Travel
(D) Retain

98. DISTRESS

(A) Suffering
(B) Delight
(C) Luck
(D) Headache

99. DETEST

(A) Examine
(B) Withhold
(C) Cherish
(D) Assist

100. CAPTIVITY

(A) Slavery
(B) Limitation
(C) Freedom
(D) Permission