

- (a) economic isolationism.
  - (b) economic mismanagement.
  - (c) inefficient industry
  - (d) all of these.
- 35. One of the factors of the government's protectionist policy was...**
- (a) encouragement of imports.
  - (b) discouragement of imports.
  - (c) encouragement of exports.
  - (d) discouragement of exports.
- 36. The example of the Korean Ciello has been presented to highlight...**
- (a) India's lack of stature in the international market.
  - (b) India's poor performance in the international market.
  - (c) India's lack of creditability in the international market.
  - (d) India's disrepute in the international market.
- 37. According to the writer...**
- (a) Indian's politicians are myopic in their vision of the country's requirements.
  - (b) India's politicians are busy lining their pockets.
  - (c) India's politicians are not conversant with the needs of the present scenario.
  - (d) all of the above.
- DIRECTION: Choose the option closest in meaning to the capitalized word.**
- 38. GRANDIOSE**
- (a) Imposing.
  - (b) unpretentious.
  - (c) boring.
  - (d) lanky.
- 39. SPRY**
- (a) doubtful
  - (b) nimble.
  - (c) prognosticate.
  - (d) leave.
- 40. UDGGE**
- (a) to sweeten.
  - (b) smear.
  - (c) irritate
  - (d) falsify.
- 41. Attukal pongal festival, which is figured in Guinness Book of World Records is celebrated in...**
- (a) Tamilnadu.
  - (b) Kerala.
  - (c) Telangana.
  - (d) Goa.
- 42. In February 2015, which Indian cricket legend has been inducted into the ICC Hall of Fame?**

- (a) Rahul Darvid.
- (b) Anil Kumble.
- (c) Sachin Tendulkar.
- (d) Mohammad Azharuddin.

**43. Which of the following acts formally introduced the principle of elections for the first time?**

- (a) the Indian council act, 1909.
- (b) Government of India act, 1919.
- (c) The Government of India act, 1935.
- (d) India's independence act, 1947.

**44. IRCTC has recently launched a new serviced called 'RuPay prepaid cards' which will enable passengers to book their tickets, do shopping and pay service bills online. This service was launched in collaboration with which bank?**

- (a) Union Bank of India.
- (b) State Bank of India.
- (c) ICICI Bank.
- (d) Bharatiya Mahila Bank.

**45. Garuda Shakti III is the military exercise between India and which country?**

- (a) Nepal. Russia. Indonesia. China.

**46. Match List-I with List-II and select the best option using the code given below the lists:**

<b>List-I (Organization/Centers)</b>	<b>List-II (Locations)</b>
A. High Altitude Warfare School	1. Chennai
B. Indian Air force Training Center	2. Gulmarg
C. National Defense College	3. New Delhi
D. Institute of National Integration	4. Pune

- (a) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4.
- (b) A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4.
- (c) A-1, B-2, C-4, D-3.
- (d) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3.

**47. Name India's Beyond Visual Range (BVR) Air-to-Air missile which was successfully test fired on 19 march 2015 from a Sukhoi-30 fighter aircraft?**

- (a) Astra.
- (b) K-100.
- (c) Mitra.
- (d) Tejas.

**48. The ISRO has developed a "Flood Hazard Atlas" by mapping flood prone and vulnerable areas in which state?**

- (a) Kerala.
- (b) Maharastra.
- (c) Assam.
- (d) Tripura.

- 49. Which south East Asian country has recently banned surrogacy service to end its flourishing rent-a-womb industry?**
- (a) Singapore.
  - (b) Laos.
  - (c) Thailand
  - (d) Vietnam.
- 50. Which of the following is the oldest share market in India?**
- (a) Bombay.
  - (b) Madras.
  - (c) Calcutta.
  - (d) Delhi.
- 51. The name of new Andhra Pradesh Capital is likely to be?**
- (a) Amravati.
  - (b) Badrachala.
  - (c) Krishna Nagar.
  - (d) Varshavathi.
- 52. The Ufa city, where annual BRICS Summit-2015 is scheduled to be held is in which country?**
- (a) China.
  - (b) Russia.
  - (c) South Africa.
  - (d) Brazil.
- 53. The “Ease of Doing Business Index” is prepared and published by...**
- (a) World Trade Organization
  - (b) World Bank Group.
  - (c) United Nations.
  - (d) European Union.
- 54. Prime Minister Modi has launched the “Give It Up” campaign for voluntarily giving up...**
- (a) Use of tobacco products.
  - (b) LPG Subsidy.
  - (c) Use of incandescent bulbs.
  - (d) Use of plastics.
- 55. Which one of the following Railway Zones and the corresponding Headquarter pairs is not correctly matched?**
- (a) North Eastern Railway Gorakhpur.
  - (b) South Eastern Railway Bhubaneswar.
  - (c) Eastern Railway Kolkata
  - (d) South East Central Railway Bilaspur.
- 56. Which among the following is the world’s largest e-commerce company?**
- (a) Amazon.
  - (b) eBay.
  - (c) Alibaba.
  - (d) Filipkart.

- 57. Which committee was constituted by RBI to review governance of boards of banks in India?**
- (a) P.J. Nayak Committee.
  - (b) H.R. Khan Committee.
  - (c) Harsh Vardhan Committee.
  - (d) K.Subramaniam Committee.
- 58. The recently announced paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana aims to boost?**
- (a) Organic Farming.
  - (b) Drip Irrigation.
  - (c) Horticulture crops
  - (d) vegetable production.
- 59. The winner of 2015 Malaysian Grand Prix is...?**
- (a) Sebastian Vettel.
  - (b) Kimmi Raikkonen.
  - (c) Lewis Hamilton.
  - (d) Jenson Button production.
- 60. Which one of the following is essentially a solo dance nowadays performed in group as well?**
- (a) Kuchipudi.
  - (b) Kathak
  - (c) Manipuri.
  - (d) Mohiniattam.
- 61. Who among the following was the author of Rajtarangini, commonly regarded as the first genuine history of India written by an Indian?**
- (a) Banbhatt.
  - (b) Ravi kirti.
  - (c) Pushpanda.
  - (d) Kalhan.
- 62. Name the golfer who won the Indian Open title on 22 February 2015**
- (a) SSP Chowrasia.
  - (b) Anirban Lahiri.
  - (c) Sidhikar Rahman
  - (d) Daniel Chopra.
- 63. Which Space Agency has successfully launched the world's first all electric satellites in March 2015?**
- (a) Russia Federal Space Agency.
  - (b) China National Space Administration.
  - (c) SpaceX
  - (d) European Space Agency.
- 64. Who among the following 18<sup>th</sup> century Indian rulers has been called 'Plato of his tribe'?**
- (a) Sawai Jai Singh.
  - (b) Badam Singh.
  - (c) Surajmal

- (d) Guru Gobind Singh.
- 65. Bhalchandra Nemade who has been selected for the 50<sup>th</sup> Janpith Award for 2014, on February, 2015 is a famous writer in which language?**
- (a) Marathi.
  - (b) Oriya.
  - (c) Malayalam.
  - (d) Urdu.
- 66. A Snick meter is associated with which sports?**
- (a) Tennis.
  - (b) Cricket.
  - (c) Hockey.
  - (d) Football.
- 67. Which of the following is incorrect option?**
- (a) Within the Arctic and Antarctic Circles there is at least one day in the year during which the sun does not set and at least one day on which it never rises.
  - (b) At the North Pole there is darkness for half the year.
  - (c) At the summer solstice, the sun shines vertically over the Tropic of Capricorn.
  - (d) The sun shines vertically over the Equator twice in the year.
- 68. What is the correct sequence of the following movement in chronological order?**
- (a) Civil Disobedience Movement.
  - (b) Khilafat movement.
  - (c) Home Rule Movement.
  - (d) Quit India Movement.
- 69. Recently, which country became the first member country to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) to submit its action plan on Intended Nationally Determined Contribution (INDC)?**
- (a) India.
  - (b) Switzerland.
  - (c) Australia.
  - (d) Singapore.
- 70. Lysosomes, which are known as suicide bags, are produced by which organelle?**
- (a) Mitochondria.
  - (b) Golgi body.
  - (c) Ribosome.
  - (d) Peroxisome.
- 71. Which is the single policy rate to unambiguously signal the stance of monetary policy as recently recommended by RBI?**
- (a) PLF
  - (b) Repo.
  - (c) Bank
  - (d) CLR.
- 72. Which city has become India's first fully Wi-Fi-enabled city on 5 February 2015?**
- (a) Mumbai

- (b) Kolkata
  - (c) Chennai
  - (d) Delhi.
- 73. Who among the following is India's first chief Cyber Security?**
- (a) B.J. Srinath
  - (b) Gulshan Rai
  - (c) A.S. Kamble
  - (d) Amardeep s. Chawla.
- 74. Which one of the following are the online grievances monitoring portals launched by union government for Indians living abroad?**
- (a) Madad
  - (b) Sankalp.
  - (c) Mythri.
  - (d) Rakshan.
- 75. Which of the following is a Direct Tax?**
- (a) Excise Duty.
  - (b) Sales tax.
  - (c) Income tax.
  - (d) None of the above.
- 76. Indian Space Research Organization was recently conferred 'space Pioneer Award' by the National space Society (NSS) of which country over the historic feat on successfully sending an orbit to Martian atmosphere in its very first attempt?**
- (a) France.
  - (b) European Union.
  - (c) China.
  - (d) USA.
- 77. Recently in which country did Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurate the first of the eight Coastal Surveillance Radar Systems (CSRS) being set up by India?**
- (a) Mauritius.
  - (b) Maldives.
  - (c) Sri Lanka.
  - (d) Seychelles.
- 78. Greece and Turkey are working to resolve their dispute over sovereignty and related rights in the area of which sea?**
- (a) Black Sea.
  - (b) Sea of Marma.
  - (c) Aegean Sea.
  - (d) Mediterranean Sea.
- 79. Name the Indian industrialist on whose 175<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary, Union government launched the commemorative stamp on 6 January 2015?**
- (a) G.D. Birla.
  - (b) T.V. Sundaram Lyengar.
  - (c) Kasturbhai Lalbhai.

- (d) Jasedji Nusserwanji Tata.
- 80. Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?**
- (a) Kunal bhai & Rohit Bansal- Snapdeal.
  - (b) Sachin Bansal & Binny Bansal- Red Bus.
  - (c) Deepender goyal & Pankaj Chaddah- Zomato.
  - (d) Bhavish Aggarwal & Ankit Bhati- Ola cab.
- 81. Which state is to host the 36<sup>th</sup> National Games in 2016?**
- (a) Karnataka.
  - (b) Goa.
  - (c) Tamil Nadu.
  - (d) Telangana.
- 82. Project varsha, India's new naval base under construction is near which of the following cities?**
- (a) Kochi.
  - (b) Karwar
  - (c) Visakhapatnam
  - (d) Chennai
- 83. Yound Indian shuttler k. srikanth on 15 march 2015 won which of the following major badminton championship?**
- (a) China Grand prix Gold.
  - (b) Australia Grand prix Gold.
  - (c) Swiss Grand prix Gold.
  - (d) Indonesia Grand prix Gold.
- 84. What is the name given to the dedicated TV channel for farmers that was announced in the Union Budget for 2014-15 and Rs. 100 crore was set aside for its establishment?**
- (a) Kisan
  - (b) Farmers show.
  - (c) Kirshi channel.
  - (d) None of the above.
- 85. The "Friends for Life"- an elephant conservation project has been launched by world wide fund for Nature India and...**
- (a) Aditya Birla Group.
  - (b) Muthoot Group.
  - (c) Manapuram Group.
  - (d) Reliance Ltd.
- 86. The national industrial corridor (NIC) that was proposed to be established in the Union Budget of 2014-15 will have its headquarters at which city?**
- (a) Pune.
  - (b) Bhubaneswar
  - (c) Bangalore.
  - (d) Hyderabad.
- 87. President Parnab Mukherjee on 6 January 2015 signed the ordinance to amend Citizenship Act, 1955. Which of the statements in this regard is/are right?**