ACE'S UNILORIN PAST QUESTIONS

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Dedication

Dedicated to every hardworking aspirants trying to surmount the hurdles between them and their respective goals and aspirations.

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Introduction

Over the years the number of candidates seeking admission into the University of Ilorin has been nothing short of mindboggling. Every Emeka, Abdulsalam, Olayinka and Joseph wants to get into the university known for its remarkable academic calendar and quality. Hence the competition is fierce and one has to stand out to be sure of getting that notification indicating one has been admitted into the "better by far" citadel of learning.

The University of Ilorin Post UTME is Computer Based Test and is more or less a form of aptitude test with basic knowledge tested. With English language having the bulk of the questions (about 80%) whereas Basic Arithmetic and General Knowledge (taking about 10% apiece) making up the remaining number of questions (50 questions all together)

This question and answer pack is aimed at getting one familiar with what to expect on that particular day. With the contentious answers of the most recent years explained in the simplest form possible to aid easy recall.

This question pack should in no way be a form of substitute for your personal preparation by reading recommended English text and other necessary material but a form of aid to get you acquainted with what to expect.

For instance, seeing spellings being asked should spur you to look up other possible easily misspelt words and to commit them to memory.

I wish you success in this examination as you go through this aid. God bless you.

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What to expect in the forthcoming Unilorin's post Utme examination ?

The University of Ilorin's post utme examination format over the years has been 50 questions to be attempted under about 25 – 30 minutes. And there is very little chance this particular format would be changed.

The examination is similar for every aspirant irrespective of intended course of study or jamb subject combinations as the University is satisfied with your passing and meeting the Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination and O'level requirement respectively for your course of study.

The questions are grouped into three major categories which are Use of English, Basic Mathematics and General Knowledge (Current affairs).

Generally under Use of English the following are usually (**not exclusively**) tested;

1. Questions under Concord
2. Synonyms
3. Antonyms
4. Phrasal verbs
5. Statement interpretation
6. Stress (Both Emphatic and Word)
7. Oral English
8. Idioms
9. Intonations
10. Sentences

For Mathematics;

1. Probability
2. Series
3. Discount
4. Word problems
5. Percentage
6. Fractions etc.

While for General Knowledge

1. Basic history
2. Current happenings around you
3. Sports
4. Places (Countries, Capital cities, Currencies, Deserts etc.)
5. Notable individuals both nationally and internationally and their portfolios
6. Nigeria political history
7. Unilorin's history
8. Unilorin's principal officers and their portfolios etc.

Prior to now the ratio at which the **50 questions** were picked from the three aforementioned categories were subjected to sheer luck. However it seems in recent years the system has been programmed to set a particular number of questions from each categories. So Candidate A will get same proportion of questions in each categories as Candidate B though their questions may be quite different.

How do I get the best out of this question pack?

The best way to get the most out of this question pack is to see it as **AN AID** and not as a question bank meant to be crammed with the intention of regurgitating the answers on that particular day as there are about thousands of questions in the University archive.

When going over the pack try as much as you can to do your basic research and know **WHY** answer to question 2 is option A and not Option B which looks more like the answer. And the way to go about this is by getting the **BEST** English, Mathematics and current affairs text/material available around and also by consultation of a good dictionary when necessary.

Study the questions in this question pack and any similar questions you can find under the above category because **"the more the merrier"** as you may just find yourself with similar questions on that very day and won't waste time in answering such leaving you with ample time to face other questions.

N/B: The 80 questions (100 questions in 2018) per year in this question pack is more than the 50 you are to expect on the day of your post utme examination.

HOW TO EMERGE A TOP SCORER

Introduction:

Emerging a top scorer in the forthcoming post Utme will do you more good than harm with UNILORIN having the bulk of applicants year in, year out. With recent Jamb statistics indicating close to 2million candidates applying across all tertiary institutions in the country, it is expected to further increase with 100,000+ candidates fighting for 12,000+ few available spaces.

1. Raise the bar

The first step to scoring high is raising the bar of your expected post utme score. In a school like UNILORIN aiming for 50% is as dangerous as dangerous sounds and for some competitive courses like Medicine, Law and Pharmacy aiming for 70% can jeopardize your chances of getting admitted as more often than not such a candidate may fall short in attaining such scores and even if they do, theirs may be dwarfed by individuals scoring 90s and high 80s. The secret of top scorers is to aim for 100% in the PUTME examination (let them call you names and laugh at your target don't be moved) as it is better to aim for the stars (100%) so if you fall short you land on the moon (very high scores). Remember for you to lead an orchestra, you must learn to turn your back to the crowd (detractors, naysayers, destructive-critics)

2. Have a plan

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A goal without a plan is a mere wish. A positive effect of aiming for 100% is that it sets your mind in motion in trying to attain such a score. It makes your reading more circumspect and effective as your aim is, to not, miss a single question on that day.

    a. How many hours do I need to read ?
    b. Which books are essential to attain my goals ?
    c. How many past questions should I treat everyday ? Etc.

Asking your self such important questions will give you an insight of the necessary academic arms and ammunition needed to annihilate this examination.

3. Get the right material

This material is one as it gives you an insight to the pattern of questions as well as the authentic questions of previous years.

Other notable materials that will be of help in this examination is/are (Note: Recommended, not compulsory)

1. Invisible Teacher -- Dele Ashade

2. A - Z use of English -- Dele Ashade

3. The English tablet -- Goodday Obhiose (The Gargantuan)

4. Fundamental formulas of English – Barr. Oscar Iyoha

5. Dictionary (for cross checking the oral aspect)

6. Jamb English past questions with authentic answers.

7. Any basic mathematics textbook should do.

8. Two/three authentic current affairs

Note: Not getting "authentic" past questions or current affairs text will be harmful and unless you are very sensitive to errors and go the extra miles in researching some answers that raises your eyebrow you might be swallowing "toxic" information hook, line and sinker (completely)

4. Have short term goals

- I shall finish my textbook(s) in one week then keep on revising them till the exam day.
- I shall commit, over previously asked 1000+ Jamb use of English antonyms and synonyms (crosschecked answers), to memory.
- I shall face all my weaknesses (e.g orals, basic math, antonyms, current affairs) heads on.
- I shall spend nothing less than X hours studying
- Add yours

5. Be consistent

Discipline and consistency is what differentiates a let-me-just-pass from the Top Scorer. So choose csrefully.

6. Rest

A good sleep will make you alert for the next day's activities and increase optimal output. This is why it is important to start preparation for the post utme as soon as you can.

7. Don't forget the place of God.

This is actually the most important aspect, As Mr X can prepare extremely well and in the end experience ill-health, malfunctioning laptop or computer, a brain block or an extremely strange set of questions on that particular day any of

which will affect the candidate's performance.

My prayer and expectation is that you will succeed beyond expectations and become a good example of hard work and God's grace paying off.

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"No masterpiece was ever created by a lazy artist" -- Anonymous

1.50, 40, 100, 90, 150, ?

a)200

b) 180

c) 140

d) 300

2. A class of 27 students has a 33% pass. How many of them passed?

(a) 9

(b) 10

(c) 12

(d) 21.

3. A graduating class has 420 candidates. If 5% of them are in honours roll and the requirement for being in honours roll is to score the minimum of 75%, how many candidates scored below 75%?

(a) 400

(b) 399

(c) 200

(d) 199.

4. A graduating class has 420 candidates. If 5% of them are in honours roll and the requirement for being in honours roll is to score the minimum of 75%, how many candidates made the honours roll?

(a)321

(b) 40

(c) 30

(d) 21

5. If the class average of a 100 student class is 50% and 25% of the students scored 70%. How many scored below 75%?

(a) 50

(b) 75

(c) 60

(d) 25

6. The take-over progression to the presidency in case of death or step-aside of the president is

(a) vice president, senate president, speaker of the house of representative

(b) vice president, , speaker of the house, senate president

(c) senate president, speaker of the house, vice president

(d) speaker of the house, vice president, senate president.

7. **Synonyms**

I wonder what will be left of his essay when the **extraneous** material is deleted.

a) Superfluous

b) erroneous

c) relevant

d) main

8.**Synonym**

His success may be described as a **pyrrhic** victory

a)costly

b) a deserving victory

c) an easy victory

d) indecisive

9.The constituency of the senator is .... the federal representative.

(a) larger than

(b) smaller than

(c) equal to

(d) twice that of

10. Which of the following statements about language is **incorrect**?

(a) language barrier often created problems

(b) language barrier often led to discrimination

(c) language barrier often bred suspicion

(d) language barrier often created friendship

11.Computer logic is based on two digits namely:

(a) 0,1

(b) 1,10

(c) 1,2

(d) 0,9

12.The numbers 0 and 1 in computer language is referred to as

(a) byte

(b) base

(c) bit

(d) term.

13. INEC stands for

(a) Independent National Electoral Commission

(b) Independent Nigerian Elections Commission

(c) Independent National Electric Commission

(d) Internal National Electoral Commission

14. The solar eclipse occurs when

(a) the sun comes in between the moon and the earth

(b) the earth comes in between the sun and the moon

(c) the moon comes in between the sun and the earth

(d) None of the above

15. The removal of top soil by water or wind is called

(a) Soil wash

(b) Soil erosion

(c) Soil creep

(d) Silting of soil

16. Who invented the telephone?

(a) Thomas Alva Edison

(b) Galileo

(c) Alexander Graham Bell

(d) Thomas Graham Bell

17. Albert Einstein was a famous

(a) Physician

(b) Chemist

(c) Physicist

(d) Biologist

18. If 6 men can dig a well in 3 days, how many men will dig it in 2 days at the same rate?

(a) 9men

(b) 12men

(c) 16men

(d) 15men

19. A trader bought a good for #20 and sold it for #20. What was the gain percent?

(a) 100%

(b) 10%

(c) 1%

(d) 0%

20. Some goods were sold for #11,000 at a profit of 10% of the cost price. What did the goods cost?

(a) #10,000

(b) #11,100

(c) #1,200

(d) #13,200

21. How many 40K can we get in #16,000?

(a) 400

(b) 300

(c) 200

(d) 100

22. Express two Million, two hundred thousand and 50 in figures.

(a) 2200050

(b) 2020050

(c) 2205000

(d) 2020050

23. If 6 men can do a piece of work in 2 days, how long will it 2 men?

(a) 4days

(b) 6days

(c) 5days

(d)12days

24. Internet connectivity is based on

(a) radio communication

(b) computer communication

(c) television communication

(d) video communication.

25. There was lightning and this was followed by thunder. The boy who saw the lightning flash was not afraid of lightning but got scared when the thunder roared. Which of these is dangerous?

(a) lightning

(b) thunder

(c) both

(d) none.

26 A man was travelling from Lagos to Ibadan in a bus and on the opposite side of the road a woman was travelling to Lagos from Ibadan in another bus. Suddenly a car passed the bus the man was travelling in.

How does the man feel with respect to the car ?

(a) bus faster than the car

(b) bus moving backwards

(c) the driver of the car is slowing down

(d) the bus driver was no longer moving at his speed before the car approached them

27. Despite all preparation, the wedding did not ....

a) come along

b) come off

c) come on

d) come up

28. A man owns 2/3 of the market research business and sells 3/4 of his shares for N75,000.	What is the value of business	?

A. N150,000

B. N13,000

C. N240,000

D. N34,000

29. Which of the following numbers should be added to 11158 to make it exactly divisible by   77?

A. 9

B. 8

C. 7

D. 5

B. 10

C. 14

D. 16

30. On selling 3 articles at the cost of 4 articles, there will be profit of

A. 25%

B. 100/3%

C. 75/2%

D. 40%

34. The radius of a right circular cone is 30cm and its height is 4cm, the curved surface of the cone will be

A. 12sq.cm

B. 15sq.cm

C. 18sq.cm

D. 21sq.cm

35. The fractions 7/11; 16/20; 21/22 when arranged in descending order is

A. 7/11; 16/20; 21/22

B. 21/22; 7/11; 16/20

C. 21/22; 16/20; 7/11

D. 7/11; 21/22; 16/20

31. By selling an article for N40, there is a loss of 40%, by selling it for N80, there would be

A. Gain of 20%

B. Loss of 10%

C. Loss of 20%

D. Gain of 10%

36. If 10% of a number is subtracted from it, result is 1800. The number is

A. 1900

B. 2000

C. 2100

D. 2140

32. A number consists of 2 digits whose sum is 8, if 8 is subtracted from the number, the digits interchanges their place. The number is

A. 44

B. 35

C. 62

D. 33

37. The number proceeding 9909 which is a perfect square is

A. 9908

B. 9900

C. 9899

D. 9801

33. The sides of a triangle are in the ratio of 3:5:7 and its perimeter is 30cm. The length of the greatest side of the triangle in cm is

A. 6

38. Find the root value of 36.1/102.4?

A. 61/34

B. 19/31

C. 19/32

D. 19/33

39. A shop keeper sold a T.V. set for N17,940 with a discount of 8% and earned a profit of 19.6%, what would have been the percentage of profit earned if no discount was offered?

A. 24.8%

B. 25%

C. 26.4%

D. None of the above

40. If (2x-y) = 4, then (6x-3y) = ?

A. 15

B. 12

C. 18

D. 10

41. A clock is set at 8am. The clock gains 10min in 24hrs. What will be the true time when the clock indicates 1pm on the following day?

A. 48 minutes past 12

B. 38 minutes past 12

C. 28 minutes past 12

D. 25 minutes past 12

42. A person has 4 coins each of different denomination, what is the number of different sums of money the person can form (using one or more coins at a time)?

A. 16

B. 15
C. 12

D. 11

43. Which number is the odd one out of 9678, 4572, 5261, 3527, 7768?

A. 9678

B. 4572

C. 5261

D. 3527

44. A radio when sold at a certain price gives a gain of 20%, what will be the gain percent if sold for 3ce the price?

A. 280

B. 270

C. 290

D. 260

45.A pencil 20cm long was recorded as 22cm long. What is the percentage error?

A. 22%

B. 20%

C. 10%

D. 5%

46. A student made a 5% error in the measurement of a 50cm long stick. What was the student's measurement?

A. 50cm

B.60cm

C. 52.5cm

D. 55cm

47. Complete the sentence. As soon as he entered the room he _____ off his shirt.

A. Take

B. Takes

C. Took

D. taken

48. Ngozi is the _____ of the three sisters.

A. Taller

B. Tallest

C. Most tall

D. More taller

49. For a paper kite to fly high, it needs …………………………………

A. fire

B. fuel

C. air

D. water

50. Compatriots in the first stanza of the Nigeria National Anthem refers to……….

A. soldiers

B. Nigerians

C. companies

D. foreigners

51.Braille is used by -------------

A. illiterate people

B. blind people

C. short sighted people

D. old people

52.The young of a goat is called _____

A. Son

B. Kid

C. calf

D. Baby

53..The young of a cow is called_____

A. Ewe

B. Kitten

C. Calf

D. Kid

54.The full meaning of GSM is _____

A. Got Sent Messages

B. Global Service Mobile

C. General System manager

D. Global System for Mobile communications

55. Some green are blue, no blue is white.

A. Some green are white

B. No white is green

C. No green is white

D. None of the above

56.I have trouble

A. to remember my password

B. to remembering my password

C. remember my password

D. remembering my password

57. We judge people by what they do rather than what they say. Why?

A. Words are sometimes hard to understand.

B. Words often have more than one meaning.

C. What people do, tells us what they are really like.

D. What people do, is not always the right thing,

58.Why do we breast-feed?

A. Because it is the cheapest way of feeding babies.

B. Because we have plenty of milk.

C. Because it is the easiest food to prepare.

D. Because no other food is so nourishing to babies.

59. Meat is cooked before it is eaten because:

A. It tastes better that way.

B. It smells better when cooked.

C. Housewives like cooking meat.

D. Cooking kills germs.

60. Which tells you best what **plenty** is?

A. A great deal.

B. Enough.

C. More than enough.

D. All that you want.

61.The words *telegraph, telephone, television,* all contains- **"tele"** *what does it mean?*

A. It tells us that these three things are worked by electricity.

B. It tells us that these things are scientific.

C. It tells us that these things enable one to deal with things at a distance.

D. It simply means **"tell** or **say".**

62.If **bread** in code is **csfbe,** then **cbe** means.................

A Bed

B Ear

C Bad

D Red

63. If **scraping** in code is **rbqzohmf,** then **fzor** means....................

A Grin

B gaps

C gasp

D gain

64.If **ynncyjgle** in code is **appealing,** then **nyle** means...............

A Pane

B Pale

C Pang

D Peal

65.If **amlypqcjw** in code is **coarsely,** then **alpq** means...............

A Case

B Coal

C Clay

D Core

66. If **ftgcokpi** in code means **dreaming,** then **ogcp** means.................

A Maid

B Made

C Mean

D Mend

67. If the exchange rate is US$ 1 = N150, how much is US$ 500 in naira?

A. N150,000

B. N500,000

C. N7,500

D. N75,000

68. How much is N3,000 worth in US$ if the exchange rate is US$ 1 = N120?

A. US$ 65

B. US$ 25

C. US$ 45

D. US$ 35

69. Which is the greatest of the following fractions?

A. 7/9

B. ¾

C. 5/8

D. 2/3

70. After spending 2/3 of her money on food, a woman was left with N250. How much money did she have originally?

A. N250

B. N500

C. N750

D. N1,000

71. A man with N5,000 spent 1/5th at the Chemist and ¼ at the Electric shop. How much money did he have left?

A. N2,750

B. N3,750

C. N4,000

D. N1,000

72. A girl spent 1/2 of her money at the market and 1/5th of the remaining amount at the bakery. If she had N1,000 originally, how much has she left?

A. N100

B. N200

C. N300

D. N400

73. If Ayuba bought 5 oranges for N7, how many oranges of the same type can he buy for N49?

A. 15 oranges

B. 35 oranges

C. 25 oranges

D. 30 oranges

74. If a can of malt drink costs N65, how much is a dozen cans of malt drink ?

A. N780

B. N715

C. N650

D. N585

75. Bunmi can hoe a yam plot in 5hrs. and Dele can hoe it in 4hrs:. If the two men hoe, what fraction of the yam plot will be left to hoe after 2hrs?

A. ¼

B. 1/5

C. 1/8

D. 1/10

76. What fraction of the yam plot will they hoe in 1hr?

A. ¼

B. 9/20

C. 1/9

D. 9/10

77. In an election the winner received 3/7 of the total vote: If the total number of votes cast were 700000, what number of votes did the winner receive?

A. 100,000 votes

B. 200,000 votes

C. 300,000 votes

D. 400,000 votes

78. If the total votes cast were 1.4 million, what total votes did the losers receive?

A. 800,000 votes

B. 600,000 votes

C. 1 million votes

D. 1.2 million votes

79. If there were 3 candidates at the election and one of the losers received 5/14 of the votes, what number of votes did the other loser receive?

A. 100,000 votes

B. 150,000 votes

C. 200,000 votes

D. 250,000 votes

80. A factory increased its annual production of radios from 40,000 to 50,000. Calculate the percentage increase in production.

A. 25%

B. 10%

C. 15%

D. 20%

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1C 2A 3B 4D 5B 6A 7A 8A 9A 10D 11A 12C 13A 14C

15B 16C 17C 18A 19D 20A 21A 22A 23B 24B 25A 26B

27B 28A 29C 30B 31A 32D 33C 34B 35C 36B 37D 38C

39D 40B 41A 42B 43D 44D 45C 46C 47C 48B 49C 50B

51B 52B 53C 54D 55A 56D 57C 58D 59D 60A 61C

62C 63B 64C65A 66C 67D 68B 69A 70C 71A 72D 73B

74A 75D 76B 77C 78A 79B 80A

a) Mrs. Olufunmilayo Ransome Kuti

b) Mrs. Bolanle Awe

c) Mrs. Mary Herbert

d) None of the above

2. Who was the first prime minister of Nigeria?

a) Sultan of Sokoto

b) Alh. Tafawa Balogun

c) Alh. Tafawa Balewa

d) Alh. Tafa Balewa

3.The largest bird in the world is ……..

a) Vulture

b) Eagle

c) Ostrich

d) Swan

4. The full meaning of the acronym "GSM" is

a) Global System Mobile

b) General System Mobile Communication

c) Global system of Mobile communication

d) General System Mobile

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"And where I excel is ridiculous, sickening work ethic. You know while the other guy is sleeping ? I'm working" – Will Smith

1)The first female to drive a car in Nigeria is

5. Nigeria as a country is not a member of which of the following:

a)U.N.O

b) ECOWAS

c) AU

d) None of the above

6. Nigeria changed from Pounds to Naira in

a) 1972

b) 1971

c) 1970

d) 1975

7. Whose photograph appears in the N1000 note

a) Clement Isong and Alh Tafawa Alewa

b) Clement Isong and Alh Aliyu Kingibe

c) Clement Isong and Aliyu Maibornu

d) Alh Maikingibe and Clement Effiong

8. The Green and White colours in Nigeria Flag symbolize

a) Agriculture and Finance

b) Peace and Prosperity

c) Agriculture and Transparency

d) Agriculture and peace

9. Who designed the National flag?

a)Mr. Taiwo Akinkunmi

b) Mr. Taiwo Akinyemi

c) Mr. Taiye Akinkumi

d) None of the above

10. University of Ilorin is a …………….generation University

a) 1st

b) 2nd

c) 3rd

d) 4th

11. Which of these is the first Nigerian University?

a) Obafemi Awolowo University

b) University of Ilorin

c) University of Ibadan

d) Ahmadu Bello University

12. What is the meaning of CBT?

a)Computer Basic Technology

b) Computer Basic Test

c) Computer Based Test

d) All of the above

13. Nigeria Federal Capital Territory shifted from Lagos to Abuja in what year?

a) 1991

b) 1989

c) 1990

d) 1992

14. Nigeria celebrated her Silver Jubilee in the year ……………

a) 1985

b) 2003

c) 1995

d) 2008

15. People who carry out experiments to investigate nature are called

a) Scientist

b) Experimentalist

c) Experimentist

d) Scientia

16. Objects thrown up, always come down due to

a) kinetic force

b) potential force

c) gravitational force

d) Gravitational pull

17. Human beings have different types of teeth and hence are referred to as

a) Homodont

b) Homodent

c) Heterodent

d) Isodent

18. ICT Means

a) Information and Communication Technology

b) Information Communication Technology

c) International Communication Technology

d) Internal Community Technology

19. Which of the following is proteinous in nature?

a) groundnut

b) millet

c) beans

d) guinea corn

20. A man having 20 litres of petrol in his car, uses it for 600 km. How many kilometres will the same man travel with 19.25 litres.

a) 577.5km

b) 576.2 km

c) 587.5km

d) 586.2km

21.Which side of the chest is the heart normally located?

a)left

b)right

c)center

d)part

22.. Ikeja is to Lagos as ----------- is to Akwa-Ibom

a)Calabar

b)Mecca

c) Uyo

d) Ibadan

23. Subtract ninety nine from nine hundred and ninety and then, add it to eight hundred and sixty five. What will be the final answer?

(a) 1756

(b) 1855

(c) 1954

(d) 1180

24. If John starts work at 8.845am and finishes at 5.15pm. He has 90 minutes of break. How many hours does he work in 5 days?

a).38

b) 39

c) 35

d) 40

25. A restaurant bill is made up of the following: #12.50 for starters, #28.55 for main courses and #8.95 for deserts, plus a #17.50 service charge. How much is the bill?

a) #56.50

b) #57.50

c) #57.00

d) 59.50

25.. Dapo was knock down by a car with plate number HA539KST. The police on duty picked the car plate number in a reverse order as..............

A. HA 359KST

B. KST 593HA

C. HA 539KTS

D. TSK935AH.

26.A rancher plans to add a post between every two posts of an open-ended (straight) fence. If he currently has 10 posts in the fence, how many does he need to insert?

a) 5

b) 9

c) 10

d) 20

27.Express 398753 correct to three significant figures

a) 398000

b) 398700

c) 398800

d) 399000

28. A boy estimated his transport fare for a journey as ₦ 190 instead of ₦200. Find the percentage error in his estimate

a) 5%

b) 47.5%

c) 5.26%

d) 95%

29. In a bag of oranges, the ratio of good ones to bad ones is 5:4. If the number of bad oranges in the bag is 36, how many oranges are there altogether?

 a) 72

 b) 81

 c) 54

 d) 45

Choose a word which has the same or nearly the same meaning as the first word.

30 Feeble:

a) Strong

b)weak

c)Tired

d)Little

Choose a word which has the same or nearly the same meaning as the first word.

31. Astonish:

a). asunder

b) attack

c) surprise

d) Sensible

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32. miserable:

a) Mischief

b) wretched

c) mistake

d) wicked

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33. stubborn:

a). obstinate

b) sturdy

c) Fearful

d) strong

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34. Permanent:

A. temporary

B. old

C. lasting

D. complete

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35.Boss:

A. Governor

B. Servant

C. Mistress

D. master

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B. cheap

C. nice

D. useless

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A. grace

B. display

C. safety

D. ugly

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A. greatness

B. gratitude

C. meanness

D. goodness

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A. Learn

B. Enjoy

C. Teach

D. Remember

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B. allow

C. forbid

D. destroy

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41. Excitement:

A. Enthusiasm

B. Zeal

C. Fuss

D. Success

SIMILES

Complete the following similes:

42.Her gown is as green as:

A. grace

B. grass

C. flag

D. butter

A. grave

B. grasshopper

C. Catastrophe

D. Catapult

Complete the following similes:

43. Olu is as hungry as a:

A. orphan

B. wolf

C. termites

D. Thug

Complete the following similes:

47.As brittle as:

A. pure water

B. glass

C. bintu

D. wood

Complete the following similes:

44. He is as mischievous as:

A. Satan

B. monkey

C. gazelle

D. tortoise

Complete the following similes:

48. As beautiful as :

A. rainbow

B. brass

C. peacock

D. lamb

Complete the following similes:

45. He is as industrious as :

A. an ant

B. elephant

C. worker

D. messenger

49. Because of his .... nature, Ayo was tricked out of his watch

a. Kind

b. Pliable

c. Uncompromising

d. Uncalculating

50. He says he .... find me a job, but will accommodate me.

a. Could not

b. Was not able to

Complete the following similes:

46. As merciless as a:

c. Is not able to

d. Cannot be able to

51. The idle steward could not see .... on the wall, and he lost his job.

a. The writing

b. What is written

c. What will be written

d. The handwriting

52. Yesterday in the hall, Ola said that .... his watch

a. he had mislaid

b. he had forgot

c. he has misplaced

d. he have lost

53. Government should invest more in .... training

a. Teacher's

b. Teacher

c. Teachers

d. Teachers'

54. The team has benefitted from the coach's .... of experience

a. Minefield

b. Reservoir

c. Wealth

d. World

55. There was .... any traffic as he drove home

a. Hardly

b. Normally

c. Usually

d. No

56. I look forward to .... you next week

a. Seen

b. Seeing

c. Be seeing

d. See

57. The girl cannot speak with a clear voice, she is always ....

a. Blabbing

b. Vociferous

c. Stuttering

d. Gesticulating

58. Making a phone call instead of paying a visit represent a .... trend

A. Sudden new major social

b. New social sudden major

c. New sudden major social

d. Sudden social new major

59. She was the first woman to stand ....election to parliament.

A. to

B. for

C. through

D. by

60. They waited in a state of feverish anxiety ....their mother to come home.

A. till

B. to

C. until

D. for

61 Complete the series English, French, Hindi, Arabic

A. Swahili

B. Language

C. Dialect

D. Africa

62.If you were to add all odd numbers between 1 and 11 (both inclusive), the result would be

A. Even

B. Odd

C. Impossible to say

D. None of the above

63.When Jack, James, Jim and Jane stand by age, Jack being the youngest stands first while James brings up the rear. However, when they stand by height, Jim being the shortest stands first while James comes to the third spot. In both lines Jane remains at the second position. Who is immediately younger than James?

A. Jack

B. James

C. Jim

D. Jane

64.The day after tomorrow is three days before a Monday. What day is it today?

A. Monday

B. Tuesday

C. Wednesday

D. Thursday

65.Which is the next number is the series?
     18, 13, 9, 6, 4,.

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

66. Steam is to water as liquid is to

A. Ice

B. Solid

C. Vapour

D. Snow

67. Sir Richard's constitution was introduced in Nigeria in

A. 1946

B. 1950

C. 1964

D. 1864

68. The Central Bank of Nigeria was established in

A. 1920

B. 1908

C. 1959

D. 1950

69. Headquarters of NYSC is at _____

A. Abuja

B. Aba

C. Kano

D. Lagos

70. The Nigeria Civil War started on ------- -------------

A. 3ʳᵈ October, 1970

B. 6ᵗʰ July 1967

C. 16ᵗʰ July 1967

D. 1ˢᵗ April 1976

71. A can of Cola was labeled as containing 330ml of fluid but was found to contain 341ml. What was the percentage error?

a. 33.0%

b. 34.1%

c. 3.33%

d. 3.41%

72. A surveyor measured a road as being 95km with 5% underestimation. What is the true length of the road?

a. 90km

b. 95km

c. 100km

d. 105km

73. A man's annual salary is N132,000. What is his monthly salary?

a. N11,000

b. N12,000

c. N13,000

d. N22,000

74. A man earns N20,000 a month. What does he earn in a year?

    a. N200,000

    b. N240,000

    c. N220,000

    d. N280,000

75. In April, Mrs. Ngosi bought a bag of corn for N1,200. When she bought more in June, the price had gone up by 20%. How much did she pay in June for a bag of corn?

    a. N1,300

    b. N1,400

    c. N1,440

    d. N1,340

76. A trader made a loss of 10% on a motorcycle he sold for N54,000: How much should he have sold the motorcycle to avoid any loss?

    a. N56,000

    b. N58,000

    c. N60,000

    d. N62,000

77.. How much should he have sold the motorcycle to make a gain of 10%?

    a. N60,000

    b. N62,000

    c. N64,000

    d. N66,000

78. A train moves at a speed of 55km/hr: How long will it take to cover 385km?

    a. 5hrs.

    b. 7hrs.

    c. 9hrs.

    d. 11hrs.

79.. How far will it go in 3hrs?

    a. 165km

    b. 175km

    c. 185km

    d. 195km

80. Who hosted the 2006 world cup

a. Germany

b. Greece

c. France

d. England

SOLUTION TO 2007

1A 2C 3C 4C 5D 6A 7C 8D 9A 10B 11C 12C 13A

14A 15A 16D 17C 18A 19A 20A 21A 22C 23A 24C

25B 26D 27D 28A 29B 30B 31C 32B 33A 34C 35D

36A 37A 38B 39A 40C 41A 42B 43B 44B 45A 46A

47B 48A 49B 50C 51D 52A 53B 54C 55A 56B 57C

58A 59B 60D 61A 62A 63C 64C 65C 66B 67A 68C

69A 70B 71C 72C 73A 74B 75C 76C 77D 78B 79A 80A

D. Goods produced for sale outside the country

3. The sun is the major source of ---------------------- and ----------------------------

A. power and heat

B. light and heat

C. strength and heat

D. light and darkness

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"Striving for success without Hard work is like trying to harvest where you haven't planted" – David Bly

1. Which of these is active in the night?

A. bird

B. squirrel

C. bat

D. lizard

2. Export goods are……………..

A. Goods and services produced in a the country

B. Manufacture outside the country

C. Goods produced for sale in the country

4. A female dog is called a/an ………….

A. kitten

B. bitch

C. ewe

D damp

5. The Armed Forces of Nigeria comprise of ……………………..

A. the Army, Custom, police

B. Navy, Immigration, Air-force

C. The police, Air-force, Navy

D. Army, Air-force, Navy

6. A man who mends shoes is known as ……………………..

A. leather maker

B. shoe shiner

C. cobbler

D. artist

7. At what time of the day is the sun at the zenith?

A 8am

B 10am

C 4pm

D 12 Noon

E 2pm

8. .Supply of electricity in Nigeria is the responsibility of

A National Electric Power Authority

B Power Holding Company of Nigeria

C. National Atomic Power Agency

D National Energy Commission

E National Emergency Management Agency

9..Which of these is not a bird?

A Kite

B Eagle

C Vulture

D Bat

E Pigeon

10..Which of the following is an amphibian?

A Whale

B Toad

C Lizard

D Pigeon

E Tilapia

11.Which of the following is a reptile?

A Whale

B Toad

C Lizard

D Pigeon

E Tilapia

12. President Jonathan's speech------ at 9pm yesterday

A. had being broadcast

B. had been broadcast

C. was broadcasted

D. was broadcast

13. The way to stop frivolous publications is to-----the press

A. bribe

B. gag

C. jail

D. shackle

14. Which of the following is correct?

A Acomodation

B Accomodation

C Accommodation

D Acommodation

E Acomoddation

15. A man is four times as old as his son. The difference between their ages is 36. Find the sum of their ages

A. 45years

B. 48years

C. 60years

D. 74years

16. A student spends ¼ of his pocket money on books and 1/3 on a shirt. What fraction remains?

A. 5/6

B. 7/12

C. 1/6

D. 5/12

17. The ------ in today's issue of The Punch News paper focused on inflation

A. title

B. editorial

C. headline

D. story

18. How many sides in a pentagon?

A 8

B 6

C 7

D 5

E 9

19. If a typist can type at the rate of 50 words/minute, How long will it take to type a 7500 word document?

A 3Hrs

B 4Hrs

C $2^1/2$Hrs

D 1Hr

20..What is your percentage profit margin if you bought an item for ₦600 and sold it for ₦750?

A 600

B 750

C 150

D 25

E 100

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

21. Liberty:

A. Freedom

B. Captivity

C. Stadium

D. Guilty

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

22.Dissent:

A. Dissent

B. Undissent

C. Assent

D.Indissent

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

23. Sharp:

A. Clever

B. Blunt

C. Keen

D. Even

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

24. Conductor:

A. Driver

B. Conductress

C. Passenger

D. Wire

A To be confused

B To be hungry

C To be afraid

D To be discouraged

25. How many Lunar months make one year

A 13

B 11

C 12

D 14

Chose the lettered word or phrase that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the words in capital letters

28. EXEMPLARY

A. Foreign

B. Imitate

C. Additional

D. Outstanding

26. Two-third of a class passed English Language as a subject. The number of students who failed English Language will be?

A $\frac{1}{3}$

B $\frac{1}{2}$

C $\frac{1}{4}$

D $\frac{3}{4}$

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29. ABUNDANT

A. Surplus

B. Few

C. Brilliance

D. Birth

27. "My Heart Jumped into my mouth" What is the meaning of the above statement?

30. A promotional discount of 15% is offered on a new coat which previously cost #18,000. What is the discounted price of the coat?

A. #15,300

B. #14,000

C. #15,500

D. #16,000

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36. Spendthrift :

A. miser

B. loan

C. Foolish

D. happy

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37. Profane :

A. beautiful

B. sacred

C. Profuse

D. Stiff.

38. Which of the following rivers is not found in Nigeria?

A River Kaduna

B Cross River

C River Niger

D River Nile

E River Benue

39. The longest river in Nigeria is river

A. Benue

B Hadejia

C. Niger

D. Osun

40. Nigeria is bounded in the south by

A. Togo

B. Atlantic ocean

C. Pacific ocean

D. Cameroon

41. Which of these is NOT an Island in Africa?

A. Fiji

B. Madagascar

C. Cape Verde

D. Zanzibar

42. In which state is Lake Chad situated?

A. Adamawa

B. Borno

C. Taraba

D. Sokoto

43. The black race is called

A. Caucasian

B. Red Indian

C. Mongolian

D. Negroid

44. The headquarters of United Nations is located at

A. Geneva

B. New York

C. Rome

D. Washington

45. Seun's friend was knock down by a car, he tried to copy the car plate number which reads

HA539KST. Which one of the following is a correct copy of the car plate number?

A. HA 359KST

B. HA 593KST

C. HA 539KTS

D. HA 539KST.

46. Danladi is to transfer some money into the account of his friend which reads **040000111906.** Which one of the following is a correct copy of the account number of his friend?

A. 040000111960.

B. 040000111906.

C. 04000111906.

D. 04000011906.

47. Bible is to a priest as ....to a don

A. Qur'an

B. Books

C. Music

D. Drum

48.._____ is the Head of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

A) President Umaru Musa Yar'Adua

B) David Cameron

C) Queen Elizabeth II

D) Barack Obama.

49..In which geo-political zone of Nigeria is Kwara state located?

A North east

B North west

C North central

D South south

E East

50. 50% of a kilometre is

A 500mm

B 500m

C 500cm

D 500ft

E 500yd

51. Ojo and Aina bought 25 oranges each and gave Audu and Amina 6 and 8 oranges each from both. How many oranges will both of them have left?

A 18 each

B 19 and 17

C 36

D 36 each

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52.Prohibit:

A. advertise

B. allow

C. forbid

D. destroy

53. What type of vegetation are you likely to find at the northernmost parts of Nigeria?

A Guinea savannah

B Sudan savanna

C Mangrove forest

D Rain forest

E Sahel savannah

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C. Mistake

D. Wicked

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56. Stubborn:

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B. sturdy

C. Fearful

D. strong

57 Which of these United Nations Agencies is responsible for the promotion of culture?

A. ILO

B. WHO

C.UNESCO

D. UNICEF

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C. flag

D. butter

67. A grandfather is ones_____

A father's father only

B mother's father

C both mother and fathers father

D. All fathers and mothers above 50years of age.

68..Suleiman is taller than Ajayi while Usman is taller than Suleiman and Tope who is taller than Suleiman . Who is the shortest?

(a) Usman

(b) Suleiman

(c) Ajayi

(d) Tope

69. Some oranges were shared between two children in ratio three to five respectively. If the first child's share was 120, how many oranges were shared between them?

A three hundred and twenty

B. two hundred

C. four hundred and twenty

D. two hundred and twenty

70. Increase six hundred by twenty five percent

A. one hundred and fifty

B. seven hundred and fifty

C. one thousand

D. six thousand

71. Bisi is older than Ore, Dele is older than Bisi. Who is the youngest of all?

A. None

B. Bisi

C. Ore

D. Dele.

72. Abayo, Tope, Femi and Seyi are friends. Only Abayo likes going to the theatre.Only Tope and Seyi like the cinema. Only Femi and Seyi like dancing. Which boy likes neither dancing nor cinema?

A.Tope

B.Seyi

C.Abayo

D.Femi.

73. I do not like grapes or bananas but I have bought some fruits to eat. Do you think it is grapes, bananas, both or neither?

A. Grapes

B. Bananas

C. Both

D. Neither

74. There is a boat with a ladder attached to it and the ladder is eight metres tall if the water rises four metres how much of the ladder will be on top of the water?

A. 12 metres

B. 48 metres

C. 8 metres

D. 10 metres

75.   I thought the time was ten minutes to two ,but I was looking at the clock in a mirror. What time was it really?

A. ten minutes to two

B. ten minutes after two

C. ten to ten

D. Ten to three.

ANALOGIES AND ASSOCIATIONS.

Choose the correct word to complete the analogies.

76. Gloves are to hands as shoes are to:

A. Boxers

B. Hands

C. feet

D. Legs

Choose the correct word to complete the analogies.

77. Up is to down as before is to:

A. later

B. after

C. now

D. next

Choose the correct word to complete the analogies.

78. Sew is to needle as dig is to:

A. garden

B. plant

C. poke

D. spade

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79. School is to pupils, as army is to:

A. teachers

B. chiefs

C. soldiers

D. barracks

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36A 37B 38D 39C 40B 41A 42B 43D 44B 45D 46B

47B 48C 49C 50B 51A 52C 53E 54C 55B 56A 57C

58B 59C60D 61A 62A 63B 64A 65A 66B 67C 68C

69A 70B 71C 72C 73D 74C 75B 76C 77B 78D 79D 80B

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"If you train hard, you will not only be hard, You'll be hard to beat" – Hershel Walker

1.Abuja officially replaced Lagos as capital of Nigeria in --------------

a)1992

b) 1996

c) 1998

d) 1991

2.The highest court in Nigeria is the -------------------

a) Federal High Court

b) Supreme Court

c) Federal Court

d) Sharia Court

3.The rotation of the earth on its axis causes?

a) Autumn and Winter

b) Wet and dry seasons

c) Summer and water

d) Dawn and Twilight

4. The earth is the --------?

a) Closest planet to the sun

b) 2nd closest to the sun

c) 3rd closest to the sun

d) 4th closest to the sun

5. Naira is to Nigeria as ---------is to India

a) Yen

b) Francs

c) Rupee

d) Dupee

6. Collection of different human organs working as a unit is referred to as –

a) Tissue

b) Cell

c) System

d) Skeleton

7. A body of shallow sea water or brackish water separated from the sea by some form of bamer is called -------

a) Nile's Valley

b) Lagoon

c) Greeks

d) Oasis

8. HIV can be transmitted in the of these ways except

a) Homosexual intercourse

b) Heterosexual intercourse

c) Mosquitoes as a Vector

d) Needle pick injury with infected blood

9.Her younger sister likes **conservative** hair style but her cousin prefers--------- hairstyle (opposite in meaning)

a) Modest

b) New

c) Modern

d) Magnanimous

10. Antonyms

She adores eating junks but------eating fruits

a) Loves

b) Supports

c) Dislikes

d) Disliked

11. Antonyms

The **brevity** of the first message contrasts with the---------of the second message

a) Shortness

b) Integrity

c) Verbosity

d) Moral

12. Antonyms

Humility is a virtue while-------can be regarded as a vice

   a) Pride

   b) Proud

   c) Curiosity

   d) Position

13. Antonyms

Femi is very **Presumptuous** whereas his friend is --------

a) Kind

b) Modest

c) Proud

d) Pompous

14. An iron rod feels cooler in the hand than a wooden rod at the same temperature. The reason is that iron--------

a) is a better conductor of heat than wood

b) has a higher density than wood

c) has a higher expansivity than wood

d) is heavier than wood of the same size

15. Which of the following is used for controlling the amount of light entering the eye?

a)Cornea

b) Pupil

c) Iris

d) Ciliary muscles

16.A labourer is paid N5,400:00k per month. What is his total salary in 1 3/4years?

a)N113,40:00

b) N64,800:00

c) N97,200:00

d) N129,600:00

17.Which of the following will sink when placed on water?

a) Ball

b) Plastic Cup

c) Balloon

d) Eraser

18. The following are domestic birds except

a) Duck

b) Pigeon

c) Turkey

d) Vulture

19. A boy buys a biscuit for N4 and sells it at a profit of 20%. Find the actual price and the selling price?

a) i =N1.00k, ii = N5.00k

b) i = 60k,   ii = N4.40k

c) i = 80k,   ii = N4.80k

d) i = 50k,   ii = N4.50k

20. A man buys recharge card for N500. He sells it for N430. What is the percentage loss?

a) 7%

b) 9%

c) 14%

d) 20%

21. Under whose regime were Delta and Adamawa States created?

a) Gen Sani Abacha

b) Gen Yakubu Gowon

c) Gen Murtala Muhammed

d) Gen Ibrahim Babangida

22. The body charged with the responsibility of regulating and protecting consumers against illicit foods and drugs in Nigeria

a) Consumer protection council

b) Standard Organization of Nigeria

c) National Drug Law Enforcement agency

d) National Agency for Food, Drug Administration and Control

23. The senate president during the second republic was.........................

a) Dr. Joseph Wayas

b) Senator Anyim Pius Anyim

c) Senator Iyorchia Ayu

d) Chief Adopous Wabara

24. We eat Carbohydrate food to give us.........................

a) Energy

b) Good sight

c) Good teeth

d) Strong bones

25. President Barrack Obama is the.................. president of the United States of America and first African-American president of U.S.

a) 35th

b) 44th

c) 40th

d) 39th

26. A large area of water surrounded by land is called......................................

a) A dam

b) An Island

c) An Is berg

d) A lake

27. A written piece of paper which indicates that goods bought and services rendered have been paid for is called...............................

a) An Invoice

b) A receipt

c) A wage bill

d) A trade document

28. The device for stepping up or down electricity voltage on transmission line is called......................

a) Electricity meter

b) Transmission station

c) Transformer

d) Step-down panel

29. The major raw material for pottery is............................

a) Metal

b) Ceramics

c) Cement

d) Clay

30. If the total sales for a bag shop in a certain year were #150, 000 What were sales in July, if July sales were half the monthly average?

a) #6,250

b) #8,650

c) #12,500

d) #7,550

31. If 15 cans of food are needed for seven adults for two days, the number of cans needed to   feed four adults for seven days is?

a) 25

b) 15

c) 20

d) 30

32. Which one of the following key techniques is necessary for all the others to be effective?

a) Communication

b) Teamwork

c) Leadership

d) Technical know-how

33. .... you come early to the new house, clean up my flat

a. By chance

b. While

c. Should

d. Should in case

34. Those men duped Dupe and ....

a. Myself

b. I

c. Me

d. We

35. The physicians have more people in .... waiting room than .... have ever had

a. His/he

b. There/they

c. Their/they

d. Them/they

36.It was Friday on Jan 1, 2010. What was the day of the week Jan 1, 2011?

a) Sunday

b) Wednesday

c) Thursday

d) Saturday

37.Choose the odd one among the followings,

a) Cougar

b) Hyena

c) Cheetah

c) Leopard

38.Which among the following does not belong to the group,

a) Brigadier

b) Colonel

c) Navy Captain

d) Group Captain

39. In which part of Africa will you find Tanzania

a) West Africa

b) North Africa

c)Southern Africa

d) East Africa

40.A hexagonal kite has --- sides.

a) 5

b) 6

c) 4

d) 7

41.The followings are true concerning a trapezium except

a)It does not have any line of symmetry

b) All the sides are of different lengths

c) All the angles are of different sizes

d) It has two angles equal but others different.

42.A man bought 100 eggs at N1500.00, 10 eggs were damaged. He sold the rest at N20.00 each. Calculate the percentage profit made.

a) 17

b) 15

c) 20

d) 12

43. In a leap year a baker baked 500,000 loaves of bread, how many loaves did the baker bake in February, if his working days are Mondays to Saturdays?

a) 1592

b) 39800

c)/38208

d) 46168

44. In Nigeria democracy day is marked on

a) June 12

b) May 29

c) June 29

d) May 27

45. The --------------- originated the division of time as base of 60

a) Babylonians

b) Americans

c) Romans

d) Arabs

46. In the computer browser address field, what does the abbreviation www stands for

a) world wide web

b) word wide web

c) web wide world

d) wide web world

47. The earth is the ------ planet from the sun

a) 3rd

b) 4th

c) 2nd

d) 5th

48. The following deceases are transmitted by mosquitoes except

a) Yellow fever

b) Dengue fever

c) West Nile fever

d) Hepatitis fever

49. In a coding system numbers 0 to 9 are coded a to j respectively, what will be the code for the number 4238

a) ebdj

b) fdei

c) ecdi

d) dbch

50. Obtain the missing number in the following sequence: 2, 3, 5, 8, ----, 17, 23, 30

a) 13

b) 12

c) 11

d) 14

51. A retailer sells at a discount of 15% of the marked price, if a customer pays N16,700.00 for an item, what is the marked price of the item?

a) N 19,650.00

b) N 13,750.00

c) N 20,700.00

d) N 22,700.00

52. Given that G is directly proportional to the square of H. If G is 5 when H is 3, Find H when G is 100

a) 150

b) 125

c) 180

d) 225

53. Late Idi Amin Dada was from which of the following countries

a) Kenya

b) Tanzania

c) Uganda

d) Congo Brazzaville

54. River Nile has its source from

a) Lake Chad

b) Lake Victoria

c) Lake Tanganyika

d) Lake Albert

55) Who was the head of state when Nigeria first won the African Cup of Nations,

a) Shehu Shagari

b) Muhammadu Buhari

c) Muritala Muhammed

d) Ibrahim Babangida

56. Which is the odd one out among the followings,

a) African National Congress

b) Social Democratic Party

c) National Republican Convention

d) All Peoples Party

57. The last military head of state in Nigeria was

a) Sanni Abacha

b) Ibrahim Babangida

c) Abubakar Abdulsalam

d) Muritala Muhammed

58. GSM telephony was introduced into Nigeria communication system during the regime of

a) Ibrahim Babangida

b) Olusegun Obasanjo

c) Umaru Yar'adua

d) Goodluck Jonathan

59. The following Nigerian footballers have won the African Footballer Award except

a) Victor Ikpeba

b) Nwankwo Kanu

c) Rasheed Yekini

d) Austin Okocha

60. Kofi Annan is well known for his role as

a) President of Ghana

b) Secretary General of United Nations

c) Secretary General of the African Union

d) President of the United Nations

61. Complete the followings; Ooni and Osun, Sultan and Sokoto, Obi and Anambra, El Kanemi and --------

a) Kaduna

b)Borno

c) Katsina

d) Yobe

62.In which part of Nigeria will you find relics of groundnut pyramids

a) Kano

b) Jos

c) Sokoto

d) Maiduguri

63.Nnamdi Azikwe International Airport is found in

a)Enugu

b) Port Harcourt

c) Abuja

d) Calabar

64..The time zone operative in Nigeria is

a) GMT

b)+1 GMT

c) – 1 GMT

d) +2 GMT

65. The rotation of the earth on its axis is used in the measurement of

a) Time

b) Weather

c) Temperature

d)/Pressure

66.The Nigerian currency in use before the change to the Naira was the

a)Pound

b) Dollar

c) Riyal

d) CFA

67.An oncologist is a medical practitioner specialized in the treatment of

a)Tumours

b) Fibroids

c) Obesities

d) Ulcers

68.Car is to road as train is to

a) Wheels

b). Rails

c) Surface

d) Locomotive

69.Which is the odd one out?

a) Hockey

b) Exercise

c) Tennis

d) Football

70. A forest is to a tree as a tree is to a

a) Leaf

b) Orchard

c) Jungle

d) Plant

71. The non-resident head of a University is ------------------------

A. Vice-chancellor

B. Chancellor

C. Provost

D. Registrar

72. An area of land almost surrounded by water is known as ----------------------

a) Lake

b) Lagoon

c) Island

d) Peninsula

73. Solve 1/4 of 20/7

a) 3/7

b) 7/5

c) 5/7

d) 2/7

74. The cost of 2 biros and 3 pencils is ₦18, if a pencil cost ₦2.50k, how much is a biro?

a) ₦4.25k

b) ₦3.20k

c) ₦4.00

d) ₦5.25K

75. Solve 21% of 70

a) 29.4

b) 14.7

c) 13.9

d) 7.4

76. Wale and Joke have ratio 6:4 in 80 units of Transcorp's shares. How many units of these shares belong to Wale?

a) 48

b) 40

c) 32

d) 24

77. The sum of and 2/3 and 1/3 is what?

a) 1/3

b) 2/3

c) 1

d) 3

78. A trader had 19 lanterns in her store, sold 13 and bought 6 more. How many lanterns does she left in her store?

a) 6

b) 9

c) 12

d) 4

79. Add all the even numbers from 15 to 20

a) 55

b) 34

c) 54

d) 64

80. Which of the following fractions is the highest?

a) 3/4

b) 7/9

c) 2/3

d) 12/15

SOLUTION TO 2009

1B 2B 3D 4C 5C 6C 7B 8C 9C 10C 11C

12A 13B 14A 15C 16A 17D 18D 19C

20C 21D 22D 23A 24A 25B 26D 27B

28C 29D 30A 31D 32A 33C 34C 35C

36D 37B 38A 39D 40B 41D 42C 43C

44B 45A 46A 47A 48D 49C 50B 51A

52C 53C 54B 55A 56A 57C 58B 59D

60B 61B 62A 63C 64B 65A 66A 67A 68B

69B 70A 71B 72D 73C 74D 75B 76A

77C 78C 79C 80D

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"Opportunities are usually disguise as Hard work, So most people don't recognise them" – Ann Landers

1. Peter's .... a cold upsets our plan

a) catches

b) will catch

c) to catch

d) to have caught

e) catching

2. Although he was invited ...... he was not welcome

a) but

b) yet

c) so

d) since

e) because

3. When John reported the incident, the teacher remarked that he .... a responsible boy

a) was

b) is

c) will be

d) should have been

e) is going to be

4. They tried to cash in .... the people's ignorance

a) under

b) against

c) about

d) with

e) on

5. A pioneer, he .... the institution from his own resources

a) found and funded

b) founded and funded

c) was finding and funding

d) had fund and funded

e) was founding and funding

e) welcomes

6. He passed so well .... he was awarded a scholarship

a) since

b) because

c) that

d) while

e) thus

7. Government should prevent smugglers ...... their contraband.

a) to sell

b) to be selling

c) from selling

d) having sold

e) selling

8. As .... of you as can come are welcome

a) each

b) any

c) many

d) more

e) most

9. He bade them .... to his house

a) welcomed

b) welcome

c) to be welcome

d) to have been welcome

10. If .... one day, we would talk about it for weeks

a) a lion will be coming into this room

b) a lion was to come into this room

c) a lion came into this room

d) a lion is coming into this room

e) a lion is going to come into this room

11. Excuse me, do you mind .... I smoke ?

a) if

b) since

c) while

d) against

12. The house will look all the better .... this new coat of paint

a) for

b) under

c) against

d) upon

e) over

13. Without .... words he accused him directly of treachery

a) amending

b) modifying

c) mixing

d) mincing

e) meaning

14. He is easily the ...... of the lot

a) brightest

b) brighter

c) more bright

d) most brightest

e) most bright

15. I am not attending .... is my wife

a) whereas

b) neither

c).either

d) but

e) since

16. Some people think that .... are potentially a nuisance

a) Parent-in-law

b) Parents-in-law

c) Parents-in-laws

d) Parents-ins-laws

e) Parent-in-laws

17. Shakespearean ..... are generally the victims of circumstances

a) heros

b) heres

c) heroses

d) hero

e) heroes

18. .... a good film, wasn't it ?

a) It is

b) Was it

c) There is

d) It was

e) There was

19. We left .... . USA and crossed .... Atlantic Ocean to. ..... Europe

a) the/the/......

b) ...../..../....

c) ...../..../the

d) the/...../a

e) ....../an/......

20. There was ..... much noise at night that we couldn't sleep

a) such a

b) such

c) that

d) very

e) so

21. Have you paid your taxes up to date ? The tax collector inquired if ....

a) You have paid your taxes up to date

b) I had paid my taxes up to date

c) I paid my taxes up to date

d) have I paid my taxes up to date

e) I have paid my taxes up to date

22. Do you want me to buy her anything ? She asked Asman. She asked Asman If ......

a) she wants her to buy her anything

b) you want to buy anything

c) she wanted to buy anything

d) I wanted her to buy anything

e) she wanted her to buy anything

23. He devoted himself .... homeless children

a) to helping

b) to help

c) by helping

d) with helping

e) helping

24. Although the problem was simple .... students were able to solve it

a) little

b) Small

c) few

d) a few

e) a lot of

25. We walked quietly .... wake the baby

a) so that not

b) in order to

c) so as to

d) so as not to

e) so not to

26. These six employees ..... absent from work since New Year's Day

a) are

b) have been

c) were

d) had been

e) are being

27. I wish I ...... to swim when I was younger

a) had learnt

b) learn

c) learnt

d) was learning

e) have learnt

28. By the end of June, I .... six examinations this year

a) shall take

b) have taken

c) shall have taken

d) am taking

e) took

29. We used to go to that club on Saturday night, ... ?

a) Isn't it

b) didn't we

c) don't we

d) aren't we

e) used we not

30. (**Antonyms**)

Oche entered the principal's office in a rather **abrasive** manner

a) gentle

b) rude

c) lackadaisical

d) Indifferent

31. (**Antonyms**)

Otokpa is a member of the **ad hoc** committee on stock acquisition

a) improvised

b) formal

c) temporary

d) fact-finding

32. (**Antonyms**)

His gift to the poor was always **infinitesimal**

a) large

b) small

c) supportive

d) shameful

33. (**Antonyms**)

The economist concluded that several factors have been **adduced** to explain the fall in the   birth rate

a) affirmed

b) diffused

c) mentioned

d) refused

34. (**Antonyms**)

The presidential system is **an antidote** to some political ailments

a) an answer

b) a reply

c) an inquiring

d) an obstacle

35. (**Antonyms**)

Ola thought that her father was very **callous**

a) parlous

b) compassionate

c) wicked

d) cheerful

36. (**Antonyms**)

He was very much respected, though he hand no **temporal** power

a) spiritual

b) Mundane

c) permanent

d) ephemeral

37. (**Antonyms**)

The way the workshop was organized was rather **hit-and-miss**

a) systematic

b) hasty

c) slow

d) funny

38. (**Antonyms**)

Chibuzor gave a **curt** nod and walked away

a) rude

b) polite

c) shocking

d) gentle

39. (**Antonyms**)

The girl took a **cursory** glance at the letter and hid it

a) concise

b) brief

c) lasting

d) sententious

40. (**Synonyms**)

The **cynics** feared that the nation's nascent democracy would fail

a) Pessimists

b) delinquents

c) critics

d) illusionists

41. (**Synonyms**)

The **essence** of governance is to seek the good and well-being of the majority of the people

a) importance

b) goal

c) characteristics

d) secret

42. (**Synonyms**)

From what she said, one may **infer** that he does not like the course

a) suppose

b) realize

c) deduce

d) agree

43. (**Synonyms**)

He shared his room with a person whose behaviour was quite **nauseating**

a) disrespectful

b) disgraceful

c) discouraging

d) disgusting

44. (**Synonyms**)

The carpenter built a **commodious** wardrobe

a) gigantic

b) small

c) spacious

d) wide

45. (**Synonyms**)

Publishing as a business venture has become **a hot potato** in Nigeria

a) unpleasant

b) profitable

c) unacceptable

d) expensive

46. (**Synonyms**)

The man's story sounded **plausible** to his audience

a) fantastic

b) credulous

c) credible

d) entertaining

47. (**Synonyms**)

The presence of the captain makes the sailors **ill at ease**

a) impatient

b) easily ill

c) uncomfortable

d) sickly

48. (**Synonyms**)

Ibro shows enough **liberality** with his meagre income

a) insensitivity

b) prodigality

c) frugality

d) generosity

49. (**Synonyms**)

It is a misnomer to call three thousand naira a living wage

a) a wrong description

b) an incontrovertible assertion

c) an appropriate term

d) a mishmash

50. A Place Where Two Rivers Meet Is Called

a) Confluence

b) Junction

c) Joint

d) Delta

51. The Primary Source Of Energy Is Called

a) Sun

a) Water

c) Food

d) Heat

52. The First Colour Of The Rainbow Is Called

a) Green

b) Violet

c) Indigo

d) Red

53. Which Of The Following Is Not A Mammal

a) Whale

b) Dog

c) Cat

d) Shark

54. Avian Flu Is A Disease In Which Of The Following

a)Mammals

a) Birds

c) Pisces

d) Amphibians

55. Which Of The Following Is Not An Excretory Product?

a) Sweat

b) Urea

c) Urine

d) Dust

56. What Is The Angle In Degrees On A Straight Line

a) 90

b) 60

c) 180

d) 30

57. Convert 0.005 kilograms To Grams

a) 5000

b) 500

c) 50

d) 5

58. What Is The Value Of **DCXL**

(A) 640

(B) 504

(C) 540

(D) 600

59. A number of people listening to a concert

a) congregation

b) spectators

c) audience

d) crowd

60. A number of singers in a church

a) troupe

b) choir

c) entertainers

d) artists

61. A number of sailors manning a ship

a) crew

b) gang

c) staff

d) host

62. A number of directors of a company

a) panel

b) jury

c) bench

d) board

63. A number of persons of the same race and character

a) gang

b) tribe

c) associates

d) fellow

64. A place where milk is converted into butter and cheese

a) dairy

b) bakery

c) distillery

d) refinery

65. A place for housing aeroplanes

a) tarmac

b) garage

c) hangar

d) airport

66. A place where government records are kept

a) library

b) archive

c) government house

 d) museum

67. A place for storing grain

a) depot

b) store

c) bans

d) granary

68. The 2010 world cup was hosted by

a) Brazil

b) South Africa

c) Germany

d) Argentina

69. The 2008 Olympic was held in which of these cities

a) Berlin

b) Greece

c) Beijing

d) London

70. The 1998 world cup was hosted and won by

a) Brazil

b) France

c) England

d) USA

71. Arrange the following in ascending order 1/8, 3/7, 5/9 and 1/3

a) 1/8, 3/7, 5/9 and 1/3

b) 3/7, 1/8, 5/9 and 1/3

c) 1/8, 3/7, 5/9 and 1/34

d) 1/8, 1/3, 3/7 and 5/9

72. Arrange the following in descending order 2/3, 4/7, 5/9 and 1/4

a) 2/3, 4/7, 5/9 and 1/4

b) 1/4, 5/9, 4/7 and 2/3

c) 1/4, 4/7, 5/9 and 2/3

d) 1/4, 2/3, 4/7 and 5/9

73. What is Roman numeral of 50?

a) L

b) X

c) C

d) D

74. What is Roman numeral of 19?

a) XX

b) IX

c) XIX

d) D

75. What is Roman numeral of 60?

a) XL

b) LX

c) CX

d) XD

76. What is Roman numeral of 1000?

a) D

b) L

c) C

d) M

77. What is Arabic figure of Roman figure IC?

a) 49

b) 99

c) 101

d) 89

78. What is Arabic figure of Roman figure ID?

a) 499

b) 299

c) 401

d) 489

79. What is Arabic figure of Roman figure VC?

a) 99

b) 95

c) 105

d) 500

80. Subtract 6289 from 4389

a) 1900

b) 1800

c) -1900

d) -1800

SOLUTIONS TO POST UTME 2010

" A winner is a dreamer who never gives up" – Nelson Mandela

1E 2B 3A 4E 5B 6C

7C 8C 9B 10 C 11A

12D 13D 14A 15B 16B

17E 18D 19A 20E 21B

22E 23A 24C 25D 26B

27A 28C 29B 30A 31B

32A 33D 34D 35B 36A

37A 38B 39A 40A 41A

42C 43D 44C 45A 46C

47C 48D 49A 50A 51A

52D 53D 54B 55D 56C

57D 58A 59C 60B 61A

62D 63B 64A 65C 66B

67D 68B 69C 70B 71D

72A 73A 74C 75B 76D

77B 78A 79B 80C

1.The judge restrained the landlord from .... the tenant

a) sacking

b) ejecting

c) dismissing

d) disqualifying

2. The university awarded .... doctoral degrees to four distinguished members of the community

a) honourable

b) expensive

c) ceremonious

d) ceremonial

e) honorary

3. The students threatened to embark on a .... of lectures if their demands were not met

a) condonation

b) suspension

c) rejection

d) strike

e) boycott

4. The kidnappers demanded a .... of N50,0000 before they would release the rich businessman

a) levy

b) ransom

c) penalty

d) freedom

e) condition

5. The government scolded the contractors for the poor .... of the project

a) prosecution

b) investigation

c) execution

d) installation

e) establishment

6. The new car is strikingly attractive but I very much doubt its ......

a) durability

b) style

c) harmony

d) longetivity

e) complexity

7. Since there were no further comments the chairman called for the .... of the minutes of the last meeting

a) objection

b) resolution

c) admission

d) adoption

e) kidnap

8. There was a ten-minute .... during the stage performance of the play

a) interim

b) interview

c) interlude

d) interplay

e) intercession

9. The judge warned that he would not tolerate any interruption of the .... of the court.

a) proceeds

b) deliberations

c) debates

d) proceedings

e) processions

10. The satellite maintains a constant .... round the earth

a) path

b) orbit

c) circle

d) route

e) chart

11. I want to know your religious ....

a) believe

b) believing

c) beliefs

d) believes

12. He runs ....

a) rather much fast

b) quite rather fast

c) rather too fast

d) too rather fast

13. The previous assignment was .... for me

a) much too difficult

b) too much difficult

c) difficult too much

d) much difficult too

14. The TV set, ... was damaged last week, had been taking to the electronics engineer

a) which

b) who

c) of whom

d) of which

15. My .... house is by the side of the road

a) father-in-law's

b) father's-in-law

c) fathers'-in-law

d) father-in-law

16. The students were advised to look .... difficult words in the dictionary

a) in

b) on

c) out

d) up

17. He was charged with complicity .... the abortive coup

a) in

b) for

c) about

d) on

18. He was convicted .... Stealing some bags of cocoa

a) with

b) in

c) of

d) for

19. Mary said she was acting ...... the instructions of the principal

a) by

b) on

c) for

d) through

20. .... normal circumstances, it is rare to get all registered voters to vote.

a) on

b) by

c) in

d) under

21. Salary cuts could be the .... of the worker's protest

a) course

b) curse

c) cause

d) coarse

22. Neither John nor Mary felt happy .... the incident

a) for

b) in

c) about

d) by

23. Any parent would be pleased .... Such impressive performance

a) at

b) from

c) with

d) for

24. Stella wanted to show ...... with her necklace

a) off

b) on

c) over

d) back

25. The woman ...... daughter he married, is his mother-in-law

a) whose

b) which

c) her

d) whom

26. He acts as if he ...... a general manager

a) is been

b) were

c) has been

d) is being

27. The national essay competition came .... on the 23rd of July 1986

a) out

b) in

c) by

d) up

28. Mrs Nwokolo had ...... her breakfast before her friend came in

a) has

b) have

c) had

d) been had

29. If the two boys ...... been bitten by the snake, they should be taken to the hospital

a) has

b) had

c) have

d) is

30. The man .... missed death during the collision

a) extensively

b) always

c) narrowly

d) amply

31. I started writing at 9am. It is now 10. By 11am, I ..... writing for 2 hours

a) will be

b) am

c) will have been

d) have been

32. My .... to you, students, is to be good

a) advice

b) advise

c) adverse

d) advances

33. The car couldn't keep pace .... the motor cycle especially in congested areas

a) along

b) with

c) down

d) on

34. I want everybody to learn the last ten lines of the poem ...... heart

a) with

b) in

c) for

d) by

35. They went .... talking after midnight despite the fact that they all had to get up early

a) by

b) for

c) on

d) with

36. They are always scared to visit Mr Ade because he is ....

a) an army

b) a soldier

c) an army man

d) a military

37. I want that spoon washed, I can still see ..... on it

a) oilness

b) grease

c) some oil

d) greasiness

38. Everybody has to do .... homework

a) his

b) them

c) theirs

d) there

39. Having worked all day, it is about time we .... back home

a) go

b) goes

c) went

d) gone

b) can't you

c) won't you

d) shan't you

40. At eighteen, Bose is too ..... to take good care of her sisters

a) enough

b) too old

c) older enough

d) old enough

45. The man is refurbishing the flat with a view to .... it

a) sell

b) selling

c) have sold

d) be selling

41. We won't leave until it ..... raining

a) will stop.

b) stopped

c) stops

d) has stopped

46. The Secretary General was shocked at the number of ....

a) child's soldiers

b) childish soldier

c) children soldiers

d) child soldiers

42. The .... event marked the beginning of a new life for the entire cabinet

a) historical

b) historicity of the

c) historic

d) history of the

47. In spite of Shade's good looms, her hair is always ....

a) unkept

b) unkempt

c) unwashed

d) uncared for

43. The train ...... before I arrived

a) was leaving

b) has left

c) had left

d) would leave

48. By the end of the football match today, we .... the best player

a) could have known

b) might have

c) will have known

d) would have known

44. You can travel on your own, ... ?

a) Isn't it

49. It is African for a younger person to show .... to elders

a) understanding

b) indifference

c) deference

d) satisfaction

50. A nursery rhyme is used to teach pupils how to spell the word

a) hipoppotamus

b) hippopotamus

c) hipopotamus

d) hippoppotamus

51. The title of the traditional ruler of Benin is called................................

a) Obi

b) Obong

c) Oba

d) Igwe

52. Which of these is not a method of preventing iron from rusting?

a) Lubrication

b) Galvanization

c) Melting

d) Painting

53.Which of the following is not a rainbow colour?

a) Indigo

b) Purple

c) Orange

d) Green

54. A person who flies an aircraft is called..........................

a) A captain

b) A craftologist

c) A pilot

d) An aeronautics engineer

55.Kwame Nkrumah Museum is located in..................................

a) Tanzania

b) Kenya

c) Mauritania

d) Ghana

56.An example of confluence town in Nigeria is...................................

a) Onitsha

b) Obudu

c) Lokoja

d) PortHarcout

57.A trained person that specializes in the treatment of diseases and disorders of the teeth is called................

a) Cardiologist

b) Dermatologist

c) Physician

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d) Dentist

58. A bricklayer is Paid N1000:00k for 5days work. What is his pay for 22days work?

a) N22,000:00k

b) N50,000:00k

c) N4,400:00k

d) N5,000:00k

59. In parliamentary system of government, members of the parliament are required to report the proceedings of the house to their...............................

a) Local government chairman and governors

b) Constituencies

c) Political parties and party stalwarts

d) Traditional rulers

60. One essential duty of a citizen to his/her state is to...........................

a) Vote and support the government in power

b) Recite the national anthem and the pledge

c) Pay his tax.

d) Encourage other citizens to be loyal

61. Today is Monday. After 63 days, it will be:

a) Wednesday

b) Monday

c) Tuesday

d) Saturday

62. At 10% discount, an item valued at N45000 now cost

a) 4050

b) 40500

c) 40505

d) 40550

63. In which country is Mississippi river

a) USA

b) Argentina

c) Brazil

d) Canada.

64. On a road map, a line segment of 4 inches long represents a distance of 12 miles. How many miles long is 4.5 inches.

a) 12.5

b) 13.5

c) 14.5

d) 15.5

65. The breadth and length of a rectangle are L and 2L respectively. What is the perimeter of the rectangle?

a) L

b) 3L

c) 5L

d) 6L

66. The place where water is found in the desert is called

a) lake

b) dam

c) diff

d) oasis

67. Which of the following has the highest population in the world

a) India

b) Russia

c) China

d) USA

68. The scientific way of referring to the activity of the ear is

a) audio visual

b) audio

c) visual

d) chemoreceptor

69. The upper legislative arm of government in Nigeria is headed by

a) speaker

b) president

c) leader

d) secretary

70. The degree of hotness and coldness of a place is called

(a) rainfall

(b) humidity

(c) temperature

(d) weather

71. How many seconds do have in a day?

a) 3600sec

b) 86.4×10^2 sec

c) 86.4×10^3 sec

d) 864sec

72. How many seconds make one week?

a) 86.4×10^4 secs

b) 604.8×10^3 secs

c) 60.4810^3 secs

d) 6864secs

73. How many hours and minutes are there from 7.45am to 3.30p.m.?

a) 6hrs. 45mins.

b) 8hrs 30mins

c) 7hrs 45mins

d) 7hrs 30mins

Complete the following simile:

74. As merciless as a:

A. grave

B. grasshopper

C. Catastrophe

D. Catapult

(b)   30

(c)   35

(d)   31

75. 1, 3, 5 ,7 , 9, ?

(a)   8

(b)   11

(c)   12

(d)   13

79. 4, 5, 7, 11, 19, ?

(a)   33

(b)   27

(c)   37

(d)   35

76.. 2, 2, 4, 6, 10 ,?

(a)   14

(b)   10

(c)   20

(d)   16

80. 2, 5, 11, 23, 47, ?

(a)   80

(b)   95

(c)   92

(d)   101

77. 0.1, 0.3, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, ?

(a)   1.1

(b)   0.11

(c)   11

(d)   0.011

78. 0, 3, 8, 15, 24, ?

(a)   36

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32A   33B   34D   35C   36B   37C   38A   39C   40D   41C

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62B 63A 64B 65D 66D 67C 68B 69B 70C 71C

72B 73C 74A 75B 76D 77A 78C 79D 80B

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"All dreams can come true if you have the courage to pursue them" – Walt Disney

1.Awolowo is dead. .... ?

(a)Is he

(b)was he

(c)Isn't he

(d)wasn't he

2.Neither Agbo nor his parents .... the meetings now

(a)Attended

(b) attends

(c)has attended

(d) attend

3.The result of his experiment represents **a break through** in medical science

(a)An outstanding success

(b)catastrophe

(c)an end to such experiments

(d)a breaking point

(e)a colossal failure

4. Which of these is correctly spelt

(a) lenght

(b) lentgh

(c) length

(d) lenghtt

(e) lengtt

5. Must you say "good morning" to everyone in the street ? No ....

a. I needn't

b. I mustn't

c. I can't

d. I do not need

e. I will have to

6. Kumasi is in which of these countries

(a) Morocco

(b) Senegal

(c) Rwanda

(d) Niger

(e) Ghana

7. Who scored Nigeria's goals in 2010 world cup in South Africa

(a)Obafemi Martins

(b) Nwankwo Kanu

(c) John Obi Mikel

(d) Kalu Uche

(e) Ikechuckwu Uche

8. When the beggar was tired, he .... down by the road side.

a. Lied

b. Laid

c. Layed

d. Lay

e. Lain

9. He did not like .... leaving the class early

a. We

b. Us

c. Our

d. Ourselves

e. Our selves

10. Nearest in meaning

His jail terms were to run **concurrently**

a. Simultaneously

b. uniformly

c. Laboriously

d. Consecutively

e. Judiciously

11. Only the **small fry** get punished for such social misdemeanours

a. Small boys

b. Unimportant people

c. Frightened people

d. Frivolous people

e. Inexperienced people

12. The traffic situation in Lagos can lead to disastrous consequences; a man lost a very lucrative job because he was **held up** by it

a. Confused

b. Delayed

c. Annoyed

d. Intrigued

e. Obstructed

13. The state government appointed a commission of inquiring **to go into** the community's complaints

a. Investigate

b. Search

c. Look for

d. Account for

e. Ascertain

14. Granted you are my senior by one year, you cannot .... me around as if I were your servant

a. Control

b. Dribble

c. Order

d. Ask

e. Compel

15. Opposite in Meaning

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The government is making **determined** efforts to eradicate illiteracy

a. Compulsory

b. Unreliable

c. Innocent

d. Ineffective

16. **Opposite in meaning**

Sola's car is badly damaged; he has to look for an **expert** mechanic to fix it

a. Uneducated

b. Amateurish

c. Awkward

d. Scientific

17. Opposite in meaning

The judge blamed the **plaintiff** for misleading the court

a. Complainant

b. Accused

c. Defendant

d. Prosecution

18. I look forward to .... you next week

a. seen

b. seeing

c. be seeing

d. see

19. .... told of his impending arrival 1 worked hard to make his short stay very comfortable

a. Have being

b. Having been

c. Have been

d. Having being

20. The villagers .... to grow rice

a. Used

b. Are used

c. Were used

d. Use

21. I have already .... The picture on the sitting room wall

a. hanged

b. hunged

c. hang

d. hung

22. Adika ...... a message from the club regularly

a. Receives

b. Had received

c. Receive

d. Has received

23. The board has been having .... series of meetings lately.

a. Some

b. a

c. a lot of

d. Many

24. .... Lawyers enrolled at the Nigerian Bar last year .... this year

a. As much/As

b. Very many/than

c. More/ than

d. As many/ than

25. I'm sorry I can't give you any of the oranges. I have .... Left

a. Few

b. Little

c. only a little

d. A few

26. I can't offer you another loan, I have .... Money left in my account.

a. A few

b. a little

c. Little

d. few

27. Do you think all .... Not enough to help with the investigations ?

a. These informations are

b. This informations is

c. This information is

d. These informations are

28. The police came early enough to ..... bomb planted by the rioters

a. Diffuse

b. Insulate

c. Detonate

d. Defuse

29. The visitor was very uncomfortable because of his .... nose

a. Runny

b. Running

c. Watery

d. Flowing

30. I have the .... of meeting him

a. Previlege

b. Privilege

c. Priviledge

d. Previledge

31. All God's prophets were given the great ....

a. Commision

b. Commition

c. Comission

d. Commission

32. The attitude of my students to .... Baffles me

a. Pronunciation

b. Pronounciation

c. Pronouceation

d. pronounceation

33. Each of the houses .... a new look

a. Have got

b. Have

c. Has

d. Were given

34. Four weeks ...... enough for the police to conclude their investigation

a. Were

b. Is

c. Are

d. Has been

35. The quality of your questions which .... always attracted attention .... never been in doubt

a. Have / has

b. Have / have

c. Has / has

d. Has / have

36. The police claim that a number of stolen cars .... Recoverem

a. Have been

b. Has been

c. Has being

d. Have being

37. One of the girls who .... Impregnated .... died

a. Was / have

b. Were / have

c. Was / has

d. Were / has

38. My **MOTHER** served rice and fresh fish stew for dinner

a. What kind of meal did your mother serve for dinner ?

b. Did your mother serve rice and fresh stew for lunch ?

c. What kind of stew did your mother serve for dinner ?

d. Who serve a rice and fish stew for dinner ?

39. Although he is in all respects a poor student, he has managed to buy a tape recorder to improve his .... of French

a. mastering

b. Ideas

c. speaking

d. Thinking

e mastery

40. Invariably he ends all his letters "....... amicably"

a. You

b. Your's

c. Yours'

d. Yours

e. Your own

41. We should take care .... the robbers come back

a. May be

b. Should in case

c. Perhaps

d. Probably

e. In case

42. The man no longer feared his opponent after their spokesman had assured him that they were well disposed .... him

a. To

b. Around

c. About

d. Towards

e. For

43. Our plane was scheduled to .... at 10:00 hrs but it was delayed because of bad weather

a. Fly out

b. Take off

c. Start out

d. Shoot off

e. Lift off

44. The frightening explosion in the factory .... whole wing

a. Washed out

b. rooted out

c. Wiped out

d. Flushed out

e. Cleared out

45. 2008 Olympic games was held in

(a)Ghana

(b)Greece

(c)Nigeria

(d)France

(e)China

46. A man buys recharge card for N500. He sells it for N430. What is the percentage loss?

(a)7%

(b)9%

(c)14%

(d)20%

47. President Barrack Obama is the................. president of the United States of America and first African-American president of U.S.

(a) 35th

(b) 44th

(c) 40th

(d) 39th

b. Chemical

c. Chairman

d. Champagne

48. A place where two rivers meet is called a ....

(a) Joint

(b) Junction

(c) Confluence

(d) Delta

52. Three quarters of the people in the village ...... killed, but only half of their huts ...... affected

a. were/was

b. Were/were

c. Was/were

d. Was/was

49. The Managing Director did not pay his staff last month ..... ?

a. Didn't he

b. Had he not

c. Is not it

d. Did he

e. Has he

53. The sergeant spoke to me in a .... manner

a. Coerce

b. Coarse

c. Course

d. Casual

50. If you would do me this favour, I ...... be very grateful

a. Will

b. Shall

c. Would

d. Should

54. I shall find time for my ...... when I get .... with this difficult assignment

a. Past-time/over

b. Pass-time/over

c. Pastime/through

d. Passtime/ through

51. Rhymes

Chalet

a. College

55. Cairo is to Egypt as ……………….. is to Senegal

a) Bangul

b) Monrovia

c) Dakar

d) Yaoundé

b) Barometer

c) Hydrometer

56. Lusaka is a capital city of ……………

d) Sphygmomanometer

a)Tunisia

b) Uganda

c) Zambia

d) Zimbabwe

61.One of the following is used in measuring wind speed

a)Wind speed

b) Barometer

57.

Which mountain is the tallest in the world

c) Thermometer

a) Everest

d) Anemometer

b) Kilimanjaro

c) Elbrus

d) Blanc

62. Patience, Abdul Rahman and Tola received three hundred and ninety-six naira to share in the ratio of 5:4:3 respectively, how much did Patience receive ?

a) N132

58.What is the full meaning of ATM?

b) N198

a)Automatic teller machine

c) N99

b)Authentic teller machine

d) N165

c)Argument teller machine

d)Automated teller machine

59. The young of a horse is called

63. If 125 men can do a piece of work in 120 days, how many men would be sufficient to do the same work in 109 days

(a) foal

a) 115 men

(b) ewe

b) 96 men

(c) herd

c) 180 men

(d) Stallion

d) 150 men

(e) donkey

64. Shade went out with some money. She spent 5/10 of it and had #2.40 remaining. How much did she have before going out ?

60.. ……………. is used for the measurement of atmospheric pressure

a) #4.80

a)Thermometer

b) #2.60

c) #6.00

d) #15.60

65. Increase #3,400 by 13% ?

a) #442

b) #3,842

c) #3,413

d) #3,952

66. I have 25 Oranges. I gave 10 to Ade and 5 to Bola. What fraction do I have remaining ?

a) 3/5

b) 2/5

c) 4/5

d) 1/5

67. How many times is 0.04 contained in 44 ?

a) 1.76

b) 110

c) 1100

d) 11

68. Divide 22 by half and deduct 4. What do you have ?

a) 20

b) 30

c) 40

d) 7

69. Five years ago, Ade was 8 years old. How old will Ade be in Ten years time ?

a) 18

b) 13

c) 23

d) 28

70.
Which of the following fraction is the smallest?

a) 1/2

b) 1/3

c) 1/6

d) 1/5

71. If you don't want to .... your car to robbers, then don't travel in the night

a. Loose

b. Lose

c. Lose

d. Lost

72. When the driver lost control of his vehicle, the pedestrians began to run for

a. their dear lives

b. their dear life

c. dear lives

d. dear life

73. My uncle is one of the .... of the society

a. Elitists

b. Elites

c. Elite

d. Elitist

74. Atuk without giving any hint as to what he intended to do, went and .... himself

a. Hung

b. Hang

c. Hanged

d. Hunged

75. Although the manager is busy right now, he will be with you ......

a. Immediately

b. Soon

c. Without delay

d. Right away

76. She usually works hard but .... she could be lazy

a. At times

b. Atimes

c. Attimes

d. At time

77. I would like to ...... my father to Kaduna

a. Accompany

b. Follow

c. Escort

d. Join

78. The man declared his intention from the ....

a. Onset

b. Inset

c. Outset

d. Offset

79. Audi fought with his .... brother

a. Senior

b. Older

c. Elder

d. Bigger

80. The loquacious young lad reeled off all the names of the players .....

a. Off head

b. At hand

c. At heart

d. Off hand

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1.C

Explanation: A positive statement will give a negative question tag and vice versa.

2. D

Explanation: The subject is after nor which is" his parents " being plural in nature will attract attend not attends (singular verb)

3. A

Explanation**:** A breakthrough is synonymous with an outstanding success

4. C

5. A

6. E

Explanation:

Kumasi is in Ghana

7. D

Explanation:

Kalu Uche was the goals scorer

8. D

9. C

Explanation:

"Our" (action of) not "Us" (action of) leaving the class.

10. A

Explanation:

Simultaneously is synonymous to Concurrently.

11. B

Explanation:

Small fry as an idiom refers to Unimportant people.

12. B

Explanation:

Delayed is correct here.

13. A

Explanation:

The phrasal verb "to go into" means to investigate.

14. C

Explanation:

You only "order" people around.

15. D

Explanation:

Ineffective is the proper antonym here.

16. B

17. C

Explanation:

The opposite of plaintiff is Defendant.

18. B

Explanation:

Note: With a view to, accustomed to, look forward to etc. are accompanied by an -ing verb.

19. B

Explanation:

Having been is the correct option here

20. A

Explanation:

This means there was a time they were in the habit of growing rice. Used to would have been correct only if it is followed by growing indicating continuous activity.

21. D

Explanation:

When it involves non human, hung is used. Note: hung can only apply to parts of the body suspended in a position that does not connote killing.

22. A

Explanation:

Receives as a present tense like all other present tenses can be used for an habitual action.

23. B

24. C

Explanation:

More and than can only be the answer here since we are comparing a countable noun.

25. A

Explanation:

Few is correct as it is used for countable nouns like Oranges and also shows or indicates not enough.

26. C

Explanation:

Since money is an uncountable noun, only little (inadequate) can be used here.

27. C

Explanation:

Information must not take an "s" and since it is an uncountable noun only a singular determinant "This" and singular verb "is" can accompany it.

28. D

Explanation:

Defuse means make **not to** explode and is apt in this situation.

29. A

Explanation:

Runny is the right term for nasal discharges.

30. B

Explanation:

Privilege has no "d"

31. D

Explanation:

Commission has two "m" and two "s".

32. A

Explanation:

Pronunciation without an "o" between the two "Ns" is the correct spelling for pronunciation.

33. C

Explanation:

Each is accompanied by a singular verb, hence "has" is correct.

34. B

Explanation:

Is employed for a stretch of time taken for an activity to be completed.

35. A

Explanation:

Questions which "have", Quality (uncountable noun) "has"

36. A

Explanation:

A number of is usually followed by a plural verb. Have been is correct in this instance.

37. D

Explanation:

The girls who "were", but one of them "has" died.

38. D

39. E

Explanation:

Mastery is the correct answer here not mastering.

40. D

Explanation:

Yours without an apostrophe is correct.

41. E

Explanation:

Either " In case" or " Should " should be used exclusively not together.

42. D

Explanation:

Disposed towards is the right answer here.

43. B

Explanation:

A plane take off or touched down. Meaning to ascend and descend respectively.

44.

45. E

Explanation:

It was held in Beijing, China.

46. C

Explanation:

100% --- 500

X ---- 430

X= (430 × 100)/500

X = 86

Therefore = 100 – 86 = 14%

47. B

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Explanation:

Barack Obama was the 44th president of the U.S.A

48. C

Explanation:

The answer here is Confluence and Lokoja is Kogi State in North Central Nigeria is the most notable example of a confluence town in this part of the world.

49. D

Explanation:

Did he is correct because the statement "did not" shows negativity which can only be followed by a positive tag.

50. D

Explanation:

Should is more polite and should be preferred to would. The other two options are in present tense and picking them would render the verb sequence unbalanced.

51. D

Explanation:

Champagne rhymes with Chalet, with both having the "Sh" consonant.

52. B

Explanation:

Both of the subjects are plural hence **were/were** is correct.

53. D

Explanation:

Casual is more apt with manner, whereas coarse has to do with voice. Coerce on the other hands means to force.

54. C

Explanation:

Pastime with a single "s" and "t" refers to leisure period.

55.

56.

57. A

Explanation:

Mount Everest is the world tallest mountain.

58. D

Explanation:

The full meaning of ATM is Automated Teller Machine. Hence the expression "ATM machine" is actually tautological as the machine is already in the acronym ATM.

59.

60. B

Explanation:

Barometer is used for the measure of atmospheric pressure.

61. D

Explanation:

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Anemometer is used for the measurement of wind speed whereas wind vane measures direction of wind.

62. D

Explanation:

Patience : Abdul : Tola

5 : 4 : 3

For Patience's share;

$=5/(5 + 4 + 3) \times 396$

$=(5/12) \times 396$

$= \#165$

63.

64. A

Explanation:

$(1 - 5/10) \times X = 2.40$

$(5/10)X = 2.40$

$X = 2.40 \times 10/5$

$X = \#4.80$

65. B

Explanation:

$X = (3400 * 113)/100$

$= \#3,842$

66. B

Explanation:

Total initial oranges = 25

No given to Ade = 10

No given to Bola = 5

No left = Total - Ade's - Bola's

Number left = 25 – 10 – 5

Number left = 10 Oranges

Therefore the fraction is 10/25

Which is further simplified to 2/5

67. C

Explanation:

By simply dividing 44 by 0.04 we will get the number of 0.04 in 44.

$= 44/0.04$

$=1100$

68. C

Explanation

$= 22 \div (1/2) – 4$

$= 22 \times (2/1) – 4$

$= (22 \times 2) – 4$

$= 44 – 4$

$= 40$

69. C

Let A represent the present age of Ade

$A – 5 = 8$

$A = 8 + 5$

$A = 13$

In ten years time;

A (10) = 13 + 10

A (10) = 23 years

Note A(10) represents Ade in 10 years' time.

70. C

Explanation:

The fastest way to get this without calculator is by finding the L.C.F. of the denominators

1/2, 1/6, 1/3, 1/5

L.C.F. = 30

Then multiply each of them by the 30

$1/2 \times 30 = 15$

$1/6 \times 30 = 5$

$1/3 \times 30 = 10$

$1/5 \times 30 = 6$

From the above we can deduce that 1/6 which is option C is the smallest with 1/2 being the largest.

71. **B**

72. D

73. C

74. C

75. B

76. A

77. A

78. C

79. C

80. D

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"Dreams are not what you see in your sleep. Dreams are things which do not let you sleep" – Unknown

1. I cannot ----------------- any noise -------------

a) Hare/here

b) Ear/Hair

c) Hear/here

d) Hear/hear

2. What does one good turn deserve?

a) Other

b) Another

c) Each other

d) One another

3. What will a rolling stone never gather?

a) Rose

b) Mass

c) Moss

d) Boss

4. What is the mother of invention?

 a) Difficulty

b) Necessary

c) Necessity

d) Necessitate

5. What should you make while the sun shine?

a) Gay

b) Say

c) Day

d) Hay

e) Ray

6. What should you do before you leap?

a) Listen

b) Hear

c) Think

d) Look

7. It takes a .... catch a thief. Complete this idiom.

a) Gun

b) Police

c) Soldier

d) Thief

8. What should you let sleeping dogs do?

a) Lay

b) Sleep

c) Lie

e) slide

9. Who catches the worm?

a) Early bird

b) Late Bird

c) Early rise

e) Eagle

10. The Apex Bank in Nigeria is _____

a) Zenith Bank

b) First Bank

c) Intercontinental Bank

d) Central Bank.

11. The highest rank of an officer in the Nigerian Navy is _____

a) Commodore

b) Commander

c) General

d) Admiral

12. AU stands for _____

a) American Union

b) Africa United

c)African Union

d) African Unionism.

13. Which of these enzymes is responsible for the digestion of fat?

a) Lipase

b) Pepsin

c) Amylase

d) Cellulase

e) Xylanase

14. The marked price of a book is #180.00. What will be the cash price if a discount of 6% is allowed?

a) #210.80

b) #30.60

c) #169.20

d) #190.80

15. Reduce 216/324 to its lowest terms.

a)1/9

b)2/3

c) 3/4

d)4/5

16. A ship sails 400km in 18hours. How many days will it take to cover 1600km at the same rate?

a)3 days

b) 4 days

c) 6 days

d) 8 days

17. By selling an article for #47.00, a man lost 6%. How much did he pay for it?

a) #25

b) #5.00

c) #50.00

d) #53.00

18. Shade went out with some money. She spent 5/10 of it and had #2.40 remaining. How much did she have before going out?

a) #4.80

b) #2.60

c) #6.00

d) #15.60

19. Add together the nine smallest numbers from 1 to 19

a) 30

b) 55

c) 42

d) 45

20. How many seedlings must be planted to obtain 60 trees if only 20% of the seedlings survive?

a) 150

b) 125

c) 300

d) 250

21. If your father has two wives, the daughter of the other wife is your _____

a) Sister

b) Half sister

c) Cousin

d) Step sister

22. Dog, cat, goat and _____ are examples of mammals.

a) Snake

b) Lizard

c) chicken

d) Whale

23. Amaka scored 60% in a test that had 50 questions. How many questions did she get correct?

a) 25

b) 30

c) 35

d) 40

24. In what ratio will 56 oranges be shared between Femi and Dayo such that Femi gets 16 and Dayo gets 40?

a) 1:2

b) 1:5

c) 2:5

d) 3:5

25. A farmer has 120 birds. If he has increase of 20% how many birds has he?

a) 124

b) 144

c) 164

d) 200

26. The cost of electricity is 15K per unit. How many units did a man consume if he paid #42.55K

a) 283.67

b) 2.837

c) 482.67

d) 48.27

27. Whose picture is shown on 100 naira note?

a)Tafawa Balewa

b)Obafemi Awolowo

c)Nnamdi Azikiwe

d)Herbert Macaulay

28. The first woman to drive a car in Nigeria is ------------------------------

a)Mrs. Dora Akunyili

b) Mrs Funmilayo Ransome Kuti

c) Mrs. Elam Adebayo

d) Mrs. Juliana Coker

29. The Nigeria female football Team is called ---------------------

a)Flying eagles

b) Super falcons

c) Golden eagles

d) Oladimeji queen

30. Whose picture is shown on the five naira note?

a) Sir Tafawa Balewa

b) Chief Anthony Enahoro

c) Sir Arthur Richards

d) Sir Ahmadu Bello

31. The male part of a flower is called------------------------------

a) pistil

b) corolla

c) stigma

d) stamen

32. The ----------------- is referred to as the pumping station of an animal.

a) brain

b) lung

c) heart

d) kidney

33. The bone of the brain is covered by the-----------------------

a) patella

b) skull

c) tibia

d) scapular

34. Digestion of food starts from the ------------------------------

a) mouth

b) anus

c) stomach

d) gullet

35. The missionary that stopped the killing of twins in Nigeria is

a) Mungo Pack

b)Mary Slessor

c)Funmilayo Ransome Kuti

d)Queen Elizabeth

36. Regarding admission into Unilorin, **I resign myself to fate.**

a) I am prepared for whatever happens

b) I am prepared to consult fortune teller

c) I am prepared to contest the outcome

d) I am prepared to resign my right of being admitted.

37. Choose the correct interpretation

The problem with fatal is that **he has a finger in every pie**. This means that...

a) Fatai loves eating all kind of pies

b) Fatai is involve in too many activities

c) Fatai steal things

d) Fatai likes making pies

38. Peter's mother has **kicked the bucket**. This means that...

A. Peter grandmother is dead

B. Peter's grandmother is strong

C. Peter grandmother is in the hospital

39. I had **a night out** with Dickson.

a) Dickson and I spent the night with reading

b) Dickson and I had an evening of fun and enjoyment

c) Dickson and I quarrelled all night

d) Dickson and I went out when it was night

40. I am going for a **work out** this evening

a) I am planning to Steal this evening

b) I am going to visit a friend this evening

c) I'm going for physical exercise this evening

d) I am going to my work this evening

41. Michael **took the English language exam for granted**

a) He assumed the exam would be easy

b) He did not worry about the out of the exam

c) He expected the exam would be difficult

d) He worked hard for the exam

42. I can say that our governor is **angling** for a second from his party

a) The governor is rejecting a second term

b) The governor is indirectly asking for a second term

c) The governor is being asked to run a second term by his party against his will

d) The governor is being very serious with his second term aspiration

43. Moses has been **booted out** of his job by his employer

a) Moses has been promoted by his employer

b) Moses has been commended by his employer

c) Moses has been sacked by his employer

d) Moses has be kicked by his employer

44. He has been **inundated** with work. (nearest in meaning)

a) Overwhelmed

b) Unhappy with

c) Interested in

d) excited

45. The vice chancellor has approved a new allowance an **incentive** for the all lectures (nearest in meaning)

a) An advance

b) A package

c) An encouragement

d) A reward

46. Although the speech was **impromptu**, it was very well received (nearest in meaning)

a) Prepared

b) Advertised

c) Read out

d) Not prepared for

47. My appeal to the lecturer for help was **futile** (nearest in meaning)

a) Successful

b) Accepted

c) Without success

d) Realistic

48. Tonia was accused of **immodest** dressing

a) Loud

b) Poor

c) Indecent

d) Costly

49. While preparing for the post jamb aptitude test, Felix read through pages 35 to 78 and 102 to 127 of an English text book. How many pages did he read altogether?

 a) 58

 b) 70

 c) 68

 d) 64

50. What happened last week at the meeting **vindicate** my earlier position (nearest in meaning)

a) Disagreed with

b) Proved

c) Dismissed

d) Voided

51. Let me tell you, David is one student with an **impeccable** character. (nearest in meaning)

a) Faultless

b) Bad

c) Interesting

d) Deviant

52. The president visit the town with a view to...... things for himself.

a) see

b) been

c) seeing

d) having seen

53. Hide and Kemi quarrelled last week and haven't .... yet.

a) Made it out

b) Made up

c) Made out

d) Made it up

54. It was .... on the evening news.

a) Broadcasted

b) Being broadcasted

c) Been broadcast

d) Broadcast

55. Patience told the congregation that she married a **doting** man. (Opposite in meaning)

a) A loving

b) A funny

c) Uncaring man

d) Nagging

56. He was very **discreet** about the number of university entrance examinations he has written (Opposite in meaning)

a) Secretive

b) Open

c) Sure

d) Uncertainty

57.

a) harasment

b) harrasment

c) harassment

d) harrasssment

58. A stitch in time ....

a) revive all

b) saves nine

c) saves all

d) revive nine

59. John talks as if he .... everything

a) knew

b) known

c) knows

d) know

60.

a) acomodation

b) accommodation

c) acommodation

d) accomodation

61. If the ratio of girls to boys in a class is 5:3 which of these can not be the number of students in the class

a) 32

b) 40

c) 48

d) 36

62. Who gave Nigeria her name and after what was Nigeria named

a) Flora Michael and Niger Area

b) Lady Flora and Area of Niger

c) Florence Shaw and Niger Era

d) Flora Shaw and Niger Area

63.

a) Quarrelling

b) Quarelling

c) Quarreling

d) Quareling

64. The wicked boy threw a stone at the bird smashing .... two legs.

a) is

b) it's

c) it

d) its

65. Which number comes next in the series 0, 1, 3, 6, 10, 15, ...

a) 26

b) 21

c) 19

d) 32

66. Ten litres of water .... to be consumed daily.

a) are

b) is

c) may

d) should

67.

a) Lackadasical

b) Lackaidasical

c) Lackaidaisical

d) Lackadaisical

68. The head of the Senate chamber of the National Assembly is;

a) Secretary to the government

b) Speaker

c) Chief whip

d) president

69. After Jerry had made the bed he ...... on it

a) layed

b) lied

c) lay

d) laid

70. Who is the first Senate president in Nigeria

a) Adolphus Wabara

b) Ken Nnamani

c) Nwafor Orizu

d) Anyim Pius Anyim

e) Nnamdi Azikiwe

71. What structure in the fish serves the same purpose as the lungs in human being?

a) Scales

b) Lateral line

c) Fins

d) Gills

72. One of the major problems faced by the men who travel into space is -----

a) Hunger

b) Lack of water

c) Extreme cold

d) Lack of weight

73. What is the name of the white part of a boiled egg?

a) Yolk

b) Abdomen

c) Albumen

d) Egg white

74. The period in which the hen lies on its eggs until it aches is known as....... period

a) Hibernation

b) Incubation

c) Breeding

d) Rousting

75. How long does the chicken lie on its eggs before it aches?

a) 10 days

b) 12 days

c) 30 days

d) 21 days

75. Which part of the egg of a chicken develops into the young ones?

a) Yolk

b) Yellow matter

c) White matter

d) Air space

76. Animals that give birth to their young ones alive are called------

a) Birds

b) Reptiles

c) Amphibians

d) Mammals

77. What term is given to the changes insects undergo in their life history?

a) Recuperation

b) Rousting

c) Metamorphosis

d) None of the above

78. What is the major product of the process of respiration in living things?

a) Carbohydrate

b) Protein

c) Energy

d) Carbon dioxide

79. Which of the following is a cereal?

a) Maize

b) Cocoa

c) Coffee

d) Tea

80. An organism that lives on a living organism and eventually causes harm to it is called......

a) Herbivore

b) Carnivore

c) Parasite

d) Pest

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1. C

2. B

3. C

4. C

5. D

6. D

7. D

8. C

9. A

10. D

11. D

12. C

13. A

14. C

Explanations

Discount of 6% of 180

= 6/100 × 180

= 10.8

Therefore 180 – 10.8

= #169.20

15. B

Explanation:

216/324

Divide both the numerator and denominator by the smallest number possible that will give a whole number answer

So we divide by 2

(216 ÷ 2)/(324 ÷ 2) = (108)/(162)

We can still divide by 2

(108 ÷ 2)/(162 ÷ 2) = (54)/(81)

2 can't go here, so we switch to 3

(54 ÷ 3)/(81 ÷ 3) = (18)/(27)

We can still divide by 3 but 9 would take us to the lowest terms so we use 9

(18 ÷ 9)/(27 ÷ 9) = 2/3

16. A

Explanation

Km ---------- hours

Therefore

400 km -------- 18 hours

1600 km ------- X hours

Cross multiply

400 X = 18 × 1600

X = (18 × 1600)/ 400

X = 72 hours

Note 24 hours make 1 day therefore

72/24 = 3 days

17. C

Explanation

47 ---------- 94%

Y ----------- 100%

$Y = (100 \times 47)/ 97$

$Y = \#50$

18. A

Explanation

5/10 is the same as 1/2

$1 - 1/2 = 1/2$

$1/2 \times X = 2.4$

$X = 2.4 \times 2$

$X = 4.8$

19. D

Explanation

Sum of Arithmetic progression

$S = (n/2) \times (2a + (n - 1) d)$

n = nth term

a = 1st term

d = common difference

$S = (9/2) \times (2 \times 1 + (9 - 1) \times 1)$

$S = 4.5 (2 + 8)$

$S = 4.5 (10)$

$S = 45$

20. C

Explanation

$20/100 \times Y = 60$

Therefore

$20Y = 60 \times 100$

$Y = (60 \times 100)/(20)$

$Y = 300$

21. B

Explanation

When it has to do with siblings (brothers and sisters) half is apt for a non biological spouse of your biological parent step is used instead.

22. D

Explanation

Whale is a mammal though it is found in the sea alongside other Pisces (fishes).

23. B

Explanation

$X/50 \times 100 = 60$

Therefore

$X = (60 \times 50)/100$

$X = 6 \times 5$

$X = 30$

24. C

Explanation

16 : 24

Divide through by 2

8 : 20

4: 10

2:5

25. A

Explanation

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120 --------- 100%

Y ---------- 120%

Y = (120 × 120)/(100)

Y = 144

26. A

Explanation

Remember 100 kobo makes one naira

15 kobo ------ 1 unit

42.55k -------- X ?

Converting #42.55k to Naira

42.55 × 100

= 4255k

Therefore

15K ------ 1

4255K ------ X ?

15X = 4255

X= 4255/15

X = 283.67 unit

27. B

Explanation

Please commit this to memory

Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa is on N5 note

Dr. Alvan Ikoku on N10 note

Gen. Murtala Muhammed on N20 note

Chief Obafemi Awolowo on N100 note

Alhaji Sir Ahmadu Bello on N200 note

Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe on N500 note

Alhaji Aliyu Mai Bornu and Dr. Clement Isong are on N1000 note.

28. B

29. B

30. A

31. D

Explanation

Stamen comprises anther and filament and is regarded as the male part of the flower. Pistil is for female.

32. C

33. B

34. A

Explanation

The first site of digest is the mouth where ptyalin (a salivary enzyme) acts on cooked starch.

35. B

Explanation

Mary Slessor stopped the killing of twins in Calabar.

36. A

37. B

38. A

39. B

40. C

41. A

42. B

43. C

Explanation

"Booted out" has nothing to do with a boot. It means sacked and its equivalent.

44. A

45. C

46. D

47. C

48. C

49. B

Explanation

$L = a + (n – 1) d$

$78 = 35 + (n – 1) 1$

$78 – 35 = n – 1$

$78 – 35 + 1 = n$

$n = 44$ (first stretch of pages read)

$L = a + (n – 1) d$

$127 = 102 + (n – 1) 1$

$127 – 102 + 1 = n$

$n = 26$ (second stretch of pages read)

Total pages = 1st stretch + second stretch

$T = 44 + 26$

$T = 70$

50. B

51. A

52. C

Explanation

With a view to, accustomed to, admitted to etc. Are all accompanied by an -ing verb. (Try finding out others that follow this rule)

53. B

Explanation

Made up used here means to settle differences or a quarrel (Note: that the time here is passed hence "made" not "make")

54. D

Explanation

Broadcast has no other form. It remains broadcast in its past tense, present tense and past participle. Other examples following this rule are cast, cut, hit etc.

55. C

56. B

Explanation

To be discreet (which is different from discrete meaning separate or distinct) means careful, wary, close-lipped and its closes nearest in meaning the given question is open.

57. C

Explanation

It is spelt HARASSMENT with one "R" and two "S"

58. B

59. C

60. B

Explanation

It is spelt ACCOMMODATION with double "C" and double "M".

61. D

Explanation

5:3 = 8

We are going to divide through by 8, as we are dealing with humans we should have whole numbers for it to be the possible total number of students as we can't have fractioned students

= 32/ 8

= 4

So the above is possible and hence not our answer

=40/8

= 5

This isn't our answer too

=48/8

= 6

Same like the rest, not the answer

= 36/8

=4.5

This is our answer as it couldn't have been the total number of students represented by the ratio 5:3

62. D

63. A

Explanation

It is spelt QUARRELLING with double "R" and double "L" whereas QUARREL has double "R" and a single "L".

64. D

Explanation

Its is a possessive pronoun whereas it's is simply it is or it has depending on what follows it. So since we are talking about a possession of the bird, its is appropriate.

65. B

Explanation

Taking a careful look at the series we will find the added numbers being greater by one of the previously added number.

So,

0 + 1 = 1

1 + 2 = 3

3 + 3 = 6

6 + 4 = 10

10 + 5 = 15

15 + 6 = 21 which is our answer

So what will be our next if the series had continue ? No, Not 26 but 28 as we will be adding 7.

66. B

67. D

Explanation

It is spelt LACKADAISICAL that is LACK – ADA – ISICAL (Note: this is not separation based on syllabic pattern but for easy recall)

68. D

Explanation

The Senate president is the head of the upper legislative chamber (Senate) whereas the speaker is the head of the lower

legislative chamber (House of Representatives). The Senate is the 2nd in line of succession to the President just behind the Vice president and above the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

69. C

70. E

71. D

72. D

73. C

74. B

75. D

76. D

77. C

78. D

79. A

80. C

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"The greatest threat to all you can be is satisfaction with who you are" – Dr Myles Munroe

1.How many years did Nelson Mandela spend as a political prisoner ?

a) 37

b) 11

c) 27

d) 7

2. Who is the only African to win the world best footballer of the year award ?

a) Samuel Eto'o

b) Didier Drogba

c) George Best

d) Abedi Pele

3. Africa's first female president is ?

a) Sirleaf Ellen Johnson

b) Mrs Winnie Mandela

c) Mrs Ellen Borland

d) Mrs Rockland Mpholulu

4.

a) Etiquette

b) Etiqquete

c) Etiquete

d) Ettiquete

5.

a) Hemorrhage

b) Haemorhage

c) Hemorrhage

d) Haemorrhage

6. How many geopolitical zones has Nigeria ?

a) 5

b) 4

c) 3

d) 6

c) coal state

d) harmony

7. There are 20 houses in a community, 2 houses were being sold. How many do we have left?

a) 18

b) 20

c) 16

d) 17

12. The first man to win a Nobel laureate price for literature in west Africa is ?

a) Chinua Achebe

b) Chike Obi

c) Wole Soyinka

d) Chukwu Emeka

8. Our progress was ...... by the bad weather.

a) blocked

b) posted

c) altered

d) hampered

13. A lawyer is also referred to as a .... ?

a) Legal expert

b) Judge

c) Plaintiff

d) Legal practitioner

9.

a) Tramelled

b) Trammelled

c) Trammeled

d) Trameled

14. The criminal is a son of no ....

a) Pedegree

b) Pedigree

c) Trace

d) Naughty woman

10.

a) incesant

b) inccesant

c) incessant

d) inccessant

15. /i:/ (Rhymes)

a) leak

b) sickie

c) side

d) lick

11. Benue state is known as the .... of the nation

a) Sunshine

b) food basket

16. /u:/ (Rhymes)

a) book

b) look

c) table

d) school

17. Aminat as well as her sisters .... coming now

a) are

b) were

c) was

d) is

18. Who designed Nigeria's flag, what year, where was he and what was he doing at that point in time ?

a) Ibrahim Taiwo, 1960, USA, Artist.

b) Taiwo Hassan, 1958, Germany, Lecturer.

c) Ibrahim Hassan, 1959, Australia, Designer.

d) Taiwo Akinkumi, 1959, London, Student.

19. Peter's .... a cold upsets our plan.

a) catches

b) caught

c) catching

d) catch

20. How many colours has Nigeria's flag

a) 3

b) 1

c) 4

d) 2

21. Birds of ...... flocks together.

a) some feathers

b) the same feathers

c) a feather

d) like feathers

22. Arrange these in ascending order 1/2 , 2/3, 3/4 and 4/5

a) 1/2, 2/3, 3/4, 4/5

b) 2/3, 1/2, 4/5, 3/4

c) 4/5, 3/4, 2/3, 1/2

d) 2/3, 3/4, 4/5, 1/2

23. The city which was once called the "forbidden city" is in ?

a) Tokyo, Japan

b) Berlin, Germany

c) Peking, China

d) Calabar, Nigeria.

24. Abuja officially became Nigeria's capital on ..... ?

a) 1st January 1992

b) 5th May 1991

c) 1st October 1992

d) 12th December 1991

25. I ran ...... an old friend of mine on broad street and brought him home.

a) into

b) to

c) over

d) across

b) some

c) a lot of

d) many

26. He .... arrived by now I can hear all the people shouting.

a) would have arrived

b) must have arrived

c) has arrived

d) should have arrived

31. The patient is suffering ....

a) Reumatism

b) Rheumantism

c) Rhuematism

d) Rheumatism

27. Sibi .... novels since she came home

a) is reading

b) has read

c) had been reading

d) has been reading

32. The attitude of my students to .... baffles me

a) Pronunciation

b) Pronounciation

c) Prononciation

d) Pronuonciation

28. Only observers from the ministry of works ..... allowed into the conference room

a) is

b) are

c) have

d) has

33. By the time the plane reaches Harare, it ...... in the air for twelve hours

a) has been

b) should be

c) would have been

d) would be

29. Each of the candidates that came late .... to complete ....

a) have/this form

b) are having/these forms

c) has/this form

d) have/these forms

34. Those ...... are very beautiful

a) flowers of her

b) flowers of her's

c) our flowers

d) flowers of ours

30. The board has been having .... series of meetings lately.

a) a

35. My mother bought a **BICYCLE** yesterday.

a) what did my mother buy yesterday ?

b) whose mother bought a bicycle yesterday ?

c) did my mother steal a bicycle yesterday ?

d) when did my mother buy a bicycle ?

36. Musa is **STAYING** in Enugu

a) Is Musa staying on the outskirts of Enugu ?

b) Is Audi staying in Enugu ?

c) Was Musa staying in Enugu ?

d) Is Musa passing through Enugu ?

37. epita**ph** (same consonant sound)

a) pseudo

b) paper

c) pneumonia

d) fan

38. The woman refused to testify .... her husband.

a) in

b) at

c) from

d) against

39. The guard spent all night pacing ....

a) from and to

b) fro and to

c) to and from

d) to and fro

40. He went to the restaurant to enjoy the special ....

a) suite

b) a la carte

c) chef

d) cuisine

41. motivation

a) moTIvation

b) motiVation

c) MOtivation

d) motivaTION

42. certification

a) cerificaTION

b) certifiCAtion

c) cerTIficafion

d) certiFIcation

43. programmatic

a) PROgrammatic

b) prograMAtic

c) programmatiC

d) proGRAMmatic

44. Oboro will always ...... his friends

a) stand up for

b) stand down for

c) stand across for

d) stand beside for

45. Yours is to command, ... is to obey.

a) their's

b) theirs'

c) theirs

d) their

46. Local government are authorised to pass .....

a) byes'-laws

b) bye-laws

c) bye-law

d) bye's-law

47. The philanthropist devoted himself ...... the poor

a) by helping

b) in helping

c) to helping

d) at helping

48. Umar: I have never visited the dentist

Aliyu: ....

a) neither I

b) neither myself

c) neither have I

d) I also never

49. Emeka's painting was so **realistic** that it could almost have been a photograph (nearest in meaning)

a) picturesque

b) concrete

c) lively

d) authentic

50. **Courteously**, Ade stood back to let his teacher go first through the door. (Synonyms)

a) patiently

b) politely

c) carefully

d) calmly

51. A nursery rhyme is used to teach pupils how to spell the word ......

a) hipopotamus

b) hippoppotemus

c) hippopotamus

d) hippoppotemus

52. jurisprudence

a) JUrisprudence

b) juRISprudence

c) jurisPRUdence

d) jurispruDENCE

53. suburbanite

a) SUburbanite

b) suBURbanite

c) suburBAnite

d) suburbaNITE

54. The **EAGLES** won the match

a) Did the eagles lose the match ?

b) who won the match ?

c) what did the eagle win ?

d) Did the eagles win the match ?

55. Right spellings

a) comittee

b) commitee

c) comittee

d) committee

56. Right spelling

a) Catarrrh

b) Catar

c) Catarr

d) Catarrh

57. My father has been away on a journey but my mother says she

.... he .... this Friday.

a)expects/would

b) expected/will arrive

c) expects/will arrive

d) expected/would arrive

58. Kola was fined; .... thieves were given a jail sentence.

a) rest

b) the rest of the

c) the rest

d) rest of the

59. Do you mind ...... another hour or two ?

a) wait

b) waiting

c) to have waited

d) to wait

60. Round off 1.56 to 1 decimal place

a) 1.6

b) 1.56

c) 0.56

d) 1.5

61. Simplify $7+y = 20$. Find y

a) 18

b) 27

c) 13

d) 14

62. Simplify $10 + p = 30$. Find p

a) 30

b) 10

c) 20

d) 40

63. What is the total charge for a distance of 4km if a taxi charges 50k per kilometer.

a) N 5.00

b) N 2.00

c) N 9.00

d) N 4.00

64. Scientists who study the weather are called.........

a) Geographers

b) Archaeologist

c) Astrologers

d) Meteorologist

65. A reflection in a mirror is called ------

a) Darkness

b) Image

c) Shadow

d) Colour

66. On a map, two metres represent fifteen kilometres. What length on the map would represent a distance of ninety kilometers?

a) 675 metres

b) 337.5 metres

c) 12 metres

d) 9 metres

67. If N1200 is divided between boys A, B and C at a ratio of 5:2:1 respectively, what is the share of boy B?

A N600

B N750

C N300

D N150

E N400

68. Dotun, Ayo, Stephen and Olu were given 10, 18, 24 and 8 oranges respectively. What percentage of the total oranges was given to Stephen?

A 40

B 18

C 25

D 7

E 30

69. What is the speed of a car that travelled 840km in 7 hours?

A 7km/hr

B 120km/hr

C 940km/hr

D 110km/hr

E 130km/hr

70. The judge .... her to two years imprisonment

a) pronounced

b) commended

c) condemned

d) tried

e) sentenced

71. Scurvy is a disease caused by lack of which vitamins?

A. A

B. B

C. C

D. E

72. Collection of stars is called ---------------------------

A. Stardom

B. Galaxy

C. Astronomy

D. Meteorology

73. How long does a train take to cover the journey if it starts at 6.10a.m. and ends at 3.55p.m. the same day?

A. 10hrs 35mins

B. 9hrs. 45mins

C. 9hrs 30mins

D. 10hrs 45mins

74. A clock gains 20 seconds every hour. It shows the correct time at 6 a.m. What time will it show at 3p.m.?

A. 3.03p.m.

B. 3.06p.m.

C. 2.57p.m.

D. 3.13p.m.

75. Find the number of days from 12th June noon to 12th September noon.

A. 90days

B. 92days

C. 61days

D. 62days

76. A plane leaves town B at 09.50 hours and arrives town C at 19.40hours. If the time at C is one hour ahead of time B how long does the flight take?

A. 8hrs 45mins

B. 8hrs 50mins

C. 7hrs 55mins

D. 7hrs 45mins

77. Find the HCF of 36 and 60

A. 3

B. 6

C. 12

D. 36

78. Reduce $\dfrac{16}{36}$ to its lowest term.

A. $\dfrac{16}{36}$

B. $\dfrac{8}{18}$

C. $\dfrac{4}{9}$

D. $\dfrac{2}{3}$

79. Express $\dfrac{3}{4}$ in a decimal form.

A. 0.075

B. 0.75

C. 7.50

D. 0075

80. A teacher earns #15,000 a month. He spends #9000 and saves the remaining amount. What is the ratio of his savings to the amount he spends?

A. 3:2

B. 2:3

C. 3:5

D. 5:3

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1.C

2. C

3. A

4. A

Explanation

It is spelt ETIQUETTE with

1 T, 1 Q and 2 Ts

5. D

Explanation

It is spelt HAEMORRHAGE

Note: Americans spell it "HEM" but you are going to be tested on British English.

6. D

7. B

Explanation

This question is based on logic. A house is stationary (immobile) that after purchasing it the new owners move into it. Hence the number of houses in a street still remain the same.

8. D

9. B

Explanation

It is spelt TRAMMELLED with 2 Ms and 2 Ls

10. C

Explanation

INCESSANT has a single C and double S

11. B

12. C

Explanation

Wole Soyinka was awarded the Nobel prize for Literature in the year **1986**

13. D

14. A

Explanation

PEDIGREE not pedegree take note of the "DIG"

15. A

Explanation

Leak is transcribed /liːk/

16. D

Explanation

School is transcribed /Skuːl/

17. D

Explanation

The noun or pronouns after as well as is not taken into consideration.

18. D

19. C

20. D

21. C

22. A

Explanation

Hint: Get the lowest common factor of the denominators then multiply with each fraction. To know the order of arrangement.

23. C

24. D

25. A

Explanation

When you run into someone you meet such an individual without planning to.

26. B

27. D

28. B

Explanation

Hint: Observers is the subject here.

29. C

Explanation

Each of is followed by a plural noun or pronoun then a singular verb.

30. A

31. D

Explanation

RHEUMATISM there's no other way of spelling this.

32. A

Explanation

PRONUNCIATION there's no other way of spelling it. Take note of the NUN not NOUN

33. C

34. D

35. A

36. D

37. D

38. D

39. D

40. D

41. B

Explanation

Hint: @ + @ + STRESS + ion

(I.e. stress the second to the last)

42. B

Explanation

@ + @ + STRESS + ion

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43. D

Explanation

Hint:

@ + @ + STRESS + @ + ic

44. A

45. C

46. B

47. C

Explanation

Devoted to... Is accompanied by an -ing verb

48. C

49. A

50. B

51. C

Explanation

Hint: the trick is to actually sing the rhyme (not loudly at the CBT hall please), in case you have forgotten here it goes.

¶ HIP for the hip ¶

¶ POPO for the hip-popo ¶

¶ and TAMUS for the hip-popo-tamus ¶

Hence the right spelling is HIPPOPOTAMUS

52. C

53. B

54. B

55. D

Explanation

Double M, double T and double E makes up the spellings of COMMITTEE

56. D

Explanation

Catarrh is spelt with 2 Rs only

57. C

58. B

59. B

60. A

61. C

Explanation

After collecting like terms

Y = 20 – 7

Y = 13

62. C

Explanation

After collecting like terms

P = 30 – 10

P = 20

63. B

50 kobo --- 1 Km

T ----- 4 Km

T = 50 × 4

T = 200 kobo

Which is equivalent to #2.00k

64. D

65. B

66. C

Explanation

Hint: just same approach as that of question 63

X = (90 × 2)/15

X = 12

67. C

Explanation

2 × 1200/8

= 300

68. A

Explanation

10 + 18 + 24 + 8 = 60

24/60 × 100

= 40%

69. B

Explanation

840/7

= 120

70. E

71. C

72. B

73. B

74. A

75. B

76. B

77. C

78. C

79. B

80. B

Explanation:

15,000 − 9000 = 6,000

6,000 : 9,000

6:9

2:3

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"Don't quit. Suffer now and live the rest of your life as a champion" – Muhammad Ali

1. The largest known planet is …………………….?

a)Sun

b)Uranus

c)Jupiter

d)Earth

2. The largest continent on earth is ……………………?

a) Africa

b)Australia

c)North America

d)Asia

e) Europe

3. 50 men can build a house in 60 days. How many more men of equal strength and ability must be put on so as to finish a similar house in 40 days?

a) 20 men

b) 30 men

c) 35 men

d) 25 men

e) 45 men

4. A group of letters that is added to the beginning of a word in order to change its meaning e.g. ''un'', ''anti'', is ……………………………?

a) Suffix

b) Antonym

c) Prefix

d) Pronouns

5. Pastoral nomadic is a common characteristics of the ………………..

a) Hausas

b) Igbos

c) Fulanis

d) Yorubas

e) Edos

6. What fraction of ₦4.32 is ₦ 3.87

a) 41/48

b) 43/48

c) 47/48

d) 39/48

7. Yinka and Segun have 120 oranges Yinka gets 16 oranges more than Segun. How many oranges has Segun?

a) 60

b) 26

c) 68

d) 52

8. If 480.00 borrowed for 3 years simple interest became N516, what was its rate of interest?

a) 5%

b) 2 ½ %

b) 6%

c) 4%

9. The daily sales in a week at a petrol station are 100 litres, 825 litres, 707 litres, 830 litres, 642 litres, 908 litres and 112 likes. What is the average daily sales?

a) 848 litres

b) 589 3/7 litres

c) 718 litres

d) 617 litres

10. A car traveling at 80 km per hour leaves Lagos at 8.am for Ibadan 136km away. What time did it get to Ibadan?

a) 8.42am

b) 9.42am

c) 9.32am

d) 9.30am

d) 1035 seeds

11. By how much is 845.79 greater than 99.359?

a) 746.431

b) 74.6431

c) 835.8541

d) 83.5841

12.A square lawn has an area of 729 sq.m. What is the distance around the lawn?

a) 96

b) 108

c) 120

d) 84

13. In a school, the ratio of girls to boys is 5:6. How many are boys if the total population is 605?

a) 365

b) 275

c) 330

d) 560

14. A class-one teacher gave 23 counting seeds to each of the 45 pupils in his class. How many counting seeds did the teacher give out?

a)225 seeds

b)935 seeds

c) 2070 seeds

15. Find the greater number that will divide 43, 91 and 183 so as to leave the same remainder in each case.

a) 4

b) 7

c) 9

d) 13

16. The total number of digits used in numbering the pages of a book having 336 pages is:

a) 732

b) 990

c) 1098

d) 1305

17. Which of the following pairs of fractions adds up to a number greater than 5?

a) 5/3, 3/4

b)7/3, 11/5

c)11/4, 8/3

d)13/5, 11/6

18.What is the difference between the biggest and the smallest fraction among 2/3, 3/4 , 4/5 and 5/6?

a)1/6

b) 1/12

c) 1/20

d) 1/30

19. What number whose ½ is multiplied by $^1/_3$ of the same number will give a product of 726?

a) 96

b) 166

c) 160

d) 66

20. What is the product of 0.101 and 11.1?

a) 12.21

b) 1.1211

c) 1.211

d) 0.11211

21. What is 7/8 of the profit of a contractor in a year, if half of the profits made is N2880.72?

a) N5040.26

b) N5041.26

c) N2520.63

d) N5041.36

22. When 7867 is divided by 14, what remains?

a) 11

b) 13

c) 3

d) 7

23. Eggs now sell at N2.55 a dozen and oranges 2 for 10k. What will 20 dozen eggs and 100 oranges cost?

a) N48.00

b) N60.50

c) N56.00

d) N44.00

24. What principal will gain N168.00 simple interest in 4 years at 7 ½ %

a) 280.00

b) N480.00

c) N560.00

d) N720.00

25. Which country won the Olympic gold medal for football during 1996 Atlanta Olympic

a) USA

b) France

c) Nigeria

d) Brazil

26. Which of the following is not a tree crop?

a) Yam

b) Cashew

c) Cocoa

d) Coffee

e) Sizer

27. Which of these animals does not have horns?

a) Goat

b) Cattle

c) Buffalo

d) Horse

e) Ram

31.The position of planet earth from the sun in the solar system is

a) 3rd

b) 2nd

c) 1st

d) 4th

e) 5th

28. Which country boarders Nigeria in the west?

a) Ghana

b) Republic of Benin

c) Togo

d) Cameroun

e) Chad

32. The name of a young lion is calle

a) kitten

b) kevlin

c) cub

d) cude

33. The name of an equipment for measuring pressure is called

a) barometer

b) thermometer

c) gauge

d) hygrometer

29.A tripod has how many supports?

a) 2

b) 4

c) 3

d) 5

e) 6

34. It is right to say, switch-------or put------the light subject to the type of light.

a) of/off

b) off/off

c) out/off

d) off/out

30. Tyres are made from ?

a) Pulp

b) Steel

c) Cotton

d) Rubber

35. A betrayal from someone supposed to be a friend is a stab--------the back

a) On

b) In

c) At

d) From

36. The handset won't work, the battery has run--------

a) Off

b) Out

c) Down

d) Over

37. The thief was caught. He couldn't get------with what he stole

a) Away

b) Scot free

c) Free

d) Over

38. The University project---------owing to lack of funds

a) Fell down

b) Fell over

c) Fell off

d) Fell through

39. "He must carry his cross" mean

a) She is a Christian

b) He is a disciple

c) He is a minister of God

d) He suffers by destiny

40. There is a big hole in my pocket means

a) My pocket is leaking

b) my money comes and goes away fast.

c) My pocket is torn

d) my pocket is not in good shape

41. He got the job and suddenly became swollen headed

a) The job is full of hazards

b) The job made him become proud.

c) the job made him a big man

d) The job made him wealthy

42. Which of the following is arranged in wrong ascending order?

a) Feet-Body -Head

b) Middle-Top-Bottom

c) Root-Stem-Leaves

d) Sea-Land-Mountain

43. Which correspondence is wrong matching?

a) nose-breathing-air

b) mouth-laughing-sound

c) eyes-seeing-heat

d) feet-motion-distance

44. Which of the following is the correct term for entering an aircraft?

a) enter

b) board

c) transit

d) tranceed

45. Which of the following is wrong?

a) Plane crash

b) boat sink

c) Car accident

d) ship wreck

46. The officials accompanying a VIP for protection purpose are referred to as

a) Police

b) Escort

c) Soldier

d) Mobile

47. Someone who persist in doing the wrong thing even after he has been punished is said to be

a) stubborn

b) heady

c) recalcitrant

d) disobedient

48.In which of the following African countries will you find a confluence of two oceans

a)South Africa

b) Nigeria

c) Somalia

d) Senegal

49.Choose the odd one out among the followings:

a) Peru

b) Venezuela

c) Bolivia

d) Indonesia

50.The capital city of Rwanda is

a) Khartoum

b) Kabul

c) Kigali

d) Kingston

51. The geographic equator passes through which of the following countries

a) Uganda

b) Zambia

c) Nigeria

d) Cameroon

52. Which of the followings is not a planet

a) Pluto

b) Mercury

c) Venus

d) Moon

53. Which of the followings is a star?

a) Earth

b) Sun

c) Moon

d) Nebula

54. The River Niger has its source from

a) Fouta Djallon Island

b) Lake Guinea

c) Upper Volta

d) Timbuktu

55.The earth is mainly covered with

a) Water

b) Land

c) Equal amount of land and water

d) Mountains

56. FM in radio operation means

a) Far medium transmission

b) Mega Frequency transmission

c) Modulated Frequency transmission

d) Modern Frequency transmission

57. Inferiority complex is used to describe

a) A mathematical complex inferior to algorithm.

b) A feeling that one is not as good or intelligent as other people.

c) A mathematical complex describing an inferior integral

d) A life inferior complex

58. The term LAN in Computer Systems means

a) Local Area Network

b) Low Antenna Network

c) Low Attenuated Network

d) logarithmic Advanced Network

59.A....................is one of the tools for bricklaying.

a) Spanner

b) Nail

c) Trowel

d) Scriber

60.The following maintains law and order EXCEPT.

a) Police

b) Air force

c) Engineer

d) Civil Defense

61. Good reading culture is done in the.........................

a) Darkroom

b) Bathroom

c) Library

d) Kitchen

62. Nigeria does not have this military branch the United States of America has.

a) Navy

b) Air force

c) Infantry

d) Marine

63. In which state is Madonna University situated in Nigeria.

a) Kwara

b) Ekiti

c) Anambra

d) Bayelsa

64. When did Nigeria join the World Trade Organisation.

a) 1995

b) 1904

c) 2004

d) 1996

65. The following are stationery EXCEPT.

a) Stapler

b) Exercise book

c) Abacus

d) Office pin

66. The following are types of camera EXCEPT.

a) Kodak

b) Samsung

c) Sony

d) Supper Kodak

67. The full meaning of WAEC is.....................

a) West African Examinations Council

b) West Africa Examination Council

c) West Africa Examination Councils

d) West Africa Examination Council

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

68. Spendthrift:

a) Miser

b) Loan

c) Foolish

d) Happy

Choose a word opposite in meaning to the first word

69. Profane:

a) Beautiful

b) Sacred

c) Profuse

d) Stiff.

70. A team of eight lumberjacks cut an average of 15,000 cubic feet of timber in a week. How many cubic feet will four lumberjacks cut in four weeks?

a) 30, 000

b) 25,000

c) 32,000

d) 16,000

71. The expression 2 x 2 x 2 is equal to 8 can be expressed as

A.   quadruple 2

B.   triple 2

C.   cubic 2

D.   thrice 2

72. The head of a parliamentary system of Government is

A.   The Prime Minister

B.   The President

C.   The Queen

D.   The King

73. Seconds, minutes, hours are units with definite converts faction which of the following is not

A.   inch, feet yard

B.   naira, dollar, pound

C.   centimetre, meter, kilometre

D.   centigrade, fahcuhelt, Celsius

74.   Mrs. Felicia Ojo borrowed ten (10) tiers of garri from her neighbour, Mrs Comfort Chinedu and promises to return it three fold, the following month. How many tiers of garri will she return?

a) 3

b) 13

c) 30

d)/10

75. Divide 666 cowries between 6 women traditional gods worshipers. How much does each receive?

a)111

b) 110

c) 66

d) 660

76.Write in full figures 10^6

a) 60

b) 6.0

c) 106

d) 1,000,000

77. I am 10 years old my sister is 4, in how many years shall I be twice as old as she will be?

A. 3

B. 4

C. 2

D. 5

78. Bola had fewer sums right than ojo, ojo had fewer sums right than Dele. Which had the most right answers?

A. Bola

B. Ojo and Bola

C. Dele

D. Bola and Dele

79. Audu is taller than Laide but shorter than Deji. Deji is of the same height as Taiwo.Who is the shortest?

A. Audu

B. Laide

C. Deji

D. Taiwo

80. The first prize was .... tray

a) a carved wooden attractive

b) a wooden attractive carved

c) an attractive carved wooden

d) a carved attractive wooden

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1.C 2.D 3.D 4.C 5.C 6.B 7.D 8.B

9.B 10.B 11.A 12.B 13.C 14.D 15.A

16. B

17. C

18. A

Explanation:

5/6 – 2/3

$\underline{5 - 4}$ = 1/6

  6

19. D 20. B 21. B 22. B 23. C

24. C

Explanation:

Hints; use I = PRT/ 100

25. C 26. A 27. D 28. B 29. C 30. D

31. A 32. C 33. A 34. D 35. B 36. C

37. A 38. D 39. D 40. B 41.B 42 B

43. C 44. B 45. B 46. B 47. C 48. A

49. D 50. C 51. A 52. D 53. B 54. A

55. A 56. C 57. B 58. A 59. C 60. C

61. C 62. D 63. C 64. A 65. C 66. D

67. A

68. A

69. B

70. A

Explanation:

$(8 \times 7)/15000 = (4 \times 7 \times 4)/X$

$X= (15000 \times 4 \times 7 \times 4)/(8 \times 7)$

X = 30,000

71. C 72. A 73. B

74. C

Explanation:

Folds is mostly used for multiplications, in essence thtee

75. A

Explanation:

666/6

= 111

76. D

Explanation:

10^6 is the same as $10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10$

= 1,000,000

77. C

Explanation:

M + X = 2 (S + X)

X= in how many years time

M = my age

S= Sister's age

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M + X = 2 (S + X)

10 + X = 2(4) +2 X

10 – 8 = 2X – X

2 = X

X = 2 years

78. C

79. B

80. C

d) moves fast

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"Success isn't always about greatness. It is about consistency. Consistent hard work leads to success. Greatness will come" – Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson

1.Who wrote the novel "Half of a yellow sun" ?

a) Chinua Achebe

b) Wole Soyinka

c) Olusegun Obasanjo

d) Chimamanda Adichie

2. Who is the author of Things Fall Apart ?

a) Wole Soyinka

b) Chimamanda Adichie

c) Chinua Achebe

d) Flora Nwapa

3. Which of the following spellings is correct

a) Panthar

b) Panther

c) Pantha

d) Panthre

4. The old woman **ambles about** in her garden

a) moves hurriedly

b) moves noisily

c) moves slowly

5. Which of the following is correctly spelt ?

a) brocolli

b) broccolli

c) brocollil

d) broccoli

6.In a single throw of a dice, what is the probability of getting a number greater than 4?

(a)1/2

(b)2/3

(c)1/4

(d)1/3

7.In banking, ATM stands for

(a)Automated Tallying Machine

(b)Automated Teller Machine

(c)Automated Totalling Machine

(d)Automated Transaction of Money

8. Late Idi Amin Dada was from which of the following countries

(a) Kenya

(b) Tanzania

(c) Uganda

(d) Congo Brazzaville

9. The following Nigerian footballers have won the African Footballer Award except

(a)Victor Ikpeba

(b)Nwankwo Kanu

(c)Rasheed Yekini

(d)Austin Okocha

10. The Federal Capital Territory was shifted from Lagos to Abuja in what year ?

(a) 1989

(b) 1990

(c) 1991

(d) 1992

11.Who designed the National flag?

(a). Mr. Taiwo Akinkunmi

(b) Mr. Taiwo Akinyemi

(c) Mr. Taiye Akinkumi

(d) None of the above

12. Nigeria became a republic in what year ?

a) 1960

b) 1914

c) 1980

d) 1963

13. In what year did the Northern and Southern protectorate in Nigeria amalgamate ?

a) 1960

b) 1963

c) 1914

d) 1991

14. Which of these is correctly spelt ?

a) Millennium

b) Millenium

c) Milinneum

d) Millinneum

15. Muhammadu Buhari became the military head of states in Nigeria in what year ?

a) 1985

b) 1984

c) 1983

d) 1982

16. Which of these is correctly spelt ?

a) Colleague

b) Collaegue

c) Colleage

d) coleague

17. Olusegun Obasanjo ruled as a Military head of states from what year to what year ?

a) 1986 - 1989

b) 1976 - 1979

c) 1975 - 1978

d) 1999 - 2007

18. The present senate of Nigeria is what republic ?

a) Eighth

b) Seventh

c) Sixth

d) Fifth

19. Which of the following is correct ?

a) Laison

b) Liaison

c) Liason

d) Laisson

20. Apparition is synonymous to

a) Ghost

b) Spirit

c) Demon

d) Witch

21. Ngozi has always considered her father to be an **impassioned** man.

a) Her father is a very lively man.

b) Her father is an emotional man.

c) Her father is a disciplined man.

d) Her father is a very strict man.

22. The manager paid us in **hard currency**.

a) We were paid in new notes.

b) We were paid in foreign currency.

c) We were paid in dollars and pound sterling.

d) We were paid in a strong and stable currency

23. If he went to London, he would see the Queen.

a) When he goes to London, he will see the Queen.

b) He did not go to London and did not see the Queen.

c) He did not see the Queen when he went to London.

d) He would like to see the Queen when he goes to London.

24. The elders rebuked Olu for **taking issue** with his principal.

a) Olu was cautioned for shouting at his principal.

b) Olu was scolded for acting in collusion with his principal.

c) Olu was reprimanded for arguing with his principal.

d) Olu was blamed for issuing a statement denying his principal.

25. The leader has the **unstinting** support of his party. (nearest in meaning)

a) unsparing

b) laudable

c) uninspiring

d) cautious

26. The company is to **shed** three thousand staff this year. (nearest in meaning)

a) demote

b) lay off

c) throw up

d) placate

27. There was **a glut of** oil on the market. (nearest in meaning)

a) a variety of

b) an accumulation of

c) an abundance of

d) an increase in

28. The nurse was in favour of voluntary **euthanasia**.

a) a painless death

b) a simple operation

c) a sleeping pill

d) a major operation

29. Be careful not to …... this money.

 A lose

B. loose

C. loss

D. lost

30. Ali plays ....…. violin with remarkable skill.

a) their

b) some

c) a

d) the

31. Ugo has often be described as **belligerent** (nearest in meaning)

a) attractive

b) patient

c) innocent

d) combative

32. The player kept on **gamely** to the end of the match

a) amateurishly

b) skilfully

c) courageously

d) stubbornly

33. Tade became **timorous** when she was asked to give the valedictory speech

a) excited

b) nervous

c) aggressive

d) happy

34. **YOUR** sister should come with us tomorrow

a) should your brother come with us tomorrow ?

b) should our brother come with us tomorrow ?

c) Should Ado's sister come with us tomorrow ?

d) Should my sister come with us tomorrow ?

35. They **FLEW** to Abuja

a) Did they go to Abuja by road ?

b) Did they fly to Jos ?

c) How will they get to Abuja ?

d) Where did they fly to ?

36. The imposing edifice .... a fortune to build

a) had costed

b) have cost

c) costed

d) cost

37. When Ajike met her .... husband at the party she felt like reconciling with him.

a) estranged

b) caring

c) strange

d) loving

38. Three quarters of the hostel ....been painted and three quarters of the students .... moved in.

a) has/has

b) has/have

c) have/has

d) have/have

39. **Church**

a) feature

b) chauffeur

c) Ocean

d) Machine

40. A wide range of options .... made available to the political parties during the recently concluded elections.

a) are

b) were

c) was

d) is

41. **Pas_t_**

a) wrestle

b) preached

c) castle

d) pasture

42. **Sure**

a) cheer

b) cheap

c) charlatan

d) church

43. Expostulate

a) exposTUlate

b) expostuLATE

c) EXpostulate

d) exPOStulate

44. The train .... before I arrived

a) was leaving

b) was leaving

c) had left

d) would leave.

45. .... of the students turned up, so the lecture was cancelled

a) few

b) little

c) a few

d) a little

46. You don't like mathematics, ...
you ?

a) don't

b) do

c) can't

d) can

47. If you are not careful, you would ....
your money.

a) loss

b) lose

c) loose

d) lost

48. He .... the picture on the table.

a) lay

b) laid

c) lied

d) lain

49. By the end of this month, ...
for three years in this school.

a) I will study

b) I am studying

c) I will have been studying

d) I had been studying

50. Photography

a) phoTOgraphy

b) PHOtography

c) photoGRAphy

d) photograPHY

51. The rent for a house is N 600 per
month. What is the total rent for a
year?

a) #2720

b) #7200

c) #1720

d) #720

52 Simplify $(\sqrt{49})^2$

a) 7

b) 49

c) 6

d) 8

53. A lucky draw price of #150 was
shared among three winners in the ratio
4:5:6. How much did each get?

a) 30, 40, 70

b) 40, 50, 60

c) 50, 60, 40

d) 20, 50, 70

54. In a school, 25 teachers out of 60
own cars. What is the ratio of the
teachers who own cars to those who do
not?

a) 5:7

b) 3:4

c) 1:3

d) 5:12

55. I have N12 and my brother has N24. what is the ratio of my money to my brothers?

a) 3:4

b) 1:2

c) 2:4

d) 1:3

56. A decagon has ………….. sides

a) Seven

b) eight

c) nine

d) ten

57. A dozen is 12, a score is ……………

a) 20

b) 24

c) 48

d) 144

58. What year was the University of Ilorin established ?

a) 1985

b) 1975

c) 1974

d) 1984

59. Who is the current Jamb registrar ?

a) Prof 'Dibu Ojerinde

b) Prof Ishaq Oloyede

c) Prof Itsey Sagay

d) Prof Yemi Osibanjo

60. Which of these is Kwara State slogan ?

a) God's own state

b) Food basket of the nation

c) The big heart

d) State of harmony

61. If twenty five percent of candidate for post UTME are girls, what fraction of the candidate are boys?

a) one - quarter

b) two - third

c) half

d) three – quarter

62. Two sums of money are in ratio two to ten, if the smallest is fifteen kobo, what is the largest?

a) one naira fifty kobo

b) thirty five kobo

c) seventy five kobo

d) one hundred and fifty naira

63. When Caleb was 15years old his brother Clement was 18years, if Caleb was born in year 1900, in what year was Clement born?

a) 1903

b) 1915

c) 1897

d) 1867

64. In a class of thirty two boys, sixteen passed an examination and four were absent while the rest students failed. What percentage of the whole class failed?

a) 37.5

b) 50

c) 42.86

d) 57.14

65. I owe a sum of two hundred and twenty naira and was able to pay one hundred and ten naira. What percentage have I not paid?

a) forty – four

b) twenty

c) fifty

d) fifty – four

66. He was both a writer and a politician, but he was better .... a singer.

a) as if

b) like

c) as

d) to be

67. We visited his house .... three times.

a) like

b) for like

c) about

d) for about

68. We stood up when the principal came in, ...

a) Isn't it ?

b) Didn't we ?

c) Not so ?

d) Did us ?

c) they despise each other.

d) they are friends with each other.

69. demarcation

a) demarcaTION

b) demarCAtion

c) deMARcation

d) DEmarcation

73. Which of this is the correct spelling

a) servette

b) serviette

c) serviete

d) servitte

70. Which of this is correct

a) Fahrenheit

b) farenheit

c) fahreheit

d) fahrrenheit

74. NCC means -------------------------

A. Nitel Communication Commission

B. Nigerian Communication Centre

C. Nigeria Communication Centre

D. Nigerian Communication Commission

71. Which of this is correct

a) Rhinoceros

b) Rinoceros

c) Rhinocerous

d) Rhinoxerous

75.Which is the world's largest archipelago?

A. British Isles

B. Canadian Arctic Archipelago

C. Japanese Archipelago

D. Malay Archipelago

72. There is **no love lost** between them

a) they can't do with out each other.

b) they are happy together.

76.Where is British Isles located?

A. Atlantic Ocean

B. Arctic Ocean

C. Indian Ocean

D. Pacific ocean

77. Where is the RING OF FIRE located?

A. Baltic Sea

B. Dead Sea

C. Indian Ocean

D. Pacific Ocean

78. The two colours seen at the upper part of the rainbow are

A. Indigo and Violet

B. Red and Orange

C. Green and Blue

D. Orange and Yellow

79. Which of these numbers is the odd one out?

A. 4561

B. 3724

C. 9142

D. 6434

80. The cost of 20 pieces of tomato each weighing 150g is N240, what will be the cost of 30 pieces if each weighs 120g?

A. N240

B. N300

C. N288

D. N388

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1. D

Explanation:

Half of a yellow sun was written by Chimamanda Adichie. Other books written by her are **Purple Hibiscus**, **Americanah** etc.

2. C

Things fall Apart was written by the late Chinua Achebe. He also Authored **There was a country**

3. B

Panther is of the Cat family and is spelt P-A-N-T-H-E-R e.g. The black panther is a wild animal.

4. C

Explanation:

Ambles about is the same as moves slowly.

5. D

Explanation:

Broccoli is spelt B-R-O-C-C-O-L-I with two "C" and one "L"

6. D

Explanation

There are six possible throws in a die which are 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

Therefore we can see that only two (2) throws 5, 6 are bigger than 4

Therefore the probability is 2/6

= **1/3**

7. B

Explanation:

The full meaning of the acronym ATM is **Automated Teller Machine**.

8. C

Explanation:

The late Idi Amin was from Uganda

9. D

Explanation:

Austin "Jay Jay" Okocha is one of the notable African (Nigerian) not win the **CAF** African Footballer of the Year award during their career.

10. C

Explanation:

The Federal Capital Territory was moved from Lagos to Abuja in the year 1991.

11. A

Explanation:

Mr Taiwo Akinkumi designed Nigeria's flag in the year **1959**

12. D

Explanation:

Nigeria became a Republic in **1963**. Her Independence was however in **1960**.

13. C

Explanation:

The historic amalgamation that resulted in present day Nigeria was in **1914**

14. A

Explanation

Millennium has two "L" and two "N"
{Please take note}

15. C

Explanation:

1983 is the answer and he was overthrown via a palace coup by the Ibrahim Badamosi Babangida regime in 1985. Please take note of the military head of state (not civilian president)

16. A

Explanation

Colleague is spelt C-O-L-L-E-A-G-U-E

17. B

18. A

By 2019, it will become the Ninth republic.

19. B

Explanation:

Liaison is spelt L-I-A-I-S-O-N with two "I" between the A.

20. A

21. B

22. D

23. B

24. C

25. A

Explanation:

Unsparing and **Unstinting** are nearest in meaning.

26. B

Explanation:

When shed has to do with workers or people, **lay off** is more appropriate.

27. C

Explanation

A glut means an abundance of.

28. A

Explanation:

Euthanasia is a medical term also called **Mercy death** in which after careful consideration and deliberation involving medical personnel and the family of a victim in critical condition. A consensus is

reached to "pull the plug" instead of either prolonging the inevitable or by reducing the pain or discomfort of such an individual. So "A" is the closest to this.

29. A

Explanation

Lose is correct. Check question 47 in year 2017 for more explanation.

30. D

Explanation:

"The" is the right article to use here. Please take note.

31. D

Explanation

Belligerent is synonymous to being combative I.e. wanting to fight at all times.

32. C

Explanation

Gamely here means courageously

33. B

Explanation:

To be timorous just like timid connotes shyness, nervousness etc.

34. D

35. A

Explanation:

The only question that will make you shout (emphasize) FLEW, is "did they go to Abuja **by road** ?"

36. D

37. A

38. B

39. A

Explanation:

Only Church and features both share the same sound in their "Ch" and "T" respectively.

40. C

Explanation

A range of, a series of, a group of etc. Are all accompanied by a singular verb. "Was" here was preferred to "Is" because of past activity.

41. B

Explanation

Preached is correct here. Wres<u>t</u>le and Cas<u>t</u>le both possess a silent "t" consonant. Pasture on the other hand has "ch" sounding consonant in place of its "t".

42. C

Explanation

Charlatan like Champagne has the same consonant as "S" in sure.

43. D

Explanation

The stress pattern for words ending in -ATE is stress the third syllable from behind.

@ + STRESS + @ + ATE

Note: @ represents a syllable.

44. C

Explanation

Only had can join two clauses together

 (1) The train .... left
 (2) Before I arrived.

Please also take note of the "arrived" indicating a past action.

45. A

Explanation:

The answer here is "few" that is, not enough. Which could have led to the cancellation of the said lecture. **<u>Note</u>**: Little is not a determinant for countable nouns such as students.

46. B

Explanation:

Negative statement gives positive question tags and vice versa.

47. B

Explanation:

Lose is the answer here, which means to no longer be in possession of something. Loose is to make less tightened. Loss is a noun. Lost is past tense of lose.

{Please put this at the back of your mind as examiners are fond of setting questions requiring the knowledge of the distinction between the aforementioned}.

48. B

Explanation:

He **<u>laid</u>** the picture on the table is correct. When it comes to placing on a table or

surface lay and laid are the present and past tense respectively.

49. C

50. A

Explanation

For words ending in PHY

Note: Always stress the third syllables from behind e.g

@ + @ + STRESS + @ + phy

51. B

Explanation:

#600/months

Since 12 months make a calendar year

The rent for a year becomes

= 600 × 12

= **#7,200**

52. B

Explanation

= $(\sqrt{49})^2$

= $(7)^2$

= (7×7)

= **49**

53. B

Explanation

4 : 5 : 6

= 4 + 5 + 6 = 15

Therefore

For the first;

4/15 × 150 = **40**

The next;

5/15 × 150 = **50**

The last but not the least;

6/15 × 150 = **60**

54. A

Explanation

Those who don't own a car = Total number – Those who own cars

T = 60 – 25

T = 35

Therefore the ratio of those who own to those who don't own is

25 : 35

Which can be broken down to **5 : 7** as it simplest form.

55. B

Explanation:

Mine : His

12 : 24

6 : 12

1 : 2

56. D

57. A

58. B

Explanation:

UNILORIN was established in the year 1975. It is expected of you to know some basic things about the university you are applying to. For example; Its year of establishment and current Vice Chancellor.

59. B

Explanation

The right answer here is Professor Ishaq Oloyede who was formerly Vice Chancellor of the University of Ilorin.

60. D

61. D

Explanation:

If 25% of them are girls. 100 – 25 = 75% will represent boys.

Therefore 75/100 in its simplest term is 3/4

Which in writing is " three – quarter"

62. C

Explanation:

Let our unknown be Y

2 : 10

15 kobo : Y

Cross multiplying

$2 \times Y = 10 \times 15$

Y = 150 / 2

Y = **75**

63. C

Explanation:

From the given variables

Caleb who is 15 years old was born in the year 1900

Clement is 18 years old and we are asked to find his birth year

Since he is 3 years older than Caleb that means he was born three years before Caleb

Therefore; 1900 – 3 = **1897**

64. A

Explanation

Total number of students – those who passed – those absent = those who failed

32 – 16 – 4 = 12

Therefore the percentage of those who failed is

12/32 × 100 = 37.5%

65. C

Explanation

220 .... 100%

If you paid 110 therefore the amount remaining is 220 – 110

= #110

220 ..... 100%

110 ..... X%

Cross multiplying

100 × 110 = 220 × X

X = (100 × 110)/220

X = 50%

66. C

67. C

68. B

69. B

Explanation:

Note: The stress pattern for words ending in TION is stressing of the second from the last syllable.

@ + @ + @ + STRESS + ion

70. A

Fahrenheit (a unit of temperature measurement) is spelt F-A-H-R-E-N-H-E-I-T

71. A

Rhinoceros is spelt R-H-I-N-O-C-E-R-O-S

72. C

Explanation:

No love lost actually means they despise or hate each other.

73. B

Explanation:

Serviette is spelt S-E-R-V-I-E-T-T-E

74. D

75. D

76. A

77. D

78. B

79. D

80. C

1. Jide and Mary met .... The University of Ilorin carnival night.

A. At

B. In

C. On

D. From

2. Have you any objection............ lunch.

A. To take

B. Taking

C. To taking

D. For taking

3. How many senate seats do we have in each state in Nigeria..

A. 3

B. 4

C. 5

D. 2

4. Who's the founder of Facebook.

A. Bill Gate

B. Mark Zuckerberg

C. Jimmy Carter

D. Mike Adenuga

5. Those toys were ...... by him

A. Made

B. Make

C. Did

D. Done

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"Successful people are not gifted; they just work hard, then succeed on purpose" – Booker T. Washington

D. 11

6. What's the work of lumberjack

A. Felling tree

B. Planting tree

C. Planting flowers

D. Planting vegetable

7. If y/5 = 10/25

Find y.

A.1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

8. What is the capital of Gambia ?

A. Banjul

B. Bangui

C. Monrovia

D. Ndjamena

9. Budapest is in which country

A. Netherlands

B. Hungary

C. Argentina

D. Portugal

10. What is the sum of the smallest and the largest prime number from 1-10

A. 8

B. 9

C. 10

11. Which one of the following was NOT an American president

A. Nelson Mandela

B. Barack Obama

C. Ronald Reagan

D. George Bush

12. Choose the option that rhymes with the word below

Table

A. Tablet

B. Scramble

C. Label

D. Sabre

13. As far as Ade is concerned, Kemi should not be given more than N50 at most. This means that

A. By Ade's estimation, Kemi doesn't merit N50

B. According to Ade, Kemi should be given not less than N50

C. All Ade is concerned with is that Kemi should not be given more than N50

D. Ade said that Kemi must be given N50

14. Choose the option that has the same sound as the word below

Ch**oi**ce

A. Chose

B. Boys

C. Lounge

D. Eyes

15. If $3^{(x - y)}=27$ and $3^{(x + y)}=243$, find x

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

16. What's the meaning of period ?

A. clock

B. semi colon

C. comma

D. full stop

17. Verbs that remain the same in the past and past participle form are called ?

A. Regular verbs

B. Irregular verbs

C. Static verbs

D. Dynamic verbs

18. Which of this ethnic groups is NOT Nigerian

A. Jukuns

B. Yorubas

C. Mendes

D. Idomas

19. They arrested the policemen that ____ the women

A. Harased

B. Harrassed

C. Harrased

D. Harassed

20. I'll do it in my ____

A. Leisure

B. Leizure

C. Lesure

D. Liesure

21. Chose the correct spelling

A. Demacation

B. Demercation

C. Dermacation

D. Demarcation

22. Who is regarded as the king of pop

A. Tupac Shakur

B. King Sunny Ade

C Michael Jackson

D. Ayo "Wizkid" Balogun

23. Athens is in which country

A. Greece

B. Romania

C. France

D. Armenia

24. Kalahari desert is located in which part of Africa ?

A. North

B. West

C. East

D. South

25. Which country in the world has the has largest economy?

A. China

B. USA

C. Nigeria

D. Japan

26. Who is the current INEC chairman?

A Prof Attahiru Jega

B. Prof Maurice Iwu

C. Prof Yakubu Mahmoud

D. Prof Amina Zakari

27. In 'bibliophobia' what does "biblio" stands for ?

A. Disease

B. Bible

C. Book

D. Blue

28. How many syllables are there in the word

(Prompt, Twelfth, Cart)

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 1

29. Which of these is associated with clusters ?

A. Diphthongs

B. Monophthongs

C. Consonants

D. Vowels

30. How many players make up a volley ball team ?

A. 6

B. 5

C. 7

D. 8

31. Which of these pairs is consonantal ?

A./P/ and /S/

B. /I/ and /E/

C. /O/ and /P/

D. /A/ and /E/

32. What is 40% of 50 ?

A. 10

B. 15

C. 20

D. 30

33. Which country has never won a World Cup ?

A. England

B. Uruguay

C. USA

D. Brazil

34. Which of these is the most commonly used search engine ?

A. Yahoo

B. Ask.com

C. Google

D. Facebook

35. It is Ade and you, who _____ wrong

A. Is

B. Are

C. Am

D. Was

36. Northern and Southern Nigeria was amalgamated in what year ?

A.1919

B. 1914

C. 1960

D. 1963

37. Which of these doesn't belong to cat family

A. Lion

B. Leopard

C. Cougar

D. Bear

38. Which of these doesn't have MODE

A. 20 40 20 30 20

B. 50 70 30 50 10

C. 20 40 30 70 60

D. 20 20 20 60 10

39. He is my _____

A. Coleague

B. Colleague

C. Collige

D. College

40. Choose the correct spelling

A. Lieutenant

B. Leftanant

C. Lietenant

D lieutenat

41. The number of Geopolitical zones in Nigeria Is ?

A. Two

B. Four

C. Six

D. Eight

42. Which of these is a month with 30 days ?

A. November

B. February

C. January

D. December

43. The first Nigerian to get a Nobel prize?

A. Prof Chinua Achebe

B. Dr Olusegun Obasanjo

C. Prof 'Wole Soyinka

D. Dr Ngozi Okonjo,-Iweala

44. What year was the first world Cup hosted ?

A. 1957

B. 1960

C. 1930

D. 1928

45. The acronyms EFCC stands for ?

A. Economic and Finance Crime Commission

B. Economical and Financial Crime Commission

C. Economic and Financial Crime Commission

D. Economic and Financial Commission for Crime.

46. What is the full meaning of NSCDC ?

A. National Security and Civil Defence Corps

B. Nigeria Stock and Credit Debit Company

C. Nigerian Security and Civil fence Corpse

D. Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corp

47. What is the full meaning of IMF ?

A. Internal Memorandum fund

B. International Monetary fund

C. Intervention Monetary fund

D. Intelligence Members forum

48. What's the full meaning of NAFDAC ?

A. Nigerian Agency for food and drug administration and control

B. National Agency for food and drug administration and control

C. National Association of food and drug accomplishment and control

D. Nigeria Agency for food, drug, administration and control

49. What's the full meaning of NDLEA

A. Nigerian Drugs Law Enforcement Agency

B. Nigeria Drug and Law Enforcement Association

C. National Drugs Law Enforcement Association

D. National Drug Law Enforcement Agency

50. What modifies a verb ?

A. Preposition

B. Noun

C. Adverb

D. Adjective

51. Where was Festac '77 held ?

A. Abuja

B. Kwara

C. Benin

D. Lagos

52. Gombe state slogan is ?

A. Jewel of the Savannah

B. Pearl of Tourism

C. The New World

D. State of Harmony

53. The First FIFA world cup hosted in Africa was in what year?

A. 1960

B. 1998

C. 2010

D. 2018

54. The same vowel sound is found in;

Cr<u>u</u>de and ?

A. Stole

B. Clock

C. Rout.

D. hoot

55. There was ..... much noise at night that we couldn't sleep

A) such a

B) that

C) very

D) so

55. The title of a report should be

A) unambiguous

B) ambiguous

C) inciting

D) verbose.

56.

A. Millennium

B. Millenium

C. Mileniuim

D. Milennium

57. An intransitive verb is a .....

A) verb with an object

B) verb with a subject

C) verb with no object

D) verb with only one object

58.

A. Demarcation

B. Dermercation

C. Dermacation

D. Dermarcation

59. 125^1/3 x 49^1/2 x 10^0

A. 45

B. 40

C. 35

D. 30

60. Name of Current University of Ilorin registrar?

A. Prof Abdulkareem Sulyman Age

B. Mr Emmanuel Dada Obafemi

C. Dr Folaranmi Modupe Olowoleni

D. Prof Sylvia Omonirume Malomo

61. Either the principal or the teachers........... good

A. Has

B. Are

C. Is

D. Was

62. The headquarter of AU is ?

A. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

B. Casablanca, Morocco.

C. Abuja, Nigeria.

D. Accra, Ghana.

63. Full meaning of UTME ?

A. Universal Tertiary Matriculation Examination

B. Unified Technology Matriculation Examination

C. University Tertiary Matriculation Examination

D. Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination

64. A dark horse is ?

A. Someone who is dark in complexion

B. A workaholic of African descent

C. Someone who little is known about

D. An irate individual

65. The correct spelling is ?

A. Lolipop

B. Lollipop

C. Lolippop

D. Lollippop

66. She said she was disappointed .... his behaviour.

A. In

B. For

C. At

D. By

67. To hit someone below the belt... Is an idiomatic expression connoting ?

A. To fight with the individual

B. To gain advantage over them

C. To defeat the individual

D. To discipline them

68. The wind blew and the leaves fell. This is an example of a ?

A. Compound Sentence

B. Complex Sentence

C. Compound-complex sentence

D. Simple Sentence

69. Whenever a goal is scored, fans jubilate . The underlined is an example of what type of sentence ?

A. Simple

B. Complex

C. Compound

D. Compound-complex

70. The woman was anxious because her child was seriously ill in the hospital. The word synonymous to the underlined is ?

A. Eager

B. Elated

C. Worried

D. Interested

71. Which state is referred to as pace setter ?

A. Ebonyi

B. Kebbi

C. Jigawa

D. Oyo

72. .... is something both friends and family look forward to with great joy.

A. Retrenchment

B. Retirement

C. Parsimony

D. Divorce

73. Having success gives one great ....

A. Fulfillment

B. Fulfilment

C. Fullfilment

D. Fufilment

74. An organisation that controls climate change in Nigeria is ?

A. NEMA

B. CCRP

C. FADAMA

D. UN

75. A man bought a gross of oranges, A score was bad. What is the percentage of the good ones?

A. 56%

B. 66%

C. 76%

D. 86%

76. The president at the time Nigeria won her first African Cup of Nation was ?

A. Abdulsalam Abubakar

B. Olusegun Obasanjo

C. Ibrahim Badamosi Banbagida

D. Shehu Shagari

77.

A. Referrendum

B. Referedum

C. Referendum

D. Renferedum

78.

A. Omission

B. Omision

C. Ommision

D. Ommission

79.

A. Chauffere

B. Chauffeur

C. Chaffeur

D. Chafeur

80.

A. Corection

B. Correcttion

C. Correction

D. Corecction

81.

A. Disappear

B. Disapear

C. Disappere

D. Disappaer

82.

A. Lesure

B. Leisure

C. Liesure

D. Lesiure

83.

A. Embarrass

B. Ebarrass

C. Embarass

D. Embarras

84.

A. Etiqette

B. Etiquette

C. Etiquete

D. Etiquetee

85.

A. Aceleration

B. Accelleration

C. Acceleration

D. Accelaretion

86

A. Acomodation

B. Accomondation

C. Acommodation

D. Accommodation

87.

A. Weather

B. Waether

C. Wethaer

D. Weater

88.

A. Collaegue

B. Colleague

C. Colleag

D. Coleague

89.

A. Kalaidoscope

B. Kaledoscope

C. Kaleidoscope

D. Kailedoscope

90.

A. Evironment

B. Enviroment

C. Eviromenr

D. Environment

91.

A. Privileged

B. Priviledge

C. Previledge

D. Previlige

92.

A. Referred

B. Refered

C. Reffered

D. Refferred

93.

A. Dirrhae

B. Diarrhoea

C. Diarrhea

D. Diarrhae

94

A. Flourescent

B. Fluorescent

C. Floweresent

D. Fluoriscent

95. Which of these has to do with Clusters ?

A. Monophthong

B. Diphthong

C. Vowels

D. Consonant

96. I saw her .... through the door ?

A. Walk

B. Walking

C. Walks

D. Walked

97. Coyote is a member of the .... family ?

A. Cat

B. Dog

C. Bat

D. Rodent

98. Circulation

A. CIRculation

B. cirCUlation

C. circuLAtion

D. circulaTION

99.

He spoke to them in a language .... shocking for word

A. So

B. Very

C. Much

D. Too

100.

How many countries qualified for Russia 2018 World Cup ?

A.24

B. 30

C. 36

D. 32

101. The head of a school is principal while the head of a University is _____

A. chancellor

B. vice Chancellor

C. provost

D. proprietor

102. The millennium development Goal was introduced in

A. 2014

B. 2015

C. 2016

D. 2018

103. Nigeria became a republic in

A. 1st October, 2000

B. 1st October, 1960

C. 1st October, 1959

D. 1st October, 1963

104. Which of the following statements about a rectangle is not true ?

A. All sides are equal

B. All angles are equal

C. It has two diagonals

D. It has four sides

105. Find the perimeter of a rectangle whose length is 30cm and breadth is 0.15m. (answer should be in cm)

A. 30.15cm

B. 0.45 cm

C. 90cm

D. 45cm

106. Mt. Everest is located at

A. London

B. Moscow

C. Beijing

D. Nepal

107. Abraham Lincoln was once a president of _____

A. USA

B. England

C. Switzerland

D. France

108. The full meaning of EFCC is

A. Economic financial and crimes commission

B. Economic financial crime commission

C. Economic and Financial crime commission

D. Economic financial crimes commission

109. Ade's friends **gave a wide berth** to the boy that beat Ade.

A. They attacked the boy

B. They kept distance from the boy

C. They abused the boy

D. They gave the boy a gift

110 A trader made a 15% loss from the sale of a good. Find the ratio of selling price to cost price

A. 3:20

B. 20:8

C. 3:7

D. 17:20

111.

A. strenous

B. strennuous

C. strennous

D. strenuous

112.

A. Definately

B. Definitaly

C. Definitely

D. Definataly

113.

A. ocasion

B. occassion

C. occasion

D. ocassion

114. Superhuman ; **'super'** here means

A. before

B. after

C. under

D. beyond

115. The baby of an Elephant will never act like a buffalo

This illustration signify

A. Self knowledge

B. Self control

C. Self Respect

D. Pride

116. What colour is often associated with hot temperatures ?

A. Yellow

B. Blue

C. Red

D. Green

117. $35 + 2b - b^2$

A. $(35 - b)(2+b)$

B. $(35 + b)(1-b)$

C. $(7+b)(5+b)$

D. $(7-b)(5+b)$

118. **More than 30 million** are infected with HIV/AIDS

A. Compliment of the verb

B. Object of the verb

C. subject of the verb

D. adverb of the verb

119. **"Beatrice is always chasing the rainbow"** means that

A. Beatrice is always trying to get favour from superiors

B. Beatrice loves bright colours

C. Beatrice is materialistic

D. Beatrice is always after something she will never get or attain.

120. If (2,3,1) (3,6,4) = (3,3,1) and (3,0,3) (7,2,6) = (3,2,4). Find (2,2,1) (3,4,3)

A. (3,2,3)

B. (3,0,1)

C. (2,2,2)

D. (2,2,1)

121. /i:/

A. Kite

B. eat

C. lit

D. right

122. /g/

A. gnash

B. king

C. rugged

D. wrong

123. The family is looking forward to celebrating .....

A. Christmas festival

B. Christmas ceremony

C. Christmas

D. Christmas holidays

124.

A. UNfortunately

B. unFORtunately

C. unforTUnately

D. unfortuNATEly

125. Is Sola with my CAR ?

A. Is Dupe with my car ?

B. Who is with my car ?

C. Is Sola with your car ?

D. Is Sola with my key ?

126. The information she gave me was **invaluable** (synonyms)

A. Necessary

B. Useful

C. Costless

D. Essential

127. The girl's only job was to care _____ her sick grandmother

A. For

B. about

C. to

D. of

128. The students as well as their principal _____ in school last week

A. was

B. is

C. were

D. are

129. The workers and not their manager _____ responsible for the crisis

A. was

B. are

C. is

D. were

130. It all depended on what he _____

A. wanted

B. wants

C. will want

D. has wanted

131. _____ you go, I will follow you

A. whereever

B. werever

C. wereever

D. wherever

132. Which currency in Nigeria was introduced in 2005 ?

A. #500

B. #200

C. #100

D. #1000

133. Which of the following punctuation marks doesn't have a dot

A. hyphen

B. colon

C. semi colon

D. Exclamation mark

134. What category of states are in the same geo-political zone ?

A. Sokoto, Bornu, Kaduna, Zamfara

B. Kwara, Niger, Plateau, Yobe

C. Imo, Akwa-Ibom, Enugu, Bayelsa

D. Kwara, Niger, Nasarawa, Plateau

135. The 2015 presidential election was held on

A. March 14

B. February 14

C. May 29

D. March 29

136. The man bought clothes, shoes and mattresses in the supermarket.

This sentence contains how many clause(s) ?

A. One

B. Two

C. Three

D. Four

137. In letter writing, complimentary greetings end with a/an

A. Full stop

B. Exclamation mark

C. Comma

D. Colon

138. Full stop is used in the _____ of a sentence

A. Beginning

B. Middle

C. ending

D. start

139. Kunle claimed he hit the girl **inadvertently** but we all know he did it _____ (Antonyms)

A. unintentionally

B. forcefully

C. Deliberately

D. Obtrusively

140. Let us say we agree.

A. Don't we

B. isn't it

C. Shall we

D. can't we

141. In those days, things were easy. A young man _____ own a house.

A. could have

B. might

C. could

D. may

142. 25% of x is y, what is x ?

A. y/4

B. 4y

C. y^4

D. Four

SOLUTION TO 2018 POST UTME QUESTIONS

1.A

2. C

3. A

Three Senators are elected from each state of the federation as representatives of the people in the Upper legislative Chamber. While the FCT has one senator representing it. $36 \times 3 = 108$, then $108 + 1$ (from FCT) brings the total number to **109**

4. B

Mark Zuckerberg is the founder/CEO of the popular Social Network called Facebook.

5. A

6. A

Lumberjack has to do with lumbering i.e. felling of trees (lumbering)

7.B

Y/5 = 10/25

Y = (10 * 5)/25 = 2

8.A

  Country – Capital

a. Gambia – Banjul

b. Liberia – Monrovia

c. Central Africa Republic – Bangui

d. Chad -- N'djamena

Take note of the similarity between the capital of C.A.R and Gambia.

Mnemonics:

While the **CAR** gives a **BANG** sound.

BANJo likes **GAMes.**

It is expected of you to know Countries and their capitals.

9.B

Budapest is the capital of Hungary

10.B

Note:

A prime number is one that can only be divided by 1 and itself (1 is excluded)

An even number is a number which is evenly divisible by 2.

An odd number is any integer that can not be divided by 2 without giving a remainder (1 is included)

Now; to the question proper, the prime integer between 1 and 10 are ; 2, 3, 5, 7

Hence the sum between the highest and lowest is $2 + 7 = 9$

11.A

Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela was a South African anti-apartheid revolutionary, political leader, and philanthropist who served as President of South Africa from 1994 to 1999. He was a political prisoner for 27 years and died on 5th December 2013.

The rest options were once POTUS (President of the United States)

12. B

13. C

14. B

15. D

$3^{(x - y)} = 27$ ------(1)

$3^{(x + y)} = 243$ -------(2)

Therefore

$3^{(x - y)} = 3^3$ ----(1)

$3^{(x + y)} = 3^5$ ----(2)

Hence

$X - y = 3$

$X + y = 5$

(since we are interested in the value of x to eliminate Y we'll add both equations)

$2x = 8$

$X = 8/2 = 4$

16. D

17. B

More often than not, verbs changes in their past tense and past participle's form either by the addition of suffix -ed or other variant forms. Verbs of such nature are referred to as **regular verbs.** E.g Walk – Walked – Walked

Another category of verbs that maintain their spellings all through the various tenses are termed **irregular verbs.** E.g

 Hurt – Hurt – Hurt

Cast – Cast – Cast etc.

18. C

19. D

20. A

21. D

22. C

Michael Joseph Jackson was an American singer, songwriter and dancer. Popularly referred to as the king of pop. He died on 25th of June 2009.

23. A

24. D

The Kalahari Desert is a large semi-arid sandy savannah in Southern Africa extending for 900,000 square kilometres, covering much of Botswana, parts of Namibia and regions of South Africa

25. B

26. C

27. C

28. D

29. C

30. A

31. A

The English Alphabets apart from the 5 vowels i.e. A E I O U are Consonants.

Therefore option A is the pair that falls under consonants.

32. C

33. C

34. C

The world most popular search engine was founded on the 4th of September 1998 by Larry Page and Sergey Brin

35. B

36. B

Option C: Nigeria year of Independence

Option D: Year Nigeria became a Republic.

37. D

38. C

The mode of a group of item is simply the "most" in terms of number. The rest options has at least a number occurring more than its contemporaries.

39. B

40. A

41. C

The number of geopolitical zones in Nigeria is 6. With each zone comprising 6 states with the notable exceptions being the South East and the North West with 5 and 7 states respectively.

42. A

The Song;

30 days hath September, April, June and November

All the rest are 31

Except February alone,

Which hath 28 days and 29 days in a leap year.

43. C

Professor Wole Soyinka won the Nobel Prize for Literature in the year 1986. He is presently the only Nigerian to have won it.

44. C

The inaugural edition of the FIFA world cup was hosted and won by Uruguay in 1930.

45. C

46. A

47. B

48. B

49. D

50. C

A preposition, usually preceding a noun or a pronoun, shows the relationship between them and other elements of grammar.

An adverb modifies a verb.

An adjective qualifies a noun.

A noun is the naming part of speech.

51. D

52. A

Option B: Bauchi

Option C: Jigawa

Option D: Kwara

Endeavour to know the remaining states and their slogans.

53. C

54. A

55. A

This is a test on collocation.

So ...... that √

No sooner .... than √

Although ...... "," or "yet" √

Hardly had ..... When √

No option ..... But √

56. A   57. C   58. A   59. C.

60. C

Take Note:

Option A: Vice Chancellor

Option B: Immediate past Registrar

Option D: Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academics)

61. B

This falls under concord, one of the rule is the noun or pronoun after "or" or "nor" is taken as the subject and should therefore determine the verb (singular or plural) to be used. The sentence detachment method can also be used for this.

Teachers is plural, hence the subject should be plural also, in this case "Are" is correct.

62. A

63. D

64. C

A dark horse has nothing to do with the skin (black) or ancestry (African). It simply means an individual who little is known about and who often times triumphs beyond the popular expectations in contest.

65. B

66. C

This falls on the test on preposition. You are disappointed in somebody but disappointed at something.

Succinctly put

Disappointed at something √

Disappointed in somebody √

67. B

This idiomatic expression has nothing to do with physical combat. It simply means gaining undue advantage over another individual.

68 A

A sentence consisting of only one clause, with a single subject and predicate.

A compound sentence has at least two independent clauses that have related ideas. The independent clauses can be joined by a coordinating conjunction (for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so) or by a semicolon.

A complex sentence is a sentence with an independent clause and a dependent clause.

Compound-Complex Sentences. As the name suggests, a compound-complex sentence brings both of these sentence forms together. That is, it contains at least two independent clauses (like a compound sentence) and at least one dependent clause (like a complex sentence).

69 B

See the previous explanation.

70. C

Here is actually a bit tricky in the sense that the other words are not really that far in meaning to the word "anxious". Our preference for Worried over the others is owing to the context in which it used.

This question quite exemplifies the common saying that; the dictionary should in no way be the absolute authority when choosing answers pertaining to antonym and synonyms. The "context" of usage should be given the paramount attention.

71. D

72. B

People look forward to Retirement and not divorce or retrenchment. This is another example of words usage in context.

Parsimony simply means stinginess or meanness i.e. the reluctance to let go of money or other resources.

73. B

74. A

75. D

Dozen is a standard term used to equal the number twelve (12). **Score** is also a standard term, and it's equal to twenty (20). And, the word **gross** in English is basically used to mean 144.

Therefore

Gross (Total oranges) – score (Bad oranges) = X (Good oranges)

144 – 20 = 124

Therefore percentage of Good oranges (X) is ?

X/144 * 100 = % of X

% of X = 124/144 * 100

% of X = 86%

76. D

Nigeria has won the African Cup of Nation three times. In 1980, 1994 and the most recent being 2013. The president of the country at the time of the her first ever triumph at the continental biennial competition in 1980 was Alhaji Shehu Shagari. (He died recently on the 28th of December, 2018)

2nd Triumph (1994) – Gen. Sani Abacha

3rd Triumph (2013) – Goodluck Jonathan

77.C 78.A 79. B 80.C 81. A 82.B 83.A

84. B 85. C 86. D 87. A 88. B 89. C 90. D

91. A 92. A 93. B 94. B 95. D

96. A

The knowledge of fast and slow action is being tested here. A fast action is one which is carried out within a very little time frame, whereas a slow action is one that is carried out within a much larger time frame.

Example of fast actions are

Cross (cross the road), leap (leap over a fence), Slap (slap somebody's face) etc.

Example of slow actions are

Washing, Cooking, Singing etc.

Questions on this are usually started by;

I saw...

We saw... etc.

And the rule is, use a bare infinitive (a verb in its base form without "s", "ed" or any other suffix) when an action is fast. Also as a rule, a slow action should be used only in

the present continuous form e.g. washing, cooking etc.

97.B

A Coyote is a member of the dog or wolf family.

98.C. 99. D

100D

The Russia 2018 football showpiece comprised 32 teams with France emerging as the champion. The next World Cup is coming up in the year 2022 in Qatar.

101.B 102. B 103. D 104. A 105. C 106.D

107.A 108.C 109.B 110.D 111.D 112.C

113.C 114.D 115.A 116.C 117.D 118.C

119.D 120.C 121B 122.C 123.C 124.B

125. D 126.D 127.A 128.C 129.B 130.A

131.D 132.D 133.A 134.D 135.D 136.A

137.C 138.C 139. C 140.C 141.C 142. B

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Note: This is a compilation of some of the questions asked, like earlier said in the introduction, Unilorin ask questions from Math, English and current affairs/general knowledge. Because of how difficult it is for candidates to remember mathematics questions it was difficult to get. So you are advised to prepare well for the three categories not minding the lack of questions from some category.

1. Which one these is a premier university?

A unilorin

B university of Nigeria

C unibadan

D eksu

2. Which of the following cannot be used to generate electricity

A wind

B sand

C sun

D gas

3. Bob Marley is from which country

A Jamaica

B South Africa

C USA

D Nigeria

4. Who ended the killing of twins in calabar

A. Mary slessor

B. Mother Theresa

C. Alvan Ikoku

D. Queen Elizabeth

5. What year did the Nigerian civil war end?

A. 1971

B. 1972

C. 1973

D. 1970

6. The first black president of United States of America was?

A. James Bailey

B. George Washington

C. Barack Obama

D. Thomas Jefferson

7. Which of these is correct

A. Lolilpop

B. Lollipop

C. Lolipop

D. Lorlipop

8. Which of these is correct

A. Definitaly

B. Difinitely

C. Definitely

D. Difinately

9. Which of these is correct ?

A. Enthusiastic

B. Enthusiatic

C. Entusiastic

D. Enthuciastic

10. Which of these is correct ?

A. Diarrhea

B. Diarrhoea

C. Diarhoea

D. Diarroea

11. Which one of these is correctly spelt?

A Rehearsal

B Rehersal

C Rehaersal

D Rehearsel

12. Which of these is correct ?

A. Questionaire

B. Questionire

C. Questionare

D. Questionnaire

13. Which one of these is correctly spelt ?

A. Supass

B. Surpass

C. Supars

D. Suppass

14. Which of these is correctly spelt ?

A. Chaffer

B. Chauffer

C. Chauffeur

D. Chaufeur

15. Which of these is correct ?

A. Umbrella

B. Umbrela

C. Umbralla

D. Umbrerra

16. My sister .... cooking

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A. Enjoy

B. Enjoys

C. Enjoying

D. Enjoyings

A. Nephew

B. Aunt

C. Niece

D. Cousin

17. Sokoto is to emir as _____ to onitsha

A. Oba

B. Oni

C. Emir

D. Obi

18. Robert Mugabe was the former president of which country?

A. Tanzania

B. Zambia

C. Zimbabwe

D. Malawi

19. There is a restaurant in the city, but I don't know where _____

A. Is it

B. It is

C. it was

D. It are

20. Which of these is correct ?

A. Presumptuous

B. Presumtuous

C. Presumptous

D. Presuptuous

21. My mother's sister Is my what?

22. Which of these is correct ?

A. Buoyant

B. Buyant

C. Boyant

D. Bouyant

23. "The man" is an example of

A. Noun phrase

B. Preposition phrase

C. Adjectival phrase

D. Adverbial phrase

24. Abraham Lincoln is the fomer president of which country ----------

A. USA

B. Great Britain

C. Liberia

D. Morocco

25. My sibling is taller than......

A. Me

B. I

C. Myself

D. Meself

D. Bayelsa

26. The controversial election which was adjudge as one of the freest and fairest in Nigeria was when?

A. 1992

B. 1993

C. 1994

D. 1995

27. Who invented Facebook?

A. Mark Zuckerberg

B. Olusegun Obasanjo

C. Jack Ma

D. Steve Jobs

28. Who is on N500 note?

A. Murtala Mohammed

B. Herbert Macaulay

C. Nnamdi Azikwe

D. Ahmadu Bello

29. Capital of United state?

A. Washington DC

B. San Francisco

C. California

D. Las Vegas

30. Which state is brass local Govt?

A. Rivers

B. Cross River

C. Edo

31. Who is the inec chairman?

A. Mojisola Christianah

B. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala

C. Mahmoud Yacoub

D. Zainab Ahmed

32. Who is on N10 note?

A. Murtala Mohammed

B. Ahmadu Bello

C. Alvan Ikoku

D. Nnamdi Azikiwe

33. The farmer was woken up by the _____ of cow

A. Meowing

B. Mooing

C. Grunting

D. Barking

34. Where is snake island located_____ ?

A. USA

B. Brazil

C. Japan

D. Australia

35. First female president of liberia?

A. Helen Johnson

B. James Bridget

C. Caroline Wozniacki

D. Eva Caroline John

36. The capital of Morocco?

A. Cairo

B. Algiers

C. Maputo

D. Casablanca

37. Opposite of divulge is

A. Conceal

B. Open

C. Join

D. Break

38. Which consonant is same with trem(b)le

A. Tomb

B. Comb

C. Climb

D. Tumbler

39. Which of these is the correct spelling

A. Evironment

B. Enviroment

C. Eviroment

D. Environment

40. Which of these is the correct spelling

A. Decieve

B. Dicieve

C. Deceive

D. Deceve

41. Which of these is the correct spelling

A. Referee

B. Refree

C. Refiree

D. Refere

42. Which of these is the correct spelling

A. Diabitis

B. Dibetes

C. Diabetis

D. Diabetes

43. Find the prime number between 21 to 30

A. 23 and 29

B. 21 and 27

C. 22 and 26

D. 20 and 25

44. Which of these didn't share border with Nigeria

A. Chad

B. Niger

C. Cameroun

D. Togo

45. How many syllable(s) is/are there in Department ?

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

46. How many syllable(s) is/are there in Prompt ?

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

47. If principal is used for secondary school ---- is used for university

A. Chancellor

B. Vice Chancellor

C. Teacher

D. Professor

48. Who was the president between 2007 and 2010

A. Alhaji Shehu Shagari

B. Alhaji Umaru Musa yaradua

C. Goodluck Ebele Jonathan

D. Olusegun obasanjo

49. Which of this is a continent and also a country

A. America

B. Africa

C. Australia

D. Asia

50. What century is 1999 ?

A. 20th

B. 21st

C. 19th

D. 18th

51. Which of these is correctly spelt

A. Extrer

B. Extrar

C. Extra

D. Etrar

52. Which of these is correctly spelt

A. Aphabelt

B. Aphabet

C. Alphabelt

D. Alphabet

53. Which of these is correctly spelt

A. Comparison

B. Comparision

C. Coparision

D. Comparesion

54. A living dog is better than a ....

A. A dead goat

B. A dead elephant

C. A dead lion

D. A dead cheetah

55. Meaning of MSG?

A. Monosodium glutamate

B. Monosulphate glutamate

C. Monosodium glucose

D. Monosulphate glucose

56. What is good for the goose is also good for the

A. geese

B. giraffe

C. gander

D. goat

57. The centenary celebration of Nigeria amalgamation was wat year

A. 2011

B. 2012

C. 2013

D. 2014

58. ----------- is used for cellular respiration

A. Mitochondria

B. Ribosome

C. Nucleus

D. Golgi alparatus

59. When was Ebola first discovered?

A. 1980

B. 1990

C. 2014

D. 1976

60. The police rounded _ the armed robbers and took them to the station

A. up

B. off

C. around

D. in

61. Deola sings all the time. She wants to be an

A. artist

B. artiste

C. artisan

D. artistician

62. Among these is an octogenarian

A. 69 year-old man

B. 96 year-old woman

C. 74 year-old man

D. 87 year-old woman

63. A _ is where a river crashes down a steep slope

A. waterway

B. waterfall

C. water view

D. water square

64. The 2019 Women wimbledon champion?

A. Simona Halep

B. Serena Williams

C. Venus Williams

D. Maria Sharapova

65. Which of these is correctly spelt ?

A. Logorhoea

B. Logorrhea

C. Logorhea

D. Logorrhoea

66. Which of these is correctly spelt ?

A. Contiguous

B. Cotiguous

C. Cotinguous

D. Contigous

67. The current speaker of the Nigerian house of rep is?

A. Femi Gbajabiamila

B. Femi Otedola

C. Ahmad Lawan

D. Ahmed Wuse

68. A pet lamb is a ____ ?

A. Bad ram

B. Angry ram

C. Cross ram

D. Shy ram

69. The first school in Nigeria?

A. Queen's college

B. King's college

C. CMS

D. CMD

70. Which of these is not an oil producing state

A. Kogi

B. Delta

C. Ondo

D. Akwa ibom

71. Country that won Nobel peace prize award in 2015

A. Germany

B. Norway

C. Tunisia

D. Malta

72. Who was the head of state when nigeria won the First AFCON?

A. Sani Abacha

B. Muhammadu Buhari

C. Shehu Shagari

D. Goodluck Ebele Jonathan

73. Liaison has how many syllable

A. Two

B. Three

C. One

D. Four

D. Angola

74. When was JAMB established?

A. 1972

B. 1976

C. 1978

D. 1980

75. When was WAEC established?

A. 1952

B. 1951

C. 1953

D. 1954

76. Which state has the below Slogan "pace setter"?

A. Kano

B. Osun

C. Oyo

D. Lagos

77. India stock exchange currency is ?

A. Dollars

B. Rupee

C. Euro

D. Riyal

78. Highest producer of cassava in Africa

A. Congo

B. Nigeria

C. Niger

79. Who won the 2019 female world cup ?

A. China

B. Germany

C. Brazil

D. USA

80. UNESCO is the organ of

A US

B OAU

C UN

D. FG

81. Where is the U.N headquarters located?

A. Los Angeles

B. Sao Paulo

C. San Francisco

D. New york

82. Big fleas have ....

A. small fleas

B. little fleas

C. everything

D. all things

83. A technical term in manuscript is likely to be

A. capitalized

B. in brackets

C. underlined

D. in inverted comma

84. Hostel is to students as _ is to wild animals

A. eyrie

B. drey

C. kennel

D. lair

85. My first English teacher and vice chancellor .... being honoured today

A. is

B. are

C. was

D. am

86. Select the correct option

A. Abattoir

B. Abbatoir

C. Abattor

C. Abartor

87. Select the correct option

A. Incestous

B. Incestuous

C. Incetuous

D. Incestious

23.A 24.A 25.B 26B 27.A 28C 29.A 30.D 31.C 32.C 33.B 34.B 35.A 36.D 37.A 38.D 39.D 40.C 41.A 42.D 43.A 44.D 45.C 46.A 47.B 48.B 49.C 50.A 51.C 52.D 53.A 54.C 55.A 56.C 57.D 58.A 59.D 60.A 61.B 62.D 63.B 64.A 65.D 66.A 67.A 68.C 69.C 70.A 71.C 72.C 73.B 74.C 75.A 76.C 77.B 78.B 79.D 80.C 81.D 82.B 83.C 84.D 85.A 86.A 87.B

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