

## Fill in the Blanks

FOR ALL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

















1.	Work and domestic	_ made Kajal short-tempered.	
	(a) pressures	(b) gravities	
	(c) weights	(d) forces	
2.	India is formally moving a	ahead to 21 MIG-29 and 12	
	Sukhoi-30 MKI of their existing fleets.		
	(a) achieve	(b) advance	
	(c) accomplish	(d) procure	
3.	The interviewer asked Gautam, "Can you tell me what your in life are?"		
	(a) determinations	(b) frivolities	
	(c) trivialities	(d) aspirations	
4.	Help from relatives	_ him in difficult times.	
	(a) allowed	(b) approved	
	(c) passed	(d) supported	
5	The advanced nations face no negulation problem since they		
<b>J.</b>	The advanced nations face no population problem since they were already settling down to zero growth in		
	population.	vii to zero growtii in	
	(a) scale	(b) rate	
	(c) frequency	(d) degree	
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6.	The door in the strong wind.		
•	(a) slammed	(b) slapped	
	(c) sizzled	(d) hooted	
7.	You need not so	much fuss about wearing a mask when	
	you go out.		
	(a) cause	(b) make	
	(c) generate	(d) do	
8.	Meet.	e released on the occasion of the World	
	(a) generous	(b) considerable	
	(c) bountiful	(d) voluminous	
9.	The jungle was nearly	, so the progress was slow.	
	(a) impenetrable	(b) immaterial	
	(c) immortal	(d) immobile	















10.	I read some of pro	perties for sale on the Internet	
	before I called the agent.		
	(a) descriptions	(b) arguments	
	(c) monologues	(d) spaces	
11.	My New Year's is t	to think positive always.	
	(a) resolution	(b) repetition	
	(c) celebration	(d) confession	
<b>12.</b>	We the marks of the students on different subjects and		
	compared their performance	ce for the year.	
	(a) questioned	(b) probed	
	(c) inspected	(d) analysed	
13. Social isolation, overcrowding, the of our			
	several other factors are re	-	
	(a) competitiveness	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
	(c) attractiveness	(d) affordability	
14.	Advertisers often use rhyn	ne and	
	(a) designation	(b) alteration	
	(c) denunciation	(d) alliteration	
15.	Sales from day to d	lay.	
	(a) revolves	(b) swing	
	(c) fluctuate	(d) rotates	
16.	Some patches of the	garden have a rich cover of grass	
	now.		
	(a) stretching	(b) slouching	
	(c) sprawling	(d) stroking	
<b>17.</b>	A major advertising	was planned to alunch the new	
~ '	brand of garments.	_	
	(a) campaign	(b) ambush	
	(c) pension	(d) election	
18.	yourself with the	new perfume.	
	(a) Prosper	(b) Purify	
	(c) Pamper	(d) Percolate	













19. Some people were tired of and left without entering	of the long in front of the mall		
(a) wait	(b) waist		
(c) weight	(d) waste		
20. Keats and Shelley were p	Keats and Shelley were poets of the same period; they were		
(a) colleagues	(b) associates		
(c) contemporaries	(d) acquaintances		
	ever since he has refused to get		
himself treated.			
(a) disparaged	(b) depreciated		
(c) denigrated	(d) deteriorated		
22. Use your logical thinking for decisions today as y			
will certainly succeed.	A 0 1		
(a) desperate	(b) severe		
(c) critical	(d) dangerous		
23. It was difficult to	Gopal to watch a horror movie.		
(a) confer	(b) persuade		
(c) dissuade	(d) consult		
24. She knew that to apologi failed.	ise would to admitting she had		
(a) tantalizing	(b) tandem		
(c) tantamount	(d) tangible		
25. My neighbour was admit	ted to the hospital when he developed		
an allergic to so			
(a) retort	(b) reaction		
(c) rejoinder	(d) result		
	increased in recent years.		
(a) freed	(b) fraud		
(c) flake	(d) fluke		
27. The cabinet has a			
universities are funded a			
(a) endorsed	(b) endangered (d) evaporated		
(c) endeared	(d) evaporated		













28.	Researchers have found that 16 facial expressions		
	universally in similar conte	exts across 12 world regions.	
	(a) transpire	(b) befall	
	(c) strike	(d) occur	
29.	In addition to understanding the specific issue to be tackled,		
	the sub-committee examine problem.	ed the larger on the	
	(a) proportion	(b) perspective	
	(c) perception	(d) prospective	
30.	Do not him; he has	done no harm to you.	
	(a) accuse	(b) admire	
	(c) admit	(d) assure	
31.	The government has harde	ened its against the agitators	
	and imposed a curfew in th		
	(a) stance	(b) orientation	
	(c) bearing	(d) manner	
<b>32.</b>	We are bewildered by the p	ower which science has suddenly	
	placed in our laps, and we	are by the realisation of our	
	unpreparedness to deal wit	h a crisis.	
	(a) condemned	(b) humbled	
	(c) proud	(d) demeaned	
33.	If you to newsgrou	ips, you often get hundreds of	
	messages.		
	(a) offend	(b) subscribe	
	(c) describe	(d) practice	
34.		these two shades of green?	
	(a) detect	(b) distinguish	
	(c) distract	(d) divert	
K	<b>)</b>		
<b>35</b> .	The invention of fertilisers and insecticides has increased		
	<u></u>	is required to feed the swelling	
	population of the world.		
	(a) output	(b) product	
	(c) cargo	(d) goods	











36.	It is said that civilised man has about twenty wild animals.		
	(a) stunned	(b) tamed	
	(c) staggered	(d) amazed	
<b>37.</b>	His of the topic was so good that students has few		
	doubts at the end of the class.		
	(a) qualification	(b) picturisation	
	(c) exposition	(d) exhibition	
38.	The lack of regular academic sessions has meant that in 2020		
		share of students who have	
	attended educational inst	itutions.	
	(a) last	(b) lower	
	(c) low	(d) lowest	
39.	Crowds of tourists	across the square all day long.	
	(a) maintained	(b) flowed	
	(c) rectified	(d) prodded	
<b>40.</b>	It was to everyor	ne present that the patient would not	
	survive if immediate help	was not received.	
	(a) hidden	(b) unnoticed	
	(c) apparent	(d) unseen	
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41.	The people of Rajasthan	strictly to the traditional	
	customs.		
	(a) appeal	(b) adhere	
	(c) apply	(d) abide	
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<b>42.</b>	The worst possible	for human society is that we will	
	destroy ourselves with nuclear weapons.		
	(a) perceptive	(b) presentation	
\\ \\ \'	(c) prediction	(d) privilege	

## **ANSWERS**

- 1. (a) pressures
- 2. (d) procure
- 3. (d) aspirations
- 4. (d) supported















- **5.** (b) rate
- 6. (a) slammed
- **7.** (b) make
- 8. (d) voluminous
- 9. (a) impenetrable
- 10. (a) descriptions
- 11. (a) resolution
- 12. (d) analysed
- 13. (a) competitiveness
- 14. (d) alliteration
- 15. (c) fluctuate
- 16. (c) sprawling
- 17. (a) campaign
- **18.** (c) pamper
- 19. (a) wait
- 20. (c) contemporaries
- 21. (d) deteriorated
- 22. (c) critical
- 23. (b) persuade
- 24. (c) tantamount
- 25. (b) reaction
- 26. (b) fraud
- 27. (a) endorsed
- 28. (d) occur
- 29. (b) perspective
- **30.** (a) accuse
- **31.** (a) stance
- 32. (b) humbled
- 33. (b) subscribe
- 34. (b) distinguish
- **35.** (a) output
- **36.** (b) tamed
- 37. (c) exposition
- 38. (d) lowest
- 39. (b) flowed
- 40. (c) apparent
- **41.** (b) adhere
- 42. (c) prediction















