# GEORGE SCHOOL OF COMPETITIVE EXAMS

# MISCELLANEOUS TEST ENGLISH

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# **01-Select the word with the correct spelling.**

- 1) splintted
- 2) goudiest
- 3) gibbered
- 4) gleening

# 02- Select the word with the correct spelling.

- 1) toxicety
- 2) mamalia
- 3) collumned
- 4) notation

# 03- Select the antonym of

# abominable

- 1) attractive
- 2) gross
- **3**) grim
- 4) lousy

04- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one, which best express the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

I said to her, "I will do it now or never."

1) I informed her that I would do it that moment or never.

- 2) I told her I would do it then or never.
- **3**) I told her that I would not do it then or ever.
- 4) I told her that I would do it then or never.

05- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

#### Smell a rat

1) To sense that events will not be in one's favour

2) To begin to suspect trickery or deception

3) To be forewarned of danger to oneself

4) To prevent calamity by chance

06- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

#### An engineer building a bridge

P-find easy to comprehend Q-picks the best plan R-and not the one that motorists

1) RQP 2) RPQ

3) PRQ

**4**) QRP

07- In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

You may try but she is too \_\_\_\_\_\_ to fall for your trick.

brilliant
 intelligent
 genius
 witty

08- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

#### The tendency to recur at intervals.

rotation
 wheel
 sequence

4) periodicity

09- In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

As the improvement in his situation was \_\_\_\_\_, the doctor did not discharge him.

marginal
 tiny
 microscopic
 negated

# 10- Select the synonym of

# aground

- 1) stranded
- 2) higher
- 3) afloat
- 4) buoyant

# 11- Select the antonym of

# flog

whop
 compliment
 flay
 flax

12- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase

# A dramatic entertainment, in which performers express through gestures

1) mimicry
 2) ham
 3) pantomime
 4) depiction

13- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

My father is going to build a six bedroom bungalow.

1) A six bedroom bungalow was going to be built by my father.

- 2) My father will have built a bungalow which will have six bedrooms.
- **3**) A bungalow of six bedrooms will have been built by my father.
- 4) A six bedroom bungalow is going to be built by my father.

#### 14- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

To begin with,

P-is not that they are 'unsmart' Q-the problem with Indian cities R-but that they are dysfunctional

1) RPQ

2) QRP

3) QPR

4) PRQ

15- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

My patients (were waited) for me since morning.

wait
 had been waited
 have been waiting
 no improvement

16 - In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

#### Sixth sense

1) An intuitive power of perception

2) A strong power of sense

3) An ability to perceive when something will go wrong

4) The false feeling that you know the truth

17- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

There is no question(A)/of me failing(B)/ in the examination.(C)/No error(D)

**1**) A

**2**) B

**3**) C

**4**) D

# 18- Select the synonym of

decree

certificate
 Law
 title
 award

19- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

One should respect(A)/religious beliefs of others,(B)/as much as his owns.(C)/No error(D)

**1**) A

**2**) B

**3**) C

**4**) D

20- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

He is an atheist (yet) he goes to the church every Sunday.

because
 and
 however

no improvement

In the following passage some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nearly eight decades, the women's movement \_\_\_\_\_\_ and debated the desirability and feasibility of a Uniform Civil Code, and has ended up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a simple question — what is the value of uniformity? Is it for the "integrity of the nation" that uniformity in laws is required, as some judicial pronouncements \_\_\_\_\_\_? If so, who exactly is the beneficiary? Which sections of people benefit from "integrity of the nation", that abstract entity which is not exactly \_\_\_\_\_\_ the top of your mind as your husband throws you out on the street?

# 21- \_\_\_\_\_ nearly eight decades

1) About

**2**) Of

3) With

**4**) For

22- the women's movement \_\_\_\_\_\_ and debated the desirability

<ol> <li>1) discussed</li> <li>2) has discussed</li> <li>3) had discussed</li> <li>4) had been discussing</li> </ol>
23- and has ended up a simple question — what is the value of uniformity?
<ol> <li>holding</li> <li>positioning</li> <li>posturing</li> <li>posing</li> </ol>
24- as some judicial pronouncements?
<ol> <li>have suggested</li> <li>had been suggesting</li> <li>suggests</li> <li>suggested</li> </ol>
25- that abstract entity which is not exactly the top of your mind

- **1**) in
- **2**) for
- **3**) at
- **4**) of

26- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

# Tie the knot

To put yourself into a problem
 To make fateful decision
 To sign the deal
 To get married

# 27- Select the synonym of

#### carnal

- 1) chaste
- 2) sensual
- 3) decent
- spiritual

# 28- Select the antonym of

# intrinsic

- 1) elemental
- 2) innate
- 3) connate
- 4) accquired

29- In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

Providence smiles .....those who are diligent. Options:

**1**) with

**2**) in

3) upon

4) over

30- Select the word with the correct spelling.

1) chaastity

- 2) marothon
- 3) reasert
- 4) toxicity

31- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

When I last saw Ravi, he (had been running) to catch his bus.

ran
 was running
 had run
 no improvement

32- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

If you are in the wrong gears (A)/the car won't be (B)/able to climb the hill.(C)/No error(D)

- **1**) A
- **2**) B
- **3**) C
- **4**) D

33- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which best expresses the meaning of the idiom/phrase.

# The ball is in your court

- 1) It is up to you to make the next move
- 2) You have got a fantastic opportunity
- 3) You will be blamed for crimes that you have not committed
- 4) You have been put into a dilemma.

# 34- Improve the bracketed part of the sentence.

I would love (to availing) a short holiday, and go for an overnight trek.

to avail myself of
 to avail of
 to avail myself
 no improvement

35- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Active/Passive voice. Out of four alternatives suggested, select the one which best expresses the same sentence in Passive/Active voice.

# Mariam was writing a note to her boss.

A note was written to her boss by Mariam.
 A note was wrote by Mariam to her boss.

3) A note was being written by Mariam to her boss.

4) A note was written by Mariam to her boss.

# 36- Select the synonym of

# incinerate

- 1) parch
- 2) moderate
- **3**) ignite
- 4) quench

# 37- Select the antonym of

# ogle

- 1) leer
- 2) gaze
- 3) ignore
- **4**) gawk

38- Select the word with the correct spelling.

snatched
 litigat

**3**) abhored

4) variabely

39- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

To harass someone persistently to do something.

1) Iconoclast
 2) Dote
 3) Neurotic

4) Importune

40- In the following question, the sentence given with blank to be filled in with an appropriate word. Select the correct alternative out of the four and indicate it by selecting the appropriate option.

The baby looked.....the toffee with greedy eyes.

**1**) upon

**2**) into

**3**) on

**4**) at

41- In the following question, out of the four alternatives, select the alternative which is the best substitute of the phrase.

A short statement expressing a general truth.

1) Maxim

**2**) Infer

**3**) Drum

4) Pander

42- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

It is a truth universally

P-acknowledged that a single Q-man in possession of a good R-fortune must be in want of a wife

1) QRP

2) PQR

**3**) RPQ

**4**) QPR

43- Rearrange the parts of the sentence in correct order.

Your absence has

P-gone through me Q-through a needle R-like thread

**1**) PRQ

**2**) PQR

**3**) QPR

**4**) RPQ

44- In the following question, some part of the sentence may have errors. Find out which part of the sentence has an error and select the appropriate option. If a sentence is free from error, select 'No Error'.

This is the sportsperson(A)/whom I think has won(B)/the much coveted prize.(C)/ No error(D)

1) A 2) B 3) C 4) D

45- In the following question, a sentence has been given in Direct/Indirect speech. Out of the four alternatives suggested, select the one which best express the same sentence in Indirect/Direct speech.

# Abhay said to Veena, " Are you coming to the Reception?"

1) Abhay told Veena if she was coming to the Reception.

2) Abhay asked Veena if she will be coming to the Reception.

3) Abhay asked Veena if she was coming to the Reception.

4) Abhay asked Veena whether she was coming to the Reception.

In the following passage some of the words have been left out. Read the passage carefully and select the correct answer for the given blank out of the four alternatives.

In view of last year's H1N1 attack and prevailing ......weather conditions, the health department officials .....that the virus will turn more active by January end. Incharge, Integrated Disease ......Programme (IDSP), Dr Shah, said, "Virus is still active, but not in a major way. In coming months, it is likely to become more active. Last year too, virus had claimed lives in January and February. Therefore, we are .....as coming months might

.....a challenge."

#### 46- In view of last year's H1N1 attack and prevailing .....

- erratic
   weird
- 3) dicey
- 4) unstable

#### 47 - the health department officials .....

1) expect
 2) expects
 3) were expecting
 4) are expecting

### 48- In-charge, Integrated Disease .....Programme (IDSP)

management
 control
 surveillance
 eradication

#### 49- Therefore, we are .....

vigilant
 open to
 on toes

4) impulsive

# 50- coming months might .....a challenge."

- **1**) show
- **2**) pose
- 3) throw
- **4**) put up