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Question Paper Version : A

First Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Examination, Jan./Feb. 2023
Communicative English

Time: 1 hr.]

[Max. Marks: 50

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. Answer all the **fifty** questions, each question carries one mark.
2. Use only **Black ball point pen** for writing / darkening the circles.
3. **For each question, after selecting your answer, darken the appropriate circle corresponding to the same question number on the OMR sheet.**
4. Darkening two circles for the same question makes the answer invalid.
5. **Damaging/overwriting, using whiteners** on the **OMR** sheets are strictly prohibited.

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1. Proposals prepared for submission to the boss
a) Upward b) Downward c) Horizontal d) Vertical
 2. Counseling and training
a) Downward b) Upward c) Vertical d) Spiral
 3. Oral communication is different from written communication as it is,
a) Spoken and structured b) Spoken and transitory
c) Spoken and Permanent d) Spoken and time consuming
 4. Who Encodes the message?
a) Sender b) Receiver c) Transmitting media d) Both (a) and (b)
 5. Which one of the following is not a feature of grapevine communication?
a) Rapid b) Formal c) Multidirectional d) Cluster
 6. Which of the following is oral communication?
a) Dictation b) Brochure c) Notice d) Letter
 7. In communication the observation of a receiver's response is called,
a) Feedback b) Survey c) Channel d) Message
 8. Badly encoded message leaves its receiver confused and not well informed.
a) True b) False c) Both (a) and (b) d) None of these

9. Among the following elements, which element is the medium through which message is sent.
a) Sender b) Channel c) Context d) Noise
10. This type of communication takes place within an individual : _____
a) Extrapersonal b) Intrapersonal c) Organizational d) Interpersonal
11. Transcription of the word "Tomb" is _____
a) /tum/ b) /tu:m/ c) tum:/ d) None of these
12. There are _____ sounds in English.
a) 44 b) 12 c) 24 d) 8
13. Silent letter in "Castle".
a) e b) t c) a d) ℓ
14. Division of the syllable "information" is _____
a) infor-ma-tion b) in-for-mation c) in-for-ma-tion d) info-rmat-ion
15. How many consonants are there in English?
a) 4 b) 12 c) 24 d) 44
16. How many Vowels are there in English?
a) 44 b) 12 c) 24 d) 20
17. Division of the syllable of "window" is _____
a) Win-dow b) Wi-ndow c) Wi-n-dow d) Wind-ow
18. Silent letter in the word "Knee" is _____
a) k b) n c) e d) None of these
19. Communication is the _____ of business.
a) back bone b) blood c) nerve d) hand
20. Identify the word with one syllable in the following :
a) grass b) fulfil c) folder d) conquer
- Identify the Parts of speech of the underlined words :**
21. Steve Waugh was an inspirational captain.
a) verb b) proper noun c) noun d) adverb
22. Abstract noun form of starve is _____
a) Starvation b) Starve c) Starving d) None of these
23. Wow! We won the match!
a) Adjective b) Interjection c) Noun d) Verb
24. Gandhiji is known for his non-violence.
a) Noun b) Pronoun c) Verb d) Abstract-Noun
25. In general hot country like India, it is only winters that one can experience the Soothing comfort.
a) Verb b) Noun c) Adjective d) Adverb

Choose the word that can fill the gap appropriately :

26. Man is a _____ of circumstances.
a) Master b) Companion c) Creature d) Slave
27. I have been ill _____ last Monday.
a) since b) from c) for d) by
28. A lady's purse _____
a) Parasol b) Pantomine c) Reticule d) Vertibule

One word substitution :

29. Saying things in a roundabout way.
a) Circumlocution b) Straight away c) Around about d) None of these
30. Someone who compiles a dictionary.
a) Calligrapher b) Teetotaller c) both d) Lexicographer

Question Tags :

31. They are 'reaching by Tomorrow', _____
a) aren't they b) are they c) both d) none of these
32. You 'told me this 'earlier', _____
a) Didn't you? b) Did you? c) Did they? d) Do they?
33. The synonym of "Benefit" is _____
a) yield b) benefit c) loss d) none of these
34. The antonyms of "Crazy" is _____
a) Sane b) Insane c) Unrealistic d) (a) & (b)
35. Please give me a peace / piece of advice.
a) peace b) piece c) Both (a) & (b) d) None of these
36. The closest meaning of the word Slender is,
a) Slim b) Sconty c) Weak d) Poor
37. The day of Judgement _____
a) Doomsday b) Verdict c) Both (a) & (b) d) None of these
38. She _____ the report indignantly.
a) Cast away b) Cast aside c) Cast off d) Cast a way
39. The sick child _____ while waiting at the doctor's.
a) Threw off b) Threw up c) Threw out d) Threw down
40. The suffix of the word "worth" is,
a) worth b) worthless c) worthy d) none of these
41. "Types of Cancer" can be presented by _____ method.
a) Topical pattern b) Spatial pattern
c) Psychological pattern d) None of these

42. The weak form of the is,
 a) δ b) θ c) δ d) None of these
43. The syllable of the word "Fauna" is,
 a) CV-CV b) CVVCV c) CVC d) None of these
44. Words ending in |dz| _____
 a) judge b) then c) their d) below
45. Example for initial minimal pair is _____
 a) Try-Dry b) Set-Sat c) Pull-Pool d) Cab-Cap
46. RP is known as _____
 a) Revised Pronunciation b) Received Pronunciation
 c) Both (a) & (b) d) None of these
47. Which of these should be avoided for an effective speech?
 a) Confidence b) Clarity c) Pauses d) Rudeness
48. Which of these should be avoided during delivery of speech?
 a) Planning of speech b) Long Pauses
 c) Organization d) Long sentences
49. The acronym of 'QA' is _____
 a) Question & Answer b) Quality Assurance
 c) Quality Assist d) None of these
50. The simple present of this below sentence - The fruit is smelling sweet,
 a) The fruit smells sweet b) The fruit is sweet
 c) Both (a) & (b) d) None of these

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