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Question1:-A line that is completed by the perception of the viewer is called

A:-Implied line

B:-Actual line

C:-Contour

D:-Cross contours

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question2:-James Rosenquist's 'Gift wrapped Doll # 16' can be an example of

A:-Actual texture

B:-Impasto

C:-Collage

D:-Simulated texture

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question3:-U.S. Capital building is an example of

A:-Unity

B:-Symmetrical balance

C:-Harmony

D:-Balance

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question4:-Aerial perspective is also called

A:-One point perspective

B:-Two point perspective

C:-Atmospheric perspective

D:-None of these

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question5:-Vague outline and smoky appearance are characteristics of the technique called

A:-Sfumato

B:-Impasto

C:-Lacing

D:-Engraving

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question6:-Who does the Formalist Theory of art belongs to?

A:-Clive Bell

B:-R.G. Collingwood

C:-Arthur Donato

D:-Noel Carroll

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question7:-Find out from the options a theoretician of art who belongs to Gestalt theory.

A:-Rudolf Arnheim

B:-Aristotle

C:-Immanuel Kant

D:-Roger Scruton

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question8:-What is it called when two objects appear to have the color under the one light source but different under another?

A:-Diffraction

B:-Metamerism

C:-Simultaneous contrast

D:-None of these

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question9:-"Perspective makes single eye the center of the visible world" who does this statement belong to?

A:-John Berger

B:-Richard Wdheim

C:-Fredrich Niezsche

D:-PAUL Crowther

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question10:-Raphael's 'School of Athens' is an example of

A:-Three point perspective

B:-Two point perspective

C:-One point perspective

D:-Aerial perspective

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question11:-How does Leonardo da Vinci employ the technique of Sfumanto in his

painting *The Virgin and Child with St. Anne*?

A:-By using sharp outlines to highlights the figures distinctly from the background

B:-By blending tones and softening transitions, creating a smoky, atmospheric depth

C:-By applying bright, contrasting colors to emphasize symbolic meaning

D:-By using linear perspective grids for strict structural clarity

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question12:-Which method was used in the Italian wet frescoes of the Sistine Chapel by Michelangelo?

A:-Buon Fresco

B:-Fresco-secco

C:-Oil Glazing

D:-Encaustic

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question13:-The Kerala mural paintings in the Guruvayaur temple use natural pigments on which surface?

A:-Canvas with gesso

B:-Wooden panels coated with oil

C:-Fresh lime plastered walls

D:-Hand-made paper

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question14:-Which pigment, famously used in medieval manuscript and Renaissance paintings, was made from Lapis Lazuli?

A:-Vermilion Red

B:-Ultramarine Blue

C:-Verdigris Green

D:-Lamp Black

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question15:-Nandalal Bose's murals at the Haripura Congress Session (1938) were important because :

A:-They depicted Mughal court life

B:-They celebrated rural Indian life and nationalist spirit

C:-They revived Ajanta fresco-secco techniques

D:-They introduced cubism to India

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question16:-Which of the following best reflects the "playful" aspect of Subramanyan's toys?

A:-Animals were abstracted, simplified and imbued with personality, ready to entertain or narrate stories

B:-Toys were rigidly realistic and lifeless

C:-Toys were intended to be displayed in galleries only, with no interaction

D:-He focused on making industrially precise miniatures

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question17:-Which early experiences influenced Benode Behari Mukherjee's landscape paintings of rivers and forests?

A:-His travels to Europe and Japan

B:-Growing up in rural Bengal and spending time in nature due to partial visual impairment

C:-His formal education in European academies

D:-Training exclusively under Japanese masters

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question18:-Which technique is used in Raga Mala paintings to represent musical modes?

A:-Using abstract shapes in miniature painting to represent ragas

B:-Personifying ragas with seasonal, emotional and symbolic imagery in miniature painting style

C:-Depicting battles and royal processions in miniature painting

D:-Painting mythological epics in miniature painting without musical references

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question19:-Diego Rivera's mural *The History of Mexico* (Palacio Nacional, Mexico City) primarily depicts:

A:-The Mexican Revolution, conquest, indigenous civilizations and the struggles of the working class

B:-European Renaissance techniques with no Mexican references

C:-Purely abstract forms with geometric compositions

D:-Japanese-inspired landscapes

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question20:-Which of the following best describes the traditional technique used in European stained glass painting?

A:-Painting directly with oil paints on canvas to mimic glass

B:-Using colored glass pieces joined with lead comes, often enhanced with painted details and fired to fuse pigments

C:-Carving images into stone and filling them with paint

D:-Applying fresco-secco on wet plaster to imitate stained glass

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question21:-"Among the following, which statements are not related to the etching technique"?

- i. It is an intaglio process.
- ii. Uses Limestone.
- iii. Uses metal plate.
- iv. Image is carved.

A:-i and ii

B:-i and iii

C:-ii and iv

D:-ii and iii

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question22:-Who among These is not a printmaker?

A:-Somnath Hore

B:-Chittaprosad Bhattacharya

C:-Laxma Goud

D:-Amrita Sher-Gil

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question23:-Who among these is a famous Japanese print maker?

A:-Ai Weiwei

B:-Katsushika Hokusai

C:-Yayoi Kusama

D:-Yoko ono

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question24:-Who among the following artists did not use print making medium?

A:-Albrecht Durer

B:-Francisco Goya

C:-Leonardo da Vinci

D:-Kathe Kollwitz

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question25:-Arrange the processes of "Lithography" in order.

- i. Drawing the image with Greasy ink.
- ii. Grinding the stone.
- iii. Applying oily ink and taking the print.
- iv. Treating the surface with Gum arabic and acid.

A:-iv, iii, i, ii

B:-i, ii, iii, iv

C:-ii, i, iv, iii

D:-ii, iv, i, iii

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question26:-Photographic printing process that produces images by exposing a light-sensitive surface to UV light.

A:-Mezzotint

B:-Engraving

C:-Collagraph

D:-Cynotype

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question27:-Find out the fact that is not related to the oleographs of Raja Ravi Varma.

A:-They were prints of his original oil paintings

B:-They were chromolithographs

C:-The subject was Hindu deities and scenes from epics

D:-They were colour woodblock prints

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question28:-Which one is not an intaglio print making technique?

A:-Etching

B:-Mezzotint

C:-Aquatint

D:-Linocut

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question29:-Which is the oldest known form of print making technique in the world?

A:-Lithograph

B:-Engraving

C:-Woodcut

D:-Etching

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question30:-"On a copper or steel plate, the surface is fully pitted, then a pen like tool is used to draw and smoothen it". Can you identify which print making technique is described here?

A:-Screen printing

B:-Etching

C:-Lithograph

D:-Mezzotint

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question31:-Which dynasty built Mahabalipuram Temple Sculptures?

A:-Pallava

B:-Pandya

C:-Chola

D:-Chera

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question32:-Unfired Pottery is called?

A:-Earthen ware

B:-Bisque ware

C:-Green ware

D:-Porcelain

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question33:-What is the method of sculpting by projecting only a little bit from the background surface?

A:-High Relief

B:-Low Relief

C:-Mid Relief

D:-Counter Relief

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question34:-In sculpture, the skill with which one uses tools and materials is called?

A:-Technique

B:-Ability

C:-Construction

D:-Craftmanship

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question35:-A sculptural technique in which liquid materials are shaped by pouring into a mold is called

A:-Casting

B:-Binding

C:-Shaping

D:-Modeling

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question36:-Which of the following is a property of fiberglass casting process?

A:-Resin

B:-Cement

C:-Metal

D:-Cotton

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question37:-Name the process of firing clay pots.

A:-Grinding

B:-Glazing

C:-Carving

D:-Baking

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question38:-Name the tools used for carving wood and stone in sculptures.

A:-Chisel

B:-Loop tool

C:-Blower

D:-None of these

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question39:-Which oxide gives red colour to terracotta sculptures?

A:-Aluminium oxide

B:-Iron oxide

C:-Boric oxide

D:-Calcium oxide

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question40:-Which of the gas used in gas welding?

A:-LPG

B:-Acetylene

C:-Methane

D:-Ethylene

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question41:-What is a key advantage of shooting in RAW format compared to JPEG?

A:-Smaller file size

B:-Faster upload speed

C:-Greater editing flexibility

D:-Universal compatibility

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question42:-Which format is best suited for printing high-quality photographs due to its lossless compression?

A:-GIF

B:-TIFF

C:-PNG

D:-WEBP

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question43:-If you increase ISO, what is a potential downside?

- A:-Reduced colour saturation
- B:-Increased image noise
- C:-Slower autofocus
- D:-Smaller file size

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question44:-Which combination results in a brighter image?

- A:-Low ISO, fast shutter speed, narrow aperture
- B:-High ISO, slow shutter speed, wide aperture
- C:-Low ISO, slow shutter speed, narrow aperture
- D:-High ISO, fast shutter speed, narrow aperture

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question45:-What is the Rule of Thirds in visual composition?

- A:-A guideline for choosing colour schemes
- B:-A method for cropping images
- C:-A technique that divides the frame into nine equal parts
- D:-A rule for adjusting brightness

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question46:-Which of the following best describes the shift from analog to digital photography?

- A:-Replacement of lenses with sensors
- B:-Use of chemical processes to enhance sharpness
- C:-Transition from light-sensitive film to electronic image sensors
- D:-Elimination of exposure control mechanisms

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question47:-What is the full form of CMOS in digital imaging technology?

- A:-Centralized Memory Output System
- B:-Complementary Metal-Oxide Semiconductor
- C:-Controlled Matrix Optical Sensor
- D:-Composite Modular Output Signal

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question48:-What is the primary function of the "Clone Stamp Tool"?

- A:-To blend colors smoothly
- B:-To duplicate pixels from one area to another
- C:-To remove red-eye automatically
- D:-To apply filters selectively

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question49:-Which statement best explains why vector graphics are resolution-independent?

A:-They use pixel interpolation to scale smoothly

B:-They store image data as compressed bitmaps

C:-They are defined by mathematical equations for shapes and paths

D:-They embed low resolutions within the file

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question50:-What is a camera obscura?

A:-A digital device used for capturing infrared images

B:-A lens-based camera used in the 19th century

C:-A darkened enclosure with a small hole that projects an inverted image

D:-A mirror-based system for enlarging photographs

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question51:-From which civilization "Dancing Girl" - the most captivating piece of artefact was found?

A:-Persian Civilization

B:-Sumerian Civilization

C:-Indus Valley Civilization

D:-Mesopotamian Civilization

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question52:-The National emblem of India is an adaptation of

A:-Lion Capital of Sarnath

B:-Lion Capital of Gir.

C:-Lion Capital of Sanchi

D:-Lion Capital of Amaravati

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question53:-'Bodhisattva Padmapani' (Bodhisattva holding a Lotus) is the landmark painting in _____ caves.

A:-Mahabalipuram

B:-Ajanta

C:-Edakkal

D:-Jainmedu

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question54:-UNESCO World Heritage site Brihadeeswara temple architecture belongs to _____ dynasty.

A:-Pallava

B:-Pandya

C:-Chera

D:-Chola

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question55:-'The Taj Mahal' was built in Agra by emperor Shah Jahan, as a mausoleum for his deceased wife

A:-Nur Jahan

B:-Hawa Mahal

C:-Mumtaz Mahal

D:-Razia Sultan

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question56:-Raja Ravi Varma mastered the visual language of _____ and used it to depict scenes from popular epics and everyday scenes.

A:-Post-Impressionism

B:-Academic Realism

C:-Futurism

D:-Cubism

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question57:-_____ was invited by poet and artist Rabindranath Tagore to head 'Kala Bhavana', part of Visva-Bharati University of Santiniketan.

A:-Nandalal Bose

B:-Raja Ravi Varma

C:-Krishnamachari Bose

D:-N.N. Rimzon

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question58:-Which artist was the outspoken leader of the progressive Artists' Group of Bombay?

A:-Kanayi Kunjiraman

B:-K.C.S. Paniker

C:-Jamini Roy

D:-Francis Newton Souza

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question59:-_____ painted local barber or watch repairer with the same earnestness as he painted the experiences of queer and their struggle with the middleclass morality.

A:-Geeta Kapur

B:-S.H. Raza

C:-J. Swaminathan

D:-Bhupen Khakhar

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question60:-_____ used Photorealism/Mediatic realism to comment on communal violence on one hand at the same time, gave us a a glimpse of the newlook that cities had acquired with India's technological advancements

A:-Anish Kapoor

B:-A.P. Santhanaraj

C:-T.V. Santhosh

D:-G.R. Santhosh

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question61:-_____ is an image created by incisions or carvings on a rock surface in prehistoric times.

A:-Etching

B:-Venus

C:-Petroglyph

D:-Relief

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question62:-The terms "Paleolithic" and "Neolithic" was introduced by _____ in his work *pre-historic Times* in 1865.

A:-John Lubbock

B:-Randall White

C:-Erwin Neumayer

D:-Paul Bahn

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question63:-_____ is a prehistoric art form in which animals (and humans) are depicting by drawing or painting the skeletal frame and internal organs.

A:-Organic Art

B:-Neolithic Art

C:-Visceral Art

D:-X-ray style Art

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question64:-One of the major Neolithic site of Jericho is located in

A:-Israel

B:-Turkey

C:-Palestine

D:-Australia

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question65:-_____ is a spiritual practice centered on a person believed to possess the ability to interact with the spirit world to heal and serve their community.

A:-Totem

B:-Anime

C:-Cult

D:-Shaman

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question66:-Megalithic sites in Kerala include the ancient burial grounds of Kudakkallu Parambu in Trissur, with its unique "umbrella stones" (Kudakkallu) and the Muniyaras (dolmens) and other burial sites in

A:-Marayoor

B:-Mananthawadi

C:-Mannar

D:-Mannanam

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question67:-Is the following statement true?
Ziggurats found in ancient Egypt, were hemispherical tombs.

A:-Yes

B:-No

C:-Partially true

D:-Partially false

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question68:-_____ played an important role in changing Egypt's traditional polyheistic religion to one that was monotheistic, worshipping the sun god known as Aton.

A:-Amenhotep III

B:-Ramesses II

C:-Tutankhamun

D:-Queen Nefertiti

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question69:-In China during the _____ dynasty, landscape painting had evolved into an independent genre as a Universal longing of refined men, sometimes conveying specific social, philosophical or political convictions.

A:-Ming

B:-Han

C:-T'ang

D:-Guo Xi

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question70:-The script that evolved in ancient Egypt was

A:-Cuneiform

B:-Hieroglyphs

C:-Hebrew

D:-Babylonians

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question71:-A quality which emphasises the three-dimensional nature of shape or mass is called :

A:-Rhythm

B:-Volume

C:-Form

D:-Plasticity

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question72:-A mechanical system for creating the illusion of a three-dimensional space on a two-dimensional surface is called :

A:-Visual foreshortening

B:-Linear perspective

C:-Spatial depth

D:-Golden proportion

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question73:-Which of the following statements is true for Chiaroscuro?

A:-It is a system of arranging proportions of the human figure according to mathematical ratios

B:-It is a method of constructing depth using vanishing points and converging lines

C:-It is a technique of creating depth by reducing clarity and contrast with distance

D:-It is a technique of blending light and shade to create the illusion of volume and atmosphere

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question74:-Max Bill's sculptures are best described as examples of which type of balance?

A:-Radial Balance

B:-Symmetrical balance

C:-Asymmetrical Balance

D:-Formal Balance

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question75:-The basic element in a pattern that is repeated or varied to create the

overall design is called:

A:-Module

B:-Motif

C:-Form

D:-Texture

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question76:-Which of the following statements correctly describes Staccato and Angular rhythm in visual art?

A:-Staccato rhythm uses smooth, flowing curves; angular rhythm uses rounded shapes

B:-Staccato rhythm is abrupt and separated; angular rhythm uses sharp angles and changes in direction.

C:-Staccato rhythm uses continuous lines; angular rhythm uses dots or small elements

D:-Both staccato and angular rhythms rely solely on color variations for effect

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question77:-Which Gestalt principle explains why we perceive a series of disconnected dots as forming a complete shape?

A:-Continuity

B:-Similarity

C:-Proximity

D:-Closure

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question78:-Which of the following statements about the newly discovered color '0lo' is correct?

A:-0lo occurs naturally and can be seen without special equipment

B:-0lo was perceived by stimulating specific retinal cells, creating a color beyond normal human vision

C:-0lo is a mixture of all primary colors

D:-0lo is visible only under ultraviolet light

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question79:-Which design principle makes one part of a composition stand out against another?

A:-Unity

B:-Scale

C:-Contrast

D:-Symmetry

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question80:-In perspective drawing, which statement about a vanishing point is correct?

A:-It is the point where parallel lines seem to converge on the horizon

B:-It is the point where lines disappear in the distance

C:-It is the point where horizontal lines appear to meet at the horizon

D:-It is the point where vertical lines seem to come together in the distance

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question81:-The sculptor Benvenuto Cellini belonged to which of the following periods?

A:-Rococo

B:-Baroque

C:-Mannerism

D:-Romanticism

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question82:-Who is the sculptor of the 'Salt-Cellar' from the following artists?

A:-Benvenuto Cellini

B:-Jean Goujon

C:-Gian Lorenzo Bernini

D:-Auguste Rodin

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question83:-Who is the painter of the 'Doubting Thomas' from the following artists?

A:-Caravaggio

B:-Rembrandt

C:-J.M.W. Turner

D:-Gustave Corbet

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question84:-In which of the following museums is the painting the 'Third of May' by Francesco - Goya housed?

A:-Louvre Museum, Paris

B:-Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

C:-Prado Museum, Madrid

D:-Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question85:-Who is the painter of 'The Death of Socrates' from the following artists?

A:-Caspar David Friedrich

B:-Jacques Louis David

C:-Caravaggio

D:-Francisco Goya

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question86:-Who is the sculptor of 'The ecstasy of St. Teresa' from the following artists?

A:-Benvenuto Cellini

B:-Leonardo da Vinci

C:-Auguste Rodin

D:-Gian Lorenzo Bernini

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question87:-The painter Henri de Toulouse - Lautrec belonged to which of the following periods?

A:-Post-Impressionism

B:-Neo-Classicism

C:-Romanticism

D:-Mannerism

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question88:-Who is the painter of 'The third class Carriage' from the following artists?

A:-Vincent Van Gogh

B:-Honore Daumier

C:-Gustave Corbet

D:-Thomas Eakins

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question89:-Who is the painter of 'Road with Cypress' from the following artists?

A:-Vincent Van Gogh

B:-Paul Gauguin

C:-George Seurat

D:-Edgar Degas

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question90:-Who is the painter of the 'A Sunday afternoon on the Grande Jatte' from the following artists?

A:-Georges Seurat

B:-Camille Pissaro

C:-Edward Manet

D:-Claude Monet

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question91:-Henri Matisse is a _____ painter.

A:-Fauvist

B:-Romantic

C:-Photo Realistic

D:-Impressionist

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question92:-Name of the pioneer of German Expressionism.

A:-Vincent Van Gogh

B:-Edward Manet

C:-Emil Nolde

D:-Auguste Rodin

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question93:-Name of the artist who painted *Les Demoiselles d'Avignon*?

A:-Georges Braque

B:-Pablo Picasso

C:-Fernand Leger

D:-Jackson Pollock

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question94:-Name an artist who was a member of *Die Brucke* (The Bridge) Group?

A:-Gustav Klimt

B:-William Morris

C:-Edward Munch

D:-Ernst Ludwig Kirchner

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question95:-Bridget Riley is associated with which art movement?

A:-Pop Art

B:-Op Art

C:-Art Deco

D:-Impressionism

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question96:-'*Spiral Jetty*' is a famous work of Land Art created by which artist?

A:-Robert Smithson

B:-Richard Long

C:-Andy Goldsworthy

D:-Walter De Maria

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question97:-'*How to Explain Pictures to a Dead Hare*' is a famous performance artwork by which artist?

A:-Marina Abramovic

B:-Joseph Beuys

C:-Allan Kaprov

D:-Yoko Ono

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question98:-Which of the following is an important work by the conceptual artist Joseph Kosuth?

A:-The Dinner Party

B:-Fountain

C:-One and Three chairs

D:-The Physical Impossibility of Death in the Mind of Someone Living

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question99:-'Just What Is It That Makes Today's Homes So Different, so Appealing?' is famous Pop Art Work by which artist?

A:-Andy Warhol

B:-Roy Lichtenstein

C:-Claes Oldenburg

D:-Richard Hamilton

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question100:-Who is the Swiss sculptor that created the iconic bronze sculpture '*The Walking Man*'?

A:-Alberto Giacometti

B:-Henry Moore

C:-Constantin Brancussi

D:-Jean Tanguely

Correct Answer:- Option-A