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Question1:- Which of the following statements about Jainism are correct? Select the correct answer from the codes given below.

i. The Jains were also known as Nirgranthas, or those who severed all ties.
ii. The Svetambaras believed that Vardhamana Mahavira was never married.
iii. According to the Jain tradition, the first Tirthankara was Rishabhanatha or Adinatha.
iv. The father of Vardhamana Mahavira was Siddhartha, and the mother was Trisala.

A:-Only ii and iv

B:-Only ii and iii

C:-Only i, ii and iii

D:-Only i, iii and iv

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question2:-Which one of the following statements is not correct?

A:-The Mitakshara of Vijnanesvara is a commentary on Yajnavalkyasmriti.

B:-The Dharmasastras approve the marriage between the higher varna female and lower varna male.

C:-The Dharmasastra of Manu says that the land belongs to him who first cultivates it

D:-The marriage between a higher varna male and a lower varna female is called Anuloma marriage

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question3:-Match List-I with List-Il and select the correct answer from the codes given below.

List-I	List-Il
a. Joseph Rabban	i. Tarisappalli copper plate

b. Mar Sapir Iso ii. Muchunthi mosque inscription
c. lravi Korthan iii. Jewish copper plate
d. Punthurakkon v. Veeraraghava copper plate

Codes:

A:-a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii

B:-a-iii, b-iv, c-ii, d-i

C:-a-i, b-iii, c-ii, d-iv

D:- a-iv, b-i, c-iii, d-ii

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question4:-Arrange the following organisations in chronological order of their foundations and select the correct answer from the codes given below.

a. Atmiya Sabha
b. Arya Samaj
c. Brahma Samaj
d. Satyashodhak Samaj

Codes

A:-a b c d

B:-b a c d

C:-a c d b

D:-c a d b

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question5:-Who was the Governor-General of India when the Hindu Widow Remarriage Act was passed?

A:-William Bentinck

B:-Lord Dalhousie

C:-Lord Ripon

D:-Lord Irwin

Correct Answer:-Question Cancelled

Question6:-Match List—I with List—II and select the correct answer from the codes given below.

List-I	List-II
a. Nizamuddin Auliya	i. Qadri order
b. Bahauddin Zakariya	ii. Chisti order

c. Nasiruddin Muhammad Jilani iii. Naqshbandi order
d. Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi iv. Suhrawardy order

Codes :

A:-a-ii, b-i, c-iv, d-iii

B:-a-iii, b-ii, c-iv, d-i

C:-a-iv, b-iii, c-i, d-ii

D:-a-ii, b-iv, c-i, d-iii

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question7:-Which of the following about B.R. Ambedkar is not correct?

A:-B.R. Ambedkar founded the Bahishkrit Hitakarini Sabha

B:-Ambedkar obtained an M.Sc. in Economics from the London School of Economics

C:-Ambedkar became the President of the Harijan Sevak Sangh in 1932

D:-The Ph.D. thesis of Ambedkar was published with the title *The Evolution of Provincial Finance in British India.*

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question8:-Which of the following statements about the Indian National Congress are correct? Select the correct answer from the codes given below.

i. Out of the 72 Indian representatives who participated in the first annual session of the Indian National Congress at Bombay, the majority of them were from the Bengal and Bihar provinces.
ii. The second annual session of the Indian National Congress was held at Calcutta in 1886.
iii. Surendranath Banerjee was not able to attend the founding session of the Indian National Congress in 1885.
iv. The safety valve theory about the formation of the Indian National Congress was put forward mainly on the basis of the biography of A.O. Hume by Wedderburn.

A:-Only i and iv

B:-Only i, ii and iii

C:-Only ii, iii and iv

D:-All of the above

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question9:-Given below are two statements; one is labelled as Assertion (A) and the other is labelled as Reason (R).

Assertion (A):	The Kerala Pradesh Congress Committee took up the eradication of untouchability as part of its programme and started Vaikkom Satyagraha in 1924.
Reason (R):	The Vaikkom Satyagraha created enthusiasm all over India, and an Akali jatha arrived in Vaikkom from Punjab.

In the context of the above two statements, which one of the following is correct?

A:-Both (A) and (R) are true, and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)

B:-Both (A) and (R) are true, but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)

C:- (A) is true, but (R) is false

D:- (A) is false, but (R) is true

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question10:-Match List-I with List-Il and select the correct answer from the codes given below.

List-I	List-II
a. *Anukampa Dasakam*	i. Chattampi Swamikal
b. *Pracheena Malayalam*	ii. Pandit Karuppan
c. *Gramavrikshathile Kuyil*	iii. Sree Narayana Guru
d. *Jathikummi*	iv. Kumaranasan

A:-a-iii, b-i, c-iv, d-ii

B:-a-iii, b-ii, c-iv, d-i

C:-a-iv, b-i, c-iii, d-ii

D:-a-ii, b-iv, c-i, d-iii

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question11:-Which of the following statements about the Sree Narayana Dharma Paripalana (SNDP) Yogam and Sree Narayana Guru are correct? Select the correct answer from the codes given below.

i. The first editor of Vivekodayam, a journal of SNDP Yogam, was M. Govindan.
ii. Earnest Kirk was the first European disciple of Sree Narayana Guru.
iii. SNDP Yogam was registered as a Joint Stock Company in 1903.
iv. The first Secretary of the SNDP Yogam was Dr. Palpu.

A:-Only i and iv

B:-Only i, ii and iii

C:-Only ii, iii and iv

D:-All of the above

Correct Answer:-Question Cancelled

Question12:-Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

A:-Hermann Gundert: *Kerala Pazhama*

B:-Arnos Pathiri (Johann Ernst Hanxleden): *Puthen Pana*

C:-Samuel Matteer: *The Land of Charity*

D:-Benjamin Bailey: *Athmanuthapam*

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question13:-Which one of the following is not related to Ayyankali?

A:-Prathyaksha Raksha Daiva Sabha

B:-Sadhu Jana Paripalana Sangham

C:-Kallumala Agitation

D:- Pulaya Mahasabha

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question14:-In the 1923 congress session who moved a resolution requesting the congress leadership to take initiative to work for the eradication of untouchability in Kerala?

A:-A.K. Pillai

B:-K. Kelappan

C:-K.P. Keshava Menon

D:-T.K. Madhavan

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question15:-Who was the President of the Satyagraha committee of Guruvayur Satyagraha in 1931?

A:-K. Kelappan

B:-Mannath Padmanabhan

C:-A.K. Gopalan

D:-P. Krishnapillai

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question16:-When did the famous education bill introduced in the Kerala assembly?

A:-On 13th July 1957

B:-On 30 July 1957

C:-On 13th June 1957

D:-On 30th June 1957

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question17:-Kerala's formal palliative care policy is known as

A:-NNPC

B:-MNPC

C:-HNPC

D:-MMPC

Correct Answer:-Question Cancelled

Question18:-Who was the first "organic" leader of adivasis in Kerala?

A:-C.K. Janu

B:-Mayilamma

C:-Geethanandan

D:-Laha Gopalan

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question19:-"Give us land or bullets" in which struggle raised this slogan?

A:-Punnapra Vayalar

B:-Chengara

C:-Muthanga

D:-Munnar

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question20:-Name the author of the book politics, women and well being : How Kerala becomes a model?

A:-Dr. Jenee Peter

B:-Jennifer Lopez

C:-Robin Jeffrey

D:-K.N. Panikkar

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question21:-The system of charging higher fees for a professional course in the state was first started in the late 1980's by

A:-University of Kerala

B:-M.G. University

C:-Calicut University

D:-Cochin University

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question22:-Which right was removed from the list of fundamental rights from the Indian constitution?

A:-The right to privacy

B:-The right to equality

C:-The right to information

D:-The right to property

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question23:-In which among these are the newest addition to the list of fundamental rights

A:-Right to education

B:-Right to life

C:-Right to employment

D:-Right to Freedom

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question24:-Who filed a suits in the muncif court to stop aerial spray of endosulfan?

A:-Dr. Shripati

B:-Mayilamma

C:-Leelakumari Amma

D:-Sugatha Kumari

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question25:-In 1928 which location was identified as an ideal site for electricity generation?

A:-Perumatty

B:-Sairandhri

C:-Chittor

D:-Muttanga

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question26:-Choose the right answer

Column I - Scientist	Column II - Contribution
A. Alfred Wegener	1. Plate Tectonic Theory
B. Harry Hess	2. Continental Drift Theory
C. Arthur Holmes	3. Sea-floor Spreading
D. McKenzie and Parker	4. Mantle Convection Hypothesis

A:-A-3, B-2, C-1, D-4

B:-A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2

C:-A-2, B-3, C-4, D-1

D:-A-1, B-4, C-2, D-3

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question27:-Which combination is incorrectly classified?

A:-Cirque — Glacial erosion

B:-Yardang — Wind erosion

C:-Spit — Marine deposition

D:-Moraine — Glacial erosion

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question28:-Consider the following statements about Earth's heat budget:

1. The atmosphere is relatively transparent to much of the incoming shortwave solar radiation.
2. The atmosphere absorbs a significant proportion of outgoing longwave terrestrial radiation.
3. The Earth's surface receives energy only through direct solar radiation.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

A:-1 only

B:-1 and 2 only

C:- 2 and 3 only

D:-1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question29:-Which type of rainfall is most directly responsible for the development of a rain-shadow region?

A:-Convectional

B:-Orographic

C:-Frontal

D:-Cyclonic

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question30:-The average salinity of the world's oceans is approximately:

A:-15%

B:-25%

C:-35%

D:-45%

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question31:-The temperate grasslands of South Africa are known as:

A:- Velds

B:-Pampas

C:-Prairies

D:-Steppes

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question32:-Consider the following Assertion and reason. Which one of the following statements is/are true?

Assertion A:	The Himalayas are highly prone to landslides.
Reason R :	Young, tectonically active mountains with steep Comprehensive slopes and fragile rocks are particularly susceptible to slope instability.

A:-Both A and R are true, and R correctly explains A

B:- Both A and R are true, but R does not explain A

C:- A is true, but R is false

D:-Both A and R are false

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question33:-Laterite soils develop mainly under conditions of:

A:-Low temperature and low rainfall

B:-High temperature and heavy rainfall with intense leaching

C:-Arid climate and strong evaporation

D:- Permafrost conditions

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question34:-In 1650 AD, the world population was approximately 500 million. How many years did it approximately take for the world population to reach 1000 million?

A:-1500 years

B:-1000 years

C:-200 years

D:-500 years

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question35:-Which of the following countries has a bell-shaped age sex pyramid?

A:-Australia

B:-Nigeria

C:-Both (A) and (B)

D:-None of these

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question36:-A red collar worker is a person who is engaged in _____

A:-Quinary Activity

B:-Primary Activity

C:-Secondary Activity

D:-Both (A) and (C)

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question37:-Which of the following is not a conurbation?

A:-Tokyo

B:-Manchester

C:-Chicago

D:-Calgary

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question38:-Examine the following statements about the Brahui Language.
(i) It is a Sino- Tibetan language
(ii) It is spoken by the Brahui Tribes of Balochistan.
(iii) It is an Indo Aryan language
(iv) It is a Dravidian language.
Which of them are correct?

A:-Only (i) and (ii)

B:-Only (ii) and (iii)

C:-Only (ii) and (iv)

D:- Only (i)

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question39:-Which among the following is the smallest wildlife sanctuary in Kerala?

A:-Mangalavanam

B:-Kottiyoor

C:-Kurinjimala

D:- Thattekkad

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question40:-Which among the following is the web enabled work flow-based system for building up of online Fisherfolk Family Register (FFR) for the implementation & monitoring of welfare schemes/services and to transfer the benefit to the bank account of the beneficiaries using DBT?

A:-Fisheries Information System

B:-Kerala Fisheries Development and Management System

C:-Fisherfolk Information System

D:-Fisheries Information and Management System

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question41:-A scientist develops a new fertilizer that doubles crop yields. In the market for wheat, how would this technological advancement be represented on a standard supply and demand graph?

A:-A leftward shift of the demand curve

B:-A movement upward along the demand curve

C:-A rightward shift of the supply curve

D:- A movement upward along the supply curve

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question42:-If the price of Good A increases by 10% and the quantity demanded of Good B increases by 15%, what is the cross-price elasticity of demand?

A:-+ 1.5

B:-− 1.5

C:-− 0.67

D:-+ 0.67

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question43:-According to the traditional theory of cost, When Average Total Cost (ATC) is decreasing as output increases, the Marginal Cost (MC) must be:

A:-Greater than Average Total Cost

B:-Equal to Average Total Cost

C:-Less than Average Total Cost

D:- Equal to zero

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question44:-If the marginal propensity to consume (MPC) is 0.8, what is the resulting change in total national income if the government increases investment spending by Rs. 50 Crore?

A:-Rs. 62.5 Crore

B:-Rs. 40 Crore

C:-Rs. 400 Crore

D:-Rs. 250 Crore

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question45:-Which canon of taxation, proposed by Adam Smith, states that the time, manner, and amount of payment should be clear to the taxpayer?

A:-The Canon of Certainty

B:-The Canon of Convenience

C:-The Canon of Equity

D:-The Canon of Economy

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question46:-Which component of the money supply includes only the most liquid forms of money, such as currency with the public, demand deposits and other deposits with the RBI?

A:-M1

B:-M2

C:-M3

D:- M4

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question47:-In welfare economics, a situation is defined as Pareto Optimal if:

A:-Resources are distributed equally among all members

B:-The sum of all individual utilities is maximised

C:-Every individual reaches their maximum possible utility level

D:-No one can be made better off without making someone else worse off

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question48:-In the S.S. Tarapore Committee recommendations on Capital Account Convertibility (CAC), which conditions were emphasized as pre-requisites for full convertibility in India?

A:-Complete Privatizing of all public sector banks and total deregulation of interest rates

B:-Achieving a trade surplus in primary agriculture and manufacturing sectors

C:-Fixing the rupee exchange rate permanently to the US dollar

D:-Reduction of fiscal deficit, low inflation rate, and Strengthening of banking system

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question49:-What does 'Disguised Unemployment' primarily signify in the context of Indian agriculture?

A:-Workers are highly skilled but underpaid

B:-Marginal productivity of labour is zero

C:-Total production decreases when labour is added

D:-Productivity of labour is at its maximum

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question50:-According to the Ricardian theory of comparative advantage, what is the primary determinant of the pattern of international trade?

A:- Differences in absolute labour productivity

B:- Differences in relative labour productivity

C:-Differences in relative factor endowments

D:-Differences in consumer demand patterns

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question51:-The executive power of President of India, in his/her absence, is discharged in accordance with

A:-Presidential Executive Act 1959

B:-Article 52

C:-Presidential Executive Act 1969

D:-None of them

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question52:-Which Writ petition in the Indian Constitution does have the meaning of “We Command”?

A:-Mandamus

B:-Certiorari

C:-Prohibition

D:-Quo Warranto

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question53:-What is the correct answer regarding the “Basic Structure” principle of Constitution is concerned?

A:-Suggested by Law Commission

B:- Recommended by Drafting Committee

C:-It’s clearly defined by Supreme Court

D:-Gives wide scope on judicial review

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question54:-The idea of welfare state is included in the Indian Constitution’s _____

A:-Fundamental Rights

B:-Directive Principle of State Policy

C:-Preamble

D:-Schedules

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question55:-The Prime Minister is ex-officio chairperson of

A:-Central Information Commission

B:-Defence Acquisition Council

C:-NHRC

D:- NITI Ayog

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question56:-Find the correct answer regarding Administering Oath of High Courts Chief Justice and other Judges

A:-By the Governor of concerned states

B:-Before the Chief Justice of India

C:-Before the President of India

D:- Before the Chief Minister of concerned states

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question57:-Choose the right answer form the options below
Find the correct match regarding idea of

A:-Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan - Mahatma Gandhi

B:-Jai Hind - Captain Lakshmi

C:-One Man One Vote - Ambedkar

D:- Quit India - Subash Chandra Bose

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question58:-Consider the following statements regarding village Panchayat:
1. 73rd Amendment gave constitutional status
2. Grama Sabha became a reality
3. The idea contains in the Part III of Constitution
4. Article 40 elaborates the functions of Village Panchayats

Select the correct answer using the codes given below :

A:-1 and 4

B:-1 and 2 only

C:-1, 3 and 4 only

D:- 1,2, 3 and 4

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question59:-Which committee of the Parliament has the legitimate authority to scrutinise CAG reports?

A:-Public Undertaking Committee

B:-Departmental Standing Committee

C:-Public Accounts Committee

D:-Privilege Committee

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question60:-Which one of the following point is NOT a correct answer with RTI and Information Commissioners?

A:-Chairperson and members are appointed for a period of 3 years

B:-Separate Information Commission for Union and States

C:-Ensure transparency and Accountability

D:- Enjoying Constitutional Status

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question61:-Whose work does popularise the idea of distributive justice in the realm of affirmative action?

A:-John Rawls

B:-Isaiah Berlin

C:-Milton Freedman

D:- Amartya Sen

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question62:-The Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO) were formed by merging the Programme Evaluation Office and the :

A:-National Development Council

B:-Planning Commission Secretariat

C:-Independent Evaluation Office

D:-Central Statistical Organisation

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question63:-Consider the following statements about Development Administration :
(i) The term "Development Administration" was first coined by U.L. Goswami in 1955.
(ii) It is an action oriented, goal oriented administrative system
(iii) It functions independently of the social environment
Which of the statements given above are correct?

A:-(i) only

B:-(i) and (ii) only

C:-(ii) and (iii) only

D:-All of the above

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question64:-Reservation of seats for Scheduled Castes and Schedules Tribes in Panchayats is provided under which article of Indian Constitution?

A:-Article 243C

B:-Article 243D

C:-Article 243E

D:-Article 243F

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question65:-Consider the following statement about the 74^{th} Constitutional Amendment Act, 1992 :
(i) It added the Tenth Schedule to the Constitution.
(ii) It has added Part IX-A to the Constitution of India.
(iii) The Act provides for establishment of three types of Municipalities of every state
Which of the statements given above are correct?

A:-(ii) only

B:-(i) and (ii) only

C:-(ii) and (iii) only

D:-All of the above

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question66:-PM-YASASVI is primarily an umbrella scheme for:

A:-OBC, EBC and DNT students

B:-SC, ST and minority students

C:-Senior Citizens

D:-Persons with disabilities

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question67:-Consider the following statements about Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana (PM-AJAY) programme
(i) One component focuses on developing SC-dominated villages into Adarsh Gram
(ii) It promotes skill development and income-generating activities
(iii) It includes the Grants-in-Aid component for district/state-level infrastructure development.
Which of the statements given above are correct?

A:-(i) only

B:-(i) and (ii) only

C:-(ii) and (iii) only

D:-All the above

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question68:-Which section of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 defines aggravated sexual assault?

A:-Section 5

B:-Section 7

C:-Section 9

D:-Section 11

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question69:-Consider the following statements about India's Neighbourhood First Policy.
(i) It seeks to develop friendly and mutually beneficial relations with India's

neighbouring countries.
(ii) It gives importance to connectivity and infrastructure development
(iii) It aims to establish India's political and military control over neighbouring countries
(iv) It promotes development cooperation, security, and people-to-people contacts
Which of the statements given above are correct?

A:-(i) and (ii) only

B:-(ii) and (iii) only

C:-(i), (ii) and (iv) only

D:-All the above

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question70:-What does Article 2 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights primarily deal with?

A:-The right to life, liberty and security of person

B:-Freedom from discrimination and the equal enjoyment of human rights

C:-The right to education and cultural participation

D:-The right to freedom of thought, conscience and religion

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question71:-What does the process of socialization enable individuals to acquire?

A:-Wealth and social status

B:-Genetic traits and physical abilities

C:-Knowledge, skills and disposition that make them members of society

D:-Political power and authority

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question72:-Which of the following best describes the family system?

A:-A group of unrelated individuals living together

B:-A social unit with no specific functions

C:-A subsystem of the larger society with interrelated statuses and functions and interdependent to other subsystems of the society

D:-An isolated unit independent of other social systems

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question73:-Which of the following is a consequence of alcoholism?

A:-Decline in unlawful activities

B:-Individual and family disorganisation

C:-Reinforcement of ethical standards

D:-Improvement in financial stability

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question74:-Which of the statements are correct regarding the National policy on Older Persons 1999
(i) The policy envisaged the state support to ensure financial and food security, healthcare, shelter and other needs for older persons
(ii) The policy was to implemented to encourage the families to take care of the older family members
(iii) The policy was engaged in creating awareness regarding the elderly to help them lead productive and independent lives

A:-Only Statement (i) and (ii) are correct

B:-Only Statement (ii) and (iii) are correct

C:-All the statements are correct

D:-None of the statements are correct

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question75:-An elderly individual is struggling with isolation and depression. Which social security measure could best support their mental health?

A:-Direct financial assistance

B:-Community engagement programs

C:-Home improvement grants

D:-Tax reductions

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question76:-When assessing the effectiveness of a program designed to support transgender youth, which outcome would be indicate success?

A:-Increased enrolment in educational programs

B:-Higher rates of employment among transgender individuals

C:-Improved mental health outcomes reported by participants

D:-More community events focusing on transgender issues

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question77:-A community organization is evaluating the impact of its unemployment support services. Which outcome would be the most relevant indicator of its effectiveness?

A:-Increase in community awareness about unemployment issues

B:-Number of workshops conducted

C:-Percentage of participants who secure stable employment within six months

D:-Amount of funding received for the program

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question78:-Consider the following statements regarding the POCSO Act, 2012:

1. The Act is gender-neutral with respect to children who are victims of sexual offences.
2. The Act provides for Special Courts for the trial of offences under the Act.
3. The Act applies only when the offender is an adult.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

A:-1 only

B:-1 and 2 only

C:-2 and 3 only

D:- 1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question79:-Consider the following constitutional provisions:

1. Article 39 (d) - Equal pay for equal work for both men and women
2. Article 42 - Just and humane conditions of work and maternity relief
3. Article 51A(e) - Renunciation of practices derogatory to the dignity of women
4. Article 15 (3) - Special provisions for women and children.

Which of the above provisions directly contribute to the constitutional framework for women's social justice?

A:- 1 and 2 only

B:-1, 2 and 4 only

C:-2, 3 and 4 only

D:-1, 2, 3 and 4

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question80:-

Assertion A:	Rapid urbanization may contribute to feelings of anomie among certain sections of the urban population.
Reason R:	Urbanization can weaken established social relationships and normative structures while creating new and sometimes unstable patterns of social interaction

A:-Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A

B:-Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A

C:-A is true, but R is false

D:- A is false, but R is true

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question81:-Which of the following pairs is correctly matched?

A:-DAY-NULM - Rural agricultural credit programme

B:-PMAY-U - Employment guarantee exclusively for rural households

C:-MGNREGA - Guaranteed wage employment in rural areas

D:-PMGSY - Urban housing programme

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question82:-A researcher wants to study the experiences of migrant workers in Chennai. From a list of registered migrant workers, the researcher selects every 20^{th} worker after randomly choosing the first respondent.
Which sampling method is being used?

A:-Stratified random sampling

B:-Cluster sampling

C:-Systematic random sampling

D:- Snowball sampling

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question83:-Which of the following statement best illustrates the sociological purpose of social security?

A:-Increasing competition among individuals

B:-Protecting individuals and households against social and economic risks

C:-Reducing the responsibility of the State towards vulnerable Groups

D:-Promoting private charity as the primary mechanism of welfare

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question84:-Which of the following situations most clearly represents a human-rights-based approach to social welfare?

A:-Providing welfare benefits solely on the basis of political affiliation

B:-Treating all individuals identically regardless of their different levels of vulnerability

C:-Limiting welfare services to individuals who can make financial contributions

D:-Ensuring that vulnerable groups have access to dignity, equality, participation and essential services

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question85:-The term “digital divide” primarily refers to:

A:-Inequalities in access to and effective use of digital technologies

B:-The difference between traditional and modern computers

C:-The separation between rural and urban governments

D:- Differences between social media platforms

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question86:-A social worker is working with residents of a disadvantaged community. The social worker facilitates residents’ participation in identifying problems, advocates for their rights, challenges discriminatory structures and works with the community to strengthen its capacity to address these problems, rather than merely providing material assistance. Which aspects of contemporary social work are **reflected** in this approach?

A:-Charity as the primary objective of social work

B:-Empowerment, social justice and engagement with people and structures

C:-Providing services without involving service users in decision making

D:-Restricting social work to individual psychological problems

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question87:-Which of the following sequences represents the correct chronological order of these developments in the history of social welfare in Britain?

1. Elizabethan Poor Law
2. Poor Law Commission
3. Beveridge Report
4. Settlement House Movement

A:-1→ 2€→ 4€→ 3

B:-1→ 4€→ 2€→ 3

C:-2→ 1€→ 4€→ 3

D:-4→ 1€→ 2€→ 3

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question88:-Under the initial implementation of the Community Development Programme (CDP) launched in 1952, which of the following best describes the scope and financial structure of the pilot projects

A:-It targeted 55 pilot projects across 50,000 villages, with international donors funding over 60 percent of the project costs

B:-It covered 55 pilot project areas encompassing over 25,000 villages and ~16.4 million people, with villagers contributing nearly 60 percent of project costs through voluntary labor and financial support

C:-It was restricted to 100 pilot project areas covering 10 million people, fully funded by the Planning Commission under the First Five-Year Plan

D:-It encompassed 25 pilot project areas across 16.4 million villages, where the Ford Foundation covered 60 percent of all operational expenses

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question89:-

Assertion A:	Paulo Freire's critical pedagogy endorses the "banking concept" of education as the most effective method for student learning.
Reason R:	Freire's problem-posing approach emphasizes dialogue and enables learners to participate actively in understanding and critically engaging with their reality.

A:-Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A

B:-Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A

C:-A is true, but R is false

D:-A is false, but R is true

Correct Answer:- Option-D

Question90:-During the initial phase of direct social work practice, a practitioner must systematically gather information to lay the groundwork for intervention while mapping the client's transactional context. Which option accurately pairs the primary purpose of this operational phase with the visual assessment tool specifically designed to map the client's relationships, stressors, and systemic connections with their surrounding environment?

A:-Purpose : To evaluate the final outcomes of the intervention | Tool : Genogram

B:-Purpose : To identify the problem, needs and available resources | Tool : Ecomap

C:-Purpose : To Prepare the final report and terminate the relationship | Tool : Logical Framework (Log Frame)

D:-Purpose : To assess agency compliance and systemic equity | Tool : Social Audit

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question91:-A school social worker is designing a plan for an adolescent struggling with classroom disruptions: The intervention uses structured praise and tangible rewards to reinforce desirable conduct, while explicitly highlighting and building on the student's existing talents, internal resilience, and past coping successes, rather than focusing on behavioural deficits. Which combination of perspectives is the social worker integrating?

A:-Psycho-analytical theory and functionalist approach

B:-Behavioural Theory and Strengths Perspective

C:-Cognative Theory and Life Span Approach

D:-Social Exchange Theory and Psycho-Social Approach

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question92:-According to Weil, which model aims to build multi-organizational power to influence policy or institutional decisons?

A:-Coalition building

B:-Community Social and Economic Development

C:-Program development

D:-Social planning

Correct Answer:- Option-A

Question93:-What does the 'O' in Luther Gulick's POSDCORB framework stand for?

A:-Operation

B:-Optimization

C:-Organizing

D:-Orientation

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question94:-An administrator's "Span of Control" refers to

A:-The geographic radius covered by the welfare program

B:-The number of subordinates a manager can supervise effectively

C:-The total duration of the agency's strategic planning cycle

D:-The legal jurisdiction of the agency's founding board

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question95:-A tentative, testable statement predicting a relationship between two or more variable is known as a

A:-Construct

B:-Theory

C:-Hypothesis

D:-Conceptual framework

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question96:-What measures of central tendency represents the exact middle value in a distribution of data when the scores are arranged in numerical order?

A:-Mean

B:-Median

C:-Mode

D:-Range

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question97:-What core micro skill involves a social worker accurately sensing the client's private inner world, understanding their feelings and communicating this understanding back to them?

A:-Sympathy

B:-Self-Disclosure

C:-Empathy

D:-Confrontation

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question98:-When a social worker maintains clear, appropriate professional boundaries and avoids entering into a dual relationship with a client that could cause harm, they are upholding which NASW core value?

A:-Service

B:-Social Justice

C:-Integrity

D:-Importance of Human Relationships

Correct Answer:- Option-C

Question99:-In a psychiatric or clinical mental health setting, what primary tool do social worker use to understand a client's psychological functioning alongside their systemic social environment?

A:-Cost-Benefit Analysis Matrix

B:-Biopsychosocial Assessment

C:-Environmental Impact Assessment

D:-Job Specification Form

Correct Answer:- Option-B

Question100:-In correctional and forensic social work settings, when an offender is released from prison early under supervised conditional release in the community, it is referred to as:

A:-Probation

B:-Restitution

C:-Diversion

D:-Parole

Correct Answer:- Option-D