

THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT AT GUWAHATI
(THE HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)
WRITTEN EXAMINATION (OMR based objective type multiple choice questions)
FOR DIRECT RECRUITMENT OF LIBRARY ASSISTANT IN
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Total number of questions is 120. Each question carries 1 mark. There is no negative marking. [Assamese language Segment (Q. No. 101 to 120) is qualifying in nature]

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

1. Tick the correct spelling:

- a. Prepousterus
- b. Preposterous
- c. Preposterus
- d. Prepousterous

2. Tick the correct spelling:

- a. Ettiquete
- b. Etiquete
- c. Etiquette
- d. Etiquettee

3. Tick the correct spelling:

- a. Handkerchief
- b. Hankerchief
- c. Henkerchief
- d. Hankerchef

4. Tick the correct spelling:

- a. Ocassion
- b. Ocasion
- c. Occassion
- d. Occasion

5. Wayne isthan Kobbie.

- a. Tall
- b. Taller
- c. Tallest
- d. All of the above

6. That is the man..... son is a famous actor.

- a. Who
- b. Whose
- c. Of whom
- d. Where

7. You have been to Manchester,.....?

- a. Have you
- b. You have
- c. Haven't you
- d. All of the above

8. 'Burning the midnight oil' is a term associated with:

- a. Travelling
- b. Partying
- c. Studying
- d. Playing

9. 'Elephant in the room' means:

- a. A small room
- b. A problem or risk that no one wants to discuss
- c. The topic that the people present are discussing
- d. Keeping an animal inside the room

10. 'Cut somebody some slack' means:

- a. Be critical
- b. Don't be so critical
- c. Ignore a person
- d. Don't ignore a person

11.Taj Mahal is situated at Agra.

- a. A
- b. An
- c. The
- d. It

12. What.....doing when I called?

- a. Was you
- b. Were you
- c. You
- d. You were

13. Nothing.....done when Harry is away.

- a. Gets
- b. Becomes
- c. Been
- d. Has

14. What.....your favourite food as a child?

- a. Was
- b. Will
- c. Has
- d. Would

15. I should have never.....such a boring book!

- a. Saw
- b. Red
- c. Readen
- d. Read

16. What is the synonym of 'Elated'?

- a. Happy
- b. Depressed
- c. Angry
- d. Anxious

17. What is the synonym of 'Audacity'?

- a. Cowardice
- b. Boldness
- c. Sickness
- d. Happiness

18. What is the antonym of 'Demolish'?

- a. Construct
- b. Destroy
- c. Travel
- d. Sleep

19. What is the antonym of 'Despair'?

- a. Hope
- b. Misery
- c. Approval
- d. Criticism

20. What is the antonym of 'Retract'?

- a. Withdraw
- b. Cunning
- c. Incite
- d. Assert

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

21. Which of the following is not a social media platform?

- a. Twitter
- b. Facebook
- c. Instagram
- d. Sonogram

22. An attempt to obtain sensitive information such as username, password, credit card details etc. for malicious purposes by posing as a trustworthy source in an e-mail is called:

- a. Conning
- b. Phishing
- c. Sourcing
- d. Jamming

23. Hon'ble Mr. Justice D.Y Chandrachud is theChief Justice of India.

- a. 48th
- b. 49th
- c. 50th
- d. 51st

24. The football tournament Euro 2024 is being played in which country?

- a. England
- b. France
- c. Germany
- d. Portugal

25. The final of the 2023 ICC Cricket Men's World Cup was held in which city?

- a. Mumbai
- b. Ahmedabad
- c. Kolkata
- d. Chennai

26. Who amongst the following has not been a Chief Minister of Assam?

- a. Bhumidhar Barman
- b. Hiteswar Saikia
- c. Sarat Chandra Sinha
- d. Prafulla Kumar Saikia

27. The former name of Guwahati is:

- a. Sonapur
- b. Pragjyotishpur
- c. Kampur
- d. Tamulpur

28. The State Bird of Assam is:

- a. White-winged wood duck
- b. Peacock
- c. Cuckoo
- d. Eagle

29. Srimanta Sankardev was born in the year:

- a. 1419
- b. 1429
- c. 1439
- d. 1449

30. The Gauhati High Court does not exercise jurisdiction in which of these States:

- a. Mizoram
- b. Meghalaya
- c. Arunachal Pradesh
- d. Nagaland

31. The United Nations Security Council has how many permanent members?

- a. 5
- b. 10
- c. 15
- d. 20

32. In which year was the Battle of Saraighat fought?

- a. 1670
- b. 1671
- c. 1770
- d. 1771

33. Who is considered to be 'Father of the Computer'?

- a. Bill Gates
- b. Mark Zuckerberg
- c. Charles Babbage
- d. Elon Musk

34. Louvre Museum is located in which city?

- a. Paris
- b. London
- c. New York
- d. Amsterdam

35. Which is the largest planet in the Solar System?

- a. Earth
- b. Neptune
- c. Jupiter
- d. Mercury

GENERAL APTITUDE

36. A mother is twice as old as her son. If 20 years ago, the age of the mother was 10 times the age of the son, what is the present age of the mother?

- a. 38 years
- b. 40 years
- c. 43 years
- d. 45 years

37. If January 1, 1996 was Monday, what day of the week was January 1, 1997?

- a. Thursday
- b. Wednesday
- c. Friday
- d. Sunday

38. The speed of a boat in still water is 5km/hr. If the speed of the boat against the stream is 3 km/hr, what is the speed of the stream?

- a. 1.5 km/hr
- b. 2 km/hr
- c. 2.5 km/hr
- d. 1 km/hr

39. What is 40% of 280?

- a. 112
- b. 120
- c. 124
- d. 132

40. A shopkeeper sold an article for Rs. 2500. If the cost price of the article is Rs. 2000, what is the profit percent?

- a. 20
- b. 25
- c. 30
- d. 35

41. What is the probability of getting an even number when a dice is rolled?

- a. $\frac{1}{2}$
- b. $\frac{1}{4}$
- c. $\frac{1}{5}$
- d. $\frac{1}{6}$

42. Four years ago, a man was 6 times as old as his son. After 16 years, he will twice be as old as his son. What is the present age of the man and son?

- a. 34,9
- b. 33,7
- c. 35,5
- d. 36,6

43. Look at the series: 36,34,30, 28,24...

Which number should come next?

- a. 22
- b. 20
- c. 18
- d. 16

44. What number should come next in the series: 100, 50, 25.....?

- a. 20
- b. 17.5
- c. 15
- d. 12.5

45. Pointing to a photograph, a man said, "I have no brother, and that man's father is my father's son." Whose photograph was it?

- a. His son
- b. His own
- c. His father
- d. His nephew

46. Rohit is in the East of Abhijit and Abhijit is in the North of Rahul. Raju is in the south of Rahul. Which direction of Rohit is Raju?

- a. South-East
- b. South-West
- c. South
- d. North-East

47. The age of father 10 years ago was thrice the age of his son. Ten years' hence, father's age will be twice that of his son. The ratio of their present ages is:

- a. 5 : 2
- b. 7 : 3
- c. 9 : 2
- d. 13 : 4

48. A two-digit number is such that the product of the digits is 8. When 18 is added to the number, the digits are reversed. The number is:

- a. 18
- b. 24
- c. 42
- d. 81

49. Rinku completed the school project in 20 days. If Ramandeep is 25 % more efficient than Rinku, how long will it take Ramandeep to complete the same school project?

- a. 12 days
- b. 14 days
- c. 16 days
- d. 18 days

50. Statement I: Jaya is older than Pushpa

Statement II: Pushpa is older than Sumi

Statement III: Sumi is older than Jaya

If the first two statements are true, then the third statement is:

- a. True
- b. False
- c. Uncertain
- d. None of the above

LIBRARY SCIENCE

51. In 1948, the Imperial Library of Calcutta was renamed as:
- a. Central Reference Library
 - b. Central Secretariat Library
 - c. Asiatic Library
 - d. National Library of India
52. Origin of the concept of 'Literary Warrant' was by:
- a. S.R Ranganathan
 - b. E. Wyndhan Hulme
 - c. E.C Richardson
 - d. W.C.B Sayers
53. Who is the developer of OpenDOAR?
- a. Joint Information Systems Committee
 - b. Open Society Institute
 - c. University of Nottingham
 - d. SHERPA and UNESCO
54. A situation where a digital resource is no longer readable is called:
- a. Digital Divide
 - b. Digital Representation
 - c. Digital Rendering
 - d. Digital Obsolescence
55. Which of the following is not an open source software?
- a. Libsys
 - b. Koha
 - c. Joomla
 - d. Greenstone
56. 'Library Herald' is a quarterly journal published by:
- a. Kolkata Library Association
 - b. Bengaluru Library Association
 - c. Lucknow Library Association
 - d. Delhi Library Association
57. Ontology is:
- a. A Documentation service
 - b. An Indexing method
 - c. Classification of Internet based documents
 - d. Cataloguing of Internet based documents
58. The smallest unit of information about a record in a database is called:
- a. File

- b. Record
- c. Field
- d. Table

59. 'SCOPUS' is a

- a. Software
- b. Database
- c. Journal
- d. Computer

60. Folksonomy is a:

- a. System in which users apply public tag to micro documents only
- b. System in which users apply public tag on online items
- c. System in which users do not apply public tag to online items
- d. System in which users apply public tag to only print items

61. How many digits does the ISSN have?

- a. 10
- b. 8
- c. 13
- d. 15

62. What Act changed the name of the Imperial Library to the National Library of India?

- a. National Library Act (Change of Name), 1953
- b. Imperial Library (Change of Name) Act, 1948
- c. Library Renaming Act, 1950
- d. Library Transition Act, 1962

63. Who introduced the concepts of scientometrics and is referred to as the 'Father of Scientometrics'?

- a. Derek De Solla Price
- b. Douglas John Foskett
- c. Jesse Shera
- d. Herbert S. White

64. Which is the world's oldest known library?

- a. The Library of Ayarzal
- b. The Library of Copa Del
- c. The Librabry of Carabou
- d. The Library of Ashurbanipal

65. What does RSS stand for in the context of Library 2.0?

- a. Really Simple Syndication
- b. Randomly Selected Service
- c. Rapid Systematic Search
- d. Resourceful Server System

66. Who among the following has introduced the concept of Information Society?

- a. Fritz Machlup
- b. Robinson
- c. Alvin Toffler
- d. Daren Burney

67. Which of the following is not an intellectual property law?

- a. Copyright Act, 1957
- b. Trademark Act, 1999
- c. Patent Act, 1970
- d. Customs Act, 1962

68. Which of the following is the nodal agency for implementing National Library Mission?

- a. Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation
- b. National Virtual Library of India
- c. Both a and b
- d. None of the above

69. Registrar of Newspapers of India (RNI) was created and started functioning in?

- a. 1950
- b. 1956
- c. 1960
- d. 1966

70. The University Grants Commission (UGC) established an Information and Library Network (INFLIBNET) program with its headquarters at:

- a. Delhi
- b. Mumbai
- c. Gandhinagar
- d. Bangalore

71. Which University was the first in India to start a five-year integrated course in library and information science?

- a. Gauhati University
- b. Calcutta University
- c. University of Delhi
- d. Bombay University

72. Who among the following propounded the Five Laws of Library Science?

- a. Dr SR Ranganathan
- b. Dr DB Krishna Rao
- c. Both a and b
- d. None of the above

73. Web 2.0 was invented by:

- a. Bill Gates
- b. Yahoo
- c. Darcy Di Nucci
- d. None of the above

74. 'Ask Library Anything' (ALA) was coined by:

- a. John Mc Mann
- b. Rory Delap
- c. Melvil Dewey
- d. Peter Griffin

75. The term 'webometrics' was coined by:

- a. Thomas Almind and Ingwersen
- b. T Brauin
- c. Alan Pitchard
- d. Thomas Wayne

76. Who maintains the Dewey Decimal Classification (DDC) system and offers online access to WebDewey?
- American Library Association (ALA)
 - Library of Congress
 - Online Computer Library Center (OCLC)
 - ProQuest
77. Who is considered the father of modern encyclopaedias?
- Barbara Tillett
 - Brian Campbell Vickery
 - Herbert S. White
 - Denis Diderot
78. Who coined the term 'Library Science' within his work from 1808 to 1828?
- Melvil Dewey
 - S. R. Ranganathan
 - Martin Schrettinger
 - Lee Pierce Butler
79. BSO in classification stands for
- Broad system of organization
 - Broad system of ordering
 - Broad subject of organization
 - Broad subject of ordering
80. What does CCF stand for in the context of bibliographic communication standards?
- Centralized Cataloguing Format
 - Common Communication Format
 - Cooperative Cataloguing Framework
 - Cataloguing and Classification Format
81. OAISTER is an example of digital libraries architecture based on:
- CORBA
 - Software Agents Architecture
 - Federated Database System
 - Metadata Harvesting
82. The Berne Convention, adopted in 1886, deals with:
- Translations
 - Copyright
 - Patents
 - Standards
83. Altmetrics is:
- Book metrics
 - Citation metrics
 - Indexing System
 - None of the Above

84. The concept of 'Selective Dissemination of Information' (SDI) was introduced by:
- Peter Shepherd
 - Hans Bierhoff
 - Hans Peter Luhn
 - Torsten Kahn
85. Data about Data is known as:
- Microdata
 - Metadata
 - Database
 - Databank
86. The concept of 'Librametry' was developed by:
- S. R. Ranganathan
 - A. W. Gouldner
 - M. Murphy
 - G. R. Lyle
87. The National Library for the Visually Handicapped (NIVH) is located at:
- Allahabad
 - Indore
 - Nainital
 - Dehradun
88. 'Grey Literature' refers to:
- Computer peripherals
 - Archival documents
 - Audio Visual materials
 - Unpublished literature
89. What is EAS gate?
- Online portal for e-resources
 - Cataloguing method in library
 - RFID based Security gate in library
 - Automated Circulation device
90. The acronym for the Association for Information Management is:
- IAMA
 - AIM
 - ASLIB
 - IIM
91. Blog is
- Offline journal
 - Internet journal
 - Web directory
 - Search engine

92. The term 'Lexicography' is associated with:

- a. Compilation of encyclopedia
- b. Compilation of journals
- c. Compilation of dictionaries
- d. None of the above

93. Internal communication within institutions is done through:

- a. LAN
- b. WAN
- c. EBB
- d. MMS

94. In 1966, the MARC as pilot project was launched by:

- a. OCLC
- b. Library of Congress
- c. The British Library
- d. American Library Association

95. WIPO is located at:

- a. Geneva
- b. New York
- c. London
- d. Paris

96. The book 'Library Administration' was brought out by S.R Ranganathan in

- a. 1925
- b. 1935
- c. 1945
- d. 1955

97. 'World Book and Copyright Day' is celebrated on:

- a. 22 August
- b. 23 April
- c. 23 March
- d. 20 March

98. 'DELNET' stands for:

- a. Developing Library Network
- b. Delhi Library Network
- c. Digital Libraries Network
- d. Distance Libraries Network

99. Linux is an example of:

- a. Multimedia Software
- b. Library Software
- c. System Software
- d. Content Management Software

100. 'ISBD' stands for:

- a. International Standard Bibliographic Description
- b. Indian Supervision of Book Department
- c. Interdisciplinary Subjects of Book Description
- d. International Social Bibliography Description

ASSAMESE SECTION

101. 'পৃথিৱী' শব্দৰ সমাৰ্থক শব্দ কি ?

- a. মেদিনী b. অৰুন c. সমীৰ d. নিলয়

102. 'আকাশ' শব্দৰ সমাৰ্থক শব্দ কি ?

- a. শশধৰ b. ভানু c. ডাৱৰ d. গগণ

103. 'বতাহ' শব্দৰ সমাৰ্থক শব্দ কি ?

- a. নিলয় b. ধৰা c. সমীৰন d. মেদিনী

104. 'চকু' শব্দৰ সমাৰ্থক শব্দ কি ?

- a. নেত্র b. আলয় c. দিবা d. ৰবি

105. 'মেঘ' শব্দৰ সমাৰ্থক শব্দ কি ?

- a. নীৰদ b. জল c. পৰন d. গগন

106. 'উত্তম' শব্দৰ বিপৰীত শব্দ কি ?

- a. সৰ্বোচ্চ b. অধম c. তলতীয়া d. মাধ্যম

107. 'অন্ধ' শব্দৰ বিপৰীত শব্দ কি ?

- a. কনা b. পোহৰ c. ভৱিষ্যত d. চাক্ষুয

108. 'আৱাহন' শব্দৰ বিপৰীত শব্দ কি ?

- a. আকোৱালী লোৱা b. বিসৰ্জন c. বন্ধ দিয়া d. অৱৰোধ

109. 'আগমন' শব্দৰ বিপৰীত শব্দ কি ?

- a. গমন b. অৱৰোধ c. ~~অৱৰোধ~~ d. আৱাহন

— **আৱাহন**

110. 'নিৰ্ভীক' শব্দৰ বিপৰীত শব্দ কি ?

- a. সাহস b. ভীক c. আতুৰ d. নিৰ্বোধ

তলত দিয়া শব্দ কেইটাৰ সন্ধী ভাঙক- (Q No. 111 - 115)

111. দুয়ো-

- a. দু + যো b. দুই + ও c. দু + ইও d. এটাও নহয়

112. নদীয়াল -

- a. নদী + আল b. নদ + ইয়াল c. নদীয়া + ল d. নদ + ঙ্গিয়াল

113. তাৰোপৰি -

- a. তা + উপৰি b. তঃ + আৰোপৰি c. তাৰ + উপৰি d. এটাও নহয়

114. উপৰোক্ত -

- a. উপৰ + উক্ত b. উপ + ৰোক্ত c. উপৰো + ক্ত d. এটাও নহয়

115. লৰালি -

- a. লঅ + বালি b. ল্ + বালি c. লৰা + আলি d. ল'ৰ + আলি

তলত দিয়া ইংৰাজী শব্দৰ অসমীয়া শব্দ বাচি উলিয়াওক- (Q. No. 116 - 120)

116. REIMBURSEMENT -

- a. পুনৰিলোকন b. প্ৰাধিকৃত c. প্ৰতিপূৰ্তি d. পৰিসীমন

117. HOSTILE -

- a. প্ৰেৰণা b. শত্ৰুপক্ষ c. প্ৰতিকূল d. এটাও নহয়

118. FRAUDULENT -

- a. অনুপ্ৰেণা b. প্ৰতাৰণা c. বিশ্বাসঘাতক d. এটাও নহয়

119. JUDICIAL PROCEEDING -

- a. ন্যায়িক বিষয় b. ন্যায়িক বিবাদ c. ন্যায়িক কাৰ্য্যবাহ d. ন্যায়িক বিধি

120. DRAFT -

- a. দস্তাবেজ b. হস্তলিপি c. পাণ্ডুলিপি d. এটাও নহয়

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