

# GAUHATI HIGH COURT

(THE HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM & ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

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## PART A [GENERAL ENGLISH]

Directions (For Q. Nos. 1 to 5) : Each word is followed by four words. Choose the correct synonym of the given word out of the four choices.

1. Abandon  
(a) vacate                      (b) foil                      (c) lose                      (d) gain
2. Fugitive  
(a) escaping                      (b) enduring                      (c) vain                      (d) weak
3. Keen  
(a) apathetic                      (b) absolve                      (c) enthusiastic                      (d) dull
4. Laudable  
(a) regrettable                      (b) hurt                      (c) praiseworthy                      (d) unfair
5. Vacillate  
(a) resolve                      (b) fluctuate                      (c) prosy                      (d) adaptable

Directions (For Q. Nos. 6 to 10): Choose the correct antonyms of the given words.

6. Bigoted  
(a) broad-minded                      (b) empty                      (c) fanatic                      (d) grotesque
7. Dormant  
(a) inert                      (b) doff                      (c) indulgence                      (d) active
8. Fallacy  
(a) blunder                      (b) error                      (c) abandon                      (d) truth
9. Nominate  
(a) define                      (b) exclusion                      (c) withdraw                      (d) neglect
10. Obsolete  
(a) archaic                      (b) tender                      (c) novel                      (d) modern

Directions (For Q. Nos. 11 to 15) : Identify the word which is the precise substitute of the expressions given below:

11. A supporter of the cause of women  
(a) effeminate                      (b) loquacious                      (c) sophist                      (d) feminist

12. A general pardon of political offenders  
 (a) arsenal (b) arson (c) emergency (d) amnesty
13. One who takes delight in excessive cruelty  
 (a) anarchist (b) sophist (c) sadist (d) nihilist
14. One who sacrifices his life for a cause  
 (a) soldier (b) revolutionary (c) martyr (d) patriot
15. A doctor who treats children and infants  
 (a) dermatologist (b) gynaecologist  
 (c) oncologist (d) paediatrician

Directions (For Q. Nos. 16 to 20) : Choose the correct meaning of the idioms and phrases from out of the given options.

16. By leaps and bounds  
 (a) very fast (b) very slow (c) in details (d) aimlessly
17. Blow one's own trumpet  
 (a) praise others loudly (b) speak abusively  
 (c) praise oneself loudly (d) balanced
18. Dark horse  
 (a) unexpected winner (b) to be indifferent  
 (c) fast runner (d) decide for good reasons
19. Turn a blind eye  
 (a) to refuse to see (b) become blind  
 (c) to act (d) to hesitate
20. A red letter day  
 (a) an important day (b) an auspicious day  
 (c) a dangerous day (d) an unimportant day

Directions (For Q. Nos.21 to 25): Choose the correct meaning of the words and phrases of foreign origin.

21. Vice versa  
 (a) a wise person (b) opposite (c) a foolish person (d) a food item
22. Bona fide  
 (a) in good faith (b) in bad faith (c) for good cause (d) for bad cause
23. Lingua franca  
 (a) Latin language (b) a common language  
 (c) an uncommon language (d) a new language
24. Prima facie  
 (a) without any evidence (b) unceremoniously

(c) on the face of it (d) deliberately

25. Impasse  
 (a) solution (b) panacea (c) deadlock (d) prisoner

Directions ( For Q. Nos. 26 to 30): Fill in the blank space in each sentence with the most appropriate word out of the four probable answers given.

26. She got married \_\_\_\_\_ the year after her graduation  
 (a) on (b) during (c) in (d) at
27. You must return my book \_\_\_\_\_ a week  
 (a) on (b) with (c) within (d) into
28. You should try to get \_\_\_\_\_ your worries  
 (a) on (b) in (c) after (d) over
29. She finished first \_\_\_\_\_ she began late  
 (a) yet (b) but (c) though (d) still
30. Give me your statement \_\_\_\_\_ black and white  
 (a) in (b) on (c) with (d) after

Directions (For Q. Nos.31 to 35): Correct the following sentences.

31. He is known about clarity  
 (a) to (b) with (c) as (d) for
32. He cried for spilt milk  
 (a) with (b) over (c) as (d) upon
33. The man was staring on the gift  
 (a) at (b) upon (c) in (d) on
34. If I were you, I will apologize for the lapse  
 (a) would (b) shall (c) should (d) can
35. The final decision rests upon the director  
 (a) on (b) with (c) at (d) in

Directions (For Q. Nos. 36 to 40): which of the following spellings are correct.

36. (a) Arrogant (b) Arogant (c) Arroggant (d) Aroegent
37. (a) Denot (b) Denote (c) Dennot (d) Dinote
38. (a) Dossire (b) Dosseer (c) Dossier (d) Dosier
39. (a) Diabetic (b) Diabetic (c) Diabitic (d) None of the above

40. (a) Discernible (b) Discernable (c) Descirnable (d) Dissernible

**PART B [GENERAL INTELLIGENCE]**

Directions (For Q. Nos.41 to 45) : In each of the following questions, there are two words and four alternative answers. In each alternative answer there are two words. Find out the correct alternative answer wherein the two words have the same relation as in the two words given in the question.

41. **Mad** : **Insane**  
 (a) Red : Green  
 (b) Healthy : Fat  
 (c) Brave : Timid  
 (d) Slim : Thin
42. **Purity** : **Adulteration**  
 (a) Profuse : Availability  
 (b) Treachery : Sincerity  
 (c) Rare : Scanty  
 (d) Sink : Drown
43. **Psychologist** : **Neurosis**  
 (a) Ophthalmologist : Cataract  
 (b) Dermatologist : Fracture  
 (c) Surgeon : Infant  
 (d) Oncologist : Measles
44. **Theft** : **Confess**  
 (a) Fight : Dare  
 (b) Fault : Admit  
 (c) Murder : Commit  
 (d) Mistake : Agree
45. **Preamble** : **Constitution**  
 (a) Word : Dictionary  
 (b) Contents : Magazine  
 (c) Explanation : Poetry  
 (d) Preface : Book

Direction (For Q. Nos. 46 to 50): Mark the missing word which has the same relation to the third word the way the first two words are related.

46. India : Pakistan :: Australia : \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) Russia (b) Canada (c) Fiji (d) New Zealand
47. Mathematics : Statistics :: Anthropology : \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) Physics (b) Chemistry (c) Sociology (d) Law

48. Offside : Soccer :: Penalty Corner : \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) Basket ball (b) Volleyball (c) Hockey (d) Cricket
49. Ear : Hearing :: Eyes : \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) blindness (b) vision (c) cataract (d) glaucoma
50. Arnab Goswami : Journalist :: Chetan Bhagat: \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) Singer (b) Sportsman (c) Politician (d) Writer

Direction (For Q. Nos.51 to 60) : Three of the following four are alike in certain way.  
 Find the odd one out.

51. (a) Lawyer (b) Doctor (c) Engineer (d) Physics
52. (a) Mars (b) Neptune (c) Moon (d) Saturn
53. (a) Criminology (b) Algebra (c) Taxation (d) Tort
54. (a) Baichung Bhutia (b) Sunil Gavaskar  
 (c) Ravi Shastri (d) Mohinder Amarnath
55. (a) Tarun Gogoi (b) Devendra Phadnavis  
 (c) Sharad Yadav (d) Akhilash Yadav
56. (a) Sonu Nigam (b) Zubeen Garg  
 (c) Alka Yagnik (d) Salman Khan
57. (a) CRPF (b) Arunachal Pradesh Police  
 (c) CISF (d) BSF
58. (a) India (b) Sri Lanka (c) Sweden (d) China
59. (a) Narmada (b) Brahmaputra (c) Mahanadi (d) Ganga
60. (a) India (b) England (c) Canada (d) Germany

Direction (For Q. Nos.61 to 65) : Choose the correct option.

61. A reduction of 12.5% in the price of sofa brought down the price to 4375. The original price of sofa was \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) 6000 (b) 5400 (c) 5000 (d) 5200
62. A student has to secure 40% to pass. He gets 178 marks and fails by 22 marks. The maximum marks are \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) 200 (b) 800 (c) 500 (d) 1000
63.  $45 \times ? = 25\%$  of 900  
 (a) 10 (b) 7 (c) 4 (d) 5
64. If 75% of a number is added to 75, the result is the number itself. Then the number is \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
 (a) 400 (b) 300 (c) 500 (d) 600

65. A man spends 85% of his income and saves the rest. What percentage of his income does he save ?  
 (a) 20%                      (b) 15%                      (c) 10%                      (d) None of above.

Direction (For Q. Nos.66 to 70) : Study the information given below to answer these questions.

- (i) A school held competitions for Chess, Table Tennis, Carrom, Kho-kho and Volleyball during the annual sports week from Monday to Saturday, each game on one day, one day being a rest day.
- (ii) Carrom competition was held neither on the first nor on the last day but was held earlier than Table Tennis competition.
- (iii) Kho-Kho competition was held on the immediate next day of the Table Tennis competition day.
- (iv) Chess competition was held on the immediate previous day of the rest day.
- (v) Kho-Kho competition day and Volleyball competition day had a two-day gap between them.
- (vi) Volleyball competition was held on the immediate following day of the rest day.
66. Which of the following was a rest day ?  
 (a) Wednesday      (b) Tuesday      (c) Friday      (d) Thursday
67. Kho-Kho and Carrom competition days had a gap of how many days between them ?  
 (a) One                      (b) Two                      (c) Three                      (d) Four
68. On which day was the Chess competition held ?  
 (a) Thursday      (b) Friday      (c) Monday      (d) Wednesday
69. Which of the following is a wrong statement ?  
 (a) Carrom competition was held on the immediate previous day of Table Tennis competition.  
 (b) Kho-Kho competition was held on three days after the day on which Volleyball competition was held  
 (c) There was a gap of three days between the days on which Chess and Table Tennis competitions were held  
 (d) There was a two day's gap between the rest day and the day on which Carrom competition was held.
70. Which of the following is the correct statement ?  
 (a) Kho-Kho competition was held after Table Tennis competition  
 (b) Chess competition was held on Thursday

- (c) No competition was held on Wednesday  
 (d) Table Tennis competition was held earlier than Chess.

Direction (For Q. Nos.71 to 73) : Choose the correct option.

71. Which of the following having the same form contradicts the statement 'guilty should be punished' ?  
 (a) Guilty will not be punished  
 (b) Guilty may not be punished  
 (c) Guilty are not punished  
 (d) Guilty should not be punished.
72. If it is true that 'no innocent persons should be punished' and 'Socrates is innocent', which of the following is the correct conclusion ?  
 (a) Socrates is not punished.  
 (b) Socrates may not be punished.  
 (c) Socrates should not be punished.  
 (d) Socrates will not be punished.
73. Which one is the same as Arid, Parched and Droughty?  
 (a) Rock                      (b) Crow                      (c) Hay                      (d) Dry

Directions (Qs. 74 to 76): Complete the following series.

74. 14, 2, 12, 4, 10, 6 ?  
 (a) 9                      (b) 8                      (c) 7                      (d) 5
75. 40, 42, 39, 44, 38, 46 ?  
 (a) 33                      (b) 35                      (c) 37                      (d) 33
76. 15, 18, 21, 24, 27 ?  
 (a) 27                      (b) 32                      (c) 30                      (d) 29

Direction (For Q. Nos. 77 & 78) : Choose the correct option.

77. Which of the following is same as uncle, aunt and brother ?  
 (a) Child                      (b) Boy                      (c) Adult                      (d) Nephew
78. Six students A, B, C, D, E and F are sitting. A and B are from Mumbai, rest are from Delhi. D and F are tall but others are short. A, C and D are girls, others are boys. Which is the tall girl from Delhi ?  
 (a) F                      (b) D                      (c) E                      (d) C

Directions (Qs. 79 to 80): Point out the entry which does not form a class with the other entries.

79. (a) Law                      (b) Court                      (c) Morality                      (d) Judge

80. (a) Freedom of speech (b) Right to equality  
(c) Freedom of religion (d) Right to make contract.

**PART C [GENERAL KNOWLEDGE]**

Directions (Qs. 81 to 100): Choose the correct option.

81. "Mid-wicket" is an expression used in which sport ?  
(a) Tennis (b) Swimming (c) Hockey (d) Cricket
82. Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh is ?  
(a) Chandra Babu Naidu (b) Kalyan Singh  
(c) Shivraj Chauhan (d) Jitan Ram Majhi
83. Shekhar Gupta is a ?  
(a) Politician (b) Journalist (c) Film maker (d) Social activist
84. Arjuna Award is given for ?  
(a) Excellence in sports (b) Literacy excellence  
(c) Contribution to film making (d) None of the above
85. Grammy award is related to ?  
(a) Acting (b) Sports (c) Literature (d) Music
86. "NITI" in NITI Ayog stands for ?  
(a) National Institution for Transforming India  
(b) National Institute for Textile Industry  
(c) New India Training Institute  
(d) None of the above.
87. Who is the present Chief Election Commissioner of India ?  
(a) T.N. Seshan (b) Hari Shankar Brahma  
(c) Kiren Rijuju (d) S.M. Qureshi
88. What is the currency of South Africa called ?  
(a) Baht (b) Franc  
(c) Rand (d) Lira
89. General O'Dyre is associated with ?  
(a) Battle of Plassey (b) Falkland War  
(c) Second World War (d) Jalianwala Bagh Massacre
90. Present Speaker of the Lok Sabha is ?  
(a) Sumitra Mahajan (b) H.L. Dattu  
(c) Somnath Chatterjee (d) Sadananda Gowda
91. Myopia is connected with ?  
(a) Ears (b) Eyes (c) Lungs (d) Kidney
92. Horticulture is the art or study of ?

- (a) Garden cultivation      (b) Birds      (c) Flowers      (d) Fish
93. NATO stands for ?  
(a) North America Trade Organisation  
(b) North Atlantic Treaty Organisation  
(c) New Zealand Australia Transport Operators  
(d) None of the above
94. Headquarters of Asian Development Bank (ADB) is at ?  
(a) Bangkok      (b) New Delhi      (c) Manila      (d) Colombo
95. Which country is known as the "Land of Midnight Sun" ?  
(a) Sweden      (b) Norway      (c) Finland      (d) Denmark
96. Which of the following tax is proposed to be abolished in this year's budget ?  
(a) Wealth tax      (b) Central sales tax      (c) Entry tax      (d) Value added tax
97. Rajya Sabha members are elected for a term of ?  
(a) 5 years      (b) 4 years      (c) 2 years      (d) 6 years
98. Census takes place in India every ?  
(a) 10 years      (b) 20 years      (c) 5 years      (d) 15 years
99. Which of the following teams had won the Santosh Trophy Football Championship in 2014 ?  
(a) Bengal      (b) Mizoram      (c) Assam      (d) Railways
100. On which date International Women's Day is celebrated ?  
(a) 18<sup>th</sup> March      (b) 8<sup>th</sup> March      (c) 28<sup>th</sup> March      (d) 8<sup>th</sup> April

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