

# B.A. (Hons) 2015-2016

1. At which one of the following places did Mahatama Gandhi first start his Satyagraha in India?  
(a) Ahmadabad (b) Bardoli (c) Champaran (d) Kheda
2. Which one of the following is not the official language of the United Nations?  
(a) Arabic (b) Spanish (c) Hindi (d) Russian
3. Which of the following is incorrect?  
(a) Jwala Gutta: Badminton (b) Suranjoy Singh: Boxing  
(c) Jennifer Paes: Volley Ball (d) Smriti Mehra: Golf
4. The Noble Prize is not given in the field of:  
(a) Literature (b) Economics  
(c) Chemistry (d) Mathematics
5. Arrange the following states in increasing order of area:  
1. U.P. 2. M.P. 3. Kerala 4. Rajasthan  
Select the correct answer using the codes given below:  
(a) 3,4,2,1 (b) 1,2,3,4 (c) 3,2,1,4 (d) 4,3,2,1
6. First non-citizen to receive Bharat Ratna was:  
(a) Nelson Mandela (b) Abraham Lincoln  
(c) Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan (d) Mother Teresa
7. The acronym NOTE stands for  
(a) National Organization for Tobacco Eradication  
(b) National Organization for Training and Education  
(c) New Order for Trade and Export (d) None of above
8. The acronym SIM stands for  
(a) Subscriber Identification Module  
(b) Subscriber's Inscribed Mechanism  
(c) Supersonic Information Model  
(d) Signal Identifying Machine
9. Which of these is a federal feature of the Indian Constitution?  
(a) A written and rigid constitution  
(b) An independent judiciary  
(c) Vesting of residuary powers with the centre  
(d) Distribution of powers between the centre and states
10. Which one of the following is the largest satellite in solar system?  
(a) Titan (b) Ganymede (c) Europa (d) Triton

11. Who is the author of the book "Conquest of self"  
 (a) Aurobindo Ghosh (b) Rabindranath Tagore  
 (c) Mahatma Gandhi (d) S. Radhakrishan
12. National Income of India is compiled by:  
 (a) Central Statistical Organisation  
 (b) Indian Statistical Institute  
 (c) Finance Commission (d) NDC
13. The Rowlatt Act aimed at  
 (a) Compulsory economic support to war efforts  
 (b) Imprisonment without trial and summary procedures for trial  
 (c) Suppression of the Khilafat Movement  
 (d) Imposition of restrictions on freedom of the press
14. Who is the author of the book India A Million Mutinies Now?  
 (a) V.S. Naipaul (b) Mulk Raj Anand  
 (c) Nirad C Chaudhari (d) Amithav Ghosh
15. Indus River originates in:  
 (a) Kinnaur (b) Ladakh (c) Nepal (d) Tibet
16. Deterioration: Rust  
 (a) Iron: Water (b) Emaciation: Debilitation  
 (c) Depression: Unemployment (d) Recession: Inefficiency
17. ELEVATED: EXALTED  
 (a) Promoted: Excellence (b) Disorderly: Unfaithful  
 (c) Raise: commensurable (d) Dirty: Filthy
18. COMMANDER; COMMANDS  
 (a) Surgeon: Diagnosis (b) Senator: Legislates  
 (c) Aviator: Aerates (d) Teacher: Checks
19. Select from the answer choices given under each number series an appropriate number to replace the question marks  
 2, 7, 14, 23, ?, 47  
 (a) 30 (b) 34 (c) 39 (d) 44
20. Determine the pattern and find the correct answer  
 9, 15, 23, 33, ?  
 (a) 44 (b) 36 (c) 38 (d) 45
21. Darwin: Evolution:: Archimedes: ?  
 (a) Friction (b) Lubrication (c) Buoyancy (d) Liquids
22. Triangle: Hexagon  
 (a) Cone: Sphere (b) Rectangle: Octagon  
 (c) Pentagon: Heptagon (d) Angle: Quadrilateral

23. Honey is related to wax in the same way as Milk is related to  
 (a) Cow (b) Leather (c) Eggs (d) Butter
24. 3. 7. 15. 31. 63, (.....)  
 (a) 92 (b) 127 (c) 115 (d) 131
25. A, B, C and D play a game to cards. A says to B. "If I give you 8 cards, you will have as many as C has and I shall have 3 less than what C has. Also if I take 8 cards from C, I shall have twice as many as D has. "If B and D together have 50 cards, how many cards have A got?  
 (a) 35 (b) 37 (c) 38 (d) 40
26. The phrase "put out" means  
 (a) Wear (b) Postpone (c) Crush (d) Extinguish
27. The words sadly, shortly, simply are  
 (a) Adverbs (b) Verbs (c) Adjectives (d) Nouns
28. The crow is sitting ----- the tree top.  
 (a) At (b) On (c) Over (d) In
29. Complete the sentence by choosing the right word from the given options:  
 (a) Sheaf (b) Shoal (c) Shower (d) Set
30. "Out of the blue" means  
 (a) Planned (b) Unexpected (c) Predictable (d) None
31. The earth ---- round the sun  
 (a) Go (b) Goes (c) Going (d) Gone
32. The synonym of "blunder" is  
 (a) Error (b) Mistake (c) Correction (d) Both (a) and (b)
33. Mark the option which is opposite on meaning to the underlined word. In some parts of the city nearly unimaginable opulence can be found riht next to nearly unthinkable poverty.  
 (a) Assets (b) Abundance (c) Profusion (d) Destitution
34. I cannot put up ----- this insult  
 (a) On (b) Upon (c) With (d) At
35. One who cannot die is  
 (a) Stable (b) Immortal (c) Perpetual (d) Perennial
36. The queen has said that she will ---- the ceremony  
 (a) Engage (b) Come (c) Attend (d) Impart
37. The train ----- before we reach the station  
 (a) Arrives (b) Will have arrived

- (c) Is arriving (d) Had arrived
38. Identify the correct pair  
 (a) Horse- mare (b) Horse heifer  
 (c) Horse- doe (d) Horse- ewe
39. Do be careful not to ----- your coffee on the white rug  
 (a) Drip (b) Filter (c) Spill (d) Leak
40. This book is not long I ..... it by lunch time.  
 (a) Will be reading (b) Will have read  
 (c) Am reading (d) Was reading
41. There are several problems we need .....
- (a) To deal with (b) Dealt (c) To make a deal (d) Dealing
42. When was the window ..... ?  
 (a) Break (b) Broke (c) Break up (d) Broken
43. Call something off may mean  
 (a) To cancel (b) To send away  
 (c) To break (d) To work hard
44. This practice was brought ----- to prevent certain abuses  
 (a) About (b) In (c) Down (d) Off
45. Give the synonym of 'Insomnia'  
 (a) Treatment (b) Disease (c) Sleeplessness (d) Unrest
46. As 'friend' is to 'foe': 'Union' is to  
 (a) Separate (b) Different (c) Discord (d) Divorce
47. As 'novelty' is to 'oldness' 'newness' is to  
 (a) Culture (b) Discovery (c) Model (d) Antiquity
48. Complete the sentence with the appropriate conjunction: She's very rich ----- she is not generous.  
 (a) And (b) Of (c) But (d) As well as
49. Arrange in the correct order  
 (1) Kindly write to us (2) have any doubts  
 (3) for clarification (4) should you  
 (a) 4321 (b) 3421 (c) 4213 (d) 1234
50. Correct the sentences:  
 The performance of our players was rather worst than I had expected  
 (a) Bad as I had expected (b) Worse than I had expected  
 (c) Worse than expectation (d) Worst than was expected
51. The old name of Madinah city was?  
 (a) Makah (b) Hijaz (c) Yathrab (d) Oman

52. Who was the first person outside the family of the Holy Prophet (s.a.) to accept Islam  
 (a) Hazrat Abu Bakr (R) (b) Hazrat Umar (R)  
 (c) Hazrat Uthman (R) (d) Hazrat Ali (R)
53. Who introduced copper coins in India?  
 (a) Muhammad bin Tughlaq (b) Sher Shah (b) Akbar(d) Iltutamish
54. Babar belongs to the family of  
 (a) Hashmites (b) Ottomans (c) Timurids (d) Abbasids
55. Razia Sultana was the daughter of  
 (a) Firoz Shah Tughlaq (b) Balban  
 (c) Alauddin Khilji (d) King Iltutamish
56. Who was the first ruler of Mughal dynasty in India?  
 (a) Babar (b) Akbar (c) Humayun (d) Jahangir
57. Real name of Nurjahan wife of Jahangir was  
 (a) Mehrun Nisa (b) Mahinoor (c) Qaisar Jahan (d) Alam Ara
58. In which place Masjid-e-Nabwi is situated  
 (a) Habsha (b) Makkah (c) Madinah (d) Taif
59. Shah Waliullah Dehlawi hails from  
 (a) Delhi (b) Mehrauli (c) Phulat (d) Deoband
60. Asrar-e-Khudi was written by:  
 (a) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (b) Sir Syed Ahmad Khan  
 (c) Maulana Mawdudi (d) Allama Iqbal
61. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad was associated with:  
 (a) Al-Hilal (b) Tahzeeb al-Akhlaq  
 (c) Fikr-wa-Nazar (d) Asar ul-Sanadeed
62. Nadvatul Ullama was founded by:  
 (a) Maulana Mohammad Ali Mongeri (b) Ali Miyan Nadvi  
 (c) Allama Shibli (d) Maulan Abul Kalam Azad
63. The Book "Fazael-e-Aa mal" is written by  
 (a) Maulana Ilyas (b) Maulana Ubaidullah Sudhi  
 (c) Shekh Zakaria (d) Ashraf Ali Thanvi
64. The author of Fathul-Bari is  
 (a) Allama Jalaluddin Suyuti (b) Hafiz Ibne Hajar Asqalani  
 (c) Iman Malik (d) Khateeb Baghdadi
65. Who was the founder of the Mughal rule in the Indo-Pakistan sub-continent?  
 (a) Amir Timur (b) Umar Shaikh Mirza  
 (c) Zaheeruddin Babur (d) Akbar

66. The "Sur Dynasty" in India was founded by?  
(a) Sher Shah (b) Islam Shah (c) Adil Shah (d) Jalal Khar
67. Who is known as "Mujaddid-i-Alf Thani"?  
(a) Shaikh Ahmad Sirkindi (b) Haji Shariatullah  
(c) Shah Abdul Aziz (d) Shah Ismail
68. The Reconstruction of Religions Thought in Islam is  
(a) Maulana Maududi (b) Allama Iqbal  
(c) Abdul (d) Jamaluddin Afghani
69. During the Mughal rule in India a new religious policy namely "Day-i-Ilahi" was formulated by?  
(a) Humayun (b) Jahagir (c) Shah Jahan (d) Akbar
70. "Kitab ul Tauhid" a famous book is written by?  
(a) Allama Iqbal (b) Muhammad bin Abdul Wahab  
(c) Hasn-al-Bana (d) Ibn-i-Arabi
71. A journal namely "Tazibul Akhlaq" was started by?  
(a) Shah Waliullah (b) Maulana Abul Ala Maududi  
(c) Sir Syed Ahmad Khan (d) Ibn Khaldun
72. Sir Syed Ahmad's father was?  
(a) Khwaja Fariduddin (b) Mir Muttaqi  
(c) Shah Abdul Aziz (d) Amir Khan
73. At the time of "the war of Fijar" (sacriligion war) the age of prophet Mohammad (Pubh) was?  
(a) 10 years (b) 12 years (c) 13 years (d) 15 years
74. The doctrine of "Wahdat ul Wajid" is propounded by?  
(a) Al-Ghali (b) Ibn Rushd  
(c) Ibn Tufail (d) Muhyuddin Ibn Arahi
75. The famous book "Revival of the Science of Religion" is written by?  
(a) Al-Ghazali (b) Al-Baghdadi (c) Ibn Rushd (d) Ibn Tufail
76. Sultan Azlan Shah of Malaysia was associated with the sport  
(a) Rowing (b) Hockey (c) Football (d) Cricket
77. The UN Secretary General Mr. Banki-Moon is from  
(a) Singapur (b) Vietnam (c) North Korea (d) South Korea
78. The Disaster Management Act was passed in year  
(a) 2009 (b) 2007 (c) 2003 (d) 2005
79. The largest source of National income in India is:  
(a) Service Sector (b) Agriculture (c) Industrial Sector (d) Trade Sector
80. Which country has the largest religious temple in the world?  
(a) Myanmar (b) Cambodia (c) Nepal (d) India

81. VAT is imposed  
 (a) Directly on consumer (b) On final stage of production  
 (c) On first stage of production  
 (d) On all stages between production and final sale
82. Which one among the following types of agriculture is also known as 'slash and burn' agriculture?  
 (a) Horticulture (b) Truck farming  
 (c) Commercial agriculture (d) Shifting cultivation
83. The first Chief Election Commissioner of India was:  
 (a) Sukumar Sen (b) S. L. Shaktidar  
 (c) S.P. Sen Verma (d) K.V.K. Sundaram
84. The period of development between puberty and adulthood is called  
 (a) Prepubescence (b) Adolescence (c) Childhood (d) Youth
85. Where is Sardar Sarovar project situated?  
 (a) Gujarat (b) Punjab (c) Karnataka (d) Uttar Pradesh
86. The part of neuron that receives neural signals is the  
 (a) Cell body (b) Synapse (c) Axon (d) Dendrite
87. Charles Dickens is the author of:  
 (a) Oliver Twist (b) The Old Bachelor  
 (c) Twelfth Night (d) Man and Superman
88. With which other term is 'reliability' roughly synonymous?  
 (a) Consistency (b) Objective (c) Simplicity (d) Validity
89. A zero correlation represents  
 (a) No relationship between variables  
 (b) A positive correlation (c) A negative correlation  
 (d) A perfect relationship between variables
90. NUHM is an abbreviation of  
 (a) National Urban Health Mission (b) National Urdu Hindi Mission  
 (c) National Unani of Hotel Managers (d) National Urdu Hindi Meet
91. A heuristic is usually described as:  
 (a) An internal debate (b) A formal chain of logic  
 (c) An unresolvable argument (d) A rule of thumb
92. Reserve Bank of India was established in:  
 (a) 1935 (b) 1945 (c) 1947 (d) 1950
93. "Smart Money" is a term used for:  
 (a) Internet Banking (b) Credit Card

- (c) Cash with Bank (d) Cash with Public
94. Jahangir's tomb is located at:  
 (a) Delhi (b) Lahore (c) Aurangabad (d) Agra
95. "Golden Handshake Scheme" is associated with:  
 (a) Inviting foreign companies  
 (b) Private investment in public enterprises  
 (c) Establishing joint enterprises (d) Voluntary retirement
96. Which continent of the world does not have a desert?  
 (a) Australia (b) Asia (c) Europe (d) North-America
97. When did the United Nations Organization come into existence  
 (a) October 24, 1945 (b) October 24, 1943  
 (c) November 26, 1945 (d) November 26, 1943
98. TIN stands for  
 (a) Tax Information Network (b) Total Information Network  
 (c) Terrorist Information Network  
 (d) Telecom Institutional Network
99. Gandhi took the command of the nationalist movement during the agitation against  
 (a) Rowlatt Act (b) Partition of Bengal  
 (c) Foundation of the All India Harijan Sangh  
 (d) Foundation of Muslim League
100. Who among the following is the author of the book 'India Remembered'?  
 (a) J.K. Rowling (b) Robert Dallek  
 (c) Pamela Mountbatten (d) Stephen Hawking

**Answers: B.A.(Hons) 2015-16**

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 14-a, 15-d, 16-c, 17-d, 18-b, 19-b, 20-d, 21-c, 22-b, 23-b, 24  
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 89-a, 90-a, 91-d, 92-a, 93-b, 94-b, 95-d, 96-c, 97-a, 98-a, 99-a  
 100-c