

Examination Paper, 2020
Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi
English (Core)–XI

Paper-I

Time : 1 Hour]

[Full Marks : 40

General Instructions :

1. Write your Name, Roll Code, Roll No. Registration No., Faculty and Paper on the OMR Answer Sheet in the space provided. Put your Full Signature on the OMR Answer Sheet in the space provided.
2. There are 40 Multiple Choice Questions in all.
3. All questions are compulsory. Each questions carries 1 mark.
4. Four options are given for each question numbered 1 to 4. Choose correct option and indicate it by blackening the appropriate circle [•] the OMR Answer Sheet given separately. Use only Blue/Black Ball-Point Pen. **The use of Pencil is not allowed.**
5. Before leaving the examination hall hand over the OMR Answer Sheet to the invigilator. You are allowed to take the questions paper with you.
Adhere to the instructions above very carefully otherwise your OMR Answer Sheet will be invalid and it will not be evaluated

Read the following passage and answer the questions from 1 to 5 :

Many strange creatures are found in World Mythology, here are descriptions of a few the centaurs of Green Mythology are creatures that are part human and part horse they are usually portrayed with the torso and head of a human, and the body of a horse they are supposed to be angry, fierce creatures.

The unicorn is a mythical creature usually depicted with the body of a horse but with a single, usually spiral, horn growing out of its forehead, the unicorn is found in all world legends.

In Greek mythology, the Minotaur was a creature that was part man and part bull. It lived at the centre of the labyrinth, which was an elaborate maze-like construction built by king Minos of Crete especially for the Minotaur.

Pegasus is a flying horse from Greek and Roman Mythology. It is generally pictured as white, sometimes with golden wings.

The phoenix is a mythical sacred firebird with beautiful gold and red plumage. It is found in ancient Phoenician mythology and in, This derived from it. At the end of its life cycle, the phoenix builds itself a nest of cinnamon twigs that it then ignites; both the nest and bird burn fiercely and are reduced to ashes, from which a new, young phoenix arises.

A mermaid is a legendary sea creature with the head and torso of a human female, and the tail of a fish. Various cultures throughout the world have similar figures.

1. The centaurs are generally portrayed with :

- (a) The torso and head of a human, and the body of a horse

- (b) The head of a horse and the body of a human
(c) The torso and head of a human and the body of a bird
(d) The head of a horse and the tail of a fish

2. Where do we find unicorn ?

- (a) Some world legends (b) Many world legends
(c) Most world legends (d) All world legends

3. The Minotaur is a creature from :

- (a) Roman mythology (b) Phoenician mythology
(c) Greek mythology (d) Japanese mythology

4. Pegasus is a :

- (a) Flying bull (b) Flying human
(c) Flying horse (d) Mermaid

5. At the end of its life cycle, the phoenix :

- (a) Buries itself (b) Sets fire to itself
(c) Drowns itself (d) Starves itself

6. 'Expression of Thanks' is written in :

- (a) Report writing (b) Article writing
(c) Speech writing (d) Notice writing

7. A formal letter starts with :

- (a) Sender's Address (b) Date
(c) Receiver's Address (d) Subject

8. 'Conclusion' in Article writing does not include :

- (a) Order (b) Warning
(c) An appeal (d) Suggestion

9. Friends / I / my / were / grandmother / and / good.
Choose the grammatically correct sentence for the above given sentence.

- (a) My grandmother and I were good friends.
(b) My grandmother I and were good friends.
(c) I and my grandmother were good friends.
(d) My grandmother and I were friends good.

Choose the grammatically correct sentence :

- (a) A car run over the dog (b) A car ran on the dog
(c) A car ran over the dog (d) A car ran in the dog

11. Malaria.....out in the city :

- (a) break (b) broke
(c) has broken (d) has been breaking

12. The thief.....red handed :

- (a) catch (b) caught
(c) was caught (d) is catching

Read the following extract and choose the most appropriate option from Q. No. 13 to 15 :

A sweet face,

My mother's, that was before I was born.

And the sea, which appears to have changed less,

Washed their terribly transient feet.

13. The sweet face the photograph showed was that of :

- (a) Narrator's cousin (b) Narrator's father
(c) Narrator's brother (d) Narrator's mother

14. The photograph was taken :

- (a) when the narrator was about twelve
(b) about twelve years ago
(c) when the narrator was a child
(d) when the narrator was not even born

15. The word 'transient' mean :

- (a) Permanent (b) Momentary
(c) Change (d) Not born

16. What time of the day is described in the poem 'The Laburnum Top' ?

- (a) Early morning (b) Noon
(c) Afternoon (d) Night

17. How does September sunlight appear ?

- (a) Bright (b) Light
(c) Yellow (d) Red

18. The place of origin of the rain is :

- (a) The earth (b) The sky
(c) The sea (d) The forest

19. The poet wants to know :

- (a) The day he became an adult
(b) The day he became responsible
(c) The day he became wise
(d) The day he lost his childhood

20. Hell and Heaven could not be found :

- (a) In geography books (b) In the sky
(c) In cities (d) On the earth

21. The father is ready to :

- (a) Forget him (b) Forgive him
(c) Live with him (d) Fight with him

22. What did the grandmother do in the afternoon ?

- (a) Read books (b) Teach the author
(c) Feed the dogs (d) Feed the sparrows

23. When did the narrator, Godon Cook set sail for Australia ?

- (a) January 1976 (b) July 1976
(c) June 1976 (d) August 1977

24. Who discovered King Tut's tomb in 1922 ?

- (a) Howard Carter (b) Mark Lehnar
(c) Stuart Struever (d) Jesse Fewkes

25. The first Green Party was established in New Zealand in :

- (a) 1940 (b) 1962 (c) 1982 (d) 1972

26. Taplow is a boy of :

- (a) 12 years (b) 16 years
(c) 14 years (d) 10 years

27. Professor Gaitonde entered Forbes building to meet his :

- (a) Friend (b) Wife (c) Daughter (d) Son

28. The narrator, Nick Middleton met Norbu in small and dark cafe in :

- (a) Ravu (b) Hor (c) Darchen (d) Lhasa

29. Who was John Byro ?

- (a) Student (b) A farmer
(c) A barber (d) A businessman

30. The narrator, daughter of Mrs. S visits the address :

- (a) Number 46, Marconi Street
(b) Number 40, Marconi Street
(c) Number 16, Marconi Street
(d) Number 26, Marconi Street

31. Where did Ranga go to study ?

- (a) Chennai (b) Mysore
(c) Bangalore (d) Mumbai

32. Who was Einstein's History Teacher ?

- (a) Mr. Patrick (b) Mr. Brown
(c) Mr. Yuri (d) Mrs. Pearson

33.was strong and dominating :

- (a) Mrs. Fitzgerald (b) Mrs. Pearson
(c) Doris (d) Cyril

34. Shahid suffered of which disease ?

- (a) Malaria (b) Typhoid
(c) TB (d) Cancer

35. Joe's wife was expecting a child after.....of their marriage :

- (a) 10 years (b) 20 years
(c) 15 years (d) 12 years

36. Which of the following is written by Vikram Seth ?

- (a) The Tale of Melon City (b) A. J. Cronin
(c) J. B. Priestley (d) Amitab Ghosh

37. What was the age of Sue ?

- (a) 6 years (b) 9 years
(c) 7 years (d) 8 years

38. Who really understood Albert Einstein ?

- (a) History teacher (b) Mathematics teacher
(c) Head teacher (d) None of them

39. Where is the Rock Garden situated ?

- (a) In Patna (b) In Bangalore
(c) In Chandigarh (d) In Kolkata

40. Who is the poet of the poem, 'A Photograph' ?

- (a) Walt Whitman (b) Shirley Toulson
(c) Ted Hughes (d) William Wordsworth