

**Choose the correct answer/ Fill in the blanks/State "true or false":**

1. Stephen completed his Doctorate in the year \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] 1963                      [b]1966                      [c]1984
2. He lost his voice due to \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] accident                      [b] paralysis                      [c] pneumonia
3. He was born in the year \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] 1942                      [b] 1963                      [c] not mentioned
4. He produced a revised draft of "A Brief History of Time" in the year \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a]1984                      [b]1988                      [c] 1966
5. He was one of the greatest \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] dramatist                      [b] chemist                      [c] physicists
6. He was diagnosed of a \_\_\_\_\_ disease at the age of 21.  
[a] motor neuron                      [b] motor neuron                      [c] motor neuron
7. \_\_\_\_\_ was highly risky for women in the past.  
[a] feeding children                      [b] giving birth to children                      [c] bringing up children
8. He was given a \_\_\_\_\_ to have an electronic voice.  
[a] robot                      [b] computer                      [c] mobile phone
9. We cannot prevent \_\_\_\_\_ from changing our world.  
[a] science & its techniques                      [b] science & its tactics                      [c] science & technology
10. India is a \_\_\_\_\_ society.  
[a] dictatorial                      [b] democratic                      [c] monarchical
11. Public has a great interest in \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] astrology                      [b] astrophysics                      [c] astronomy
12. Frankenstein is a novel written by \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] Stephen Hawking                      [b] Mary Shelley                      [c] Dr. Victor Frankenstein
13. In schools, science is often presented in a \_\_\_\_\_ manner.  
[a] dry and interesting                      [b] dry and uninteresting                      [c] dry and unimaginative
14. Children learn their lessons by \_\_\_\_\_ method to pass their  
[a] memorising with understanding                      [b] memorising with  
[c] memorising and applying

15. Genetic engineering is likely to change the way we live in future. [True /False]
16. Einstein's famous equation is \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a]  $E=mc^2$  [b]  $E=mc$  [c]  $E=MC^2$
17. To know the exact value of quantities the scientists use \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] Equations [b] diagrams [c] formulae
18. Scientific programmes on television should \_\_\_\_\_ the public.  
[a] educate and entertain [b] just educate [c] just entertain
19. Frankenstein is the \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] monster [b] creator of the monster [c] destroyer of the monster
20. The most urgent science related issue which needs our attention is that of \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] nuclear energy [b] global warming [c] green house effect
21. Cold War means \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] war fought in cold season [b] war fought in cold regions [c] unfriendly relations
22. \_\_\_\_\_ could mean the end of all human life on earth within days.  
[a] acid rain [b] nuclear war [c] cold war
23. One of the following is a minor power.  
[a] USA [b] India [c] Pakistan
24. Public can be informed about the new developments in science through \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] books and magazines [b] television [c] newspapers
25. Stephen Hawking, Helen Keller, Sudha Chandran, Beethoven etc are all \_\_\_\_\_ people.  
[a] famous [b] special [c] popular
26. We can pressurise the government to remove the nuclear weapons. [True/False]
27. A nuclear war between two major powers could draw in the minor powers. [True/False]
28. The world we live in has changed a great deal in the last \_\_\_\_\_ years.  
[a] few [b] few hundred [c] hundred
29. Put pressure on government to agree to large arms cut..... Here "arms cut" means \_\_\_\_\_.  
[a] cut the hands of the people [b] reduce the use of weapons  
[c] reduce the making of weapons
30. Decisions that are based on knowledge of a subject or situations :  
[a] correct decisions [b] informed decisions

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