

Articles

(A) Choose the correct articles to fill in the blanks:

1. Alexander Pope said that _____ honest man is _____ noblest work of God.
(a) the, the
(b) an, a
(c) an, an
(d) an, the
2. _____ Rome was not built in _____ day.
(a) No article required, a
(b) A, a
(c) A, the
(d) No article required, the
3. Mother Teresa was _____ European but she devoted her life to social work as _____ Indian.
(a) an, an
(b) a, an
(c) a, a
(d) the, the
4. In the Rock-band, Anu plays _____ guitar and her brother Adi plays _____ drums.
(a) the, the
(b) a, a
(c) the, a
(d) the, an
5. _____ French is _____ easy language to learn.
(a) The, an
(b) No article required, an
(c) A, an
(d) No article required, a
6. _____ Lakshdweep Islands are situated in _____ Arabian sea.
(a) A, an
(b) No article required, no article required
(c) The, an
(d) The, the
7. _____ U.S.A is larger than _____ India in are(a)
(a) The, the
(b) The, no article required
(c) No article required, no article required
(d) An, a
8. Ranu's uncle is _____ S.D.O. and her aunt is _____ M.L.A.
(a) a, a
(b) an, an
(c) a, an
(d) an, a
9. Sania plays _____ badminton while her friend Neha plays _____ tennis.
(a) no article required, no article required
(b) a, a
(c) the, the
(d) the, a
10. It was _____ honour for Rohan to be _____ invited guest on the Golden Jubilee Function of the school.
(a) the, the
(b) an, the
(c) an, an
(d) an, a

(B) Replace the underlined articles in the given sentences, wherever required, by choosing from the options given below:

11. Man is the social animal.
(a) a
(b) an
(c) no change
(d) no article required
12. The apple fell down, when Newton was sitting under the tree.
(a) A
(b) An
(c) No change
(d) No article required
13. The rabbit hit upon the idea.
(a) an
(b) a
(c) no change
(d) no article required

14. This table is made of the wood.
 (a) a
 (b) an
 (c) no change
 (d) no article required
15. The honest person is respected everywhere.
 (a) An
 (b) A
 (c) No change
 (d) No article required
16. Tom likes to drink the milk.
 (a) a
 (b) an
 (c) no change
 (d) no article required
17. The mariner sailed across an Atlantic Ocean.
 (a) the
 (b) a
 (c) no change
 (d) no article required
18. A heart patient must not eat the butter.
 (a) a
 (b) an
 (c) no article required
 (d) no change
19. My neighbour has gone to a U.A.E.
 (a) the
 (b) an
 (c) no change
 (d) no article required

(C) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles from the options given below:

___20___ highest mountain peak of the world is in ___21___ Himalayas. It is ___22___ Mount Everest. For hundreds of years, nobody succeeded in reaching ___23___ summit. ___24___ British, who ruled over India, established ___25___ office in ___26___ 1800's to survey ___27___ mountain and measure it. ___28___ man who had ___29___ idea to start ___30___ office was George Everest. After much work, ___31___ task was completed in ___32___

1852. ___33___ height was finally calculated as 8840 metres (later established more precisely as 8882 mt.). ___34___ summit was named after Everest in 1863. Edmund Hilary and Tenzing Norgay were ___35___ first to reach the summit of Mt. Everest.

20.
 (a) The
 (b) A
 (c) An
 (d) No article required
21.
 (a) an
 (b) the
 (c) a
 (d) no article required
22.
 (a) the
 (b) a
 (c) an
 (d) no article required
23.
 (a) the
 (b) an
 (c) a
 (d) no article required
24.
 (a) An
 (b) The
 (c) A
 (d) No article required
25.
 (a) the
 (b) an
 (c) a
 (d) no article required
26.
 (a) the
 (b) a
 (c) an
 (d) no article required
27.
 (a) a
 (b) an
 (c) the
 (d) no article required

28.

- (a) The
- (b) A
- (c) An
- (d) No article required

29.

- (a) an
- (b) a
- (c) the
- (d) no article required

30.

- (a) the
- (b) an
- (c) a
- (d) no article required

31.

- (a) a
- (b) the
- (c) an
- (d) no article required

32.

- (a) the
- (b) a
- (c) an
- (d) no article required

33.

- (a) The
- (b) A
- (c) An
- (d) No article required

34.

- (a) A
- (b) The
- (c) An
- (d) No article required

35.

- (a) a
- (b) the
- (c) an
- (d) no article required

Answer – Key

1.	D	2.	A	3.	B	4.	A	5.	B
6.	D	7.	B	8.	B	9.	A	10.	C
11.	A	12.	B	13.	A	14.	D	15.	A
16.	D	17.	A	18.	C	19.	A	20.	A
21.	B	22.	D	23.	A	24.	B	25.	B
26.	A	27.	C	28.	A	29.	C	30.	A
31.	B	32.	D	33.	A	34.	B	35.	B