Arunachal Pradesh Judicial Service Grade III Prelims 2025

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1. Roberto Benigni, who co-wrote the film with Vincenzo Cerami, plays Guido Orefice, a Jewish Italian bookshop owner, who employs his imagination to shield his son from the horrors of internment in a Nazi concentration camp. Which movie?

(A) Schindler's List
(B) The boy in the striped pajamas
(C) Life is beautiful
(D) The pianist

2. Which one is the first novel written by Jane Austen?

(A) Pride and Prejudice
(B) Sense and Sensibility
(C) Mansfield Park
(D) Emma

3. Who is the author of the book “Neither roses nor thorns”?

(A) Justice Vivian Bose
(B) Justice Y V Chandrachud
(C) Justice H R Khanna
(D) Justice P N Bhagawati

4. Who is author of the book “Roses in December”?

(A) M.C. Chagla
(B) K. R. Narayanan
(C) Jaswant Singh
(D) Kuldip Singh

5. “Youth is happy because it has the capacity to see beauty. Anyone who keeps the ability to see beauty never grows old.” Who said so?

(A) Franz Kafka
(B) William Shakespeare
(C) H W Long Fellow
(D) William Wordsworth

6. “Rashmirathi” an epic poem is written by which renowned Hindi poet?

(A) Mahashweta Devi
(B) Ramdhari Singh Dinkar
(C) Harivansh Rai Bachhan
(D) Surya Kant Tripathi Nirala

7. The phrase “Hakuna Matata” which means there are no troubles, reminds us of which movie?

(A) Alice in the wonderland
(B) The Jurassic Park
(C) The Lion King
(D) The Silence of the Lambs

8. Who played Gangubai Kathiawadi in the movie of the same name?

(A) Deepika Padukone
(B) Alia Bhatt
(C) Manisha Koirala
(D) Rasmika Mandana

9. Who received the Dadasaheb Phalke award for the year 2024?

(A) Mithun Chakraborty
(B) Rekha
(C) Asha Parekh
(D) Amitabh Bachchan

10. Who played the lead role in the web series “Black Warrant”?

(A) Kunal Kapoor
(B) Rajat Kapoor
(C) Zahan Kapoor
(D) Ranbir Kapoor

11. Pick out the adjective: “He comes here every day.”

(A) Here
(B) comes
(C) every
(D) day

12. Pick out the adjective: “Some dreams are like reality.”

(A) Some
(B) dreams
(C) like
(D) reality

13. Fill up the blank with appropriate preposition: “He agreed .... my proposal”.

(A) to
(B) with
(C) from
(D) for

14. Fill up the blank with appropriate conjunction: “Be just …. fear not”.
(A) and
(B) but
(C) lest
(D) unless

15. Fill up the blank with appropriate conjunction: “It is a great loss to a man …. he cannot laugh”.
(A) and
(B) if
(C) for
(D) while

16. Put the following in direct speech: “She asked Rahul to go with her”.
(A) She said to Rahul, “come with me”
(B) She told Rahul to come with her.
(C) She asked Rahul “come with her”
(D) She said to Rahul to come with me.

17. Choose appropriate synonym of “cognitive”.
(A) Intellectual
(B) Physical
(C) Intimate
(D) Emotional

18. Choose most appropriate preposition: “blessed …”.
(A) to
(B) by
(C) with
(D) of

19. Choose most appropriate preposition: “married …”.
(A) to
(B) by
(C) with
(D) of

20. Choose most appropriate preposition: “surprised …”.
(A) to
(B) by
(C) with
(D) of

21. A “misanthrope” is someone who hates:
(A) Marriage
(B) men
(C) women
(D) everyone

22. Choose most appropriate preposition: “ashamed …”.
(A) to
(B) by
(C) with
(D) of

23. Choose most appropriate equivalent word for “very slow”.
(A) fleeting
(B) sweltering
(C) sluggish
(D) serene

24. Choose most appropriate word: “Pallavi is a singer. She sings …”.
(A) beauty
(B) beautifully
(C) with beauty
(D) beautiful

25. Choose most appropriate option: “He always comes … home late”.
(A) to
(B) at
(C) both a & b
(D) none of preceding three options

26. The Constitution of India came into effect on:
(A) 15/08/1947
(B) 26/11/1949
(C) 26/01/1950
(D) 26/10/1949

27. The term “Secular” was added to the Preamble by:
(A) 24th Amendment
(B) 42nd Amendment
(C) 44th Amendment
(D) 52nd Amendment

28. Which Schedule contains the division of powers between Centre and States?
(A) 6th
(B) 7th
(C) 9th
(D) 10th

29. The President can declare Financial Emergency under:
(A) Article 352
(B) Article 355
(C) Article 356
(D) Article 360

30. In Minerva Mills v. Union of India, the Supreme Court:
(A) Upheld the 42nd Amendment
(B) Struck down parts of the 42nd Amendment
(C) Struck down parts of the 44th Amendment
(D) Struck down parts of the 25th Amendment

31. Which Article grants special provisions to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes?
(A) Article 14
(B) Article 15(4)
(C) Article 16(2)
(D) Article 16(4)

32. Which Schedule contains the forms of oaths and affirmations for constitutional authorities?
(A) 2nd
(B) 3rd
(C) 4th
(D) 5th

33. If A is brother of B, B is sister of C, and C is father of D, how is A related to D?
(A) Uncle
(B) father
(C) brother
(D) cousin

34. Which does not belong to the group?
(A) Plaintiff
(B) appellant
(C) defendant
(D) witness

35. If the day before yesterday was Wednesday, what day will it be two days after tomorrow?
(A) Saturday
(B) Sunday
(C) Monday
(D) Tuesday

36. Find the missing number: 3, 6, 11, 18, ?, 38.
(A) 24
(B) 25
(C) 26
(D) 27

37. Find next term: A1, C3, E5, G7, ...?
(A) H11
(B) I9
(C) J9
(D) K11

38. A train 300 m long passes a man in 12 seconds. Speed in km/h?
(A) 60
(B) 75
(C) 90
(D) 100

39. The first uniform Code of civil procedure was enacted in which year?
(A) 1859
(B) 1877
(C) 1882
(D) 1908

40. The first schedule of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 contains ... Orders.
(A) 48
(B) 50
(C) 51
(D) 52

41. Principle of res sub judice is enshrined in Section ... of Civil Procedure Code 1908.
(A) 9
(B) 10
(C) 11
(D) 12

42. Section ... CPC provides every suit shall be instituted in the court of lowest grade competent to try it.
(A) 9
(B) 15
(C) 16
(D) 20

43. In Kailash vs. Nanhku the Apex Court primarily dealt with the provision contained in:
(A) Order VIII Rule 1
(B) Order VIII Rule 4
(C) Order VIII Rule 6A
(D) Order VIII Rule 10

44. Judgment on admission is provided under ... CPC.

(A) Order X Rule 5
(B) Order XII Rule 6
(C) Order XI Rule 4
(D) Order XII Rule 7

45. Withdrawal of suit with leave of court is provided under ... CPC.

(A) Order XXIII Rule 1
(B) Order XXIII Rule 2
(C) Order XXIII Rule 3
(D) Order XXIII Rule 4

46. A friendly suit is provided for under which provision of CPC?

(A) Section 90 & Order XXXVI
(B) Section 89 & Order XXXV
(C) Section 91 & Order XXXVII
(D) Section 92 & Order XXXVIII

47. An interpleader suit is provided for under which provision of CPC?

(A) Section 88 & Order XXXV
(B) Section 89 & Order XXXVI
(C) Section 90 & Order XXXVII
(D) Section 91 & Order XXXVIII

48. Application for condonation of delay in an appeal filed after limitation is provided under:

(A) Order XLI Rule 3A
(B) Order XLI Rule 4
(C) Order XLI Rule 5
(D) Order XLI Rule 6

49. Appellate court's power to finally decide a case is provided in ... CPC.

(A) Section 107(1)(a)
(B) Section 107(1)(b)
(C) Section 107(1)(c)
(D) Section 107(1)(d)

50. Which CPC provision provides for the doctrine of restitution?

(A) Section 141
(B) Section 142
(C) Section 143
(D) Section 144

51. Under the Transfer of Properties Act, 1882, an easement cannot be transferred apart from ...

(A) dominant heritage
(B) servient heritage
(C) right to way
(D) right to use

52. A right of transfer is incidental to and inseparable from beneficial ownership of property is enshrined in which provision of TPA?

(A) Section 9
(B) Section 10
(C) Section 11
(D) Section 12

53. Rule against perpetuity is enshrined in which provision of TPA?

(A) Section 13
(B) Section 14
(C) Section 15
(D) Section 16

54. Exception to rule against perpetuity is enshrined in which provision of TPA?

(A) Section 17
(B) Section 18
(C) Section 19
(D) Section 20

55. Section 41 TPA deals with transfer by ... owner.

(A) actual
(B) original
(C) ostensible
(D) subsequent

56. Which TPA provision deals with prohibition on transfer or otherwise dealing with property during pendency of a suit?

(A) Section 50
(B) Section 51
(C) Section 52
(D) Section 53

57. Where mortgagor binds himself to repay on a certain date and transfers property absolutely subject to retransfer on repayment, the transaction is called:

(A) Simple Mortgage
(B) Usufructuary Mortgage
(C) English Mortgage
(D) Anomalous Mortgage

58. Under Indian Contract Act, 1872, communication of proposal is complete when it comes to knowledge of the ...

(A) proposer
(B) person to whom it is made
(C) witness
(D) guarantor

59. Under section 14 Contract Act, which is not a fact tainting free consent?

(A) Coercion
(B) Fraud
(C) Misrepresentation
(D) Delay

60. Ram does some service to Shyam at his desire. After a month Shyam promises to compensate Ram for the service. It is a ...

(A) present consideration
(B) future consideration
(C) past consideration
(D) none of preceding options

61. Radha offers to sell her car to Rukmini for Rs 2,50,000. Rukmini agrees to buy the car offering Rs 2,15,000. What is Rukmini's proposal called?

(A) Invitation to offer
(B) Counter offer
(C) Standing offer
(D) None of preceding options

62. Which of the following was not a punishment under IPC 1860?

(A) Solitary confinement
(B) Imprisonment for life
(C) Community service
(D) Forfeiture of property

63. Which is a new offence under section 69 BNS, not there in IPC?

(A) Gang rape
(B) Sexual intercourse by employing deceitful means
(C) Sexual intercourse by husband with wife during separation
(D) Disclosure of identity of victim of rape

64. Offences relating to human body were dealt with in chapter XVI IPC. Which BNS chapter deals with the same now?

(A) Chapter IV
(B) Chapter V
(C) Chapter VI
(D) Chapter VII

65. What is corresponding penal provision of section 377 IPC in BNS?

(A) Section 75
(B) Section 76
(C) Section 77
(D) None

66. Mob lynching has been recognized as an offence under which BNS provision?

(A) Section 103(1)
(B) Section 103(2)
(C) Section 103(3)
(D) Section 103(4)

67. Which of following BNS offences is gender neutral?

(A) Section 98 selling child for purpose of prostitution
(B) Section 63 rape
(C) Section 75 sexual harassment
(D) Section 78 stalking

68. For qualifying as “continuing unlawful activity” under section 111 BNS, at least ... charge sheet(s) must have been filed before a competent court within preceding 10 years and cognizance taken.

(A) one
(B) more than one
(C) two
(D) more than two

69. Terrorist act has been defined under section ... BNS.

(A) 111
(B) 112
(C) 113
(D) 114

70. BNS removes the offence of ... from the statute.

(A) Gambling
(B) Sedition
(C) Endangering sovereignty of India
(D) Cruelty against wife

71. Which no longer remains an offence under BNS?
(A) Counterfeiting
(B) Impersonation
(C) Adultery
(D) Cruelty

72. Maximum imprisonment for uttering words etc. with deliberate intent to wound religious feelings under BNS?
(A) 1 year
(B) 2 year
(C) 3 year
(D) 4 year

73. For an offence committed on 30/6/2024, FIR filed on 02/07/2024. Which procedural law applies to investigation?
(A) CrPC 1973
(B) BNSS 2023
(C) Any one of preceding options
(D) None of preceding options

74. Concept of Zero FIR incorporated in section ... BNSS.
(A) 173
(B) 174
(C) 175
(D) 176

75. Under section 230 BNSS, after appearance of accused, copies of police report and other documents furnished to:
(A) accused
(B) victim
(C) both accused & victim
(D) prosecution

76. Under BNSS anticipatory bail is not available to accused of offence under section ... BNS.
(A) 64
(B) 65
(C) 66
(D) 67

77. Which class of criminal court no longer exists under BNSS?
(A) Judicial Magistrate second class
(B) Executive Magistrate
(C) Assistant Sessions Judge
(D) Additional Sessions Judge

78. During investigation whether accused can be medically examined by applying force?
(A) Yes
(B) No
(C) Yes, with prior approval of Magistrate
(D) Yes, with prior approval of Superintendent of police

79. Under section 48 BNSS police officer making arrest bound to furnish grounds of such arrest to ...
(A) arrestee
(B) relative or friend of arrested person
(C) person nominated by arrested person
(D) both b and c

80. The grounds of arrest are to be disclosed to arrested person:
(A) in writing
(B) orally
(C) either orally or in writing
(D) is not mandatory

81. Section ... BNSS is a new provision enabling trial and proceedings to be held in electronic mode.
(A) 529
(B) 530
(C) 531
(D) 532

82. Under first proviso to section 480 BNSS, which is not included in the category of persons who may be granted bail in respect of circumstances in (i) and (ii) of section 480(1)?
(A) woman
(B) child
(C) old person
(D) infirm

83. Section ... BNSS enables trial court to hold enquiry, trial and deliver judgment in absentia of a proclaimed offender.
(A) 353
(B) 354
(C) 355
(D) 356

84. Facts forming part of same transaction relevant under section ... BSA.
(A) 4
(B) 5
(C) 6
(D) 7

85. As per section 8 Evidence Act any fact relevant which shows or constitutes motive or ... for fact in issue or relevant fact.

(A) intention
(B) preparation
(C) purpose
(D) indication

86. As per section 22 BSA confession irrelevant if caused by inducement, threat, coercion or ...

(A) force
(B) promise
(C) allurement
(D) compulsion

87. As per section 25 BSA, admissions are not conclusive proof but may operate as ...

(A) estoppel
(B) waiver
(C) renunciation
(D) abandonment

88. Section 27 Indian Evidence Act incorporates theory ... facilitating a link to chain of events.

(A) discovery of facts
(B) confirmation by subsequent facts
(C) verification
(D) repetition of facts

89. Torts, as defined by Winfield, are liabilities arising from breaches of legally established ..., encompassing essence of legal wrongs.

(A) rights
(B) liabilities
(C) duties
(D) remedies

90. Which landmark case established manufacturer could be liable to consumer for negligence even without direct contractual relationship?

(A) Gloucester Grammer School case
(B) Ashby v. White
(C) Donoghue v. Stevenson
(D) Ryland v. Fletcher

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93. “If someone willingly and knowingly puts himself at risk, he cannot later claim damages for any resulting injury.” Which legal maxim?

(A) damnum sine injuria
(B) volenti non fit injuria
(C) ubi jus ibi remedium
(D) injuria sine damnum

94. Defence of inevitable accident available when accident occurs despite defendant taking ... and precautions, unavoidable beyond control.

(A) all care
(B) all possible care
(C) all reasonable care
(D) care

95. Vis Major means:

(A) major injury
(B) act of god
(C) major immorality
(D) main wrong

96. Qui facit per alium facit per se means:

(A) Knowledge of injury
(B) Who does an act through another is deemed in law to do it himself
(C) consenting to take risk
(D) contributory negligence would minimise liability

97. Respondeat superior is a legal doctrine meaning ...

(A) let the principal be liable
(B) the respondent is always superior
(C) contributory negligence of respondent is more
(D) plaintiff's liability is minimal

98. Intentional application of force against another without lawful justification is called:

(A) assault
(B) battery
(C) hurt
(D) mayhem

99. Res ipsa loquitur means?

(A) thing speaks for itself
(B) action for liquidated damages
(C) plaintiff to prove his case
(D) action for unliquidated damages

100. Tortious liability arises from breach of ... primarily fixed by law.

(A) responsibility
(B) liability
(C) duty
(D) right

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