

**B****DE-2901-02****B. Sc. (Sem. I) Examination****March/April - 2016****Foundation Course in English****DE-2901 : Language Through Literature****DE-2902 : Written & Spoken Communication**

Time : 2 Hours]

[Total Marks :

DE-2901 : Language Through Literature**Instructions :**

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Fillup strictly the details of signs on your answer book.

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- (2) This exam contains 50 multiple choice questions, each worth 1 mark.
- (3) Choose only ONE most appropriate answer per question.
- (4) Do not crease or fold the answer sheet.

***O.M.R. Sheet ભરવા અંગેની અગત્યની સૂચનાઓ આપેલ
O.M.R. Sheetની પાછળ છે.
Important instructions to fillup O.M.R. Sheet
is given back side of provided O.M.R. Sheet.***

- 1 Who has written the poem 'The Mountain and the Squirrel' ?
 (A) Ralph Waldo Emerson
 (B) Sarojini Naidu
 (C) Anurag Mathur
 (D) R.N.Tagore

- 2 Emerson was deeply interested in...
 (A) Mahabharat
 (B) Bhagavad Gita and Upanishads
 (C) Bible
 (D) Quran

- 3 The word 'sphere' in the poem "The Mountain and the Squirrel" means:
 (A) the universe (B) a circle
 (C) the world (D) atmosphere

- 4 How spry is the mountain ?
 (A) little spry (B) the mountain is not spry
 (C) very spry (D) not as spry as the squirrel

- 5 What must be taken in together ?
 (A) spheres (B) squirrel
 (C) all sorts of things and weather (D) forests

- 6 Antonym of 'guilty' is :
 (A) wise (B) common
 (C) ability (D) innocent

- 7 Find out the single word for "acting without thinking of result" :
 (A) brilliant (B) impetuous
 (C) judicious (D) precious

- 8 'gratified' means :
 (A) decide (B) satisfied
 (C) horrified (D) clarified

- 9 Find out the single word for "to hang about aimlessly" :
 (A) suffer (B) loiter
 (C) hanger (D) stranger

- 10 Verb form of 'performance' is :
 (A) performing (B) form
 (C) frame (D) perform

- 11 The collector had warned Banu that a bloodbath may ensue if _____ wasn't careful.
(A) it (B) she
(C) he (D) I
- 12 I would now like _____ your views on Swaraj.
(A) know (B) knew
(C) known (D) to know
- 13 Synonym of 'discussion' is :
(A) Purification (B) Repetition
(C) Institution (D) Conversation
- 14 _____ the TV. I want to watch the match.
(A) Turn on (B) Turn up
(C) Turn off (D) Turn down
- 15 Pandas are in danger of :
(A) die down (B) dying off
(C) dying down (D) die off
- 16 Gopal came out of India at _____ right time.
(A) No artical (B) a
(C) an (D) the
- 17 Which of the following does not describe the bangles being sold ?
(A) Mountain mist
(B) Sunlit fields
(C) Fruitful pride
(D) Rainbow tinted circles of light
- 18 The older women journeyed _____ life.
(A) on (B) from
(C) through (D) with
- 19 Which of the following is an adjective ?
(A) Track (B) Wise
(C) Doubt (D) Weather
- 20 Synonym of 'prig' is :
(A) Wise (B) Big
(C) Tall (D) Proud

- 21 From the twelve and a half annas that the astrologer earned, his wife planned to -
(A) save it
(B) buy fruits
(C) buy vegetables
(D) make sweets
- 22 The astrologer transacted his business by the light of
(A) An old bicycle lamp
(B) The flare of the groundnut heap nearby
(C) The municipal lighting
(D) A hissing gaslight
- 23 The astrologer pleased and astonished his customers by...
(A) his sense of humour
(B) his scholarly knowledge
(C) his supernatural power
(D) his shrewd guesswork
- 24 How much did the astrologer charge per question ?
(A) Six annas
(B) Three pies
(C) Three annas
(D) Five paise
- 25 Who tried to kill Guru Nayak in his village ?
(A) A passerby
(B) 3 An unknown drunkard
(C) The astrologer's friend
(D) The astrologer
- 26 The astrologer knew the man's name because :
(A) the man told him
(B) he could foretell the future
(C) he recognized him
(D) he guessed it
- 27 A Hindu and a Musalman faction had a dispute about...
(A) None of these
(B) The placement of the dustbin
(C) The use of the loudspeaker in the mosque
(D) The chairman of the sanitation committee

- 28** Banu said an extra Yatha Ahu Vairyo prayer because :
- (A) It was her routine
 - (B) She was anxious about the outcome of the day
 - (C) It was a festival of Parsi community
 - (D) She was not feeling well
- 29** Banu was awakened every morning by...
- (A) Alarm clock
 - (B) Kuk-re-ku of the rooster
 - (C) The prayer on loudspeaker
 - (D) Pemmy
- 30** Banu greatly depended on Pemmy for :
- (A) cleaning
 - (B) companionship
 - (C) cooking
 - (D) sweeping
- 31** The Hindu and the Musalman spokesmen were surprised to see....
- (A) A woman as a chairman
 - (B) The crowd only
 - (C) The collector himself
 - (D) The students with Banu
- 32** Banu dressed in a plain sari to look :
- (A) business-like
 - (B) pretty
 - (C) attractive
 - (D) smart
- 33** The reader believes that India has become impoverished by....
- (A) English government
 - (B) Indian leaders
 - (C) The editor
 - (D) The Indian people
- 34** A difference in interpretation of the term "Swaraj" is feared by :
- (A) nobody
 - (B) the editor
 - (C) the reader
 - (D) India

- 35 What did the Reader think would happen if the English retired ?
(A) The Reader was ecstatic
(B) The reader thought it would be good for future
(C) The reader thought it could not be answered at that stage
(D) The Reader thought it would create chaos
- 36 When the Editor asks "Why do we want to drive away the English ?", the Reader replied that it is because :
(A) Indians are kept in a state of slavery
(B) the country in a bad state
(C) a nation should be ruled by its own people
(D) British rule has gone on long enough
- 37 What, finally, was the Editor's explanation for "Swaraj" ?
(A) he thought it was subjective
(B) he hadn't figured it out
(C) he was in agreement with the reader
(D) he thought it was abolition of slavery
- 38 Gopal felt that his grasp over his subject had become so thorough that he was able to...
(A) Get a good job
(B) Get a first class
(C) Go back to the fundamentals
(D) Make arguments to his colleagues
- 39 "One enterprising fellow made his way on to the back of his neck and rested there for quite a while." Here 'enterprising fellow' has been used for...
(A) An insect
(B) A snow flake
(C) A dandelion
(D) A leaf
- 40 According to the author, the Indian education system relies on :
(A) research
(B) tradition
(C) analysis
(D) memory

- 41 Gopal exulted in America because there his teachers..
- (A) Liked him
 - (B) Loved questions
 - (C) Did not ask questions
 - (D) Pampered him
- 42 At first Gopal thought the snow was a :
- (A) dandelion
 - (B) daisy
 - (C) jasmine
 - (D) ice
- 43 The American education system encourages :
- (A) the libraries
 - (B) bookish knowledge
 - (C) learning by heart
 - (D) analysis and questioning
- 44 Gopal found the atmosphere in America :
- (A) tense
 - (B) formal
 - (C) relaxed and informal
 - (D) inappropriate for learning
- 45 Who will buy purple and gold flecked gray bangles ?
- (A) Happy daughters
 - (B) Maidens
 - (C) Brides
 - (D) Women who have journeyed through life midway

- 46 The rhyme scheme of the poem "Bangle Sellers" is :
- (A) None of these
 - (B) aa-bb-cc
 - (C) ab-cd-ef
 - (D) ab-ab-ab
- 47 Sarojini Naidu was born in ...
- (A) Ahmedabad
 - (B) Mumbai
 - (C) Hyderabad
 - (D) Chennai
- 48 What colour bangles are suitable for a maiden's wrist ?
- (A) Grey
 - (B) Silver and blue
 - (C) Yellow like flame
 - (D) Purple
- 49 What is like a flame in the poem "Bangle Sellers" ?
- (A) the poet
 - (B) marriage
 - (C) bangles
 - (D) bangle sellers
- 50 In the poem, the bangle sellers are found at :
- (A) mountains
 - (B) supermarkets
 - (C) pharmacies
 - (D) temple fairs

DE-2902 : Written & Spoken Communication

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(2) Each question carries one mark.

(3) Encircle the correct option clearly in the OMR sheet provided to you.

- 1 The noun form of '*appointed*' is :
(A) appointment (B) appoint
(C) appointment (D) appointed
- 2 The antonym of '*rude*' is :
(A) archaic (B) impolite
(C) polite (D) ill-mannered
- 3 The primary theme of the poem, '*Brahma*' is :
(A) the relationship between god and mankind
(B) the ignorance of humans
(C) the unity of all life
(D) the philosophy of transcendentalism
- 4 What, according to Narin, is the true meaning of '*intelligence*' ?
(A) the ability to solve problems
(B) access to information, facts and rules
(C) access to connections and dependencies
(D) the ability to connect facts and derive abstract ideas
- 5 Where does Yeats think he will die ?
(A) in Kiltartan Cross (B) in the air, while flying
(C) in his country (D) behind enemy lines

- 6 What did police man look like ?
(A) dressed in ordinary clothes and well built
(B) uniformed and frail and short
(C) uniformed and well built
(D) dressed in ordinary clothes and frail and short
- 7 Who has journeyed through life midway ?
(A) None of these (B) the bangles
(C) the poet (D) a woman
- 8 Whom did the missing red and gold cup belong to ?
(A) Maya (B) The narrator
(C) The Lalls (D) Miss Krishna's sister
- 9 Pick the odd one out :
(A) future (B) duty
(C) order (D) decision
- 10 '*When me they fly, I am the wings*' : what does this line refer to ?
(A) the interconnectivity of all flight
(B) the power of Brahma during flight
(C) the power of Brahma interconnecting all flight
(D) the interconnectivity of everyone's powers
- 11 Why does a computer display only meaningful solutions ?
(A) None of these
(B) because it is incapable of error.
(C) because it does not consider meaningless solutions
(D) because it is more intelligent than a human.
- 12 What is the speaker's attitude in Yeats' poem towards those whom he fights against ?
(A) None of these
(B) He hates them.
(C) He is indifferent towards them.
(D) He loves them.

- 13 What is striking about 'Silky' Bob ?
(A) Both (B) and (D)
(B) He had a scar on his face near his eyebrow,
(C) He had a Roman nose.
(D) He carried a diamond-studded watch.
- 14 In the poem, '*Bangle Sellers*' what is compared to a flame ?
(A) the poet (B) marriage
(C) bangles (D) bangle-sellers
- 15 The writer's attitude towards Miss Krishna was one of :
(A) hatred and contempt
(B) deep affection and admiration
(C) apathy and indifference
(D) tolerance and patience
- 16 The noun form of '*reassuringly*' is :
(A) reassuringly (B) reassure
(C) reassuring (D) reassurance
- 17 The antonym of '*valuable*' is :
(A) rich (B) precious
(C) worthless (D) worthy
- 18 They decided to _____ at the same place after twenty years.
(A) will meet (B) meet
(C) met (D) is meeting
- 19 From what she tells the writer, it is clear that Miss Krishna's life with her mother was :
(A) difficult (B) miserable
(C) comfortable (D) very happy
- 20 The bangles are for :
(A) both (B) and (D)
(B) happy daughters
(C) happy sellers
(D) happy wives

- 21** What is the speaker in the poem, 'Brahma' revealing in the second stanza of the poem ?
- (A) all of these
 - (B) the harmony between opposing forces
 - (C) the interconnectedness of good and evil
 - (D) the relative nature of all things
- 22** What, according to Narin, influences the common man's perception of the capabilities of computers ?
- (A) None of these
 - (B) knowledgeable awareness
 - (C) fiction
 - (D) IQ tests
- 23** Whom does the speaker refer to by the phrase 'public men' ?
- (A) the general public
 - (B) fellow soldiers
 - (C) other Irishmen
 - (D) politicians
- 24** What did Bob and Jimmy agree to do twenty years after their dinner together?
- (A) To meet at the restaurant and discuss a potential partnership
 - (B) To move to the West
 - (C) To return to New York
 - (D) To meet at the restaurant and to see how life had treated them
- 25** Mark the phrase which is not a metaphor
- (A) colourful remark
 - (B) sunlit corns
 - (C) shining loads
 - (D) rainbow -tinted circles of light

- 26 Miss Krishna was :
 (A) a divorcee (B) spinster
 (C) a widow (D) a housewife
- 27 The synonym of '*jealous*' is :
 (A) loving (B) kind
 (C) loyal (D) envious
- 28 Some _____ the bangles are the colour _____ sunlit corn.
 (A) on and on (B) on and of
 (C) of and of (D) of and on
- 29 The speaker of the poem, '*Brahma*' is :
 (A) the poet (B) a Brahmin
 (C) Emerson (D) Brahma
- 30 What is the meaning of the Latin word '*intellegere*' ?
 (A) to link and to establish
 (B) to recognize and to realize
 (C) to derive and to abstract
 (D) to choose and to gather
- 31 What is the speaker's attitude about the war ?
 (A) He is scared.
 (B) He does not care either way.
 (C) He waits for it to be over.
 (D) He is passionate about it.
- 32 What did 'Silky' Bob realize about the plain-clothes man when they stopped outside the drugstore ?
 (A) Both (C) and (D)
 (B) The man had large teeth.
 (C) His nose was different.
 (D) He was not Jimmy Wells.
- 33 The poem '*Bangle Sellers*' is in the form of :
 (A) a sonnet (B) couplets
 (C) quatrains (D) six-line stanzas

- 34 When the writer invited her to stay with her for a while, Miss Krishna agreed :
- (A) with little enthusiasm
 - (B) reluctantly
 - (C) shyly
 - (D) readily
- 35 _____ narrator thought Miss Krishna _____ interesting guest.
- (A) an and a
 - (B) the and an
 - (C) an and the
 - (D) a and an
- 36 _____ are not sadder or happier.
- (A) She
 - (B) He
 - (C) I
 - (D) They
- 37 The first stanza of the poem, '*Brahma*' talks about :
- (A) All of these
 - (B) the continuity of life
 - (C) the presence of Brahma in all things
 - (D) the search of the Brahman
- 38 Why does a computer appear more intelligent than humans ?
- (A) All of these
 - (B) because it rarely displays the wrong answer.
 - (C) because it can store way more information than humans.
 - (D) only correct responses to a specific question are displayed.
- 39 Who is the speaker 'guarding' in the poem, '*An Irish Airman Foresees His Death*' ?
- (A) peace
 - (B) Ireland
 - (C) Britain
 - (D) the poet himself
- 40 Who was 'Jimmy Wells' in the story, '*After Twenty Years*' ?
- (A) Bob's alias
 - (B) The first policeman.
 - (C) No one
 - (D) The plain-clothes man

- 41 What colour bangles are suitable for a bride ?
- (A) yellow
 - (B) pink
 - (C) deep purple
 - (D) turquoise
- 42 What did Miss Krishna give the narrator ?
- (A) lacquered box
 - (B) paper clips
 - (C) cup and saucer
 - (D) silver spoon
- 43 The little shop in _____ bazaar sells things for _____ song.
- (A) a and an
 - (B) a and the
 - (C) the and the
 - (D) the and a
- 44 The synonym of '*dumbfound*' is
- (A) amaze
 - (B) uninteresting
 - (C) unimpressive
 - (D) satisfying
- 45 In the final stanza of the poem, '*Brahma*', the speaker asks us to
- (A) seek the sacred Seven
 - (B) seek the abode of the gods
 - (C) seek oneness with the Brahman
 - (D) seek meekness and goodness

- 46 Why is expert opinion on artificial intelligence so divided ?
- (A) both (C) and (D)
 - (B) because artificial intelligence is a myth.
 - (C) because of differences in opinion regarding the concept of intelligence.
 - (D) because of difficulty in teaching the subject.
- 47 Who is the speaker in the poem, '*An Irish Airman Foresees His Death*' ?
- (A) the poet
 - (B) a pilot
 - (C) death
 - (D) all Irishmen
- 48 The story '*After Twenty Years*' implies that 'Silky' Bob is a :
- (A) policeman
 - (B) restaurant owner
 - (C) frequent traveler to the West
 - (D) gangster or criminal
- 49 The rhyme scheme of the poem, '*Bangle Sellers*' is :
- (A) None of these
 - (B) as – bb – cc
 - (C) ab – cd – ef
 - (D) ab – ab – ab
- 50 Miss Krishna gave the impression of being :
- (A) lazy and slow
 - (B) hyperactive and nervous
 - (C) calm and peaceful
 - (D) cheerful and chirpy

