

2018 TnpSC Current Affairs GK Questions In English**[Previous Year Questions]**

1. Which country is having the largest groups of tissue culture scientists in world
(a) America **(b) India** (c) China (d) Japan
2. 'Herbarium of Indian Botanical Garden' – where is located in India?
(a) Chennai **(b) Kolkata** (c) Coimbatore (d) Trichy
3. When was the "River Information System" was inaugurated first time in India?
(a) June 2016 (b) July 2016 (c) February 2016 **(d) January 2016**
4. Who won the gold medal for the game 25 meter Rapid Fire Pistol Men Junior event in Junior World Cup during March 2018?
(a) Mandeep Singh (b) Jashpal **(c) Anish** (d) Pradeep
5. What is the name of the scheme for socio – economic development and empowerment of women through self help groups?
(a) Janani Suraksha **(b) Swayam Sidha**
(c) Ganga Kalyan Yojana (d) Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
6. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) successfully launches an earth observation satellite CARTOSAT – 2 during the year
(a) August 2016 (b) June 2016 (c) October 2016 **(d) July 2016**
7. World Tuberculosis Day observed every year during which day?
(a) March 24 (b) March 25 (c) February 24 (d) March 26
8. What type of satellite is SCATSAT – 1 which was launched by (PSLV C35)?
(a) Geo – Stationary (b) Navigation (c) Communication **(d) Meteorological**
9. Match List I with List II and answer through the code given below:

List I	List II
(a) P.V. Sindu	1. Wrestler
(b) Marykom	2. Javelin throw
(c) Sakshi Malik	3. Badminton
(d) Neeraj Chopra	4. Boxer

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
(a)	2	3	4	1
(b)	3	1	4	2
(c)	2	4	1	3
(d)	3	4	1	2

10. In which country, Forint currency is used?
 (a) Hungary (b) Iceland (c) Guyana (d) Haiti
11. Which year "Come and Play Scheme" was introduced by sports Authority of India?
 (a) 2009 (b) 2010 (c) 2011 (d) 2012
12. From where the Zika virus was first identical?
 (a) Rat (b) Cat (c) **Monkey** (d) Donkey
13. The first Indian satellite was launched with the help of
 (a) America (b) **Russia** (c) Britain (d) France
14. When did the planning commission renamed as NITI Aayog?
 (a) **01-01-2015** (b) 11-01-2015 (c) 21-01-2015 (d) 31-01-2015
15. Demonetisation was announced by Mr. Narendra Modi on
 (a) 8th November 2015 (b) **8th November 2016**
 (c) 8th November 2017 (d) 1st December 2017
16. In which duration Indian Navy hosted Multinational Exercise MILAN – 18 at Port Blair in Andaman and Nicobar Islands?
 (a) **March 6 to 13, 2018** (b) February 13 to 20, 2018
 (c) February 20 to 27, 2018 (d) March 13 to 20, 2018
17. When is "Qaumi Ekta Week" (National Integration Week) observed all the country every year?
 (a) 29th Oct. to 4th Nov. (b) 5th Nov. to 11th Nov.
 (c) 12th Nov. to 18th Nov. (d) **19th Nov. to 25th Nov.**
18. On which day the Government of India announced the High Denomination bank notes of Rs. 500 and Rs. 1000 expired?
 (a) **8th November, 2016** (b) 9th November, 2016

- (c) 10th November, 2016 (d) 11th November, 2016
19. When was the Goods and services tax introduced?
(a) 1st June 2017 **(b) 1st July 2017**
(c) 1st August 2017 (d) 1st September 2017
20. For which game Mr. Anish won the gold medal in Junior World Cup during the year March 2018?
(a) 10 meter Air Pistol (b) 100 meter Rapid fire pistol
(c) 25 meter rapid fire pistol (d) 20 meter rapid fire pistol
21. India's research stations 'Dakshin Gangotri and Maitri' are located in
(a) Arctic circle **(b) Antarctica**
(c) International Space Station (d) Himalaya
22. Which state of India is the largest Tea producer?
(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Kerala **(c) Assam** (d) Karnataka
23. Capital (City) of Uganda
(a) Kampala (b) Keiro (c) Sharja (d) Havana
24. Which Indian has been awarded the WBC Asia Boxer of The Year Award, recently?
(a) Neeraj Goyat (b) Mohammed Ali Qamar
(c) Shiva Thapa (d) Akhil Kumar
25. In which year ISRO's Polar satellite Launch Vehicle C36 (PSLV – C36) successfully launches RESOURCES AT – 2A remote sensing satellite into polar sun synchronous orbit?
(a) 2015 **(b) 2016** (c) 2017 (d) 2018
26. How many countries participated in the 23rd Winter Olympic Games which was conducted by South Korea?
(a) 102 **(b) 92** (c) 95 (d) 94
27. Mohit Chauhan has been nominated as the Green Ambassador of this state recently
(a) Manipur **(b) Sikkim** (c) Uttar Pradesh (d) Rajasthan
28. This Company filed patent applications relating e-Currency technology recently
(a) Barclays (b) IBM (c) Google (d) Facebook

29. Which country is known as the land of White elephants?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) Malaysia (c) **Thailand** (d) Indonesia
30. Which river is praised in the first Century Tamil epic Silappadikaram?
 (a) Cauvery (b) Godavari (c) **Saraswati** (d) Ganges
31. The theme of the World Special Week, celebrated from 4th October 2017 to 10th October 2017 is
 (a) **Exploring new world in space** (b) Yoga for wellnesa
 (c) Water and energy for inclusive growth (d) Peace, progress and prosperity
32. Who among the following women boxers was declared best boxer of the meet during the World Youth Boxing Championship held in Guwahati in 2017?
 (a) Nabin Chandra (b) Sarjuhala Devi
 (c) Minu Basumalary (d) **Ankushita Boro**
33. "Operation Ice Bridge" is associated with
 (a) ISS (b) ISRO (c) **NASA** (d) ESA
34. Identify the organisation inaugurated on October 2017 at New Delhi by Prime Minister of India
 (a) All India Institute of Unani (b) All India Institute of Siddha
 (c) **All India Institute of Ayurveda** (d) All India Institute of Naturopathy
35. Match the title winners with their championship of 2017:
- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| (a) Ms. Saikhom Mirabai Chanu | 1. World Junior (V 20) Chess Championship |
| (b) Ms. Mary Kom | 2. World Weightlifting Championship |
| (c) Mr. Gopi Thonakal | 3. Asian Women's boxing Championship |
| (d) Master Aravindh Chithambaram | 4. Asian Marathon Championship |
- | | | | |
|--------------|----------|----------|----------|
| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| (a) 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| (b) 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| (c) 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| (d) 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 |

36. The writer of the Novel "Dukkam Sakkham" who has been chosen for the Vyas Samman 2017 is Mr./Mrs.
- (a) Surindar Varma (b) Sunita Jain
(c) **Manta Kalia** (d) Kamal Kishore Goyenka
37. The recommendations of 15th Finance Commission will be effect from which date?
- (a) January 1, 2018 (b) April 1, 2018
(c) **April 1, 2020** (d) January 1, 2020
38. Which city received India's first UNESCO Heritage City Certificate in September 2017?
- (a) Puri (b) Kanchipuram (c) Aurangabad (d) **Ahmadabad**
39. Who has won the India's 46th Grandmaster Chess Champion Tournament 2017?
- (a) Srinath Naren (b) **Srinath Narayanan**
(c) Srinath Venu (d) Srinath Srinivasan
40. Which State Government has launched Gyankunj e-class project?
- (a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Delhi (c) Kerala (d) **Gujarat**
41. The Union Ministry of health and family welfare and ICMR launched IHMI on November 28-2017. What does IHMI stands for?
- (a) **India Hypertension Management Initiative**
(b) India Health Management Initiative
(c) Indian Heart and Mind Care Intellect
(d) India Health Maintenance Initiative
42. Who among the following has been appointed as the Deputy Director General for programmes of the World Health Organisation?
- (a) Nisha Desai Biswal (b) Dineshwar Sharma
(c) **Soumya Swaminathan** (d) Gautam Bewbawala
43. In order to encourage the powerloom actor and help small industrious and joint venture launched by the ministry of powerloom and textiles in 2017 is called
- (a) SAMPRADA (b) DOST (c) AARAKSHAN (d) **SAATHI**
44. The recently Indo-Maldives Joint Military exercises was called as
- (a) IMBAX 2017 (b) **EKuverin 2017**

- (c) INDRA 2017 (d) SAMPRITI 2017
45. India lacks a strong backhaul to get a transition to 5G with in September 2017. Backhaul is a network
- (a) Portal for data discrimination
- (b) Connecting cell sites to central exchange**
- (c) Coupler for wireless data transmission
- (d) Range finder for cellular consumers
46. Which Tamil Nadu State Highway among these was not upgraded as National Highway in November 2017?
- (a) Tirupur – Odanchatram State Highway
- (b) Salem – Tirupathur – Vaniyambadi State Highway
- (c) Kodaighat – Kodaikanal State Highway
- (d) Chennai – Ennore State Highway**
47. Where was the Fourth World Tamil's Economic Conference held?
- (a) Coimbatore (b) Kulalumpur (c) Singapore (d) **Durban**
48. Identify the defence equipment which was officially decommissioned on December 17, 2017?
- (a) P-8 ILR Maritime Reconnaissance Anti Submarine Warfare Aircraft
- (b) Mi-8 Attach and Utility Helicopter**
- (c) P-3 Orion Anti Submarine Warfare Aircraft
- (d) Mi-V5 Medium Lift Reconnaissance Aircraft
49. Identify the Playwright who published the work "Dark horse and other plays" in October 2017?
- (a) Gowri Ramnarayan** (b) Gowri Lankesh
- (c) Arun Kolatkar (d) Mahesh Dattani
50. _____ is the first Indian city to get its own logo
- (a) Pune (b) **Bengaluru** (c) Chennai (d) Delhi
51. World Forest Day is celebrated on
- (a) March 8 (b) **March 21** (c) March 22 (d) March 23

52. National Integration Day celebrated in
(a) **November 19** (b) October 20 (c) June 10 (d) August 12
53. What is the aim of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana?
(a) **Provide all Weather road connectivity**
(b) Provide all Weather to Tele communication connectivity
(c) Provide Food Security in all seasons
(d) Provide Education to all people
54. India's first bio – fuel flight was operated between
(a) **Dehradun to Delhi** (b) Dehradun to Mumbai
(c) Dehradun to Kolkata (d) Dehradun to Chennai
55. In which of the following states, more number of people were affected by 2018 monsoon?
(a) **Kerala** (b) Assam (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Meghalaya
56. World's first Block chain Bond was launched by
(a) Reserve Bank of India (b) **World Bank**
(c) Hong Kong Bank (d) State Bank of India
57. Which of the following programme aims at the promotion of savings among rural women?
(a) Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (b) Pradhanmantri Mahila Yojana
(c) Rashtriya Mahila Kosh (d) **Mahila Samridhi**
58. Which of the following policy brings 5 lakh acres under organic farming?
(a) Shyama Prasad Mukherji Rurban Mission
(b) **Pramapraragat Krishi Vikas Yojana**
(c) Pradhan Mantri Krishi Scihai yojana
(d) PM Fasal Bima Yojana
59. According to 2018-19 budget report, India is at third rank in
(a) **Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)**
(b) Gross domestic Product (GDP)
(c) Agricultural Production

- (c) Shakti Kendras (d) Pension scheme
71. Which of the following scheme has the objective to skill 1 crore youth in the next three years?
- (a) Start up, stand up
(b) PM Kaushal vikas yojana
 (c) MNREGA
 (d) Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushalya Yojana
72. First time the container train service between India and Bangladesh starts on
- (a) 3.2.18 (b) 3.3.18 (c) 5.4.18 **(d) 3.4.18**
73. Which day the clean Sea-2017 was conducted by the Indian Coast Guard?
- (a) 29th December 2017 (b) 28th November 2017
 (c) 29th November 2017 **(d) 30th November 2017**
74. Which scheme is launched for the simplified and transparent administration of registration department in Tamil Nadu?
- (a) STAR 1.0 (b) STAR 3.0 (c) STAR 1 **(d) STAR 2.0**
75. Who is the Chief Minister of Tamilnadu during the period May 2015?
- i. Thiru.O.Panner Selvam ii. Thiru.Edappadi.K.Palanisamy
 iii. Selvi.J.Jeyalalitha iv. Governor Rule
- (a) iv only **(b) i and iii** (c) i and ii (d) iii only
76. Who is the Governor of Reserve Bank of India?
- (a) Mr.Raguram Shri Rajan (b) Mr.Y.V.Reddy
(c) Mr.Urijit Patel (d) Mr.Bmal Jalan
77. Match the names of the Chairman in List I with the finance commission in List II

List I

- (a) Nand Kishore Singh
 (b) Vijay.L.Kelhar
 (c) C.Rangarajan
 (d) Y.Venugopal Reddy

List II

1. 14th Finance Commission
 2. 12th Finance Commission
 3. 15th Finance Commission
 4. 13th Finance Commission

a b c d

- (a) 2 3 4 1
(b) 3 2 4 1
(c) 4 3 2 1
(d) 3 4 2 1

78. Where is "Vulcan City" located?

- (a) Cuba (b) **Canada** (c) USA (d) Mexico

79. "She Means Business" programme for women entrepreneurs launched in which State?

- (a) Karnataka (b) **Odisha** (c) Tamil Nadu (d) Kerala

80. This award is to honour eminent coaches who have successfully trained sports persons or teams and enabled them to achieve outstanding results in international competitions

- (a) **Dronacharya Award** (b) Arjuna Award
(c) Dhyan Chand Award (d) Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award

81. India witnessed the Goods and Services Tax (GST) is introduced on

- (a) 1st June 2017 (b) **1st July 2017** (c) 5th July 2017 (d) 5th June 2017

82. How much grant provided by India to Seychelles in the field of development assistance during the year 2015?

- (a) US \$ 6.5 million (b) **US \$ 4.3 million**
(c) US \$ 3.6 million (d) US \$ 1.2 million

83. When did the ISRO launch the GSLV-F08 rocket with GSAT-6A satellite?

- (a) 29 April 2018 (b) **29 March 2018**
(c) 28 February 2018 (d) 29 January 2018

84. Name of the award which was awarded by Government of India in 2018 to Mrs. Lakshmi Navaneetha Krishnan for her folk songs.

- (a) Padma Bhushan (b) **Padma Sri**
(c) Padma Vibhushan (d) Bharat Ratna

85. When was the policy "National Mineral Exploration Policy" Launched?

- (a) **July 2016** (b) June 2016 (c) August 2016 (d) May 2016

86. Who is the author of the book named "Red Birds"?

- (a) Mr. Shyam Saran (b) Mr. Chetan Bhagat
(c) **Mr. Mohammed Hanif** (d) Mr. Gulzar
87. With reference to the World Bank estimate, what is the share of service sector in total employment in India during 2017?
(a) 44% (b) 25% (c) **31%** (d) 33%
88. In which year Kanyakumari district became a part of Tamilnadu?
(a) 1952 (b) **1956** (c) 1947 (d) 1950
89. India's first solar mission Aditya-L1 is to be launched in the year
(a) 2018 (b) **2019** (c) 2022 (d) 2020
90. The National Child Award 2017 Gold Medal for innovation was won by a child from which state?
(a) **Tamil Nadu** (b) Delhi (c) Gujarat (d) Chandigarh
91. Who among the following is the writer of the book "River of Smoke"?
(a) Chetan Bhagat (b) Khuswant Singh
(c) Ruskin Bond (d) **Amitav Ghosh**
92. Which State Government has recently signed MOU with South Korea to enhance tourism cooperation?
(a) Kerala (b) Mizoram (c) Tamil Nadu (d) **Uttar Pradesh**
93. Which state hosted the 7th edition of the India International Coffee festival?
(a) **Karnataka** (b) Kerala (c) Odisha (d) Sikkim
94. Which State Government has launched the free house hold power connection scheme "Prakash Hai to Vikas Hai" for Poor?
(a) Punjab (b) **Uttar Pradesh** (c) Haryana (d) Rajasthan
95. Government launched Zero Defect-zero effect scheme to
(a) Prevent rail accident and improve passenger safety
(b) Mobilize more FDIs to boost Indian infrastructure
(c) **Promote MSME sector in India**
(d) Supplement the Swachh-Bharat mission scheme
96. Consider the following statement digilocker:

1. It is under ministry of home affairs
2. Google and drop-box offer storage for this program
3. It provides 10 GB free space to store and access the documents

Which of the above mentioned statement is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only (b) 1 and 3 only (c) **2 only** (d) 2 and 3 only

97. A scheme launched to faster and create child labour free India is
(a) SAMPADA (b) **PENCIL** (c) SANKALP (d) STRIVE
98. The 2018 International Kite Festival is launched in which city of Gujarat?
(a) Surat (b) **Ahmedabad** (c) Gandhi Nagar (d) Vododara
99. Which country has been officially selected to host the 2022 common wealth games?
(a) New Delhi (b) **Birmingham** (c) Los Angeles (d) Durban
100. Mamang Dai who won the 2017 Sahitya Akademi Award in English Language belongs to which state?
(a) **Arunachal Pradesh** (b) West Bengal
(c) Tripura (d) Nagaland
101. The ----- have created the world's first molecular robot.
(a) Stanford University, USA (b) **University of Manchester, UK**
(c) Harvard Universtiy, USA (d) Indian Institute of Tech, India
102. Which Union Minister inaugurated the 2018 ASEAN-Indian Pravasi-Bharathiya Divas?
(a) Rajnath Singh (b) Prakash Javadekar
(c) **Nitin Gadkari** (d) Sushma Swaraj
103. Who is the new deputy director general of WHO, appointed from India recently?
(a) Dr. Tedros Adhanom (b) **Dr. Soumya Swaminathan**
(c) Dr. Jane Ellison (d) Dr. Margaret Char
104. Which union minister launched livestock Disease forewarning (LDF) mobile APP?
(a) Rajnath Singh (b) Harsimrat kaur Badal
(c) Narendra Singh Tomsr (d) **Radha Mohan Singh**
105. Who received the Nobel Prize for literature in 2017?

124. How many days, Prime Minister Narendra Modi sets a deadline for government departments to resolve public grievances?

- (a) 30 days (b) 45 Days (c) **60 Days** (d) 75 Days

125. Which satellite was carried by GSLV-F08 launched by ISRO?

- (a) **GSAT-6A** (b) GSAT-6B (c) GSAT-7A (d) GSAT-6C

126. Match List I with List II and choose the correct answer from the codes given below:

List I

List II

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|----------------------------------|---------------|
| (a) NITI Aayog | 1. 15.03.1950 |
| (b) National Development Council | 2. 22.11.1951 |
| (c) Finance Commission | 3. 01.01.2015 |
| (d) Planning Commission | 4. 06.08.1952 |

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|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | a | b | c | d |
| (a) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| (b) | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| (c) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| (d) | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |

127. When was Pandit Ravisankar honoured with posthumous Lifetime Achievement Grammy award?

- (a) 2011 (b) 2012 (c) **2013** (d) 2014

128. Match the book with the corresponding Authors and choose the correct answer:

Book

Author

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| (a) Exam warriors | 1. Narendra Modi |
| (b) I do What I do | 2. Jeffrey Archer |
| (c) Red Birds | 3. Raghuram Rajan |
| (d) A Wasted hour | 4. Mohammed Hanif |

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|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | a | b | c | d |
| (a) | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| (b) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| (c) | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| (d) | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 |

129. Indian Coastal Guard conducted the regional level marine oil pollution response exercise during the year 2017 named as

- (a) Clean-Sea-2017 (b) Blue-Sea-2017
(c) Clean-Ocean-2017 (d) Clean-Blue-Sea-2017
130. Who is the Chief Minister of Tripura in 2018?
(a) Jishnu Debbarma (b) **Biplab Kumar Dev**
(c) Ratalanath (d) Sudip Roy Barman
131. Government declared that those who earned Rs.10 Laksh per year will be ineligible for LPG subsidy from?
(a) Jan.2015 (b) **Jan.2016** (c) Jan.2017 (d) Jan.2018
132. In which year Indian Air Force celebrate the 83rd Anniversary?
(a) 2018 (b) 2017 (c) 2016 (d) **2015**
133. Telangana came into existence as the 29th state of India in the year
(a) 2013 (b) **2014** (c) 2015 (d) 2016
134. Who was the first chairperson of UIDAI?
(a) **Nandan Nilekani** (b) Ram sewak Sharma
(c) C. A. Irani (d) Sumitra Kulkarni
135. Match the following and choose the correct one:
- | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| (a) Devendranath | 1. Dronacharya Award 2017 |
| (b) Bhupender Singh | 2. Arjuna Award 2017 |
| (c) P. N. Prakash | 3. Dhyan Chan 2017 |
| (d) Dr. R. Gandhi | 4. Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award 2017 |
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|-----|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d |
| (a) | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| (b) | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| (c) | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| (d) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
136. Why Aadhaar Number is linked with PAN number?
(a) **To enable the Government for distribution of subsidy to the needy people**
(b) To give an identity to a citizen

- (c) To avoid corruption
(d) To detect the income tax payers
137. The first e-court of India was inaugurated at
(a) Hyderabad (b) Ajmer (c) Allahabad (d) Muzafarnagar
138. Who was crowned Miss Universe 2017?
(a) Manushi Chiller **(b) Demi Leigh Nel Peters**
(c) Laura Gonzalez (d) Davina Bennett
139. The air craft accessories manufacturing unit to be set up by Government of Tamil Nadu is at SIPCOT
(a) Sriperumbudur (b) Perundurai (c) Hosur (d) Navalur
140. The 22nd Asian Athletics championship 2017 was held at
(a) Odisha (b) Kolkata (c) Bengaluru (d) Mumbai
141. India's New Warship is named as
(a) INS kiltan (b) INS Kamorta (c) INS Kadmatt (d) INS Vikrant
142. A new type of document that combines the flexibility of a word document with the power of a spreadsheet was founded by "Shishar Mehrota" and Alex Deneiu". It is one among the hot start-ups in 2018. How is it named?
(a) NAUTO (b) NARVAR (c) VAYYAR **(d) CODA**
143. Astronauts in NASA, uses SLAMMD to weigh themselves in space. SLAMMD Stands for
(a) Space Line Astronaut Mass Measurement Device
(b) Synchronous Line Astronaut Mean Mass Device
(c) Synchronous Linear Acceleration Mean Mass Device
(d) Space Linear Acceleration Mass Measurement Device
144. Name it using the following clues
I. It was created by Niantic.INC
II. It became the fastest mobile game to reach 1 billion in revenue earlier in 2017
III. It prepares to release another augmented reality game based on the World of Harry Potter
(a) "Crash Lands" (b) "Mine Craft"

(c) "Pokemon Go" (d) "Fidget Spinner"

145. Which organisation has developed an artificial leaf to create fuel from sunlight?

(a) Defence Research and development Organisation

(b) Council of Scientific and Industrial Research

(c) Indian Organizations for Environmental Protection

(d) Indian Space Research Organisation

146. Who wrote the book "An Era of Darkness": The British Empire in India?

(a) Sunita Narain **(b) Shashi Tharoor** (c) Hamid Ansari (d) Tharoor

147. What is India's rank on the 2017 Global Hunger Index?

(a) 90th **(b) 100th** (c) 10th (d) 120th

148. Match the following and choose the correct answer

(a) Bharat Mala	1. World's Largest Public Work Scheme
(b) MNREGA	2. Skill development training
(c) Rurban Mission	3. Joster research and development
(d) Atal Innovation Mission	4. To connect border areas

	a	b	c	d
(a)	3	4	2	1
(b)	4	2	1	3
(c)	4	1	2	3
(d)	4	1	3	2

149. "Olly" the name of Mascot of Asian Athletics Championship 2017 was given after which of the following animal?

(a) Sea Turtle (b) Sea Horse (c) Seal Lion (d) Whales

150. India has signed an agreement with ----- that would allow the two countries to automatically share tax related information

(a) America (b) Russia **(c) Switzerland** (d) Sri Lanka

151. Mrs. Krishna Sobti Won the Jnanpith Award for 2017 in November 2017, which has recognised her enriched literature contribution to the

- (a) **New Delhi** (b) Mumbai (c) Lucknow (d) Patna
159. World Humanitarian Day is observed on
(a) June 19 (b) July 19 (c) **August 19** (d) September 19
160. Ro-Ro is a
(a) **Ferry Service** (b) Helicopter Service
(c) Train Service (d) Ship Service
161. The winner of French Open Tennis 2018 in Men's Singles is
(a) Roger Federer (b) Dominic Thiem
(c) Ivan Del Porto (d) **Rafael Nadal**
162. The Proposed period of the launch of the Satellite Chandrayan – II is
(a) **January 2019** (b) January 2020 (c) January 2021 (d) January 2022
163. A Delhi govt official bags WHO award for his extraordinary contribution towards
(a) **Tobacco control** (b) Eco control
(c) Traffic control (d) Service for differently abled
164. UDAY scheme is related to
(a) **Electricity** (b) Railways (c) Drinking Water (d) Education
165. Which system of medicine is not included in AYUSH mission?
I. Unani II. Homeopathy III. Siddha IV. Sidha
(a) I and III (b) I only (c) **III only** (d) I and IV
166. With which of the following Indian state the behdienkhlam Festival is associated?
(a) Assam (b) **Megalaya** (c) Sikkim (d) Arunachalpradesh
167. Which of the following is India's first-energy efficient railway station?
(a) Mumbai (b) Thane (c) Delhi (d) **Kacheguda**
168. Panini Language Laboratory is inaugurated at
(a) Maldives (b) **Mauritius** (c) Madagascar (d) Myanmar
169. Chabahar port was developed by
(a) **Iran, India and Afghanistan** (b) Iran, Iraq and Afghanistan

- (c) Saudi Arabia, Iran and Iraq (d) India, Bangladesh and Srilanka
170. Where was G7 Summit held?
(a) Montreal (b) Quebec (c) Paris (d) Washington
171. Zojila Project is associated with
(a) Tunnel (b) Forest (c) Energy (d) Recreation
172. India's First scientific and modern Wildlife genetic resource bank is initiated at
(a) Tiruppathi (b) Vijaywada (c) Hyderabad (d) Vishakapatnam
173. Who development the world's first Hindi Speaking humanoid robot?
(a) Akshay Venkatesh (b) Bhanita Das
(c) Ranjit Srivastava (d) Avi-Goel
174. Which of the following Indian State has the World's First-ever thermal battery plant?
(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) Karnataka (d) kerala
175. RIMES (Regional Integrated Multi-Hazard Energy Warming System) is associated with which of the following State?
(a) W. Bengal (b) Odisha (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Karnataka
176. "TESS" is a
(a) Polestar (b) Space Craft (c) Comet (d) Sensor
177. Eliud Kipchoge, the winner of London Marathon Men's title 2018 belongs to
(a) West Indies (b) Kenya (c) Canada (d) USA
178. India's bio-fortified sorghum was developed by
(a) ICRISAT-Hyderabad (b) VKMKV-Maharashtra
(c) IRRI-Phillipines (d) ADUTHURAI-Tanjore
179. World Hepatitis Day is observed on
(a) July 28 (b) August 28 (c) September 28 (d) October 28
180. Which of the following becomes the 11th biosphere reserve of India?
(a) Nilgiris-Wayanad (b) Mannar Bay
(c) Khangehendzonga (d) Nilgiri
181. The world's smallest land fern is discovered in

- (a) Thorn forest of Pakistan (b) Amazon Forest
(c) Coniferous forest of Canada **(d) Western Ghat of India**
182. Which is the biggest nuclear power station in India?
(a) Kalppakkam (b) Bangalore **(c) Tarapur** (d) Kanpur
183. The film titled "Hell's Angel" is on the highlighted the personality of whom?
(a) Muthulakshmi Reddy (b) Sarojini Naidu
(c) Mother Teresa (d) Sister Alfonse
184. To measure the changing height of the Earth's ice, NASA has launched a satellite called
(a) ICESat 1 **(b) ICESat 2** (c) ICESat 3 (d) ICESat 4
185. Which of the following state is worst hit by heavy rain of SW monsoon in 2018?
(a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Mumbai (d) Bihar
186. The country to send humans to space after USSR, USA and China is
(a) India (b) France (c) Japan (d) South Africa
187. On which day the National Kite festival takes place in Ahmedabad?
(a) On the Makara Sankranti Festival (b) On the Sharad Purnima Day
(c) In the Lucknow Festival Season (d) On the Natyanjali Festival Occasion
188. Who won the International Geography Bee World Award?
(a) Akshay Venkatesh **(b) Avi-Goel**
(c) Bhanita Das (d) Ang Lee
189. Who Wins the 3rd BRICS film Festival's best actress award?
(a) Bhanita Das (b) Rima Das (c) Sabana Asmi (d) Seema Biswass
190. Which of the following State to get first cow Sancturay?
(a) Punjab (b) Haryana **(c) Rajasthan** (d) Gujarat
191. Mukhyamantri yuva Nestum scheme is introduced by
(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Telungana (c) Karnataka (d) Kerala
192. iHUB has been set up at

203. Who won 2018 Men's singles Open Tennis title in the Australian open?
(a) Marin Cilic (b) Rohan Bopanna
(c) Rafael Nadal (d) **Roger Federer**
204. The forest which is known as the lungs of the Earth is
(a) Tundra Forest (b) Taiga Forest
(c) **Amazon Rain Forest** (d) Mangrove Forest
205. The global centre for cyber security to be operational from March 2018 is head quartered in
(a) California (b) **Geneva** (c) Washington (d) Newyork
206. To which sports is, Jemson Nighthoujan is associated
(a) Boxing (b) Tennis (c) Chess (d) **Archery**
207. Which State Government has launched "Solar Briefcase" to provide electricity in remote areas in October 2017?
(a) Jharkhand (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) **Uttarkhand** (d) Madhya Pradesh
208. Which city hosted the 3rd edition of Indian International Science Festival (IISF-2017)?
(a) Lucknow (b) New Delhi (c) Guwahati (d) **Chennai**
209. The first prize for the best tableau in the recently concluded 2018 Republic Day parade was won by
(a) Chhattisgarah (b) Assam (c) Tamil Nadu (d) **Maharashtra**
210. Who won the 2017 man Booker prize?
(a) **George Sauders** (b) Zadie Smith (c) Sebastian Barry (d) Colin Thurbon
211. Which of the following is India's earth observation satellite, as on 30th October 2017?
(a) **Cartosat-2** (b) LAPAN-A3 (c) BIRO (d) M3MSAT
212. According to the reports of Spanish National Cancer Research Centre 2017 Which of the following vitamin can delay again process
(a) Vitamin-C (b) **Vitamin-B** (c) Vitamin-A (d) Vitamin-D
213. Which state has declared Urdu as its second official language in November 2017?

- (a) **Telangana** (b) Bihar (c) Jharkhand (d) Karnataka
214. In which place did the Indian costal Guard conduct the Regional level Marine oil pollution Response exercise name "clean-sea-2017?"
- (a) **Andaman and Nicobar Islands** (b) Daman and Diu
(c) Goa (d) Lakshadweep
215. Who was the Prime Minister of UK in 2017?
- (a) **Theresa May** (b) David Cameron
(c) Philip Hammond (d) Boris Johnson
216. In which game Ms. Manu Bhasker secure gold medal in Junior World cup during the year March 2018?
- (a) 10 Meter Air Pistol (b) 100 Meter Air Pistol
(c) 50 Meter Air Pistol (d) 20 Meter Air Pistol
217. The Vice Chairman of NITI Aayog is
- (a) Mr. Aravind Panagariya (b) **Mr. Rajiv Kumar**
(c) Mr. Bimal Jalan (d) Mr. Y. V. Reddy
218. Which country in the world to use gross national happiness to measure the progress of the country?
- (a) India (b) Bangladesh (c) Sweedan (d) **Bhutan**
219. How many world Heritage sites in India are recognised by UNESCO in the year 2016?
- (a) 15 (b) 25 (c) **35** (d) 45
220. The first person to enter into space was
- (a) Alan Shepard (b) **Yuri Gagarin**
(c) Edward H. White (d) Valentina Tereshkova
221. National Doctor's day is celebrated on
- (a) July 12th (b) **July 1st** (c) June 12th (d) June 1st
222. In which year Andhra Pradesh high court was renamed as the Hyderabad high court?

- (a) 2012 (b) 2013 (c) **2014** (d) 2015
223. Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi flags off "Run for Unity" to mark the birth anniversary of -----
- (a) Mahatma Gandhi (b) Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose
- (c) **Sardar Vallabhai Patel** (d) Acharya Vinoba Bhave
224. Which country won the maximum medals at the 18th Asian Games 2018?
- (a) **China** (b) South Korea (c) Japan (d) Indonesia
225. The 4th BIMSTEC summit – 2017 was held in
- (a) Bhutan (b) **Nepal** (c) Bangladesh (d) Pakistan
226. Global Entrepreneurship summit – 2017 held in
- (a) Bangaluru (b) Cochin (c) **Hyderabad** (d) Chennai
227. India Launches its first national healthcare facility registry called
- (a) Ayushman Bharat Scheme (ABS)
- (b) Central Bureau of Health Intelligence (CBHI)
- (c) **National Health Resource Repository (NHRR)**
- (d) Dhanvantari Medical Scheme (DMS)
228. India's food grains production in 2014-15 was
- (a) 90.5 Million Tonnes (b) **252.7 Million Tonnes**
- (c) 280.5 Million Tonnes (d) 296.4 Million Tonnes
229. Who was the chairman of the Fourteenth finance commission?
- (a) A. M. Khusro (b) **Dr. Y. V. Reddy** (c) N. K. P. Salve (d) Vijay Kelkar
230. The total oil seeds production in India was ----- mn. Tonnes in the year 2016-2017
- (a) **32.10 Million Tonnes** (b) 35.10 Million Tonnes
- (c) 36.20 Million Tonnes (d) 35.80 Million Tonnes
231. Union Government estimated that the fiscal deficit was expected to decline to -----
-- percent of GDP in 2017-18 Budget

- (a) 2.9 % (b) 3.0 % (c) **3.2 %** (d) 3.5 %
232. Which is an Earth observation Satellite?
(a) INSAT-4B (b) **CARTOSAT-2B** (c) Chandrayaan-I (d) IRNSS-IC
233. Who won the Bronze medal in wrestling at 2016 Rio Olympics?
(a) **Sakshi Malik** (b) Jatindra Charan Goho
(c) Sushil Kumar Solanki (d) Udey Chand
234. When the 69th Abbot of Kanchi Kamakoti Peetham Swamikal Jeyandrar passed away?
(a) 27th January 2018 (b) 27th February 2018
(c) 28th January 2018 (d) **28th February 2018**
235. Union Cabinet, approves setting up of six new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) in 2016. Find out which place is not correct?
(a) Goa (b) Jammu (c) Kerala (d) **Karnataka**
236. Who is the 44th Chief Justice of India?
(a) Justice Anil Baijal (b) **Justice Jagadish Singh Khehar**
(c) Justice Ramachandra (d) Justice Rajiv Jain
237. When was "Make in India" launched by Government of India?
(a) 26 January 2014 (b) **25 September 2014**
(c) 25 December 2014 (d) 26 October 2014
238. In which year, HIMANSH, India's Remote, High-altitude station opens in the Himalayas?
(a) 2014 (b) 2015 (c) **2016** (d) 2017
239. Which country emerged as India's 3rd largest supplier of crude oil in 2014-2015?
(a) Russia (b) **Venezuela** (c) Saudi Arabia (d) Lybia
240. When did Mr. Om Prakash Rawat take charge as Chief election commissioner of India?
(a) 17th January 2018 (b) 20th January 2018
(c) **23rd January 2018** (d) 6th July 2017

241. When did Union cabinet approve MOU between Indian and European Union on Water Cooperation?
- (a) August 2016 (b) September 2016
(c) **October 2016** (d) November 2016
242. Who was get eligibility to participate directly in the semi-final in Boxing in the 21st commonwealth games held at Gold Coast city in Australia?
- (a) **Taylash Robertson** (b) Mary Kom
(c) Nicola Adams (d) Lorna Kusa
243. On which day, Barack Obama made a historic trip to Cuba?
- (a) March 16, 2016 (b) **March 20, 2016**
(c) March 26, 2016 (d) March 28, 2016
244. Former Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee was honoured with Bharat Ratna award in which year?
- (a) 2016 (b) 2015 (c) 2013 (d) **2014**
245. The article inserted by the constitution for implementation of goods and service tax (GST) is
- (a) **Article 279A** (b) Article 377 (c) Article 277 (d) Article 370
246. 'Prakash hai to Vikas hai' scheme, a free household power connection scheme for the poor was launched recently by the state of
- (a) Gujarat (b) Kerala (c) Telangana (d) **Uttar Pradesh**
247. Which state government will set up "Book Banks" in schools to provide old books to needy students?
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) **Punjab** (d) Haryana
248. Where is the headquarters of central pollution control board is located?
- (a) Mumbai (b) **Kolkatta** (c) Patiala (d) Delhi
249. The main objective of Janani Suraksha Yojana is
- (a) **To reduce maternal and neo-natal mortality**

- (b) To reduce birth rate
(c) To reduce death rate
(d) To provide quality health care facilities
250. ----- is the first state in the country to open a blood bank for cattle.
(a) Odisha (b) Maharashtra (c) Rajasthan (d) Gujarat
251. Awardee of Nobel Prize for Literature in 2014 is
(a) Patrick Modiano (b) Edward Moser
(c) William Morner (d) Stephen Hell
252. Who is the author of the book "I do what I do"?
(a) Amitav Ghosh (b) Raghu Ram Rajan
(c) Arunava Sinha (d) Kiran Doshi
253. Which colour of the ball used during the Duleep Trophy cricket tournament?
(a) White (b) Brown (c) Pink (d) Yellow
254. ----- acts as technology partner for National Health Resource Respository (NHRR) project and provides data security
(a) Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
(b) ICT academy of Tamil Nadu (ICTACT)
(c) ORACLE Corporation
(d) Organisation for Economic Co-operation and development
255. Telemedicine is an upcoming field in health science launched by the organization
(a) CERN (b) ASTROSAT (c) ISRO (d) TMT
256. A mobile application developed by CERN for user friendly freight operation in Railways is
(a) Operation Five Minutes (OFM) (b) COTVM
(c) UTS (d) Parichalan
257. Name the inventor of WWW. (World Wide Web)

- (a) **Tim Berners-Lee** (b) Mark Zuckerberg
(c) Steve Jobs (d) Jan Koum
258. Google launched its smart message app which named as
(a) Cello (b) Allow (c) Hallo (d) **Allo**
259. Which one of the following is not correctly matched?
(a) Human Rights Day - December 10
(b) National Energy Conservation Day - December 14
(c) Kisan Divas Day - December 23
(d) **Armed Forces Flag Day - December 17**
260. Rammasun and Hagupit are the names associated with recent
(a) Space vehicles of NASA
(b) Navy ships of India
(c) **Typhoons in Philipines and China**
(d) Missiles of India
261. Point out the wrongly matched pair
(a) BRICS - Fortaleza
(b) 17th Asian Games - Incheon
(c) NATO Summit, 2014 - Wales
(d) **2014 FIBA World cup - Rio de Janeiro**
262. Who designed the AADHAAR logo?
(a) **Atul.S.Pande** (b) R.K.Pachuri
(c) Sree Ramamurthy Janaki (d) Pandit Ravi Shankar
263. The author of the book "The Narrow Road to the Deep North" is
(a) **Richard Flanagan** (b) Carl Spandler
(c) Nicholas Winton (d) Shakespeare

264. Identify the renowned scholar from the hints given below
- I. "Kaatna ShamiKa Vriksha" is his novel
- II. He was selected for the prestigious Vyas samman 2016 in February 2017
- (a) **Mr.Surendra Verma** (b) Mr.Prem Chand
(c) Mr.Anish Kapoor (d) Mr.Kamal Kishore Goyenka
265. BHOPAL-SHATABDI is the fastest train connects Bhopal and
- (a) Mumbai **(b) New Delhi** (c) Alahabad (d) Kolkata
266. Election commission of India is situated at
- (a) Chennai (b) Mumbai (c) Hyderabad **(d) New Delhi**
267. International women's day is celebrated on
- (a) March 5 **(b) March 8** (c) March 10 (d) March 18
268. Match the Nation with their currency:
- | | |
|-------------|---------|
| (a) Vietnam | 1. Kyat |
| (b) Spain | 2. Dong |
| (c) Cuba | 3. Euro |
| (d) Myanmar | 4. Peso |
- | | | | | |
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| | a | b | c | d |
| (a) | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| (b) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| (c) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| (d) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
269. Which State Government confers the Basavasri Award?
- (a) Andhra Pradesh **(b) Karnataka** (c) Telangana (c) Bihar
270. The Japanese art "Ikebana" is related to which among the following?
- (a) Wall Painting (b) Chorus Dance

- (c) Sculptures (d) **Flower Decoration**
271. Madurai bench of the Madras High Court has ordered Tamil Nadu Government to enact a law to eradicate Prosopis Julifora in February 2017. What is prosopis Julifora?
- (a) A Viral Disease (b) Rot virus
(c) **Seemai Karuvelam Tree** (d) Kanimaranjandu, a Tree crab
272. In India, October 31st Observed as every year as
- (a) Farmers Day (b) Tourism Day
(c) **National Unity Day** (d) Minorities Rights Day
273. Which footballer has won the 2018 European Golden Shoe?
- (a) **Lionel Messi** (b) Mohamed Salah
(c) Cristiano Ronaldo (d) Robert Lewandowski
274. CAN, Europe has reported Denmark as the best performing nation followed by Sweden. What is CAN and what for it has ranked the countries?
- (a) Central Authority for Nations, for high literacy rate
(b) Committee of Network of Knowledge, for high literacy rate
(c) Cyber Advanced Network for low cyber crime rate
(d) **Climate Action Network, for low CO₂ emission**
275. Who is the author of "The theory of Industrial organisation"?
- (a) Patrick Modiano (b) **Jean Tirole**
(c) Richard Flanagan (d) Malala Yosafzai