

Winmeen - Group 4 VAO General English Model Test 18

1. Match the poems in Column A with their poets in Column B.

Column A	Column B
(a) The Nation United	1. Lewis Carroll
(b) Is life but a dream	2. Thomas Hardy
(c) The Man he killed	3. Norman Nicholson
(d) Off to Outer space tomorrow morning	4. Walt Whitman

- (a) (b) (c) (d)
 (A) 4 1 2 3
 (B) 3 2 1 4
 (C) 2 3 4 1
 (D) 1 4 3 2

2. Choose the complex sentence out of the four sentences given below:

- A) Falling prompt payment, the goods must be returned by you
 B) He was a mere boy but he offered to fight the giant.
 C) He must have done his duty, for he is a conscientious man
 D) He succeeded although his success was not expected.

3. Select the correct question tag:

- They have sold the house,-----?
 A) haven't they
 B) have they
 C) do they
 D) don't they.

4. Little cyclone is a grizzly cub from

- A) Russia
 B) Vatican
 C) Canada
 D) Alaska

5. The author of the essay "Forgetting", never ask the departing visitors to

- A) Buy medicine
 B) Post letter
 C) Buy newspaper

D) Buy stamp

6. Match the titles of poems under Column A with the names of poets under Columns B and choose the correct codes

Column A	Column B
(a) The cry of the children	1. Archibald Lampman
(b) A Psalm of Life	2. Elizabeth Barret Browning
(c) To a Millionaire	3. William Wordsworth
(d) The Solitary Reaper	4. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

- A) 4 2 3 1
 B) 2 4 1 3
 C) 1 2 4 3
 D) 3 2 1 4

7. Choose the correct option that contains the appropriate words in the right sequence:

- They do the English exercises ----- because they think English is an ----- subject.
 A) Hardly, hard
 B) Slow, slowly
 C) Easily, Easy
 D) Eagerly, Eager.

8. Match

- a. Wobbled 1. Begin
 b. Wailed 2. Weep
 c. Dawned 3. Dark
 d. Gloomily 4. Move unsteadily
 A) 2 4 3 1
 B) 4 2 3 1
 C) 2 4 1 3
 D) 4 2 1 3

9. Fill in the blanks with the correct homophones.

- I paid the _____ to go to the _____.
 (A) fare, fair
 (B) fair, fire
 (C) fare, fear
 (D) fair, fare

10. Match the following words given in Column A with their antonyms in Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below:

Column A	Column B
a) panicked	1. Humility
b) Drought	2. calmed
c) commence	3. Floods
d) Pride	4. Conclude

- A) 3 4 2 1
 B) 2 4 1 3
 C) 1 3 4 2
 D) 2 3 4 1

11. In the poem "Hollow Crown" who mocks and pomp the King?

- A) Minster
 B) Antic
 C) Painter
 D) Poets

12. Find out the odd word among the following:

- A) Sojourn
 B) Countenance
 C) Species
 D) Recreate

13. Which year the Nilgiri Mountain Railway was built

- A) 1906
 B) 1858
 C) 1935
 D) 1908

14. "Successful people are those who manage their time efficiently".

What is our most valuable resource?

- (A) Talents
 (B) Treasure
 (C) Time
 (D) Truth

15. The poem "Laugh and be merry" is written by.

- A) H.W. Longfellow
 B) Robert frost.
 C) Ralph waldo Emerson
 D) John Masefield

16. Identify the sentence

He remarked how impudent the boy was

- A) Compound
 B) Complex
 C) Simple
 D) None

17. "Too many people are stealing from the docks."

Identify the speaker/character who belongs to the short story "Seventeen oranges".

- A) Bill Naughton
 B) Clem Jones
 C) Police man
 D) The captain

18. Find the suitable word to form a compound word.

- Bee
 A) Hive
 B) House
 C) Free
 D) Proof

19. Match the characters, with the relevant story title and select the correct codes given below:

- (a) Mr. Parsons-1. Holiday
 (b) Bishvambhar-2. Reflowering
 (c) Djinn-3. A Man Who Had No Eyes
 (d) Rowther-4. How the Camel got His Humph
 (a) (b) (c) (d)

- A) 3 4 2 1
 B) 2 1 3 4
 C) 1 2 3 4
 D) 3 1 4 2

20. Identify the sentence pattern.

Brutus is an honourable man.

- A) SVC
 B) SVO
 C) SVIO
 D) SVDO

21. Read the passage and select the correct sentence from the options given below:

Built in the year 1010 by king Raja chola stood a symbol of flourishing.Sculptural expertise and rich culture of ancient India.

- A) King Raja Raja Chola born in 1010
 B) King Raja Raja was an expert in sculpture.
 C) The Big temple stood a place of King RajaRaja Chola"s court.

D) The Big temple stood a symbol of flourishing sculptural expertise and rich culture of ancient India

22. What is the theme of the story, "The Mark of Vishnu"?

- (A) Patriotism
- (B) Communism
- (C) Superstition
- (D) Socialism

23. What kind of figure of speech is applied in the following poetic line?

'Till the gossamer thread you fling catch somewhere, O my soul'

- A. Simile
- B. Metaphor
- C. Personification
- D. Oxymoron

24. Choose the appropriate degree for the following sentence.

Brain surgery is the most complicated in medical field.

- A) No other surgery as completed in medical field.
- B) Brain surgery is highly complicated.
- C) Brain surgery is more complicated than and surgery in medical field.
- D) Brain surgery is more complicated than most other surgery

25. Author of the poem "Team Work"

- A) Edger A. Guest
- B) Khalil Gibran
- C) Famida Y. Basheer
- D) Charles Dickens

26. In the play, "The First Patient" who mentioned that Dentist can use some strange tools for surgery?

- A) Man 3
- B) Man 5
- C) Man 7
- D) Man 4

27. Give the suitable order of articles in the blanks of the given passage. Write the correct code given below

- A) the,a,the,a
- B) the,a,the,an

C) a,the,the,an

D) a,a,a,an

28. Match Column A with Column B

Column A	Column B
a) His trip	1. Was gifted to her.
b) The house	2. Was not fed properly.
c) The doll	3. Was sponsored by his company.
d) The camel	4. Was dressed up beautifully

a b c d

A) 3 1 4 2

B) 3 1 2 4

C) 1 3 4 2

D) 1 3 2 4

29. India honoured Sir C.V. Raman with

- A) Padma Shri
- B) Padma Bhusan
- C) Bharat Ratna
- D) Padma Vibhusan

30. _____ Is a figure of speech that directly compares two things.

- A) Metaphor
- B) Simile
- C) Personification
- D) Irony

31. Who is the author of the book "Chicken Soup for the soul"?

- A) George Orwell
- B) Louis May Alcott
- C) Jack Canfield Mark Victor Hansen
- D) John Green

32. Reading the passage and choose the false statement from the options given below:

While they are students, their attitude towards the Government of the country such as it may be good,bad or indifferent, should be one of acquiescence,loyal acquiescence.

- A) Students should be loyal to their country.
- B) Students should accept the laws of their country
- C) Students should follow the code and law of their country.
- D) Students should take part in politics.

33. Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the options:

We will have to find _____ sources of energy in the future.

- A) Alternative
- B) Altered
- C) Alternative
- D) Adulterated

34. Find the odd word (Adverb):

- A) dreams
- B) dreamer
- C) dreaming
- D) dreamily

35. Match the following phrases/idioms given under Column A with their meanings under

Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below :

Column A	Column B
(a) to cash in on	1. tell me what you are thinking about
(b) as good as gold	2. a very slim chance
(c) a chance in a million	3. to take advantage
(d) a penny for your thoughts	4. very well behaved

(a) (b) (c) (d)

- (A) 3 4 2 1
- (B) 3 1 4 2
- (C) 4 1 2 3
- (D) 2 4 3 1

36. The poem, "On killing the Trees" was taken from which poetry collection of Dr.Grieve Patel.

- A) Evening
- B) Forensic medicine
- C) From Bombay central
- D) Poems

37. Identify the degree and choose the correct answer:

Very few batsmen in the world are so powerful as Tendulkar.

- A) Comparative degree
- B) Positive degree
- C) Superlative degree
- D) None of these

38. Who among the poets given below, is not from England?

- A) D.H. Lawrence
- B) Rudyard Kipling
- C) Robert Frost
- D) Elizabeth Barrett Browning

39. Leatherback , the Sea Turtle whose weight is about

- A) 700kg
- B) 1000 kg
- C) 800kg
- D) 650 kg

40. Which one of the following compound nouns is wrong?

- A) Coat – of – mails
- B) Governors – general
- C) Runners – up
- D) Grown – ups

41. His friends found him pale, exhausted and emaciated

Find the meaning of underlined word/phrase.

- A) Bold and strong
- B) Healthy
- C) Confused state
- D) Weak and thin

42. Match the authors with the relevant characters from their books:

Column A	Column B
(a) Alice	1. Guy de Maupassant
(b) Bertie Wooster	2. P.G. Woodhouse
(c) Mowgli	3. Lewis Carroll
(d) Matilda	4. Rudyard kipling

- A) 3 2 4 1
- B) 1 2 3 4
- C) 4 2 1 3
- D) 2 4 3 1

43. Fill in the blanks with suitable determiners.

The teacher gave _____student a separate topic for the assignment.

- A) All
- B) Every
- C) That
- D) One

44. Match the words under column A with the suffixes under Column B.

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| Column A | Column B |
| a) Anchor | 1. Ling |
| b) Murder | 2. Lette. |
| c) Hire | 3. Age |
| d) Novel | 4. Ous |

- a b c d
- A) 3 4 1 2
 B) 4 3 2 1
 C) 1 2 4 3
 D) 2 1 3 4

45. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

- A----- of ----- attached the village.
- A) gangs, thieves
 B) gang, thieves
 C) gang, theifs
 D) gangs, thief.

46. Which of the following line belongs to Lewis carroll?

- A) Exult, O shores! and ring O bells!
 B) I will be centre of my gravity, a universe of one
 C) Long after it was heard no more
 D) Is all our life, then but a dream.

47. In the short story "Owlie", When Payal was sad, She used to

- A) Play with friends
 B) reads book
 C) pray
 D) sings a song

48. Match the statements given in Column A with the question tags in Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Column A | Column B |
| a) John lives in London they? | 1. Didn't |
| b) They won the match he? | 2. Doesn't |
| c) He need not edit all the pages | 3. Need he? |
| d) He needs some fund | |

- a b c d
- A) 2 3 1 2
 B) 3 2 3 1
 C) 1 2 3 3

D) 2 1 3 2

49. The woods are lovely, dark and deep
 But I have promises to keep,
 And miles to go before I sleep
 And miles to go before I sleep

Find the rhyme scheme

- A) aabb
 B) aaba
 C) aaaa
 D) abab

50. Find out the error:

A modern play school is open for kids.

- A B C D

51. How old is the Brihadeesvarar Temple?

- (A) 2000
 (B) 1000
 (C) 1200
 (D) 2100

52. The life of a student is comparatively speaking , a sheltered life"

What does Gokhale mean by this?

Choose the one statement which is inappropriate.

- A) They are protected by their parents.
 B) They have lesser responsibilities.
 C) They need not discharge their duties as students
 D) They have the privilege of being helped by others.

53. Match the poetic lines in Column A with the related poets in Column B and Select the appropriate code:

Column A	Column B
(a) Glad till the dancing stops and the lilt of the music ends	1. Khalil Gibran
(b) We plant your fields with skulls and bones	2. Robert Frost

(c) We ran as if to meet the moon	3. Leslie Norris
(d) But he's locked in a concrete cell	4. John Masefield

- A) 4 1 2 3
- B) 3 4 1 2
- C) 4 2 3 1
- D) 2 3 4 1

54. Choose the right idea conveyed by the statement given below:

Sometimes parents complain that hgtier teenage children have suddenly become very indisciplined, not paying heed to their advice.

- A) Teenagers are not advised by their parents.
- B) Parents heed to the advice of their teenage children.
- C) Teenagers listen to their parents advice.\
- D) Parents think that their teenage children don't listen to their words.

55. Fill in the blanks with a suitable article.

He works at_____university.

- (A) an
- (B) the
- (C) a
- (D) no article

56. When do we celebrate World Environment Day?

- (A) 5th May
- (B) 5th July
- (C) 5th June
- (D) 5th August

57. In the short story "With The photographer" who shares his experience with the professional photographer turns out to be an unforgettable one

- A) The author
- B) Author's friend
- C) Author's sister
- D) Author's wife

58. The science of laughing is known as

- A) Entomology
- B) Lactology
- C) Gelotology
- D) Faciology

59. He knows what rules are necessary and the rules are made to be enforced. It would be wrong of me to override his rules and decisions of this kind. Who does "me" refer to in the lesson "The One Minute Apology"?

- (A) The Colonel
- (B) Edwin Stanton
- (C) Abraham Lincoln
- (D) Scott

60. Match the following words given in Column A with their meanings in Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below:

Column A	Column B
a) canopy	1. scolding
b) concerned	2. strange
c) queer	3. Beanxious
d) chide	4. sheller

- A) 4 3 2 1
- B) 3 2 4 1
- C) 3 1 2 4
- D) 4 1 2 3

61. Choose the appropriate stem word which the prefix mal" can combine.

- A) Directional
- B) Theism
- C) Colon
- D) Nourished

62. Which of the following is not a poem?

- A) The power of Laughter
- B) No men are foreign
- C) A Tiger in the zoo
- D) My Grandmother's House

63. Match the words under Column 'A' with the suitable infinitives under Column 'B' and select the right option from the codes given below:

Column A-Column B
(a) The parcel was heavy-1. to wear
(b) These clothes are comfortable-2. to learn
(c) English is easy-3. to follow
(d) Her speech was difficult-4. to carry

- (a) (b) (c) (d)
 (A) 4 1 2 3
 (B) 3 2 1 4
 (C) 2 4 3 1
 (D) 1 2 3 4

64. Giving ranges during their New year season is a festive ritual of the

- A) Americans
 B) Portuguese
 C) French
 D) Chinese

65. "Don't let us down now, Gulliver; We need your help"

Find the speaker/character.

- A) Crew members
 B) Lilliputians
 C) Captain
 D) Emperor of Lilliputians

66. Who said these lines :

"Under the Wide and Starry Sky;
 Dig the grave and led me lie".

- (A) Francis' Bacon
 (B) John Keats
 (C) Ben Johnson
 (D) R. L. Stevenson

67. Some people argue that computerization will aggravate the unemployment problem. Find out the antonym, for the underlined word.

- A) Wipe out
 B) Consolidate
 C) Alleviate
 D) Remove

68. Change the following adjective into adverb:

Dangerous

- A) danger
 B) endangered
 C) dangerously
 D) dangers.

69. "Be a hero in the strife" – In whose poem this line comes?

- (A) Shakespeare
 (B) Walt Whitman
 (C) Wordsworth
 (D) H.W. Longfellow

70. Identify the incorrect, prepositional phrase.

She found a purse -----

- A) Full of money
 B) with gold coins
 C) empty and turn
 D) of blue colour

71. The short story "The portrait of a lady" brings out the bond between the author and his

- A) Mother
 B) Father
 C) Grandmother
 D) Sister

72. Who taught the poem of George Morris to Ruskin Bond?

- A) Teacher
 B) Father
 C) Mother
 D) Grandfather

73. Match the title of the poems under Column A with the name of poets under Column B and choose the correct codes.

Column A-Column B

- a) The selfish Giant-1. saki
 b) The open window-2. Guy de Maupassant
 c) Two Friends-3. O' Henry
 d) The Last Leaf-4. Oscar wilde

- A) 3 4 1 2
 B) 1 2 3 4
 C) 4 1 2 3
 D) 4 3 2 1

74. Identify the word pair which is different in pronunciation in British English and American English usage:

British English - American English.

- A) Cheque - Check.
 B) Metre - meter
 C) Schedule- Schedule.
 D) Licence- License.

75. Hugh Erskine got_____pounds as his wedding present from Baron Hausberg.

- (A) 10,000
 (B) 20,000
 (C) 30,000
 (D) 40,000

76. The line which separates _____ from the valley of the Nile in Egypt.

- A) Sahara desert
- B) Thar desert
- C) Libyan desert
- D) Gobi desert

77. The paddy plants are given manure after _____ days.

- A) 90 days
- B) 100 days
- C) 150 days
- D) 180 days

78. Match Column A with Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below:

Column A - Column B

(Phrasal verbs) - (Meanings)

- a) given away - 1. resign
- b) give over- 2. transfer
- c) give up -3. pronounce
- d) give off - 4. abandon
- 5. emit

Codes:

a b c d

- A) 2 4 5 1
- B) 2 4 1 5
- C) 2 4 1 3
- D) 2 4 5 3

79. "I'm glad that when my struggle begins"

The struggle is occurred between

- A) Audience and referee
- B) Author and his friend
- C) Prudence and ego
- D) Money and faith

80. Name the poet who has written 'The Prelude' by choosing from the options given below:

- (A) Nissim Ezekiel
- (B) William Blake
- (C) William Wordsworth
- (D) H.W. Long Fellow

81. The poem "Aung Lang Syne" sung during

- A) Christmas eve
- B) Independence day
- C) Good Friday
- D) New year's eve

82. Freedom and power bring responsibility. That responsibility rests upon this assembly Before the birth of freedom we have endured all the pains of labour and our hearts are heavy with the memory of sorrow. But the past its now over and the future becomes to us now the ambition of the greatest man is to wipe every tear. As long as tears are there, so long our work will not be over.

Which statement is correct?

- A) India became rich after Independence.
- B) Ignorance, poverty, inequality of opportunity are eradicated.
- C) Our work will not be over till we wipe every tear
- D) Freedom means to live a life as we like.

83. Identify the incorrect statement.

- A) Listening to music agitates our minds
- B) Music consoles and soothes our aching hearts
- C) Music consoles and soothes our aching hearts
- D) Music strengthens our hopes

84. Find out the correct sentence :

- (A) One of the bicycle is defective
- (B) One of the bicycles is defective
- (C) One of the bicycle are defective
- (D) One of the bicycles were defective

85. Khalil Gibran is from.

- A) Lebanon
- B) India
- C) Pakistan
- D) Iran.

86. In the play, "The First Patient" all the characters were waiting for the arrival of

- A) Dentist
- B) Business man
- C) Minister
- D) Judge

87. This process goes on and the nation climbs steps of glory and gains higher strength.

Pick out a suitable word from the extract which means "fame"

- A) Strength
- B) Steps
- C) Glory
- D) Nation

88. Which state does the poet V.K. Gokak belong to?

- A) Uttar Pradesh
- B) Bihar
- C) Haryana
- D) Karnataka

89. Which of the following poem does not picture childhood memories?

- (A) A Sonnet for my incomparable mother
- (B) Sonnet – 116
- (C) Piano
- (D) Paper boat

90. A children's classic Alice in Wonderland is written by

- A) Rudyard Kipling
- B) Edger A. Guest
- C) Lewis Carroll
- D) Ruskin Bond

91. When Dinesh and Prabhu left the bus stop Marsha rang them

Find out the type of the sentence

- A) Simple
- B) Complex
- C) Compound
- D) Phrase

92. Which one of the following statement is correct?

- A) V.K.Gokak is a Telugu poet and novelist
- B) V.K. Gokak is a kannada poet and novelist
- C) V.K. Gokak is a Marathi poet and novelist
- D) V.K. Gokak is a Gujarathi poet and novelist

93. Match the following words given in Column A with their antonyms in Column B and select the correct answer from the codes given below:

Column A	Column B
a) Trivial	1. dwarf
b) Acceleration	2. significant
c) Monstrous	3. lit
d) Extinguished	4. retardation

- a b c d
- A) 1 2 3 4
 - B) 4 1 2 3
 - C) 3 4 1 2
 - D) 2 4 1 3

94. Lungri is the pet name of _____ in the play "The Jungle Book".

- A) Mother wolf
- B) Father Wolf
- C) Tabaqui
- D) Shere Khan

95. Pick out the sentences which is in active voice.

- A) He is loved by all
- B) The field is ploughed
- C) The thief was caught
- D) The man cut down the tree.

96. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of voice: This lesson ----- in two days.

- A) must complete
- B) have been completed
- C) should be completed
- D) are completing

97. Identify the sentence which is not of the same pattern as the others.

- (A) Solomon was wise
- (B) She was excited
- (C) He became the president
- (D) He wore his new uniform

98. "And I have learned too To laugh with only my teeth"

Who had learned to laugh only with teeth?

- A) The speaker of the poem
- B) Modern man
- C) Child
- D) God

99. Match the following :-

- a) Mirth, novice - 1. Overwhelming, unpleasant smell
- b) Insuperable, reek - 2. Bright, clear
- c) Lurid, lucid - 3. Laughter apprentice
- d) Coax, farce - 4. Focus banquet
- 5. Persuade, comedy

- a b c d
- A) 3 1 2 5
 - B) 2 4 1 3
 - C) 4 5 1 3
 - D) 2 4 3 1

100. Select the complex sentence:

- A) Arun attended the interview and got selected

- B) We could not guess what he actually wanted
- C) My uncle has gone to Mumbai to finalise a business proposal

- D) The pilgrims had to cancel the trip because of bad weather

Group 4 VAO General English Model Test 18 – Answer Key

Q	A	Q	A	Q	A	Q	A
1	A	26	C	51	B	76	C
2	D	27	C	52	C	77	A
3	C	28	A	53	A	78	B
4	D	29	C	54	D	79	C
5	B	30	B	55	C	80	C
6	B	31	C	56	C	81	D
7	C	32	D	57	A	82	C
8	D	33	C	58	C	83	A
9	A	34	A	59	C	84	B
10	D	35	A	60	A	85	A
11	B	36	D	61	D	86	A
12	D	37	B	62	A	87	C
13	D	38	C	63	A	88	D
14	C	39	A	64	D	89	B
15	D	40	A	65	D	90	C
16	B	41	D	66	D	91	B
17	B	42	A	67	C	92	B
18	A	43	B	68	B	93	D
19	D	44	A	69	D	94	D
20	A	45	B	70	C	95	D
21	D	46	D	71	C	96	B
22	C	47	B	72	D	97	D
23	D	48	D	73	C	98	A
24	A	49	C	74	C	99	A
25	A	50	A	75	A	100	B