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## Paper - II English

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| <p>01) In which play does the character Blanche DuBois appear?<br/> A) <i>Cat on a Hot Tin Roof</i><br/> B) <i>The Glass Menagerie</i><br/> C) <i>Long Day's Journey into Night</i><br/> D) <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i></p> <p>02) Which play by August Wilson is part of his ten-play cycle known as "The Pittsburgh Cycle"?<br/> A) <i>Fences</i><br/> B) <i>A Raisin in the Sun</i><br/> C) <i>Death of a Salesman</i><br/> D) <i>Long Day's Journey into Night</i></p> <p>03) Which play by Arthur Miller is based on the Salem witch trials?<br/> A) <i>The Crucible</i><br/> B) <i>A Doll's House</i><br/> C) <i>The Glass Menagerie</i><br/> D) <i>Cat on a Hot Tin Roof</i></p> <p>04) Which poetic form comes from the Greek <i>aeidein</i>, meaning to sing or chant and belongs to the tradition of lyric poetry?<br/> A) Sonnet<br/> B) Elegy<br/> C) Ballad<br/> D) Ode</p> <p>05) Which 19<sup>th</sup> century journalist and author coined the term "University Wits"?<br/> A) A C Swinburne<br/> B) Christina Rossetti<br/> C) T S Omond<br/> D) George Saintsbury</p> <p>06) Which poet wrote the famous line, "Do I dare disturb the universe?"<br/> A) T.S. Eliot<br/> B) Robert Frost<br/> C) W.B. Yeats<br/> D) Ezra Pound</p> <p>07) Which poem by Langston Hughes discusses the challenges faced by African Americans during the Harlem Renaissance?<br/> A) "Dream Deferred"<br/> B) "The Raven"<br/> C) "The Waste Land"<br/> D) "Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening"</p> | <p>08) Who wrote the nonsense verse "Jabberwocky" in 1871?<br/> A) George Orwell<br/> B) George Lucas<br/> C) Lewis Carroll<br/> D) George Eliot</p> <p>09) Who wrote the first Gothic novel?<br/> A) Mary Shelley<br/> B) P B Shelley<br/> C) Horace Walpole<br/> D) Jane Austen</p> <p>10) "It was a dark and stormy night" is a famous opening line from which Bulwer-Lytton novel?<br/> A) <i>The Last Days of Pompeii</i><br/> B) <i>Paul Clifford</i><br/> C) <i>Eugene Aram</i><br/> D) <i>Zanoni</i></p> <p>11) Which of the following best describes Kavita Kane's writing style?<br/> A) Flowery and descriptive<br/> B) Minimalistic and concise<br/> C) Satirical and humorous<br/> D) Philosophical and introspective</p> <p>12) Which of the following works is Hakluyt's most famous?<br/> A) "The Adventures of Captain John Smith"<br/> B) "Journey to the Centre of the Earth"<br/> C) "The Voyages and Discoveries"<br/> D) "Robinson Crusoe"</p> <p>13) John Knox played a significant role in the establishment of which Protestant denomination?<br/> A) Anglicanism<br/> B) Lutheranism<br/> C) Calvinism<br/> D) Presbyterianism</p> <p>14) The philosophical work "An Essay on Man" by Alexander Pope explores:<br/> A) Human nature and the relationship between humanity and the universe<br/> B) The political landscape of 18th-century England<br/> C) The nature of romantic love and relationships<br/> D) The impact of industrialization on society</p> |
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- 15) Hunt was known for his involvement in which literary magazine?  
 A) *The Spectator*  
 B) *The Tattler*  
 C) *The Examiner*  
 D) *The Times*
- 16) Who wrote "The Adventures of Ulysses"?  
 A) Charles Lamb  
 B) William Cowley  
 C) Samuel Johnson  
 D) Thomas De Quincey
- 17) Who compiled General Service List of English words in 1953?  
 A) Michael West  
 B) Michael Halliday  
 C) Larry Selinker  
 D) Larry West
- 18) A syllabus which keeps the learner engaged in the process of learning is all except:  
 A) Structural  
 B) Notional functional  
 C) Task based.  
 D) Learner-cantered
- 19) Charles Grant's support for English education in India was influenced by his belief that it would:  
 A) Preserve traditional Indian languages  
 B) Facilitate cultural assimilation  
 C) Promote religious tolerance  
 D) Strengthen the Indian independence movement
- 20) Grant's efforts to promote English education in India resulted in the inclusion of a provision in ...  
 A) Indian Education Act  
 B) Charter Act of 1813  
 C) Macaulay's Education Minutes  
 D) Grant's Act of 1835
- 21) What does CALL stand for ?  
 A) Computerized Advanced Language Learning  
 B) Computer Assisted Language Learning  
 C) Computer Advised Language Learning  
 D) Computer Associated Language Learning
- 22) Scanning and skimming are techniques of  
 A) Teaching grammar  
 B) Reading  
 C) Writing  
 D) Listening
- 23) Who wrote English as a Global Language?  
 A) H.G. Widdowson  
 B) Michael Wallace  
 C) David Crystal  
 D) Carter Ronald
- 24) Who wrote about the idyllic 'Isle of Innisfree'?  
 A) Dylan Thomas  
 B) Ezra Pound  
 C) W B Yeats  
 D) T S Eliot
- 25) Which among the following does not belong to Indo-European language family?  
 A) English  
 B) German  
 C) Scandinavian  
 D) French
- 26) What is an alternative name for the Direct Method in English Language Teaching ?  
 A) Grammar Translation Method  
 B) Natural Method  
 C) Situational Method  
 D) Audio Lingual Method
- 27) In his early essay "Myth Today" Roland Barthes argues that myth is really....  
 A) Factual history  
 B) A system of speech  
 C) First order signification  
 D) Singular system
- 28) Which of the following texts is not written by Michel Foucault?  
 A) *Discipline and Punish*  
 B) *The History of Self*  
 C) *The Birth of the Clinic*  
 D) *The Order of Things*
- 29) Louis Althusser's important essay "Ideology and Ideological State Apparatus" is found in his book titled as ...  
 A) *For Marx*  
 B) *Reading Capital*  
 C) *Lenin and Philosophy and Other Essays*  
 D) *Essays in Self-criticism*

- 30) Which of the following took place during 1455-1485 in Europe?  
 A) The French Revolution  
 B) The Wars of the Roses  
 C) The Norman Conquest  
 D) The Peasant's Revolt
- 31) Who is the author of *The Unsocial Socialist*?  
 A) T S Eliot  
 B) W B Yeats  
 C) G B Shaw  
 D) John Ruskin
- 32) Which approach focuses on connections to other literature, mythological/biblical allusions, archetypal images, symbols, characters, and themes?  
 A) Archetypal  
 B) Sociological  
 C) Biographical  
 D) Historical
- 33) What does the term 'Peripeteia' mean according to Aristotle?  
 A) The hero's recognition of his tragic flaw  
 B) The climax of a work  
 C) The shocking reversal of fortune  
 D) The denouement of a work
- 34) The idea of new ethnicities in post-war Britain was advanced by \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) Boris Eikhenbaum  
 B) Stuart Hall  
 C) Paul Gilroy  
 D) Akomfrah
- 35) Whose versification does Dryden disapprove of in his Preface to the Fables?  
 A) John Milton  
 B) Thomas Parnell  
 C) John Keats  
 D) Geoffrey Chaucer
- 36) Who was the first to coin the term 'intertextuality'?  
 A) Wolfgang Iser  
 B) Ferdinand de Saussure  
 C) Julia Kristeva  
 D) H. R. Hauss
- 37) Who among the following is an exponent of Reader Response theory?  
 A) Paul de Mann  
 B) Wolfgang Iser  
 C) Julia Kristeva  
 D) Aijaz Ahmad
- 38) Who coined the term "Semiological Guerrilla"?  
 A) Jacques Lacan  
 B) Jacques Derrida  
 C) Stuart Hall  
 D) Umberto Eco
- 39) What is the term used to describe the method of acquiring a second language by immersing learners in an environment where the language they want to learn or acquire is spoken?  
 A) Direct Method  
 B) Indirect Method  
 C) Michael West Method  
 D) Grammar Translation Method
- 40) What is Generative Grammar according to Noam Chomsky?  
 A) A linguistic theory to analyze general grammar.  
 B) A system of rules that assigns structural descriptions to sentences.  
 C) A label for the linguistic theory of sentence generation.  
 D) A well-defined way to analyze linguistic structures.
- 41) Who is the author of the book titled "The Natural Approach Language Acquisition in the Classroom"?  
 A) Jean Piaget  
 B) Stephen Krashen  
 C) B F Skinner  
 D) Noam Chomsky
- 42) Who amongst the following has written "Notes Towards the Definition of Culture" (1948)?  
 A) Roland Barthes  
 B) Michele Foucault  
 C) E.P. Thompson  
 D) T. S. Eliot

- 43) Which of the following figures is not associated with the Frankfurt School of Cultural Studies?
- Max Horkheimer
  - Theodor W. Adorno
  - Herbert Marcuse
  - Richard Hoggart
- 44) Which of the following dialogue appears in *Twelfth Night*?
- "To be, or not to be, that is the question."
  - "Some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them."
  - "What's in a name? A rose by any name would smell as sweet."
  - "Love all, trust a few, do wrong to none."
- 45) 'Velan' is a character that appears in which novel by R.K. Narayan?
- Swami and Friends*
  - The English Teacher*
  - Malgudi Days*
  - The Guide*
- 46) Who coined the term 'Poetic Justice'?
- Johh Wilmot
  - William Dampier
  - Samuel Butler
  - Thomas Rymer
- 47) Which of the following novels is not written by Elizabeth Gaskell?
- North and South*
  - Sylvia's Daughters*
  - Henrietta Temple*
  - Wives and Daughters*
- 48) Northrop Frye was the first critic to postulate a systematic theory of criticism. His understanding of criticism implied that,
- literature is based on mythology
  - literature can be analysed through the study of the history of taste
  - literature is not a piled aggregate of works, but an order of words
  - literature can be studied through a superimposed critical attitude
- 49) During the mirror stage, as described by Jacques Lacan, what happens?
- The child is unable to clearly separate I and Other
  - The child has its first anticipation of itself as a unified and separate individual
  - The child participates in "organic" or "natural" development
  - The child experiences its "body in bits and pieces,"
- 50) In Amitav Ghosh's novel *The Circle of Reason*, there is a significant reference to which work among the following:
- Tagore's play *Chitrangada*
  - Henry Derozio's poem "The Fakir of Janghira"
  - Aurobindo Ghosh's epic poem *Savitri*
  - Sarat Chandra Chatterjee's *Srikanta*
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