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**CURRENT AFFAIRS - III**  
**TEST - 21**

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1. Recently Indian Navy held PASSEX (Passage) Exercise 2020 with which country?

- a) Singapore
- b) USA
- c) Thailand
- d) Russia

2. World AIDS Day observed every year on which of the following dates?

- a) December 1st
- b) December 2nd
- c) November 30th
- d) November 29th

3. Consider the following statements regarding the River Brahmaputra.

- 1. It originates under the name of Siang or Dihang, from the Chemayungdung glacier of the Kailash range near the Mansarovar lake.
- 2. It enters India west of Sadiya town in Arunachal Pradesh.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

4. Consider the following statements regarding the Great Barrier Reef.

- 1. It is located in the Coral Sea, off the southern coast of Australia.
- 2. It can be seen from the outer space and is the world's biggest single structure made by living organisms.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only

- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

5. Ordinary fuel cannot be used in machinery that operates in space due to which of the following reasons:

- 1. Low temperatures encountered in space.
- 2. Absence of an environment that supports combustion.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 and 2

6. In December 2020, the first city in Uttar Pradesh and the 9th city in India to issue a municipal Bond is:

- a) Kanpur
- b) Noida
- c) Ghaziabad
- d) Lucknow

7. Who has been appointed as the first CEO of the WHO Foundation?

- a) Randeep Guleria
- b) Balram Bhargava
- c) Dr. Harsh Bhargava
- d) Anil Soni

8. Who has been awarded with the 2020 Ramanujan Prize for Young Mathematicians?

- a) Ritabrata Munshi
- b) Carolina Araujo
- c) Miguel Walsh
- d) Marcelo Viana

9. Who has been named as the TIME 2020 "Person of the Year"?

- a) Boris Johnson
- b) Jacinda Ardern
- c) Donald Trump
- d) Joe Biden and Kamala Harris

10. Name the two cities of Madhya Pradesh which have been inducted in the UNESCO's World Heritage Cities list?

- a) Ujjain and Gwalior
- b) Orchha and Indore
- c) Gwalior and Orchha
- d) Sanchi and Ujjain

11. Which of the following statements is/are correct with respect to PM-WANI scheme:

1. Under the scheme Wi-Fi will be provided through public data offices (PDOs) for which there will be no license, registration or any other fees
2. The scheme will further impose Ease of Doing Business and Ease of living

Codes:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

12. Who is the winner of the 2020 Global Teacher Prize?

- a) Ranjitsinh Disale
- b) Vineeta Garg
- c) Shuvajit Payne
- d) Waroop Rawal

13. Consider the following statements with respect to PM-SVANidhi:

1. It is a special micro-credit facility scheme launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs.

2. IT aims to provide affordable loans to street vendors to resume their work and earn livelihoods.

Which of the statement (s) given above is/are INCORRECT?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

14. Recently, PM Modi laid the foundation stone of the New Parliament Building. Consider the following statements regarding this:

1. It is a part of the Rs. 20,000 crore Central Vista Project.
2. The parliament building will be ready in 2025.

Which of the following is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

15. What is the rank of India in Human Development Index 2020?

- a) 84th
- b) 115th
- c) 131st
- d) 63rd

16. What is the rank of India in Human Freedom Index 2020?

- a) 95th
- b) 122nd
- c) 111th
- d) 77th

17. Recently, which edition of IND-INDO CORPAT naval exercise was held between the Indian Navy and Indonesian Navy?

- a) 30th
- b) 25th
- c) 20th
- d) 35th

18. Consider the following statements regarding India's recently launched satellite CMS-01:

1. It will have a frequency spectrum that will cover Andaman and Nicobar and Lakshadweep Islands only.
2. It is launched in geosynchronous orbit.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

19. Consider the following statements regarding the 2020 State of The Education Report for India:

1. The report has been launched by the Ministry of Education.
2. The second edition of the State of Education Report focuses on technical and vocational education and Training (TVET)

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

20. Recently, the first Trilateral Working Group (TWG) Meeting on the joint use of Chabahar Port was held between India, Iran and Which of the following countries?

- a) Uzbekistan
- b) Afghanistan

- c) Kazakhstan
- d) Turkmenistan

21. Which organisation releases the Human Development Report (HDR) and Index?

- a) UNDP
- b) World Bank
- c) IMF
- d) Transparency International

22. Consider the following statements regarding the S-400 air defence system:

1. The S-400 Triumf is a mobile, surface-to-air missile system (SAM)
2. It has been developed by China.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

23. Mucormycosis is a Covid -19 triggered infection caused by?

- a) Virus
- b) Bacteria
- c) Fungus
- d) Protozoa

24. Geminids meteor shower was in the news recently. Consider the following statements regarding it:

1. The Geminids meteor showers are unique because their origin does not lie in a comet, but what is believed to be an asteroid or an extinct comet.
2. The Geminids emerge from 3200 Phaethon, which meteor scientists consider to be an asteroid.

Which of the above is/are true?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 and 2

25. Where is the Headquarters of Asia Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU)?

- a) India
- b) Malaysia
- c) Singapore
- d) Philippines

26. Which country will host the FIBA Asia Cup 2021?

- a) Thailand
- b) Indonesia
- c) Oman
- d) Japan

27. Which bank has launched a contactless 'RuPay Select' debit card in association with the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)?

- a) Central Bank of India
- b) Bank of Baroda
- c) Canara Bank
- d) Punjab National Bank

28. Who has won the BBC Sports Personality of the Year 2020?

- a) Stuart Broad
- b) Tyson Fury
- c) Tobias Weller
- d) Lewis Hamilton

29. What is the name of the world's oldest giant panda in captivity who passed away recently?

- a) Hodori
- b) Fuwa
- c) Xinxing
- d) Amik

30. India has successfully test-fired a MRSAM missile from Odisha coast. MRSAM is a:

- a) Surface-to-surface supersonic cruise missile
- b) Air-to-air subsonic cruise missile
- c) Sea-to-sea ballistic missile
- d) Surface-to-air missile

31. Who is the author of the book 'Ayodhya'?

- a) Madhav Bhandari
- b) Arun Singh
- c) Kuldeep Sharma
- d) Anugrah Prajapati

32. Which company is going to develop the world's largest zoo in Jamnagar, Gujarat?

- a) Wipro
- b) Microsoft
- c) Reliance
- d) Infosys

33. What is the theme of the National Consumer Rights Day 2020?

- a) Consumer Protection
- b) The Sustainable Consumer
- c) Digital World Consumers
- d) Safeguarding Rights of a Consumer

34. India has come up with a unique initiative a "Firefly bird diverter" to save which bird?

- a) Indian Vulture
- b) Forest Owlet
- c) Lesser Florican
- d) Suresh Prabhu

35. FIFA Under-17 World Cup 2021 has been postponed to year 2023. Which country will host it?

- a) Chile

- b) Thailand
- c) Peru
- d) France

36. India's first Lithium refinery will be set up in which of the following states?

- a) Maharashtra
- b) Tamil Nadu
- c) Bihar
- d) Gujarat

37. India's biggest hockey stadium will be built in which state?

- a) Kerala
- b) Odisha
- c) Uttarakhand
- d) Tamil Nadu

38. Good governance Day is observed annually on December 25. When was the first time it celebrated?

- a) 2015
- b) 2014
- c) 2017
- d) 2016

39. When was Gita Jayanti 2020 observed in India?

- a) 23 December
- b) 27 December
- c) 25 December
- d) 24 December

40. First indigenous vaccine of India against Pneumonia has been developed by which Pharma company?

- a) Bharat Biotech
- b) Serum Institute of India
- c) Zydus Cadila
- d) Panacea Biotec

41. Prime Minister Modi Inaugurated India's first Driverless Train Operations at

which metro?

- a) Bengaluru Metro
- b) Chennai Metro
- c) Gurugram Metro
- d) Delhi Metro

42. Who has been named as the captain of the ICCODI Team of the Decade?

- a) David Warner
- b) Virat Kohli
- c) Mahendra Singh Dhoni
- d) Alastair Cook

43. What is the name of the solid propulsion rocket engine which was successfully test-fired by the Skyroot Aerospace?

- a) Kalam-5
- b) Bhabha-1
- c) Arya-3
- d) Aditya-5

44. Which country has decided to set up a nuclear reactor on the surface of the moon by 2026?

- a) China
- b) Australia
- c) Russia
- d) United States

45. Which country has launched a new remote sensing satellite Yaogan-33?

- a) South Korea
- b) China
- c) Israel
- d) Japan

46. Tesla Motors will enter Indian Market in 2021. Who is the CEO of Tesla Motors?

- a) Jim Farley
- b) Ralf Brandstaetter
- c) Elon Musk

- d) Drew Baglino
47. Which country has recently joined the 'Five Eyes' intelligence-sharing alliance?
- Japan
  - Russia
  - France
  - Sweden
48. The India Meteorological Department (IMD) has Launched the country's highest Meteorological Centre at which place?
- Srinagar
  - Leh
  - Shimla
  - Manali
49. Which bank has collaborated with Google Pay for easy issuance of FASTag through UPI?
- Axis Bank
  - HDFC Bank
  - Yes Bank
  - ICICI Bank
50. The first phase of the Malabar Naval exercise including Australia along with Japan and the U.S will be held in which city?
- Kochi
  - Bhubaneswar
  - Vishakhapatnam
  - Kovalam
51. World's first scientoon book entitled "Bye Bye Corona" has been written by whom?
- Reshu Singh
  - Manjula Padmanabhan
  - Kaveri Goppalakrishnan
  - Pradeep Srivastava
52. Typhoon Goni his which country recently?
- Vietnam
  - Philippines
  - Taiwan
  - Malaysia
53. Which Tiger Reserve of India will have women nature guides for the first time in its history?
- Corbett Tiger Reserve
  - Kanha Tiger Reserve
  - Dudhwa Tiger Reserve
  - Orang Tiger Reserve
54. India's largest double Decker flyover is being Built in which city of Bihar?
- Patna
  - Gaya
  - Madhubani
  - Chapra
55. India's first 'Tyre park' will be set up in which of the following states?
- Himachal Pradesh
  - Assam
  - Bihar
  - West Bengal
56. Who has become New Zealand's first-ever Indian-origin minister?
- Parmjeet Parmar
  - Priyanca Radhakrishnan
  - Kanwaljit Singh Bakshi
  - Lisa Singh
57. India's first solar-powered Miniature Train was launched in which state?
- Kerala
  - Karnataka
  - Odisha
  - Andhra Pradesh

58. Which Indian Naval Ship (INS) has reached Sudan on November 2 with 100 tonnes of food aid as a part of Mission Sagar-II?

- a) INS Shardul
- b) INS Cheetah
- c) INS Airavat
- d) INS Kamorta

59. Which social media platform has introduced the ArtHouse Feature in India to assist brands in creating and optimizing content?

- a) Facebook
- b) Google
- c) Twitter
- d) LinkedIn

60. A second batch of three Rafale Fighter jets arrived at which airbase of India?

- a) Ambala
- b) Jamnagar
- c) Faridabad
- d) Darbhanga

61. Which Gulf nation will have its first national in October 2021?

- a) Saudi Arabia
- b) Kuwait
- c) Qatar
- d) Bahrain

62. CARAT Bangladesh 2020, is a joint naval exercise, between Bangladesh and which country?

- a) United States
- b) Russia
- c) India
- d) China

63. According to CARE Ratings, which Indian state topped in attracting investments during the first half of FY21?

- a) Andhra Pradesh
- b) Tamil Nadu
- c) Kerala
- d) Karnataka

64. Which payment platform has partnered with credit card company SBI Card to launch cobranded credit cards?

- a) Paytm
- b) Phone Pe
- c) Google pay
- d) BHIM

65. Which IIT institution has developed a biosensor to detect harmful detergent pollutants?

- a) IIT Hyderabad
- b) IIT Delhi
- c) IIT Bombay
- d) IIT Roorkee

66. Which Indian Superhero has become the Brand Ambassador for Namami Gange Project?

- a) Shaktimaan
- b) Bhokal
- c) Billoo
- d) Chacha Chaudhary

67. Bhagyanagar, which was seen in the news in the news recently, could be the new name of which city?

- a) Bengaluru
- b) Chennai
- c) Lucknow
- d) Hyderabad

68. The Hyyabusa-2 spacecraft, which is expected to reach southern Australia on December 6, is bringing the soil samples of which asteroid?

- a) Ryugu
- b) Bennu

- c) Juno
- d) Davida

69. In which state Suryadhar lake was recently inaugurated?

- a) Himachal Pradesh
- b) Uttarakhand
- c) Assam
- d) Tripura

70. Hornbill Festival is also called as:

- a) Festival of Horns
- b) Festival of Mizo
- c) Festival of Festivals
- d) Festival of Happiness

71. Which state has aimed to completely eliminate AIDS by 2030?

- a) Bihar
- b) Madhya Pradesh
- c) Maharashtra
- d) Karnataka

72. Delhi Chalo is the name of the protest started by which community of India?

- a) Weavers
- b) Farmers
- c) Lawyers
- d) All of the above

73. Which has become the first country to approve sale of lab-created meat?

- a) Thailand
- b) Indonesia
- c) Singapore
- d) New Zealand

74. What is the chemical formula of Methyl isocyanate, the gas which was responsible for Bhopal Gas Tragedy?

- a)  $\text{NaHCO}_3$
- b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{NCO}$

- c)  $\text{CuSO}_4$
- d)  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$

75. Who has the first female referee a men's UEFA Champions League match?

- a) Stephanie Frappart
- b) Megan Rapinoe
- c) Abby Wambach
- d) Wendie Renard

76. Who has been appointed as "Fit India" Movement ambassador?

- a) Yogesh Malviya
- b) Kuldeep Handoo
- c) Jaspal Rana
- d) Gaurav Khanna

77. The World's loneliest elephant' Kaavan has been shifted from Pakistan to which country?

- a) Laos
- b) Thailand
- c) Cambodia
- d) Vietnam

78. Which has become the second country in the world to unfurl its national flag on the moon surface?

- a) Russia
- b) Japan
- c) Israel
- d) China

79. Mizoram's first solar power plant has been commissioned at which place?

- a) Phura
- b) Lengpui
- c) Tlungvel
- d) Seling

80. Who has become the first Indian to win a Formula 2 race at Sakhir?

- a) Arjun Maini  
b) Jehan Daruvala  
c) Mahaveer Raghunathan  
d) Narain Karthikeyan
81. Who has become the first person in the world to receive the Pfizer Covid-19 vaccine outside of a trial?
- a) Margaret Keenan  
b) Amelia Halfon  
c) Lily Lawrence  
d) Sheila Faith
82. Which Dance Sport will make its Olympics debut at Paris 2024?
- a) Paso Doble  
b) Rhumba  
c) Break dancing  
d) Quickstep
83. Kanhargaon sanctuary has been declared the 50th Wildlife Sanctuary of which state?
- a) Madhya Pradesh  
b) Gujarat  
c) Maharashtra  
d) Karnataka
84. Madhukar Gangadhar, who passed away recently, was the writer of which language?
- a) Hindi  
b) English  
c) Marathi  
d) Gujarati
85. Who has become the first transgender woman to play football in Argentina?
- a) Lucy Bronze  
b) Mara Gomez  
c) Samantha Kerr  
d) Hope Solo
86. Who has become the first non-Indian to win the Ramanujan Prize for Young Mathematicians 2020?
- a) Andrew Wiles  
b) Carolina Araujo  
c) David Hilbert  
d) Alan Turing
87. 2023, FIH Men's Hockey World Cup will be hosted in which state?
- a) Maharashtra  
b) Odisha  
c) Andhra Pradesh  
d) Karnataka
88. Dajipur Sanctuary, which is in news recently, is located in which state?
- a) Gujarat  
b) Maharashtra  
c) Tamil Nadu  
d) Madhya Pradesh
89. A rare genus of malaria, Plasmodium Ovale, has been detected in which state recently?
- a) Karnataka  
b) Kerala  
c) Odisha  
d) Andhra Pradesh
90. When is Vijay Diwas observed in India every year?
- a) 15 December  
b) 16 December  
c) 14 December  
d) 17 December
91. Who has been elected as the Vice President of Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union?
- a) Siddarth Varadarajan  
b) Shashi Shekhar Vempati

- c) George Varghese  
d) Vineet Kumar Jain
92. Which has become the first zoological Park in India to get ISO certification?
- a) Indira Gandhi Zoological Park  
b) Nehru Zoological Park  
c) National Zoological Park  
d) Kanpur Zoological Park
93. The first Glass Bridge of Bihar has been constructed in which city?
- a) Gaya  
b) Munger  
c) Patna  
d) Rajgir
94. Asian Games 2030 will be hosted in which of the following cities?
- a) Doha  
b) Dubai  
c) Riyadh  
d) Manama
95. What is the theme of the International Migrants Day 2020?
- a) Reimagining Human Mobility  
b) Migration with Dignity  
c) Safe Migration  
d) Migration in this Pandemic
96. What is the rank of India in Human Freedom Index 2020?
- a) 98th
- b) 11th  
c) 79th  
d) 134th
97. Which Country will host a Global Film Summit in 2021?
- a) Brazil  
b) Mexico  
c) India  
d) UAE
98. Interceptor boat C-454, Which was commissioned in Surat, is built by which company?
- a) GRSE  
b) Larsen and Toubro  
c) Goa Shipyard Limited  
d) Bharat Dynamics
99. Which country has become the 23rd member of The Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA)?
- a) Italy  
b) Brazil  
c) Japan  
d) France
100. Project Loon, which was seen in news recently, is a subsidiary of which of the following company?
- a) Space X  
b) Google  
c) Apple  
d) Microsoft

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