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[Total Marks : 70

1 Complete the following sentences by choosing right answer given below : **20**

(1) From the center, which we call the human race, _____.

- (A) let the plan of love and light work out
- (B) let goodwill and will to good descend on earth
- (C) let light, love and power manifest the plan on earth
- (D) none of above

(2) From the center where the will of _____.

- (A) God Brahma is known
- (B) God Vishnu is known
- (C) God Shiva is known
- (D) Holy Masters are known

(3) _____ of the following is not a part of the poem 'The Great Invocation'.

- (A) Let light descend on earth
- (B) Let goodwill and will to good descend on earth
- (C) Let the plan of love and light work out
- (D) none of above

(4) 'The Great Invocation', the mantra, was originally given by _____.

- (A) Master Choa Kok Sui
- (B) Alice Bailey
- (C) Master Djwhal Khul
- (D) none of above

- (5) World Press Freedom Day is observed to inform the public of _____.
- (A) violations of the right to freedom of expression
 (B) violations of the right to freedom of religion
 (C) violations of the right to freedom of language
 (D) violations of the right to freedom of earning
- (6) Declaration of Windhoek was adopted at a seminar organized by _____.
- (A) USA and UNESCO (B) US and UNESCO
 (C) UAE and UNESCO (D) UN and UNESCO
- (7) A free press is one of the most essential components of a / an _____.
- (A) aristocratic society (B) burocratic society
 (C) democratic society (D) autocratic society
- (8) _____ means that those who receive and disseminate information have an edge over those who curtail it.
- (A) Global intemperance (B) Global interdependence
 (C) Global dependence (D) Global appearance
- (9) How can development happen without _____ ?
- (A) fresh air and clear water, healthy roots and peaceful minds
 (B) fresh water and clean air, healthy roots and peaceful minds
 (C) fresh air and clean water, healthy minds and peaceful roots
 (D) fresh air and clean water, healthy roots and peaceful minds
- (10) Every year we have to spend money to buy _____.
- (A) seeds, fertilizers and sprays
 (B) books, school-bag and uniform
 (C) grains, pulses, and oil
 (D) clothes, shoes and accessories
- (11) As mentioned, in 'On Development', _____ is the cause, of unhappiness.
- (A) hunger (B) sadness
 (C) greed (D) wealth
- (12) Law and order have to be obeyed, but isn't it equally important to oppose _____ that come along with it ?
- (A) the violence and suicide
 (B) the violence and genocide
 (C) the silence and genocide
 (D) the silence and suicide

- (13) 'Time Management' throws light on _____.
- (A) prioritizing (B) delegating
(C) planning (D) all of above
- (14) As mentioned in the article 'Time Management', a football match seems to _____.
- (A) get over too soon (B) last too short
(C) last forever (D) get over too long
- (15) As a component, time management guarantees _____.
- (A) a more efficient life-style
(B) a less stressful life-style
(C) both (A) and (B)
(D) none of the above
- (16) Our time is, being divided both in _____.
- (A) our personal as well as in our social lives
(B) our personal as well as in our economical lives
(C) our personal as well as in our professional lives
(D) our personal as well as in our familial lives
- (17) The distance of Kalaghat from Laldwani was about _____.
- (A) fifty kilometers (B) fifteen kilometers
(C) fifty miles (D) fifteen miles
- (18) The story 'My Brother, My Brother' is set at _____.
- (A) Indian forest (B) Amazon forest
(C) African forest (D) American forest
- (19) Sher Singh lived at the village named _____.
- (A) Haldwani (B) Kalaghat
(C) Laldwani (D) Sonaghat
- (20) 'The Great Indian Novel' is written by _____.
- (A) Shashi Tharoor (B) G. N. Devy
(C) Master Choa Kok Sui (D) Norah Burke

2 Answer any **two** questions in brief :

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(five to seven sentences)

- (1) What do you understand by the term 'global interdependence' ?
- (2) List two aids that can be used to help plan your day.
- (3) How does self-reliance lead to development ?
- (4) Narrate the jungle described in 'My Brother, My Brother' in brief.

- 3 Write any **two** questions in detail : 15
(eight to twelve sentences)
- (1) Explain the central idea of 'The Great Invocation'.
 - (2) What is 'the digital divide' ? What are the possibilities offered by new digital technology ?
 - (3) What is Devy's view on 'backwardness' ?
 - (4) Why is the name 'Bahadur' important to this story ? Would you have re-titled the story if given a chance, and to what ?

- 4 As an official of a Broadband Services providing company, 10
draft a Press Release informing the recent development of the company.

OR

- 4 As a student secretary, draft a Press Release on a 10
Celebrity visit to your institution.

- 5 (a) Translate the following paragraph into Gujarati : 8
Remember that if you are always thinking of small things and if you are involved in small quarrels and are always getting excited about the little things of life, then you will always remain small. But if you think of the big things of life and if you face the challenge of the life with vigour and courage, then you will also grow big.

- (b) Translate the following paragraph into English : 7
સાંસ્કૃતિક વિકાસ પર ટેલીવિઝનની નકારાત્મક અસર છે એવી દલીલ કરવા માટે કેટલાંક કારણો મોજુદ છે. કદાચ પ્રમુખ કારણ તો એ કે ટેલીવિઝન પર દર્શાવાતા અસંસ્કારી કાર્યક્રમો અને તેમાંય ખાસ તો હાસ્યના કાર્યક્રમો તેમજ ધારાવાહિકો. જે લોકો આ કાર્યક્રમ જુએ છે તેઓ કશું યે શીખતા નથી, માત્ર તેઓનું મનોરંજન થાય છે. બીજી મુખ્ય દલીલ એ કે લોકો એટલી વધારે માત્રામાં ટેલીવિઝન જૂએ છે કે તેઓ સાંસ્કૃતિક મનોરંજનના પરંપરાગત કાર્યક્રમોમાં ભાગ લેતા લગભગ બંધ જ થઈ ગયા છે. ઉદાહરણ તરીકે લોકો ટેલીવિઝન જોવા ઘરમાં ભરાઈ રહેતાં હોવાથી પારંપરિક નૃત્યો તેમજ સંગીત ઓછું ને ઓછું લોકપ્રિય થતું જાય છે.