

Question Booklet Series: **A**

Question Booklet Serial No.: **100325**

## **PUTHAT – 2019**

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O.M.R. Answer Sheet Serial No.

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Signature of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Time: 90 Minutes**

**Number of Questions: 100**

**Maximum Marks: 100**

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### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Write your Roll No. on the Questions Booklet and also on the OMR Answer Sheet in the space provided and nowhere else.
2. Enter the Question Booklet Serial No. on the OMR Answer Sheet. Darken the corresponding bubbles with **Black Ball Point/Black Gel Pen**.
3. Do not make any identification mark on the Answer Sheet or Question Booklet.
4. The medium of examination shall be **English** only.
5. Please check that this Question Booklet contains **100** Questions. In case of any discrepancy, inform the Assistant Superintendent within 10 minutes of the start of Test.
6. Each question has four alternative answer (A,B,C,D) of which only one is correct. For each question, darken only one bubble (A or B or C or D), whichever you think is the correct answer, on the Answer Sheet with **Black Ball Point/Black Gel Pen**.
7. If you do not want to answer a question, leave all the bubbles corresponding to that question blank in the Answer Booklet. No marks will be deducted in such cases.
8. Darken the bubbles in the OMR Answer Sheet according to the Serial No. of the question given in the Question Booklet.
9. **Negative marking will be adopted for evaluation i.e. 1/4<sup>th</sup> of the marks of the question will be deducted for each wrong answer. A wrong answer means incorrect answer or wrong filling of bubble.**
10. For calculations, use of simple log tables is permitted. Borrowing of log tables and any other material is not allowed.
11. For rough work only the blank sheet at the end of the Question Booklet be used.
12. The Answer Sheet is designed for computer evaluation. Therefore, if you do not follow the instructions given on the Answer Sheet, it may make evaluation by the computer difficult. **Any resultant loss to the candidate on the above account, i.e. not following the instructions completely, shall be of the candidate only.**
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15. **30 minutes** extra should be given to the visually handicapped/Person with Disability (PwD) for each paper.
16. A candidate who creates disturbance of any kind or changes his/her seat or is found in possession of any paper possibly of any assistant or found giving or receiving assistant or found using any other unfair means during the examination will be expelled from the examination by the Centre Superintendent/Observer whose decision shall be final.
17. **Tele-communication equipment such as Cellular phones, pager, wireless, scanner, camera or any electronic/digital gadget etc., is not permitted inside the examination hall. Use of calculators is not allowed.**

Read the passages and answer the questions (1-8) that follow:

The hippopotamus is the third largest land animal, smaller only than the elephant and the rhinoceros. Its name comes from two Greek words, which mean "river horse." The long name of this animal is often shortened to the easier to handle term "hippo." The hippo has a natural affinity for water. It does not float on top of the water; instead, it can easily walk along the bottom of a body of water. The hippo commonly remains underwater for three to five minutes and has been known to stay under for up to half an hour before coming up for air.

In spite of its name, the hippo has relatively little in common with the horse and instead has a number of interesting similarities in common with the whale. When a hippo comes up after a stay at the bottom of a lake or river, it releases air through a blowhole, just like a whale. In addition, the hippo resembles the whale in that they both have thick layers of blubber for protection and they are almost completely hairless.

- How many animals are bigger than the hippopotamus?  
A) 2                      B) 3                      C) 1                      D) 0
- Another word for 'affinity' is  
A) Hatred                B) Liking                C) Relationship        D) Enmity
- The whale releases water through a  
A) Nostril                B) Ear                    C) Blowhole            D) Gill
- The hippo can stay under the water continuously for  
A) 10 minutes          B) 20 minutes          C) 30 minutes          D) 15 minutes

Why do we lose temper? If man could answer this question, half the troubles in the world would be over. There would be no wars, no riots, no 'honor killings', no lynching, fewer court cases and very little hypertension all around. Does not it already sound like a better world?

The next time you get angry, once the sickness is over, sit down and introspect. I call it a 'sickness' because this is exactly what it is. Take your pulse rate immediately after the temper tantrum. Observe your breathing. Check the amount of perspiration on your brow. Think of the language you used. Look at your face in the mirror. Think back to how the other people around you reacted to your outburst.

It is not bad to feel anger. Gandhi felt anger and outrage, became a messiah of freedom. Mandela felt angry and fought for equality. Guru Gobind Singh channelized his anger and created a brave warrior race. Feeling angry is responsible for creating many good things in this world. Fleming hunted for penicillin when he got angry at sickness. The point at issue is the expression of anger. Why waste your energies on futile outbursts? If you really, really feel outraged at something, do something concrete so that the outrage does not take place again. But, abusing your colleague or beating up a neighbor is self-defeating.

Above all, the moment you 'lose it' because of someone, you pay those people the supreme compliment that you are happy to waste time, energy, health and mental space on them! Anger belongs to the family of all negative emotions like hatred, jealousy, anxiety, worry and suspicion; these emotions make sure that no positive element lives on in yourself.

- If men knew why they lose temper  
A) There would be no trouble in the world  
B) Troubles would end  
C) Troubles in the world would be halved  
D) Troubles in the world would be erased

6. A messiah is  
 A) A commander      B) A guru      C) A savior      D) A peace maker
7. Anger is self-defeating when you  
 A) Don't beat up your neighbor      B) Burst out in song  
 C) Don't lose control      D) Don't channelize it positively
8. 'Lose it' in the passage means  
 A) Losing a book      B) Misplacing something  
 C) Getting stressed      D) Acting in anger
9. I believe in looking on the ----- side.  
 A) Happy      B) Fair      C) Bright      D) Joyous
10. Please don't take his criticism ---- heart.  
 A) At      B) To      C) With      D) In
11. This is a huge job, are you sure you haven't -----off more than you can-----?  
 A) Taken, manage      B) Bitten, chew      C) Put, take      D) Swallowed, eat
12. We must get to the ----- of this mystery.  
 A) Answer      B) Key      C) Solution      D) Bottom
13. Play your cards-----and all will be fine.  
 A) Well      B) Expertly      C) Right      D) Carefully
14. At school I used to -----  
 A) Lack in confidence      B) Lack confidence  
 C) Lack under confidence      D) Lack after confidence
15. It was dark inside so I-----a match.  
 A) Lit      B) Lighted      C) Burnt      D) Lighted up
16. Rescue teams are still-----survivors.  
 A) Searching      B) Searching for  
 C) Searching about      D) Searching in
17. Are you still unhappy? I-----.  
 A) Don't hope so      B) Hope not      C) Hope so      D) Do hope
18. My troubles were coming to ---- end.  
 A) An      B) The      C) That      D) A
19. I promise I ---- perform better next time.  
 A) Can      B) Would      C) May      D) Will
20. We have been living here----- two years.  
 A) Since      B) About      C) For      D) Now

21. Jimmy has three-----  
A) Brothers in law                      B) Brothers in laws  
C) Brother in laws                      D) Brother in law
22. The family has been away-----four in the morning.  
A) For                      B) At                      C) Since                      D) Almost
23. Rita writes in her ----- everyday.  
A) Diary                      B) Dairy                      C) Deary                      D) Deeri
24. If we can't find her, she must----- somewhere.  
A) Hide                      B) Be hiding                      C) Hides                      D) Be hides
25. My thoughts can ----- my mood.  
A) Affect                      B) Effect                      C) Effecting                      D) Affecting
26. We always----- our meals in the canteen.  
A) Eat                      B) Take                      C) Have                      D) Finish
27. Vermin----- our property and carry disease.  
A) Destroys                      B) Destroying                      C) Have destroys                      D) Destroy
28. Whose cattle-----?  
A) Is this                      B) Are this                      C) Are owns                      D) Are these
29. It was ----- than I thought.  
A) Easy                      B) Easiest                      C) More easy                      D) Easier
30. The verb form of apology is  
A) Apologies                      B) Apologetic                      C) Apologize                      D) Apologe
31. According to Moody's Indian economy is expected to grow at \_\_\_\_\_ percent in 2019-2020  
A) 7.3                      B) 7.0                      C) 6.4                      D) 7.6
32. India has boosted the customs duty on all the goods imported from Pakistan to how much percent?  
A) 180%                      B) 150%                      C) 200 %                      D) 160%
33. Present Governor of RBI is  
A) Urjit Patel                      B) Raghuram Rajan                      C) C Rangaraja                      D) Shaktikanta Das
34. Arjuna Award is given to which of the following field?  
A) Literature                      B) Education                      C) Music                      D) Sports
35. CPI and WPI as acronyms, refer to--  
A) Political Parties                      B) Purchasing capacity indices  
C) Price indices                      D) Poverty indices

36. The Olympic Flame was for the first time ceremonially lighted and burnt in a given torch at the entrance of the stadium at:  
 A) London games      B) Paris games      C) Amsterdam games      D) Athens games
37. What is the tagline for "BMW"?  
 A) The New Sign of Success.      B) The Ultimate Driving Machine  
 C) Better sound through research.      D) Powered by Intellect, Driven by Values
38. "Jakarta" is the capital of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) Zimbabwe      B) Indonesia      C) San Marino      D) Oman
39. "Spanish" is the official language of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) Mexico      B) Comoros      C) Armenia      D) Vatican City
40. Gangtok is capital of:  
 A) Tripura      B) Manipur      C) Nagaland      D) Sikkim
41. Long Walk To Freedom' is the autobiography of the following Bharat Ratna recipient  
 A) Jawaharlal Nehru      B) Radhakrishnan  
 C) Nelson Mandela      D) Rajgopalachari
42. The first export processing zone of Asia was set up in 1965 in  
 A) Al Hilali      B) Kandla      C) Noida      D) Singapore
43. Following country is not a member of SAARC  
 A) Afghanistan      B) China      C) Bhutan      D) Maldives
44. The English East India Company was established in  
 A) 1600 A.D      B) 1650 A.D      C) 1700 A.D      D) 1673 A.D
45. The largest and deepest ocean is the  
 A) Atlantic Ocean      B) Arctic Ocean      C) Pacific Ocean      D) Indian Ocean
46. Who was/were the Nobel peace prize winners for 2018  
 A) Barack Obama  
 B) Kailash Satyarthi and Malala Yousafzai  
 C) Denis Mukwege, Naida Murad  
 D) Liu Xiabo
47. From which of the following space stations was Mangalyaan launched?  
 A) Balasore      B) Thumba      C) Mahendragiri      D) Sriharikota
48. What is Article 35 (A) of Indian Constitution?  
 A) An article empowering Jammu and Kashmir state's legislature to define permanent residents  
 B) An article empowering Arunachal Pradesh state's legislature to define permanent residents  
 C) An article providing autonomous status to Jammu and Kashmir  
 D) An article providing autonomous status to Arunachal Pradesh

49. Which of the following is not a chief organ of the United Nations Organisations?  
 A) International Labour Organisation      B) Security Council  
 C) International Court of Justice      D) General Assembly
50. The Union Government has launched RUSA portal to act as a one-stop for States' Higher Education Plans. What does 'RUSA' stands for?  
 A) Rashtriya Uchcharat Shiksha Abhiyan      B) Rashtriya Uttam Shiksha Abhiyan  
 C) Rashtriya Unmukht Shiksha Abhiyan      D) Rashtriya Unnatsheel Shiksha Abhiyan
51. Select the lettered pair that has the same relationship as the original pair of words:  
 Cube : Cuboid  
 A) Oval : Sphere      B) Square : Cube      C) Triangle : Cone      D) Sphere : Ellipsoid
52. Which of the following is same as 'Norway', 'Spain', 'Poland'?  
 A) Kenya      B) Croatia      C) Tokyo      D) Rome
53. 'Mirror' is related to 'reflection' in the same way as 'water' is related to  
 A) Dispersion      B) Conduction      C) Reflection      D) Immersion
54. If 'tee see pee' means 'drink fruit juice', 'see kee tee' means 'juice is sweet' and 'lee ree mee' means 'He is intelligent'. Which word is that language means 'sweet'?  
 A) see      B) kee      C) lee      D) pee
55. P is the mother of K; K is the sister of D; D is the father of J. How is P related to J?  
 A) Mother      B) Grandfather      C) Aunt      D) Grandmother
56. There are six persons P, Q, R, S, T and U. R is the sister of U, Q is the brother of T's husband, S is the father of P and grandfather of U. There are two fathers, three brothers and a mother in the group. How many male members are there in the group?  
 A) One      B) Two      C) Three      D) Four
57. If 'PAINT' is coded as 74128 and 'Excel' is coded as 93596, then how would you decode 'Accept'?  
 A) 455978      B) 547978      C) 554978      D) 735961
58. Select the correct alternative which matches the group:  
 123456787654321, 1234321, 123454321  
 A) 1234554321      B) 1234566654321      C) 12344321      D) 12345678987654321
59. Find suitable option for blank cell:  

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 A) 28      B) 32      C) 34      D) 36
60. In a class of 35 students, Kunal is placed seventh from the bottom where as Sonali is placed ninth from the top. Pulkit is placed exactly in between the two. What is Kunal's position from Pulkit?  
 A) 9      B) 10      C) 11      D) 13

61. R earns more than H but not as much as T, M earns more than R, who earns least among them?  
 A) H                                      B) R                                      C) T                                      D) M
62. Suffrage means:  
 A) The freedom of speech                                      B) The right to education  
 C) The right to vote    D) Freedom from suffering
63. The northern terminal of the National Highway Number 7 is  
 A) Jammu                                      B) Varanasi                                      C) Jaipur                                      D) Delhi
64. The direction of heat flow between two bodies depends on their  
 A) Masses                                      B) Specific heats                                      C) Temperature                                      D) Sizes
65. One morning after sun rise, Gopal was standing facing a pole. The shadow of the pole fell exactly to the right. Which direction was he facing?  
 A) South                                      B) North                                      C) East                                      D) West
66. Where is the largest solar plant of India located?  
 A) Odisha                                      B) Gujrat                                      C) Rajasthan                                      D) Maharashtra
67. Who is known as the father of Green Revolution in India?  
 A) Verghese Kurien    B) Babu Jagjivan Ram  
 C) M. S. Swaminathan    D) M. S. Subhramanyan
68. In Hindu mythology, the God of rain is  
 A) Lord Brahma                                      B) Lord Indra                                      C) Lord Visnu                                      D) Lord Shiva
69. Assertion (P): Pulses except tur dal are grown in rotation with other crops.  
 Reason (R): They are leguminous and helps in restoring fertility of soil by fixing nitrogen from air in the roots.  
 A) Both 'P' and 'R' are true and 'R' explains 'P'  
 B) Both 'P' and 'R' are true but 'R' does not explain 'P'  
 C) 'P' is true but 'R' is false  
 D) 'P' is false but 'R' is true
70. Consider a group of 20 people. If everyone shakes hands with everyone else, how many handshakes take place?  
 A) 180                                      B) 190                                      C) 200                                      D) 400
71. During my recent tour, I have visited Amber Fort, Jaigarh fort and Jantar Mantar. Which city I had visited?  
 A) Bikaner                                      B) New Delhi                                      C) Jaipur                                      D) Agra
72. Giddha is a famous folk dance from which state?  
 A) Assam                                      B) Gujarat                                      C) Himachal Pradesh                                      D) Panjab
73. In which city Kumbh Mela was organized in 2019?  
 A) Ayodhya                                      B) Prayagraj                                      C) Lucknow                                      D) Varanasi

74. What is the tag line of 'Kerala Tourism?'
- A) God's Own Country  
B) The Spice Garden of India  
C) Venice of East  
D) The Coconut Country
75. Statue of Unity is dedicated to which personality?
- A) Rajiv Gandhi  
B) Indira Gandhi  
C) Sardar Patel  
D) Jawahar Lal Nehru
76. When is International's Chef Day celebrated?
- A) 20<sup>th</sup> April  
B) 20<sup>th</sup> October  
C) 20<sup>th</sup> May  
D) 20<sup>th</sup> November
77. What is a Motel?
- A) A small Dhaba  
B) A small hotel on highway where motorists check in  
C) A large hotel with parking facilities  
D) A hotel with a restaurant and bar
78. La Tomatina festival – (in which participants throw tomatoes and get involved in a tomato fight purely for entertainment purposes) held in which country?
- A) Japan  
B) Bangladesh  
C) Spain  
D) Italy
79. The famous 'Shabrimala Shrine' is situated in which state
- A) Tamilnadu  
B) Karnataka  
C) Andhra Pradesh  
D) Kerala
80. Who is the current tourism minister of India?
- A) Mahesh Sharma  
B) Suresh Prabhu  
C) ManoharParikar  
D) K J Alphons
81. The Great Himalayan National Park (World Heritage Site) is located in which state?
- A) Uttarakhand  
B) Assam  
C) Himachal Pradesh  
D) Arunachal Pradesh
82. Who is Vikas Khanna?
- A) Union Minister  
B) Famous Doctor  
C) Celebrity Chef  
D) Cricketer
83. Which day is International day of Yoga'?
- A) 21 June  
B) 22 July  
C) 23 September  
D) 24 December
84. Which one of the following is an International hotel chain?
- A) Taj Hotels  
B) Oberoi group  
C) Marriot  
D) ITC hotels
85. A duplex room is a room with?
- A) Air conditioner  
B) Two storey's connected by stairs  
C) Room service facility  
D) With an extra bed
86. What is a mock tail?
- A) It is a liquor mixed with fruit juice  
B) It is combination of fruit juice, tastefully garnished with sans alcohol  
C) It is type of draught beer  
D) It is plain lemon juice



87. Which of the following island is renamed as Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Island?  
 A) Havelock Island    B) Ross Island    C) Neil Island    D) Chiriyatapu
88. 'National War Memorial' established on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019, is a monument constructed by the Government of India to honour its Armed Forces is located in which city?  
 A) Mumbai    B) Kolkata    C) New Delhi    D) Amritsar
89. Room divisions consists of:  
 A) Front office, reservations, housekeeping & concierge  
 B) Front office, reservations, housekeeping, concierge & guest services  
 C) Front office, reservations, housekeeping, concierge, guest services & security  
 D) Front office, reservations, housekeeping, concierge, guest services, security & communications
90. A 'haute cuisine' restaurant is:  
 A) A fast-food style restaurant  
 B) A very elegant and expensive style of fine dining  
 C) A French bistro  
 D) A restaurant where food is cooked at different stations and you help yourself
91. Which of the following place is popular for eco tourism?  
 A) Chandigarh    B) Guru gram    C) Sikkim    D) Fatehgarh Sahib
92. \_\_\_\_\_ is the state bird of Panjab?  
 A) Baaz    B) Peacock    C) Pigeon    D) Koel
93. \_\_\_\_\_ is the home of Dalai Lama?  
 A) Manali    B) Ladakh    C) Shimla    D) Dharamshala
94. Chandigarh was designed by.....?  
 A) Le Corbusier    B) M.S. Randhawa    C) Peter Jaret    D) Edwin Lutyen
95. 'Dumas' beach which is notorious for being a haunted beach, located in which state  
 A) Karnataka    B) Gujarat    C) Maharashtra    D) Kerala
96. In which city one can find Moorish Mosque in Panjab  
 A) Kapurthala    B) Ludhiana    C) Ropar    D) Patiala
97. "Pongal" is celebrated in which state?  
 A) Tamil Nadu    B) Karnataka    C) Orissa    D) Maharashtra
98. Which state of north India is called as "Food basket of India".  
 A) Uttar Pradesh    B) Haryana    C) Himachal Pradesh    D) Punjab
99. Expand ITDC  
 A) India Tourism Development Corporation  
 B) India Tourism Development Company  
 C) International Tourism Development Corp  
 D) India Travel Division Company

100. "Malana village" in Kullu is famous for?

A) Minerals

B) Oldest democracy of the world

C) Temples of Shiva

D) Silver deposit

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